

For people 1 year of age
or older with diabetes

MY **TRESIBA**[®] REASON



**I have a good *Reason* to do more
to lower my blood sugar.**

What is Tresiba[®]?

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- It is not known if Tresiba[®] is safe and effective in children under 1 year of age
- Tresiba[®] is available in 2 concentrations: 200 units/mL and 100 units/mL

Important Safety Information

Do not share your Tresiba[®] FlexTouch[®] with other people, even if the needle has been changed. Do not share needles or syringes with another person. You may give other people a serious infection, or get a serious infection from them.

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Find your *Reason*, and ask your health care provider about Tresiba[®].

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- are having an episode of low blood sugar
- are allergic to Tresiba[®] or any of the ingredients in Tresiba[®]

Before taking Tresiba[®], tell your health care provider about all your medical conditions, including if you are:

- pregnant, planning to become pregnant, or are breastfeeding
- taking new prescription or over-the-counter medicines, vitamins, or herbal supplements

Talk to your health care provider about low blood sugar and how to manage it.

What's your *Reason* for taking control of your blood sugar?

Managing diabetes can be challenging. You feel like you're on top of it on some days. Other days, it can be a little tougher. With the ups and downs, it's easy to find yourself just going through the motions with your diabetes care.

But if you need a reason to do more to take better control of your blood sugar, all you have to do is look around you... to family and friends, and the special moments in your life.



Take control with Tresiba[®]

A long-acting insulin that controls blood sugar in adults and children with diabetes

Talk to your health care provider about your diabetes management plan, including diet and exercise.

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- **Do not do any conversion of your dose. The dose counter always shows the selected dose in units**
- Know the type and strength of insulin you take. **Do not** change the type of insulin you take unless your health care provider tells you to
- **Change (rotate) your injection sites within the area you choose with each injection** to reduce your risk of getting lipodystrophy (pits in skin or thickened skin) and localized cutaneous amyloidosis (skin with lumps) at the injection sites
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When it was time for insulin,
I chose Tresiba®



Tresiba® works the way the body's insulin does to lower my blood sugar



Tresiba® is a long-acting insulin that I take once a day



Tresiba® gives me blood sugar control for 24 hours, for powerful A1C reduction

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- Adults - If you miss or are delayed in taking your dose of Tresiba®:
 - Take your dose as soon as you remember, then continue with your regular dosing schedule
 - Make sure there are at least **8** hours between doses
- If children miss a dose of Tresiba®:
 - Call the health care provider for information and instructions about checking blood sugar levels more often until the next scheduled dose of Tresiba®
- For children who need less than 5 units of Tresiba® each day, use a Tresiba® U-100 vial
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The Tresiba® Savings Card

TRESIBA® SAVINGS CARD

Pay as little as **\$5** PER PRESCRIPTION

To activate your card, call
1-877-304-6852
or visit [SaveOnTresiba.com](#)

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- Maximum savings of \$150 per prescription
 - Look up your cost and coverage at [Tresiba.com](#)
- Eligibility and other restrictions apply.



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Pay as little as **[\$5]** per **[30-day]** supply of Tresiba® for up to 24 months. (Maximum savings of **[\$150]** per 30-day supply.)

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Tresiba® is covered by most major health plans, including Medicare and Medicaid®

*Formulary status subject to change. Formulary data are provided by Fingertip Formulary® and are current as of **[January 2020.]**

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How Tresiba® works to control blood sugar



Tresiba® mimics the body's natural insulin



Tresiba® helps the sugar in your blood get into your cells



Like the body's insulin, Tresiba® releases slow and steady and works all day and night

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What should I avoid while taking Tresiba®?

- **Do not** drive or operate heavy machinery, until you know how Tresiba® affects you
- **Do not** drink alcohol or use prescription or over-the-counter medicines that contain alcohol

What are the possible side effects of Tresiba®?

Tresiba® may cause serious side effects that can be life-threatening, including:

- **Low blood sugar (hypoglycemia).** Signs and symptoms that may indicate low blood sugar include anxiety, irritability, mood changes, dizziness, sweating, confusion, and headache

Adults can take Tresiba® at any time of the day

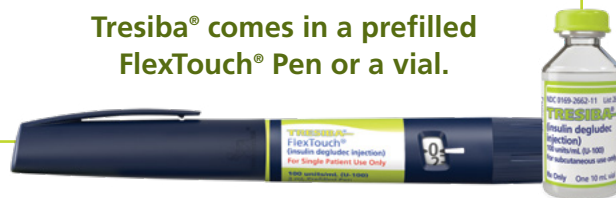
While we encourage you to take Tresiba® the same time every day, sometimes your schedule may change or you may forget to take your dose.

If you forget to take Tresiba®, take your dose as soon as you remember. Then, go back to your regular dosing time. Just make sure you leave at least 8 hours between doses.



Only Tresiba® lets adults **change the time** of their **once-daily dose**.

Tresiba® comes in a prefilled FlexTouch® Pen or a vial.



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Type 1 and Tresiba®

If you have type 1 diabetes, your treatment plan will include basal-bolus insulin therapy (long-acting and mealtime insulin), which uses both types of insulin to **closely mimic the body's normal insulin release**.

Many type 1 diabetes patients use a continuous glucose monitor to closely keep track of their blood sugar and the amount of time that their numbers are in range. The ADA recommends that your blood sugar is in the range of 70 to 180 mg/dL.

Once-daily Tresiba® releases slow and steady throughout the day and night for a **full 24 hours of blood sugar control**.

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Did you know that Tresiba® is the only long-acting insulin that can be taken by children as young as 1 year of age with type 1 diabetes?

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What are the possible side effects of Tresiba®? (cont'd)

- **Low potassium in your blood (hypokalemia)**
- **Heart failure** in some people if taken with thiazolidinediones (TZDs). This can happen even if you have never had heart failure or heart problems. If you already have heart failure, it may get worse while you take TZDs with Tresiba®. Tell your health care provider if you have any new or worse symptoms of heart failure including shortness of breath, tiredness, swelling of your ankles or feet, and sudden weight gain

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Get emergency medical help if you have trouble breathing, shortness of breath, fast heartbeat, swelling of your face, tongue, or throat, sweating, extreme drowsiness, dizziness, or confusion.



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Diabetes Discussion Guide

You can start a conversation with your health care provider using the questions below. There is also space to add your own questions or notes.

What is my current A1C?

What is my A1C goal?

Is Tresiba® right for me?

Notes: _____

Call **1-866-739-1875** or visit **Tresiba.com**
for more information.

Tresiba® is available by prescription only.

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.



Partnership for
Prescription Assistance

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