



# **RISK MANAGEMENT PLAN**

## **RAXONE [idebenone]**

**RMP Version Number: 1.18**

**Marketing Authorisation Holder: Chiesi SA, Villars-sur-Glâne, Switzerland**

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The Risk Management Plan (RMP) is a comprehensive document submitted as part of the application dossier for market approval of a medicine. The RMP Summary contains information on the medicine's safety profile and explains the measures that are taken in order to further investigate and follow the risks as well as to prevent or minimise them.


The RMP summary of Raxone is a concise document and does not claim to be exhaustive.

As the RMP is an international document, the summary might differ from the "Arzneimittelinformation / Information sur le médicament" approved and published in Switzerland, e.g. by mentioning risks occurring in populations or indications not included in the Swiss authorization.

Please note that the reference document which is valid and relevant for the effective and safe use of Raxone in Switzerland is the "Arzneimittelinformation/ Information sur le médicament" (see [www.swissmedic.ch](http://www.swissmedic.ch)) approved and authorized by Swissmedic. Chiesi SA is fully responsible for the accuracy and correctness of the content of the published summary RMP of Raxone.

# EU Risk Management Plan for Raxone® (idebenone)

## RMP version to be assessed as part of this application:

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## Part VI: Summary of the risk management plan

### Summary of risk management plan for Raxone

This is a summary of the risk management plan (RMP) for Raxone<sup>®</sup>. The RMP details important risks of Raxone<sup>®</sup>, how these risks can be minimised, and how more information will be obtained about Raxone<sup>®</sup>'s risks and uncertainties (missing information).

Raxone<sup>®</sup>'s summary of product characteristics (SmPC) and its package leaflet give essential information to healthcare professionals and patients on how Raxone<sup>®</sup> should be used.

This summary of the RMP for Raxone<sup>®</sup> should be read in the context of all this information including the assessment report of the evaluation and its plain-language summary, all which is part of the European Public Assessment Report (EPAR).

Important new concerns or changes to the current ones will be included in updates of Raxone<sup>®</sup>'s RMP.

#### I. The medicine and what it is used for

Raxone<sup>®</sup> is authorised for the treatment of LHON (see SmPC for the full indication). It contains idebenone as the active substance and it is given by oral route.

Further information about the evaluation of Raxone<sup>®</sup>'s benefits can be found in Raxone<sup>®</sup>'s EPAR, including in its plain-language summary, available on the EMA website, under the medicine's webpage <https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/medicines/human/EPAR/raxone>.

#### II. Risks associated with the medicine and activities to minimise or further characterise the risks

Important risks of Raxone<sup>®</sup>, together with measures to minimise such risks and the proposed studies for learning more about Raxone<sup>®</sup>'s risks, are outlined below.

Measures to minimise the risks identified for medicinal products can be:

- Specific information, such as warnings, precautions, and advice on correct use, in the package leaflet and SmPC addressed to patients and healthcare professionals;
- Important advice on the medicine's packaging;
- The authorised pack size — the amount of medicine in a pack is chosen so to ensure that the medicine is used correctly;
- The medicine's legal status — the way a medicine is supplied to the patient (e.g. with or without prescription) can help to minimise its risks.

Together, these measures constitute *routine risk minimisation* measures.

If important information that may affect the safe use of Raxone<sup>®</sup> is not yet available, it is listed under 'missing information' below.

## II.A List of important risks and missing information

Important risks of Raxone® are risks that need special risk management activities to further investigate or minimise the risk, so that the medicinal product can be safely taken. Important risks can be regarded as identified or potential. Identified risks are concerns for which there is sufficient proof of a link with the use of Raxone®. Potential risks are concerns for which an association with the use of this medicine is possible based on available data, but this association has not been established yet and needs further evaluation. Missing information refers to information on the safety of the medicinal product that is currently missing and needs to be collected (e.g. on the long-term use of the medicine);

<b>List of important risks and missing information</b>	
Important identified risks	None
Important potential risks	Abnormal liver function test and hepatitis Blood count abnormalities
Missing information	Use in children under 14 years of age with LHON Use in patients with hepatic impairment Use in patients with renal impairment Use in elderly patients Use in pregnancy and in breastfeeding patients Potential for inhibition of P-gp.

