# Your doctor or pharmacist recommends SHINGRIX



SHINGRIX is an FDA-approved vaccine for the prevention of shingles (herpes zoster) in adults 50 years and older. SHINGRIX is not used to prevent chickenpox.



### Over 99% of adults 50 years and older already have the virus that causes shingles inside them, and it can reactivate at any time

Your risk of developing shingles and suffering from its severe complications increases sharply after age 50. 1 in 3 people will develop shingles in their lifetime.





Shingles can strike as a painful, blistering rash that can last for 2 to 4 weeks





Many people describe the pain as aching, burning, stabbing, or shock-like.



# SHINGRIX is now \$0 for almost everyone

**\$0** in pharmacies for Medicare Part D patients, and **\$0** for 95% of privately insured patients.

See <u>SHINGRIX.com</u> for details.



90%

#### SHINGRIX protects. Get SHINGRIX at your local pharmacy today.

In clinical trials, SHINGRIX was over

90% effective in preventing shingles

in adults 50 years and older who completed the 2-dose series.

Help prevent shingles

with SHINGRIX



To book an appointment, scan here or visit **ScheduleSHINGRIX.com** 

### **Important Safety Information**

You should not receive SHINGRIX if you are allergic to any of its ingredients or had an allergic reaction to a previous dose of SHINGRIX.

Please see next page for additional Important Safety Information. Please see accompanying <u>Important Facts About SHINGRIX</u>.



# Frequently Asked Questions

## Why am I at risk of getting shingles?

Shingles is caused by the same virus that causes chickenpox. If you have had chickenpox, the virus that causes shingles is already inside you and can reactivate anytime.

# What complications can occur from shingles?

About 1 in 10 people who get shingles develop debilitating nerve pain that can last for months or years after the rash goes away. In rare cases, serious, long-term eye or hearing issues can occur. SHINGRIX is not approved to prevent complications from shingles.

#### How can I prevent shingles?

SHINGRIX is the only vaccine available in the US to prevent shingles. Vaccination may not protect all individuals.

# How many SHINGRIX doses do I need for full protection?

SHINGRIX is a 2-dose vaccine. Get the full protection of SHINGRIX by receiving your second dose 2-6 months after your first dose. If you've already had your first dose, sign up for second dose reminders at <u>SHINGRIXreminder.com</u>

Schedule a SHINGRIX appointment at your local pharmacy today by scanning here or visiting



#### ScheduleSHINGRIX.com

## Is SHINGRIX covered by my insurance?

Most insurance plans cover SHINGRIX for patients 50 years and older. Check with your doctor or pharmacist about vaccination.

### **Understand Potential Side Effects**

After each dose of SHINGRIX, you may experience pain, redness, and swelling at the injection site. Other common side effects include muscle pain, tiredness, headache, shivering, fever, and upset stomach. Contact your healthcare provider if you have any concerns.

Severe allergic reactions are less common, but can include hives, swelling of the face or throat, difficulty breathing, a fast heartbeat, dizziness, and weakness. If you experience any of these symptoms, seek immediate medical attention.

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

- An increased risk of Guillain-Barré syndrome (severe muscle weakness) was observed after vaccination with SHINGRIX.
- Fainting can happen after getting injectable vaccines, including SHINGRIX. Precautions should be taken to avoid falling and injury due to fainting.
- The most common side effects are pain, redness, and swelling at the injection site, muscle pain, tiredness, headache, shivering, fever, and upset stomach.
- SHINGRIX was not studied in pregnant or nursing women. Tell your healthcare provider if you are pregnant, plan to become pregnant, or are breastfeeding.
- Vaccination with SHINGRIX may not protect all individuals.
- Ask your healthcare provider about the risks and benefits of SHINGRIX. Only a healthcare provider can decide if SHINGRIX is right for you.

#### Please see additional Important Safety Information on the previous page and accompanying <u>Important Facts about SHINGRIX</u>.

You are encouraged to report vaccine adverse events to the US Department of Health and Human Services. Visit <u>www.vaers.hhs.gov</u> to file a report, or call <u>1-800-822-7967</u>.



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