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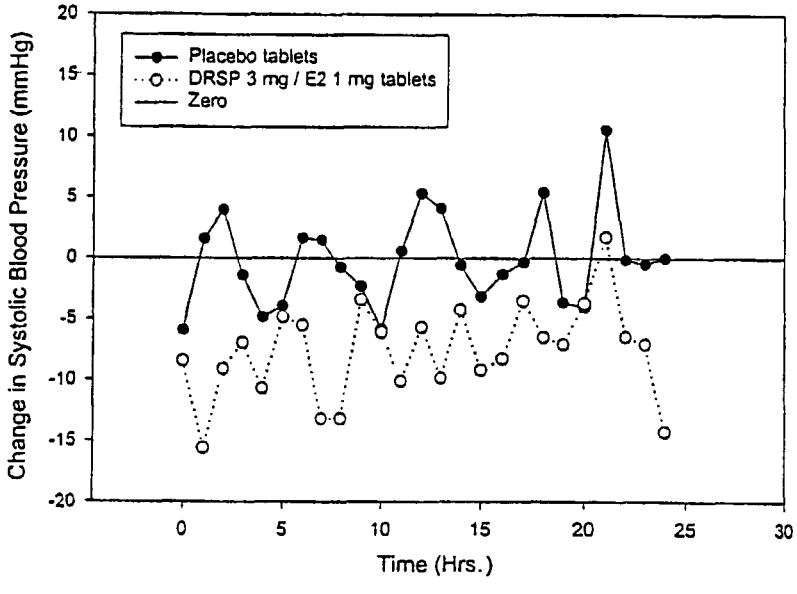
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(57) Abstract: A method is described to lower blood pressure and effect hormone replacement therapy (HRT) in a hypertensive woman receiving HRT, comprising administering to the woman effective amounts of drospirenone and an estrogen. In one embodiment, the woman is already taking hypertensive medicine when the method is carried out.

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