

An exciting option in contraception...

Say Hello to

Slynd[®]

(drospirenone) tablets, 4 mg



**Talk to your doctor about
estrogen-free Slynd[®] for
pregnancy prevention today!**

**Slynd[®] is the only estrogen-free oral contraceptive with a
24-hour missed pill window.**

Indications and usage:

Slynd[®] is a progestin indicated for use by females of reproductive potential to prevent pregnancy.

Please see Important Risk Information on pages 6-7 and Patient Information in pocket.

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An estrogen-free pill you can count on!



What hormones are in Slynd®?

Slynd® is an oral contraceptive used to prevent pregnancy that only contains a progestin and does not contain any estrogen.

Why may Slynd® be right for you?

There are many considerations that go into selecting a birth control that is right for you. These can include:

- being interested in avoiding unnecessary hormones
- having an estrogen-related health risk
- dealing with an erratic schedule
- currently breastfeeding

Slynd can be used effectively in these situations for most women.

How is Slynd® different from other birth control pills that do not contain estrogen?

Estrogen-free Slynd® has a 24-hour window to catch up on a missed pill, whereas other birth control pills without estrogen only have a rigid 3-hour window.

How will Slynd® affect my periods?

With Slynd®, you can experience periods on a schedule through its 24 active and 4 placebo pill dosing regimen. This provides you an experience similar to a period and bleeding days comparable to some combination oral contraceptives that contain estrogen. You may have period-like bleeding and/or experience irregular vaginal bleeding or spotting, especially during the first few months of taking Slynd®.



Important Risk Information

What is Slynd?

Slynd is a birth control pill (oral contraceptive) also called a POP (progestin only pill) that is used by women who can become pregnant to prevent pregnancy.

Do not take Slynd if you:

- have kidney disease or kidney failure
- have reduced adrenal gland function (adrenal insufficiency)

What questions should I ask my doctor?



- 1 Start by asking your doctor how you can determine what birth control method is right for you.
- 2 Find out the difference between pills that contain estrogen versus those that do not.
- 3 If you cannot take any estrogen because you are a breastfeeding mother, smoker over 35 years old, have a cardiovascular risk, or high BMI, discuss estrogen-free Slynd® as an option.
- 4 If you are conscious of what you put in your body and prefer to avoid any unnecessary hormones in your birth control, ask your doctor about estrogen-free Slynd®.
- 5 Learn about what your periods can be like when taking Slynd®.
- 6 Learn about how the side effect profile of Slynd® compares to combination oral contraceptives that contain estrogen.
- 7 Ask about the flexible window of Slynd® to catch up on a missed pill.
- 8 Find out how the progestin in Slynd® differs from the progestin in many other birth control pills.
- 9 Know how to take Slynd® if you are switching from another pill.
- 10 Discuss how effective Slynd® is in preventing pregnancy and how quickly your protection will begin after starting on Slynd®.

- have or have had cervical cancer or any cancer that is sensitive to female hormones
- have liver disease, including liver tumors
- have unexplained vaginal bleeding

If any of these conditions happen while you are taking Slynd, stop taking Slynd right away and talk to your healthcare provider. Use non-hormonal contraception when you stop taking Slynd.

Slynd® is appropriate for most women...

“Some oral contraceptives may not work well for women with my body type.”



“For breastfeeding moms, our only oral birth control pill options had tight dosing schedules offering no flexibility if we forget.”



For all body types

Not every oral contraceptive may be fully effective for certain women. Slynd®, unlike many estrogen-containing oral contraceptives, was studied in and approved for a range of body types, including women with a BMI ≥ 35 kg/m². With Slynd®, you have contraception you can trust without the added worry of estrogen side effects.

For breastfeeding and beyond

When you are breastfeeding, an oral contraceptive containing estrogen is out of the question. Slynd® provides you with effective estrogen-free contraception with a flexible 24-hour window to catch up on a missed pill. Slynd® fits your lifestyle now when you're breastfeeding and even once you stop.



“When it comes to medication, I prefer a ‘less is more’ approach and, for birth control, I would like to avoid unnecessary hormones as much as possible.”



“I have heart problems, so my doctor prescribed a contraceptive pill without estrogen, but the tight dosing schedule stresses me out.”

For women avoiding unnecessary hormones

Effective birth control is what you need. Extra hormones, not so much. Slynd®, an estrogen-free progestin-only oral contraceptive, may fit your needs.

For women with cardiovascular risks

Estrogen is never a good choice if you are a smoker or you have cardiovascular risks. Estrogen-free Slynd® can provide you with effective birth control that may fit your contraceptive needs.

