

# Medications to Avoid Before and After Surgery

ANY medications on this list should be discontinued 10 days prior to surgery and take only Tylenol for pain. **ALL other medications MUST be specifically cleared by your doctor and nursing staff prior to surgery.**

## Aspirin Medications to Avoid

4-Way Cold Tabs	5-Aminosalicylic Acid	Acetilsalicylic Acid
Adprin-B products	Alka-Seltzer products	Amigesic
Anacin products	Anexsia w/Codine	Argesic-SA
Arthra-G	Arthriten products	Arthritis Foundation products
Arthritis Pain Formula	Arthritis Strength BC Powder	Arthropan
ASA	Asacol	Ascriptin products
Aspergum	Asprimox products	Axotal
Azdone	Azulfidine products	B-A-C
Backache Maximum Strength Relief	Bayer products	BC Powder
Bismatrol products	Buffered Aspirin	Bufferin products
Buffetts II	Buffex	Butal/ASA/Caff
Butabital Compound	Cama Arthritis Pain Reliever	Carisoprodol Compound
Cheracol	Choline Magnesium Trisalicylate	Choline Salicylate
Cope	Coricidin	Cortisone Medications
Damason-P	Darvon Compound-65	Darvon/ASA
Dipentum	Disalcid	Doan's products
Dolobid	Dristan	Duragesic
Easprin	Ecotrin products	Emprin products
Equagesic	Excedrin products	Fiorgen PF
Fiorinal products	Gelpirin	Genprin
Gensan	Goody's Extra Strength Headache Powders	Halfprin products
Isollyl Improved	Kaodene	Lanorinal
Lortab ASA	Magan	Magnaprin products
Magnesium Salicylate	Magsal	Marnal
Marthritic	Meprobamate	Meslamine
Methocarbamol	Micrainin	Mobidin
Mobigesic	Momentum	Mono-Gesic
Night-Time Effervescent Cold	Norgesic products	Norwich products
Olsalazine	Orphengesic products	Oxycodone
Pabalate products	P-A-C	Pain Reliever Tabs
Panasal	Pentasa	Pepto-Bismol
Percodan products	Phenaphen/Codeine #3	Pink Bismuth
Propoxyphene Compound products	Robaxisal	Rowasa
Roxeprin	Saletto products	Salfex
Salicylate products	Sasalate	Sasitab
Scot-Tussin Original 5-Action	Sine-off	Sinutab
Sodium Salicylate	Sodol Compound	Soma Compound
St. Joseph's Aspirin	Sulfasalazine	Supac
Suprax	Synalgos-Dc	Talwin
Tiaminacin	Tricosal	Trilisate
Tussanil DH	Tussirex products	Ursinus-Inlay
Vanquish	Wesprin	Willow Bark products
Zoprin		

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## Ibuprofen Medications to Avoid

Actron  
Aleve  
Cataflam  
Diclofenac  
Etodolac  
IBU  
Ibuprohm  
Indomethacin products  
Lodine  
Mefenamic Acid  
Motrin products  
Naprelan  
Naproxen  
Orudis products  
Piroxicam  
Relafen  
Sulindac  
Tolmetin

Acular (ophthalmic)  
Anaprox products  
Clinoril  
Dimetapp Sinus  
Feldene  
Ibuprin  
Ibuprin  
Ketoprofen  
Meclofenamate  
Menadol  
Nabumentone  
Naprosyn products  
Nuprin  
Oruvail  
Ponstel  
Rhinocaps  
Suprofen  
Toradol

Advil products  
Ansaid  
Daypro  
Dristan Sinus  
Fenoprofen  
Ibuprofen  
Ibuprofen  
Ketorolac  
Meclomen  
Midol products  
Nalfon products  
Naprox X  
Ocufen (ophthalmic)  
Oxaprozin  
Profenal  
Sine-Aid products  
Tolectin products  
Voltaren

## Other Medications to Avoid

4-way w/Codeine  
Accutrim  
Anexsia  
Arthritis Bufferin  
Clinoril C  
Dalteparin injection  
Doxycycline  
Flagyl  
Garlic  
Isollyl  
Mellaril  
Pan-PAC  
Phenylpropanolomine  
Pyrroxate  
Sinex  
Sparine  
Sulfapyrazone  
Thorazine  
Trental  
Vitamin E

A.C.A.  
Actifed  
Anisindione  
BC Tablets  
Contac  
Dicumerol  
Emagrin  
Fragmin injection  
Heparin  
Lovenox injection  
Miradon  
Pentoxifylline  
Prednisone  
Ru-Tuss  
Sofarin  
Stelazine  
Tenuate  
Ticlid  
Ursinus  
Warfarin

A-A Compound  
ALL ANTIDEPRESSANTS  
Anturane  
Children's Advil  
Coumadin  
Dipyridamole  
Enoxaparin injection  
Furadantin  
Hydrocortisone  
Macrodantin  
Opasal  
Perasntine  
Protamine  
Salatin  
Soltice  
STOP TAKING ALL DIET PILLS  
Tenuate Dospan  
Ticlopidine  
Virbamycin  
Voltaren

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## Tricyclic Antidepressant Medications to Avoid

Adapin  
Anafranil  
Clomipramine  
Elavil  
Imapiramine  
Ludiomil  
Nortriptyline  
Protriptyline  
Tofranil  
Vivactil

Amitriptyline  
Asendin  
Desipramine  
Endep  
Janimine  
Maprotiline  
Pamelor  
Sinequan  
Travil

Amoxapine  
Aventyl  
Doxepin  
Etrafon products  
Limbitrol products  
Norpramin  
Pertofrane  
Surmontil  
Trimipramine