

Title (en)

METHOD OF STIMULATING THE MOTILITY OF THE GASTROINTESTINAL SYSTEM USING IPAMORELIN

Title (de)

VERFAHREN ZUR STIMULIERUNG DER MOTILITÄT DES GASTROINTESTINAL-SYSTEMS MIT IPAMORELIN

Title (fr)

MÉTHODE DE STIMULATION DE LA MOTILITÉ DU SYSTÈME GASTRO-INTESTINAL À L'AIDE D'IPAMORÉLINE

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[origin: WO2009082426A1] The present invention provides a method of stimulating the motility of the gastrointestinal system in a subject in need thereof, wherein the subject suffers from maladies (i.e., disorders, diseases, conditions, or drug- or surgery-induced dysfunction) of the gastrointestinal system, by administering to the subject a ghrelin mimetic, or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof. The invention also provides a method of treating a gastrointestinal malady by co-administering a ghrelin mimetic with a laxative, a H<sub>2</sub> receptor antagonist, a serotonin receptor agonist, pure or mixed, an antacid, an opioid antagonist, a proton pump inhibitor, a motilin receptor agonist, dopamine antagonist, a cholinergic agonist, a cholinesterase inhibitor, somatostatin, octreotide, or any combination thereof.

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