

Title: Patient perspectives and experiences of preventive treatments and self-injectable devices for migraine: a focus group study

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Online Resource 4: Saturation Grid

Theme	Subtheme	Focus group								
		US01	DE01	US02	UK01	US03	DE02	DE03	UK03	UK02
Expectations	Ability to administer anytime with equal effectiveness						*			
	Normal life		*	*	*		*			*
	Ability to self-administer					*				
	Ability to socialise		*							
	Environmentally friendly					*				
	Faster onset							*		
	Minimal side effects	*					*	*		
	No drug-drug interactions					*		*		
	Reduced stress/anxiety							*		
	Reduced nausea			*	*					
	Absence of migraines		*	*	*			*	*	
	Easy storage									
	Easy to travel with									
	Reduced frequency of migraines	*		*	*			*	*	
	Reduced severity of migraines	*	*	*	*	*		*	*	
No severe side effects					*				*	
Clear steps/instructions	*						*			

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		US01	DE01	US02	UK01	US03	DE02	DE03	UK03	UK02
Concerns	Constipation	*								*
	Dizziness								*	
	Emotional/mood problems	*		*	*		*		*	
	Hallucinations				*					
	Hot flushes									*
	Decreased efficiency				*					*
	Nausea			*				*		*
	Tingling								*	
	Weight gain	*		*	*		*			
	Weight loss							*		
	Withdrawal				*					
	Blood pressure problems					*				
	Communication problems	*			*					
	Concentration/thinking problems	*			*					
	Diarrhoea									*
	Heart palpitations								*	
	Lethargy				*		*		*	*
Nose bleeds								*		
Weak pulse							*			
Device characteristics	Angle of injection	*	*						*	
	Automatic functions	*	*	*	*	*	*		*	*
	Device familiarity		*		*	*	*		*	
	Device grip	*	*	*		*	*	*		*
	Device lock/security		*			*		*	*	
	Device shape	*		*		*		*		
	Device Size	*	*	*	*	*	*		*	*
	Device stability		*		*					*
	Flange size	*								
	Large base	*	*				*			
	Manual injection		*				*			*
	Steps of administration	*	*	*		*	*	*	*	
	Needle	*	*	*	*					
	Needle shield	*	*	*	*	*		*	*	*
	Pinching of skin	*	*	*	*			*	*	
	Pressure-delivery method	*				*	*	*	*	
	Simplicity of device				*	*	*	*	*	*
	Thumb rest	*								*
	Time to inject	*			*	*	*	*	*	*
	Weight		*				*		*	
Window	*	*			*	*	*	*		