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ABOUT

The largest randomized trial ever conducted exclusively in older adults, **PREVENTABLE** tests the effectiveness of statins for the prevention of new dementia or persisting disability.

STUDY DESIGN

Up to 20,000 participants at 100 U.S. sites.

Participants will:

- Be randomly assigned to atorvastatin 40 mg daily or matching placebo
- Be followed through yearly phone calls for close to four years
- Receive cognitive and physical function testing at screening, over the phone, and in their home, if triggered
- Receive home delivery of study drug

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**Randomization**

Age 75+ without CVD, dementia or disability  
(N = 20,000)

- **Atorvastatin 40mg**
- **Placebo**

(4-year follow-up)

1° Survival w/o dementia or persisting disability

co-2° **CV composite** (CV death, MI, HF, Stroke/TIA) or MCI/dementia
Help us understand the usefulness of statins for prolonging healthy life years and primary prevention in older adults.

KEY ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Community-dwelling adults age ≥ 75 years
- No evidence or history of MI, stroke, revascularization, or obstructive CV or peripheral vascular disease for which a statin is prescribed
- No significant disability that limits independence
- No dementia (prior diagnosis or noted by staff)
- Willing to provide Social Security number in order to facilitate linkage to Medicare and National Death Indices in this pragmatic trial
- No listed contraindication to use of a statin
- No outpatient use of statin in the prior 12 months, or longer than 5 years previously

Note: Patients with mild cognitive impairment (MCI) are eligible.

LEARN MORE

Contact us if you have any questions and/or if you have patients who you think would be a good fit for PREVENTABLE.

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