



Bayer Schering Pharma's Men's Healthcare

Background

Bayer Schering Pharma's Men's Healthcare division is dedicated to improving men's health, with a focus on innovative products for testosterone deficiency and erectile dysfunction (ED). Bayer Schering Pharma supports urologists, endocrinologists and other clinicians to provide the best care for their patients. Its Men's Healthcare division has a modern, holistic approach to men's health and a strong commitment to meeting patients' needs.

Bayer Schering Pharma's testosterone products include Nebido[®] and Testogel[®] for testosterone replacement therapy, and the popular PDE-5 inhibitor drug Levitra[®] for ED.

The development of the Men's Healthcare division recognises that ED and testosterone deficiency syndrome often share the same underlying medical conditions.^{1,2,3}

If a man with testosterone deficiency syndrome is given testosterone replacement therapy with either Nebido[®] or Testogel[®], his sexual and general well being is often improved.^{4,5} While these products provide long-term solutions to health concerns, Levitra[®] provides a short-term solution for ED, even in men with underlying medical conditions.⁶

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Bayer Schering Pharma is a worldwide leading pharmaceutical company. Its research and business activities are focused on the following areas: diagnostic imaging, general medicine, specialty medicine and women's healthcare. It also has a dedicated Men's Healthcare Group that brings together a rich heritage in innovative men's health products and a strong commitment to meeting patients' needs.



With new ideas and innovative products, Bayer Schering Pharma aims to make a contribution to medical progress and strives to improve the quality of life of patients.

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