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FDA ALERT-----VIBERZI

On March 15, 2017, the FDA issued a warning that Viberzi should not be used in patients who do not have a gallbladder. The FDA found that when used in patients without a gallbladder, there is an increased risk of developing serious pancreatitis that could result in hospitalization or death.

We are advising you to **stop taking Viberzi immediately** and get emergency medical care if you develop new or worsening stomach-area or abdomen pain, or pain in the upper right side of your stomach-area or abdomen that may move to your back or shoulder. This pain may occur with nausea and vomiting. These may be symptoms of pancreatitis.

Please contact us at your earliest convenience at 404-255-4333 to discuss an alternative treatment plan.