





# How to use the NORTHERA Support Center

The NORTHERA Support Center will help you with insurance coverage verification, financial assistance, and ongoing support. Your medication will be delivered right to your home through the use of a Specialty Pharmacy, which is different than the retail pharmacy because they are experts in providing support and education for patients like yourself.



## Your doctor has prescribed NORTHERA™ (droxidopa).

Here's what you can expect:




### Within 5 days of receiving your completed prescription, the NORTHERA Support Center will send you NORTHERA:

-  You will receive a phone call from the NORTHERA Support Center who will confirm your address and let you know that your treatment is on its way
-  A signature will be needed at time of delivery

### With your NORTHERA, you will also receive:

-  A brochure that provides more information about NORTHERA and the NORTHERA Support Center
-  A dosing titration card that reviews the instructions your doctor gave you about taking NORTHERA

### Meanwhile, the NORTHERA Support Center will:

-  Work with your insurance company to determine if NORTHERA is covered
-  Verify your eligibility for financial assistance options, if necessary
-  Call you if they have any questions



**Always return calls from the NORTHERA Support Center and your Specialty Pharmacy because they cannot send your medication without speaking to you first. Note, these calls will appear blocked or unavailable on your caller ID.**

**If you have questions about your insurance coverage and/or how you will be sent the NORTHERA prescribed by your doctor, or would like to speak with a registered nurse, please call the NORTHERA Support Center toll-free at 1-844-601-0101.**

To learn more about NORTHERA, talk with your doctor or visit [www.NORTHERA.com](http://www.NORTHERA.com).



## USE

NORTHERA (droxidopa) is a prescription medication to reduce dizziness, lightheadedness, or the “feeling that you are about to black out” in adults who experience a significant drop in blood pressure when changing positions or standing (called symptomatic neurogenic orthostatic hypotension) and who have Parkinson’s disease, multiple system atrophy, pure autonomic failure, dopamine beta-hydroxylase deficiency, or non-diabetic autonomic neuropathy. Effectiveness beyond 2 weeks of treatment has not been established, and your doctor will decide if you should continue taking NORTHERA.

### **WARNING: SUPINE HYPERTENSION (this is high blood pressure while lying down)**

**Blood pressure should be checked while lying down before starting and during NORTHERA treatment. While lying down, elevating the head and upper body lowers the risk of high blood pressure. If high blood pressure while lying down is a problem, work with your doctor to either take less NORTHERA or stop it altogether.**

Please carefully read the Important Safety Information, including Boxed Warning for supine hypertension, on the back. Please refer to the accompanying NORTHERA full Prescribing Information.

For more information, you can also visit [www.NORTHERA.com](http://www.NORTHERA.com).

  
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*(droxidopa) capsules*  
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## IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

- Work with your doctor as NORTHERA may cause elevations in high blood pressure and increases the risk of supine hypertension, which could lead to strokes, heart attacks, and death.
- Neuroleptic Malignant Syndrome (NMS) is a potentially fatal side effect reported with NORTHERA. Call your doctor right away and go

to the nearest emergency room if you develop these signs and symptoms that do not have another obvious cause: high fever, stiff muscles, movements that you cannot control, problems thinking, very fast or uneven heartbeat, or increased sweating. NORTHERA should be stopped immediately if NMS is diagnosed.

- If you have coronary artery disease, irregular heartbeat, or heart failure, NORTHERA may worsen the symptoms of these disorders. If your symptoms become worse, call your doctor.
- NORTHERA contains tartrazine (FD&C Yellow No. 5). Taking NORTHERA could cause an allergic reaction, especially if you have a reaction to aspirin.
- The most common side effects in NORTHERA patients were headache, dizziness, nausea, high blood pressure, and being tired.
- Tell your healthcare provider about all the medicines you take, including prescription and nonprescription medicines, vitamins, and herbal supplements. Taking NORTHERA with other medications may cause side effects.
- If you plan to become or are currently pregnant or nursing, talk to your doctor as it is not known if NORTHERA could harm your unborn or nursing baby.

**Please see the accompanying full Prescribing Information, including Boxed Warning for Supine Hypertension, or go to [www.NORTHERA.com](http://www.NORTHERA.com).**

You are encouraged to report negative side effects of prescription drugs to the FDA. Visit [www.fda.gov/medwatch](http://www.fda.gov/medwatch), or call 1-800-FDA-1088.



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