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### **Medical Studies Show An Increased Risk Of Cardiovascular Events In Older Men Prescribed Testosterone Medications Such As Axirom, AndroGel, And Testim**

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**SUMMARY:** while it is estimated that the number of middle-aged men in the U.S. getting testosterone treatment has more than tripled over the last decade, the long-term risks are largely unknown.

Some of the prescription testosterone drug products approved by the FDA and available for use to treat low testosterone, or "Low T" syndrome, include:

- AndroGel
- Axirom
- Testim

Men with certain cardiac conditions such as heart disease who are prescribed these testosterone replacement therapy medications face an increased risk of cardiovascular adverse events according to recent medical journal article.

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