Botox injections are the best known of a group of medications that use various forms of botulinum toxin to temporarily paralyze muscle activity.

Botox must be used only under a doctor’s care. It’s important that injections be placed precisely to avoid side effects. Botox therapy can be dangerous if administered incorrectly. Ask for a referral from your primary care provider, or look for a doctor who specializes in your condition and has experience in administering Botox treatments.

Some of the conditions that can be treated by Botox injections include:

- Chronic Migraine
- Eye Twitching or Uncontrolled Blinking
- Excessive Saliva or Drooling
- Lazy Eye
- Facial Wrinkles
- Excessive Sweating
- Bladder Dysfunction
- Muscle Stiffness or Spasms

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