# SLS RADIATES NEW-SCHOOL LUXE IN BUENOS AIRES



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The alluring new SLS Puerto Madero in Buenos Aires has the bijou size, sex appeal and glossy lifestyle of an upscale boutique property, all enhanced by the multiple services of a big-time hotel.

SLS Puerto Madero is home to the restaurant Leynia, the Ciel Spa, as well as an outdoor pool, a substantial fitness area, conference rooms and ornamental gardens.

Leynia is a clubby hangout for hotel guests and savvy locals. It's an Argentine parrilla (an openfire grill), supplied by the hotel's own farm of free-range chickens and grass-fed Angus beef. No surprise, Leynia's wine list overflows with strapping Malbecs and Chardonnays that sing.

The captivating lobby sets the scene with a sophisticated design by renowned Italian architect Piero Lissoni, who created a conversation corner with the latest in elegant, curved furniture against a backdrop of black marble, glass and stone. A bold sculpture of illuminated, translucent figures of a girl, duplicated 25 times, says this hotel is progressive and imaginative.

This is new-school luxe young at heart, ready for fun, but still polished and dedicated to quality.

The vibe: I was burning with curiosity because SLS hotels are high-spirited social hot spots in flamboyant destinations like Beverly Hills, Dubai and both Miami and South Beach.

SLS Puerto plans to keep pace. Spring kicks off in September with parties and music around the pool and Leynia's terrace. To amplify the buzz exponentially,



SLS Puerto Madero in Buenos Aires is a full-service hotel with a chic boutique look and dramatic artworks. SLS PUERTO MADERO

the hotel also is launching a seeand-be-seen rooftop bar-restaurant with spectacular views, as well as a sumptuous French café off the lobby.

'We're modern and playful, with theatrical décor and a blend of work and leisure," said Alejandro Virto, sales and marketing manager. "SLS brings a fresh, trendy vibe to the dynamic energy of Puerto Madero."

The redeveloped dockside barrio of Puerto Madero is a 20-year-old boom town of vintage red brick buildings and striking office and apartment towers, all fanning out from a broad canal of Río de la Plata, one of the widest rivers in the world.

Among Puerto Madero's neighbourhood attractions is the Costanera Sur Ecological Reserve, a vast green space of wild flora and

## IF YOU GO

Flights: Air Canada flies several times a week, year-round, from both Montreal and Toronto to Buenos Aires, with a stop in São Paulo. From Dec. to March, it will be six times a week from Toronto and five from Montreal. Signature Class has lie-flat seats. Aeroplan members have free Bell texting on Wi-Fi equipped aircraft.

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fauna. SLS provides bicycles for the bike paths to the park and around it.

**Experience:** It's a long haul from Canada to Argentina and when you arrive, SLS Puerto Madero provides revitalizing hospitality: sympathetic staff, quality bedding and bathrobes, a soaking tub with a frosted glass wall to let in

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natural light, and a mini-bar with wines by Cupra from Mendoza and gin distilled in Patagonia.

The rooms are spacious, with floor-to-ceiling windows and glass balconies looking onto Puerto Madero's canal district or downtown Buenos Aires.

Designer Lissoni's room décor is subtly luxurious. It's a soothing, understated residential look with recessed lighting and a simple contrast of ebony panels and chalk walls. He has warmed up cool, spare lines with natural materials like hardwood floors, ropy chairs and linen drapes. Accessories like lamps, bedside tables and throw pillows are mischievously mismatched in black and/or white.

Leynia: Along with tango and soccer, one of Argentina's passions is beef, and Leynia delivers a refined version of the traditional gaucho cuisine called asado: Fire-grilled tomahawk, T-bone, rib-eye and sirloin steaks, served on platters heaped with organic tomatoes, fennel and chimichurri. Potatoes are an art, done many ways including mashed with pumpkin or truffled.

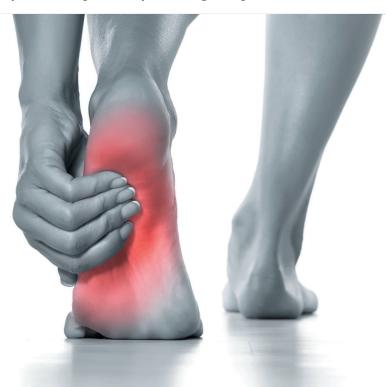
Still, Leynia has life beyond meat: delicacies like baked octopus, wild Patagonia trout, Japanese shrimp teriyaki and east-going fare such as grilled chicken, empanadas, burgers, poké bowls, and because Italian culture is strong in Argentina, excellent pasta.

Leynia's breakfast buffet is petite and perfect: eggs to order, plus homemade yogurt, fresh fruit, dulce de leche (caramel), nuts, local charcuterie and cheese, honey still on the honeycomb, and croissants so flaky French bakers would be jealous.

Every morning is festive, with SLS-labelled bubbly on the house and mate (Argentina's shared, Indigenous-based tea ritual; mate translates as friendship).

All you need to bond now is Argentina's one-cheek kiss. Wellness: Guests can use Ciel Spa's two saunas (men's and women's), gym and, from September to March, the south-facing outdoor swimming pool and deck.

Treatments include excellent body work and facials on custom-made massage beds with high-end Argentine lotions. It's all at relatively moderate prices, for a hotel spa.



