Myalgia

Pain in a muscle or group of muscles.

May be a side effect of "statins" (drugs used to lower serum concentration of LDL cholesterol) with or without elevation of serum creatinine phosphokinase, sometimes with accompanying weakness and rarely with severe rhabdomyolysis and myoglobinuria leading to renal failure (risk may be increased with renal or hepatic dysfunction, advanced age, hypothyroidism, or serious infection)<sup>1)</sup>.

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Choice of lipid-regulating drugs. Med Letter. 2001; 43:43-48

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