Important Risk Information (cont'd)

Before you take Slynd, tell your healthcare provider about all your medical conditions, including if you:

- are pregnant or think you may be pregnant
- have ever had blood clots in your legs, lungs, a stroke, or a heart attack
- have high levels of potassium in your blood or take chronic medications that may increase blood potassium concentrations

Tell your doctor about all of the medicines you take, including prescription and over-the-counter medicines, vitamins and herbal supplements, such as St. John's Wort.

Slynd may affect the way other medicines work, and other medicines may affect how well Slynd works.

Consider using an alternative or back-up method of contraception when such medicines are used with Slynd.

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IMPORTANT RISK INFORMATION

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- have or have had cervical cancer or any cancer that is sensitive to female hormones
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- have unexplained vaginal bleeding

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Before you take Slynd, tell your healthcare provider about all of your medical conditions, including if you:

- are pregnant or think you may be pregnant
- have ever had blood clots in your legs (deep vein thrombosis), lungs (pulmonary embolism), or a stroke or heart attack (myocardial infarction)
- have high levels of potassium in your blood or take chronic medications that may increase blood potassium concentrations
- have or have had depression

Tell your healthcare provider about all the medicine you take including prescription and over-the-counter medicines, vitamins and herbal supplements, such as St. John's Wort.

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What are the possible serious side effects of Slynd?

Slynd may cause serious side effects, including:

- **High potassium levels in your blood (hyperkalemia).** Your healthcare provider may check the potassium levels in your blood before and during treatment with Slynd. **Seek medical help right away if you have** signs or symptoms of high potassium levels in your blood including weakness or numbness in an arm or leg, palpitations (feel like your heart is racing or fluttering) or irregular heartbeat, nausea, vomiting, severe pain in your chest, or shortness of breath.
- **Blood clot forming in blood vessels (thromboembolism).** Tell your healthcare provider if you have had a blood clot. Tell your healthcare provider if

you plan to have surgery or are not able to be active due to illness or injury. **Seek medical help right away if you have** leg pain that will not go away, a sudden severe headache, sudden severe shortness of breath, sudden change in vision or blindness, chest pain, weakness or numbness in your arm or leg, or trouble speaking.

- **Bone loss.** It is not known if the decrease in a sex hormone that happens with Slynd can result in decreased bone density.
- **Cervical cancer.**
- **Liver problems, including rare liver tumors.** Call your healthcare provider right away if you have yellowing of your skin or eyes.
- **Ectopic pregnancy** - pregnancy is not in the uterus. Seek medical help right away if you have severe abdominal (belly) pain as this type of pregnancy is a medical emergency and often requires surgery.
- **Risk of high blood sugar levels in people with diabetes.** If you have diabetes, you may need to monitor your blood sugar level more often or adjust your diabetes medicine.
- **Changes in menstrual bleeding.** Tell your healthcare provider if you experience irregular vaginal bleeding, irregular periods, or an absence of period
- **Depression, especially if you have had depression in the past.** Call your healthcare provider immediately if you have any thoughts of harming yourself.

What are the most common side effects of Slynd?

The most common side effects reported by women taking Slynd were acne, menstrual cramps, headache, breast pain and tenderness, weight gain, nausea, severe vaginal bleeding, less sexual desire, and irregular menstruation.

These are not all the possible side effects of Slynd. Call your doctor for medical advice about side effects.

You are encouraged to report negative side effects of prescription drugs to the FDA. Visit www.fda.gov/medwatch or call 1-800-FDA-1088. You may also report side effects to Exeltis by calling 1-877-324-9349.

What else should I know about taking Slynd?

If you are scheduled for any lab tests, tell your healthcare provider you are taking SLYND. Certain blood tests may be affected by Slynd.

Birth control pills do not protect you against any sexually transmitted disease, including HIV, the virus that causes AIDS.

Discontinue Slynd if pregnancy occurs.

Please see the full Prescribing Information, including Patient Information for complete safety and risk information regarding Slynd.

Slynd[®] SAVINGS PROGRAM

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ELIGIBLE PATIENTS MAY
PAY AS LITTLE AS

\$25* PER 1-MONTH
OR 3-MONTH
PRESCRIPTION FILL

3 MONTH FILL MAY COST PATIENT
\$8.33 PER MONTH

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ALSO ACCESS SAVINGS
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Slynd does not protect against HIV infection (AIDS) and other sexually transmitted infections.

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