

VKORC1: Increased warfarin sensitivity

What is VKORC1?

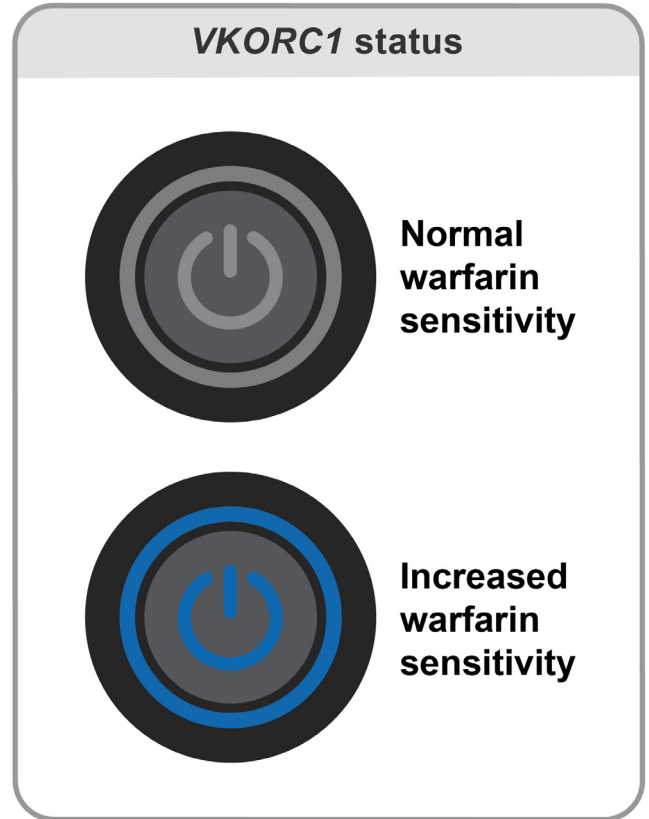
VKORC1 is a gene that provides instructions for making the VKORC1 enzyme, which plays a key role in blood clotting.

VKORC1 status: Increased warfarin sensitivity

These pharmacogenetic results predicted possible **increased sensitivity to warfarin**.

The health-care team may recommend a **lower dose of warfarin** compared to an individual with no warfarin sensitivity.

This status is not an indicator of health. The health-care team will still consider medical history and other factors to ensure the best treatment.



Example medications affected by VKORC1

- **Warfarin**, an anticoagulant medication that helps prevent blood clotting

The medications listed above are referred to by their generic names. You may hear the medication called by a different brand name.