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# Researchers Close in on

# **Health Canada** Approved Natural **Pain Reliever**

Specific to Neuropathy and Arthritis

A novel Health Canada authorized NHP targets a sensory channel in the legs and feet to relieve pain associated with Diabetic Neuropathy, Rheumatoid Arthritis and Osteoarthritis

NEUROPATHY PAIN IS A COMMON AND PAINFUL OCCURANCE, SAYS DR. WIFAK. Studies have found that various forms of neuropathy pain are often triggered by a loss of sensation. A new breakthrough targets the TRPA1 channel to enhance sensation and provide relief.

**TORONTO** - An exciting clinical use survey study shows that a new neuropathy relief cream authorized by Health Canada to help relieve leg and foot pain ssociated with diabetic neuropathy, rheumatoid arthritis and osteoarthritis within 15 minutes.

And according to the study participants, pain, burning, tingling, and numbness were the most common symptoms to be relieved.

The cream, called Dendrirx, recently developed by doctors in Europe became an instant hit among those suffering with neuropathy, rheumatoid arthritis and osteoarthritis is finally available in Canada.

"The new formula works in minutes of contacting the skin, initiating two phenomena in the body.

The first phenomenon is known as vasodilation which triggers arteries to expand, improving circulation in the extremities.

The second is called TRPA1 activation and this is what really has people excited as it relieves the pain." **Research Shows Correlation Between** 

**Nerve Damage and Sensation** Published clinical studies show

that neuropathy symptoms arise



when the nerves in your legs and feet break down and blood flow is lost to the areas which surround them. As the nerves begin

to die, sensation is lost. This lack of sensation is a major cause of burning, tingling, and numbness. Remarkably, Dendrirx contains one

of the few known natural substances to activate TRPA1, a special sensory pathway right below the skin's surface which controls the sensitivity of nerves. It's these nerves that allow you to feel hot, cold. and touch.

And although this pathway has been known for years, neither a drug or a pill has been able to target it successfully. That's why Dendrirx is so impressive.

"It all comes down to sensation. When sensation is lost the foot feels constantly asleep. It may also burn and tingle. When sensation is increased, these nagging symptoms often go away", explains Dr. M Wifak, MD, one of the doctors behind the trial.

"That's why Dendrirx performed so well in our clinical use survey study. It increases sensation and blood flow wherever it is applied. It is impressive to say the least.'

### **A Brilliant Technology Most Failed to Consider**

"Today's treatment methods have focused on minimizing discomfort instead of attacking its underlining cause. millions of adults are still in excruciating pain every single day and are always battling effects explains Dr. Wifak

"Dendrirx is different. Since the most commonly reported symptoms...painful, tingling numb legs and feet...are caused by lack of sensation of the nerves, we've designed the formula to increase

their sensitivity. "And since these nerves are located right below the skin, we've chosen to formulate it as a cream. This allows for the ingredients to get to the site faster and without any systemic side effects" she adds.

#### **Study Finds Restoring Sensation** the Key to Long Lasting Pain Relief

With the conclusion of the human clinical use survey trial, the makers of Dendrirx are offering it in Canada and Europe. And regardless of the market, its sales are exploding.

Men and women from all over the country are eager to get their hands on the new cream and according to the results study participants reported, they should be.

In the trial above, participants Dendrirx as needed taking experienced pain relief in just 15 minutes after applying! Burning, tingling and numbness were the most commonly reported symptoms to improve.

#### Dendrirx is a breakthrough for neuropathy pain. Its daily use can result in relief from...

Numbness

Tingling

Even more impressive, when asked if this was the best product they used for their legs and feet, 85% gave a resounding "Yes" with all participants raving they would absolutely recommend it to someone else.

#### **Targets Nerves Right Below the Skins Surface**

Dendrirx is a topical cream directly applied to the legs and feet. It does not require a prescription in the Europe or Canada.

Studies show that neuropathy pain is often caused when peripheral nerves breakdown and blood is unable to properly flow into your legs and feet.

As these nerves deteriorate, sensation is lost and pain increases.

This is why you may not feel hot or cold and your legs and feet become painful and may burn, tingle and go

Worse, without proper blood flow, tissues and cells in these areas begin to die, causing pain that seems to never go away. The extract in Dendrirx is one of

very few natural compounds that can activate TRPA1, a special sensory pathway that runs through your entire body.

According to published research, activating this pathway increases the sensitivity of nerves, relieving feelings of tingling and numbness in your legs and feet.

Supporting ingredients boost blood flow, support cellular health and stimulate the nerves for increased sensation.

### **Amazing Relief Exactly Where And** When You Need

With daily use, Dendrirx users report remarkable improvements in their quality of life and pain levels without of the serious systemic side effects or interactions associated with prescription drugs.

Readers can now enjoy an entirely new level of comfort and pain relief that's both safer and affordable.

Users have found it to be also extremely effective, especially if nothing else has worked with over 85% ravings it's the best leg and foot product they've ever tried.

How to Claim a Risk-Free Supply of Dendrirx

This is the official release of Dendrirx. As such, the company is offering a special discounted supply to any reader who calls within the next 48 hours

A special hotline number and discounted pricing has been created for all Canadian readers. Discounts will be available starting today at 6:00AM and will automatically be applied to all callers.

Your Toll-Free Hotline number is 1-800-486-9033 and will only be open for the next 48 hours. Only a limited discounted supply of *Dendrirx* is currently available in your region.

Consumers who miss out on our current product inventory will have to wait until more becomes available and that could take weeks. The company advises not to wait. Call 1-800-486-9033 today.

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