

3rd most common cardiovascular condition worldwide¹

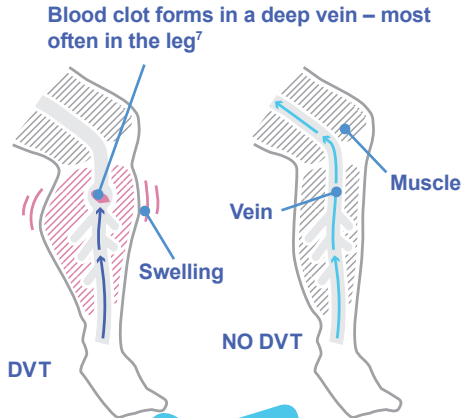
VTE

(Venous thromboembolism)⁷

Most common avoidable cause of hospital death²

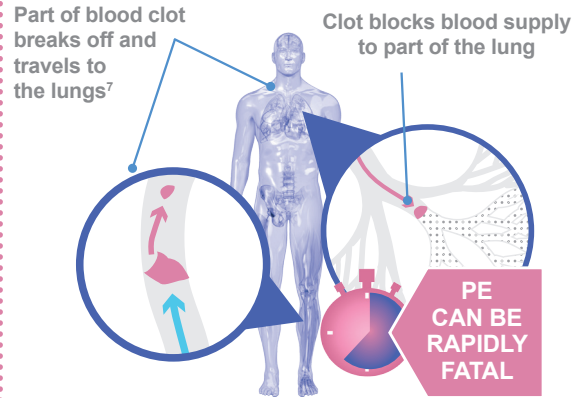
Every **30 SECONDS** someone in the Western world dies from a **blood clot**^{3,4}

Deep vein thrombosis (DVT)



- Symptoms of DVT^{5,8}**
- ✓ Pain
 - ✓ Swelling
 - ✓ Redness of the area
 - ✓ Dilation of the surface veins
 - ✓ Skin warm to touch

Pulmonary embolism (PE)



- Symptoms of PE^{5,8}**
- ✓ Shortness of breath
 - ✓ Chest pain
 - ✓ Rapid heart rate
 - ✓ Coughing blood
 - ✓ Light headedness

Symptoms

Know the Risk Factors^{6,8}

Flying	Surgery	Heart problems
Pregnancy	Hormone therapy	Smoking
Bad diet	Being overweight/obesity	Dehydration
Lack of exercise/movement	Family history	

It is important doctors inform patients of the risk factors as well as the signs and symptoms, so people can seek appropriate medical attention for the treatment and prevention of VTE

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