## II.B Summary of important risks

<b>Potential risk: Abnormal liver function test and hepatitis</b>	
Evidence for linking the risk to the medicine	Clinical trial data and post-marketing experience
Risk factors and risk groups	LHON patients, as a result of their debilitating disease, often suffer from reactive depression and may present behavioural traits of alcohol abuse and dependence which will predispose them to liver toxicity.
Risk minimisation measures	<b>Routine risk minimisation measures:</b> SmPC <b>Additional risk minimisation measures:</b> None
Additional pharmacovigilance activities	<b>Routine pharmacovigilance activities beyond adverse reactions reporting and signal detection:</b> None <b>Additional pharmacovigilance activities:</b> None*

\*The PASS study (PAROS) was completed on 09-Jul-2021 (Database locked) and the CSR was released on 20 Dec 2021. Currently no additional PV activities are active.

<b>Potential risk: Blood count abnormalities</b>	
Evidence for linking the risk to the medicine	Clinical trial data and post-marketing experience.
Risk groups or risk factors	No risk groups or risk factors could be identified.
Risk minimisation measures	<b>Routine risk minimisation measures:</b> SmPC <b>Additional risk minimisation measures:</b> None
Additional pharmacovigilance activities	<b>Routine pharmacovigilance activities beyond adverse reactions reporting and signal detection:</b> None <b>Additional pharmacovigilance activities:</b> None*

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<b>Missing information 1: Use in children under 14 years of age with LHON</b>	
Risk minimisation measures	<b>Routine risk minimisation measures:</b> SmPC <b>Additional risk minimisation measures:</b> None
Additional pharmacovigilance activities	<b>Routine pharmacovigilance activities beyond adverse reactions reporting and signal detection:</b> None <b>Additional pharmacovigilance activities:</b> None*

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<b>Missing information 2: Use in patients with hepatic impairment</b>	
Risk minimisation measures	<b>Routine risk minimisation measures:</b> SmPC <b>Additional risk minimisation measures:</b> None
Additional pharmacovigilance activities	<b>Routine pharmacovigilance activities beyond adverse reactions reporting and signal detection:</b> None <b>Additional pharmacovigilance activities:</b> None*

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<b>Missing information 3: Use in patients with renal impairment</b>	
Risk minimisation measures	<b>Routine risk minimisation measures:</b> SmPC

	<b>Additional risk minimisation measures:</b> None
Additional pharmacovigilance activities	<b>Routine pharmacovigilance activities beyond adverse reactions reporting and signal detection:</b> None <b>Additional pharmacovigilance activities:</b> None*

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<b>Missing information 4: Use in elderly patients with LHON</b>	
Risk minimisation measures	<b>Routine risk minimisation measures:</b> SmPC <b>Additional risk minimisation measures:</b> None
Additional pharmacovigilance activities	<b>Routine pharmacovigilance activities beyond adverse reactions reporting and signal detection:</b> None <b>Additional pharmacovigilance activities:</b> None*

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<b>Missing information 5: Use in pregnancy and in breastfeeding patients with LHON</b>	
Risk minimisation measures	<b>Routine risk minimisation measures:</b> SmPC <b>Additional risk minimisation measures:</b> None
Additional pharmacovigilance activities	<b>Routine pharmacovigilance activities beyond adverse reactions reporting and signal detection:</b> None <b>Additional pharmacovigilance activities:</b> None*

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<b>Missing information 6: Potential for inhibition of P-gp.</b>	
Risk minimisation measures	<b>Routine risk minimisation measures:</b> SmPC <b>Additional risk minimisation measures:</b> None
Additional pharmacovigilance activities	<b>Routine pharmacovigilance activities beyond adverse reactions reporting and signal detection:</b> None <b>Additional pharmacovigilance activities:</b> None*

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## ***II.C Post-authorisation development plan***

### **II.C.1 Studies which are conditions of the marketing authorisation**

The following studies are conditions of the marketing authorisation:

<b>Study short name:</b>	<b>Purpose of the study:</b>
None	

### ***Imposed mandatory additional pharmacovigilance activity (key to benefit risk)***

### **II.C.2 Other studies in post-authorisation development plan**

### ***Imposed mandatory additional pharmacovigilance activity (key to benefit risk)***

<b>Description of activity (or study title if known)</b>	<b>Milestone(s)</b>	<b>Due Date(s)</b>
None	Not applicable	Not applicable