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WELCOME TO OUR MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

At Central Compounding Center South, we care about our patients and want to provide you with quality information about your health. If you ever have questions or would like more information, please feel free to ask. We look forward to caring for you and your family.

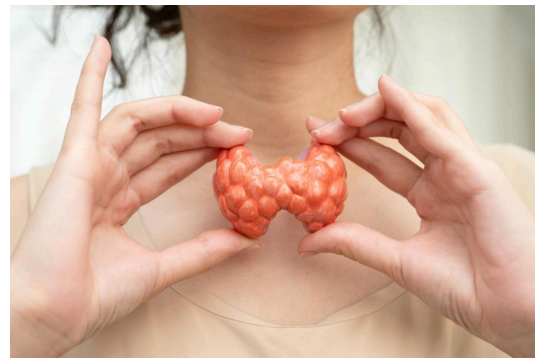
Sincerely,



An Important Update About Desiccated Thyroid Extract

The regulatory landscape surrounding desiccated thyroid extract, or DTE, is changing.

DTE is an animal-derived thyroid medication that contains both T4 and T3, along with thyroglobulin and other components naturally found in thyroid tissue. The FDA now considers animal-derived thyroid products to be biological products. Under the agency's current interpretation, these products are not eligible for traditional pharmacy compounding.



The FDA is currently using a risk-based enforcement approach for unapproved animal-derived thyroid products and has announced plans to provide additional guidance by August 2026.

For patients who currently use DTE, these changes may affect future access and make it important to begin discussing treatment options with a healthcare provider.

You can also send a pre-written letter to the FDA and Congress or share your experience with DTE at [compounding.com/thyroid](https://www.compounding.com/thyroid).

What This Could Mean for You

DTE contains T4 and T3 in a fixed, naturally derived ratio. Some patients use DTE because a combined-hormone approach has been a better fit for their care plan than T4-only medication.

As the regulatory situation develops, patients may experience:

- Changes in access to animal-derived thyroid medications
- Greater reliance on commercially manufactured products that remain available
- The need to review current treatment before availability changes
- Questions about alternatives that still include both T4 and T3

Do not stop taking or change your thyroid medication without speaking with your healthcare provider. Thyroid medications require precise dosing, and any change in formulation or strength should be carefully managed and monitored.

DTE and Compounded T4/T3 Are Different

DTE is made from dried animal thyroid tissue and contains T4, T3, thyroglobulin, and other naturally occurring thyroid components.

A compounded synthetic T4/T3 preparation contains measured amounts of levothyroxine and liothyronine without the animal-derived thyroglobulin component.

These medications are not identical. However, a healthcare provider may consider a customized synthetic T4/T3 preparation for a patient who needs an individualized combined-hormone approach.

Customized T4/T3 Options May Still Be Available

When prescribed for a specific patient need, our compounding pharmacy may be able to prepare synthetic thyroid formulations with:

- Individualized T4 and T3 strengths
- Options without certain dyes, fillers, or inactive ingredients
- Modified-release formulations when prescribed
- Alternative dosage forms based on individual needs

A compounded T4/T3 medication is not an automatic substitute for DTE. The hormones, ratios, strengths, release characteristics, and individual response must all be considered when creating a transition plan.

What You Can Do Now

If you currently take DTE, consider scheduling a conversation with your healthcare provider before any access issues arise.

You may want to review:

- The exact thyroid medication and dose you currently take
- Whether your medication is manufactured or compounded
- Your recent thyroid laboratory results
- How you have felt on your current treatment
- Any previous thyroid medications you have tried
- Possible alternatives if your current medication becomes unavailable
- A monitoring plan if your medication changes

Starting this conversation now can give you and your provider more time to evaluate your options and avoid an unexpected interruption in treatment.

Our Compounding Pharmacy Is Here to Help

Our compounding pharmacy works closely with healthcare providers to prepare patient-specific medications when commercially available products do not meet an individual patient's needs.

Our pharmacists can discuss available formulation options with your prescriber and help support a thoughtful transition plan when a customized synthetic T4/T3 medication is appropriate.

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