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**Glatopa:** a generic glatiramer acetate with its own identity

A guide to Glatopa® (glatiramer acetate injection)  
and GlatopaCare® patient support services



Join the nearly **30,000 people** who  
have already been prescribed Glatopa for MS<sup>1</sup>

MS=multiple sclerosis.

## Indication

Glatopa® (glatiramer acetate injection) is a prescription medicine used to treat relapsing forms of multiple sclerosis (MS), to include clinically isolated syndrome, relapsing-remitting disease, and active secondary progressive disease, in adults.

## Important Safety Information

Do not take Glatopa® if you are allergic to glatiramer acetate, mannitol, or any of the ingredients in Glatopa.

**Please see additional Important Safety Information throughout and accompanying full Prescribing Information for Glatopa.**

**Glatopa®**  
(glatiramer acetate injection)  
20mg/mL • 40mg/mL

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# What Is Glatopa?

Glatopa® (glatiramer acetate injection) is an FDA-approved, substitutable generic that is therapeutically equivalent to Copaxone® (glatiramer acetate injection). **That means it is made with the same active ingredient found in Copaxone.**<sup>2</sup>

	Glatopa (glatiramer acetate injection)	Copaxone® (glatiramer acetate injection)
Glatiramer acetate <sup>2</sup>	✓	✓
Same treatment effect <sup>2</sup>	✓	✓
Patient Support Services Center <sup>3,4</sup>	✓	✓
Co-Pay Savings Program <sup>3,4</sup>	✓	✓
Injection device <sup>5,6</sup>	✓	✓
Once-daily dosing (20 mg/mL) <sup>5,6</sup>	✓	✓
3-times-a-week dosing (40 mg/mL) <sup>5,6</sup>	✓	✓

## More about Glatopa

- Glatiramer acetate, the same active ingredient found in Glatopa, has been used to treat relapsing forms of multiple sclerosis for more than 20 years<sup>7</sup>
- Glatopa is injected under the skin (subcutaneous injection) and may be administered with the Glatopaject® injection device<sup>5</sup>
- Glatopa is made in the United States<sup>8</sup>

Copaxone is a registered trademark of Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd.

### Important Safety Information (cont'd)

Some patients report a short-term reaction right after or within minutes after injecting glatiramer acetate. This reaction can involve flushing (feeling of warmth and/or redness), chest tightness or pain, fast heartbeat, anxiety, and trouble breathing. These symptoms generally appear within seconds to minutes of an injection, last about 15 minutes, and do not require specific treatment. During the postmarketing period, there have been reports of patients with similar symptoms who received emergency medical care.

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# Are you switching medications?

Your doctor or pharmacist may have decided it's time to switch from Copaxone® to Glatopa. Not to worry! You can expect a quality medicine and patient support services similar to what you're already accustomed to.

## Keep the dosing option that works for you

- **Glatopa is available in 2 dosage strengths<sup>5</sup>:**
  - 3-times-a-week **40 mg/mL** or once-daily **20 mg/mL**. Both dosage strengths are given under the skin (subcutaneous injection)

Example dosing schedule for 40 mg/mL<sup>5</sup>:



Leave at least 48 hours between injections.

**Glatopaject injection device** is similar to other devices on the market, so your injection experience may be the same<sup>9</sup>

### Important Safety Information (cont'd)

**If symptoms become severe, call the emergency phone number in your area.** Call your doctor right away if you develop hives, skin rash with irritation, dizziness, sweating, chest pain, trouble breathing, or severe pain at the injection site. If any of the above occurs, do not give yourself any more injections until your doctor tells you to begin again.

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# GlatopaCare<sup>®</sup> can help

Enrolling in GlatopaCare is a simple way to ensure you get the most out of your Glatopa treatment. GlatopaCare support services are also available to family and caregivers.<sup>3</sup>

## Find out about \$0 co-pay



You may be eligible\* for a \$0 co-pay on your monthly Glatopa<sup>®</sup> (glatiramer acetate injection) prescription.<sup>3</sup>

That's \$0 out-of-pocket co-pay for either dosing option.<sup>3</sup>

## Meet your GlatopaCare Representative

Your GlatopaCare Representative can help you with any questions regarding insurance and connect you with a Nurse Trainer.<sup>3</sup>

**97%** of Glatopa patients were satisfied with their GlatopaCare experience<sup>10</sup>

\*The Glatopa Co-Pay Program provides up to \$9000 in annual co-pay support for Glatopa prescriptions. This program is not health insurance. This program is for insured patients only; uninsured cash-paying patients are not eligible. Patients are not eligible if prescriptions are paid, in whole or in part, by any state or federally funded programs, including but not limited to Medicare (including Part D, even in the coverage gap) or Medicaid, Medigap, VA, DOD, or TRICARE, or private indemnity, or HMO insurance plans that reimburse you for the entire cost of your prescription drugs, or where prohibited by law. Card may not be combined with any other rebate, coupon, or offer. Card has no cash value. Sandoz reserves the right to rescind, revoke, or amend this offer without further notice.

### Important Safety Information (cont'd)

Chest pain may occur either as part of the immediate post-injection reaction or on its own. This pain should only last a few minutes. You may experience more than one such episode, usually beginning at least one month after starting treatment. Tell your doctor if you experience chest pain that lasts for a long time or feels very intense.

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# Nurse support when you need it

## 24/7 Nurse support

- GlatopaCare Nurse Trainers are available at any time of day or night to provide answers to questions about injection and to give guidance about self-injection and the proper injection technique

## Injection training at home or over the phone

Your GlatopaCare Nurse Trainer will:

- Call you to schedule a training session
- Show you how to use your Glatopaject® device so that you can feel more confident injecting yourself
- Give you pointers on when and where to inject for a more comfortable injection experience

Call **1.855.GLATOPA (1.855.452.8672)** or visit [www.glatopa.com](http://www.glatopa.com) to find out more, to set up an appointment, or to get answers to any questions you may have about injection.



For more information on how to inject, visit  
[www.glatopa.com/HowToInject](http://www.glatopa.com/HowToInject)

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## For seamless starts and patient support. Go Glatopa

### GlatopaCare® has 3 easy ways to enroll

1

Fill out a service request form with your doctor

OR

2

Call **1.855.GLATOPA (1.855.452.8672)** OR text **"START"** to **23519**  
Dedicated representatives are available Monday through Friday from 8 AM–8 PM ET. If it is after hours, please leave a message.

OR

3

Visit [glatopa.com/enroll](https://www.glatopa.com/enroll)

### Once you enroll, you can start getting help right away

#### Important Safety Information (cont'd)

A permanent indentation under the skin (lipoatrophy) or, rarely, necrosis at the injection site may occur, due to local destruction of fat tissue. Be sure to follow proper injection technique and inform your doctor of any skin changes.

Cases of hepatic injury, some severe, including liver failure and hepatitis with jaundice, have been reported with Glatopa. Hepatic injury has occurred from days to years after initiating treatment with Glatopa. If signs or symptoms of liver dysfunction occur, consider discontinuation of Glatopa.

The most common side effects in studies of glatiramer acetate injection are redness, pain, swelling, itching, or a lump at the site of injection, flushing, rash, shortness of breath, and chest pain. These are not all of the possible side effects of glatiramer acetate. For a complete list, ask your doctor or pharmacist. Tell your doctor about any side effects you have while taking Glatopa.

**To report SUSPECTED ADVERSE REACTIONS, contact Sandoz Inc. at 1-800-525-8747 or FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088 or [www.fda.gov/medwatch](https://www.fda.gov/medwatch).**

#### Please see full **Prescribing Information** for Glatopa.

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