

## **Glenmark unveils Teneligliptin + Pioglitazone combo drug for Type 2 diabetes in India**

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**The combination will help to improve glycemic control among adult patients with insulin resistance**



Glenmark Pharmaceuticals has launched a novel fixed-dose combination (FDC) of a widely used DPP4 inhibitor (Dipeptidyl Peptidase 4 inhibitor), Teneligliptin, with Pioglitazone.

This is the only available DPP4 and Glitazone combination brand in India for adults with uncontrolled Type 2 diabetes.

Glenmark has launched this FDC under the brand name Zita Plus Pio, which contains Teneligliptin (20 mg) + Pioglitazone (15 mg), to be taken once a day.

The combination of Teneligliptin + Pioglitazone will provide a synergistic approach wherein Teneligliptin will optimally improve  $\beta$  cell sensitivity, and Pioglitazone will effectively reduce insulin resistance.

Glenmark is the first company in India to market the innovative FDC of Teneligliptin + Pioglitazone, which is approved by the DCGI (Drug Controller General of India). This fixed dose combination will be useful for patients who require treatment with Teneligliptin and Pioglitazone (as separate drugs) to improve glycemic control reducing insulin resistance.