

## **[Drug Injury Watch: More Evidence Supporting A Link Between Testosterone Therapy And Higher Risk Of Cardiovascular-Related Events Such As Myocardial Infarctions Or Heart Attacks](#)**

### **For "Low-T" Drugs Like AndroGel, Axiron, And Testim, Serious Side Effects Are Increased With Age -- Highest Risks In Men Over 65 And For Men With Pre-Existing Diagnosed Heart Disease**

(Posted by Tom Lamb at [www.DrugInjuryWatch.com](http://www.DrugInjuryWatch.com) on January 31, 2014)

**SUMMARY:** The take-away points from this PLoS ONE article about the association between testosterone therapy medications, e.g., AndroGel, Axiron, Testim, and non-fatal myocardial infarctions (MI), or heart attacks, seem to be two:

(1) The risk of having non-fatal MI or heart attack following the start of a testosterone therapy prescription increases with age, and was substantially increased in older men; and,

(2) This cardiovascular-related risk was also substantially increased in younger men with pre-existing diagnosed heart disease.

Be assured that we are continuing to monitor this emerging drug safety issue concerning testosterone drugs like AndroGel, Axiron, and Testim.

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