



# Hold the following medications prior to surgery as instructed



## Angiotensin Converting Enzyme (ACE) Inhibitors— Hold day of surgery

Benazepril / amlodipine (Lotrel)  
 Benazepril (Lotensin)  
 Benazepril / HCTZ (Lotensin HCT)  
 Captopril (Capoten®)  
 Captopril / HCTZ (Capozide)  
 Enalapril (Vasotec®)  
 Enalapril / HCTZ (Vaseretic)  
 Fosinopril (Monopril)  
 Fosinopril / HCTZ (Monopril HCT)  
 Lisinopril (Prinivil®, Zestril®)  
 Lisinopril / HCTZ (Prinzide or  
 Zestoretic)  
 Moexipril (Univasc)  
 Moexipril / HCTZ (Uniretic)  
 Perindopril (Aceon)  
 Quinapril (Accupril)

## Angiotensin Receptor Blockers (ARB) - Hold day of surgery

Azilsartan (Edarbi)  
 Candesartan (Atacand)  
 Candesartan/HCTZ (Atacand HCT)  
 Eprosartan (Teveten)  
 Eprosartan/HCTZ (Teveten HCT)  
 Irbesartan (Avapro)  
 Irbesartan / HCTZ (Avalide)  
 Losartan (Cozaar□)  
 Losartan / HCTZ (Hyzaar)  
 Olmesartan (Benicar)  
 Olmesartan / HCTZ (Benicar HCT)  
 Telmisartan (Micardis)  
 Telmisartan/HCTZ (Micardis HCT)  
 Valsartan (Diovan)  
 Valsartan / HCTZ (Diovan HCT)  
 Azilsartan (Edarbi)

## Diuretics - Hold day of surgery

**EXCEPTION: Do take for congestive heart failure or as-  
cites, as directed by your doctor.**

Acetazolamide (Diamox)  
 Amiloride  
 Amiloride/Hydrochlorothiazide  
 (Moduretic)  
 Bendroflumethiazide  
 Bumetanide (Bumex)  
 Chlorothiazide (Diuril)  
 Chlorthalidone (Thalitone)  
 Eplerenone (Inspra®)  
 Ethacrynic acid (Edecrin)  
 Furosemide (Lasix®)  
 Hydrochlorothiazide (Microzide,  
 Esidrix®)  
 Indapamide (Lozol)  
 Metolazone (Zaroxolyn)  
 Methazolamide  
 Metolazone (Zaroxoxlyn)  
 Spironolactone (Aldactone)  
 Spironolactone/Hydrochlorothiazide  
 (Aldactazide)  
 Torsemide (Demadex)  
 Triamterene (Dyrenium)  
 Triamterene / HCTZ (Dyazide, Maxzide)

## Particulate Antacids—Hold day of surgery

Gaviscon  
 Maalox  
 Mylanta  
 Milk of Magnesia

## **Appetite Suppressant (Diet Drug) Discontinue for 6 days pre-surgery**

Phentermine (Adipex®, Suprenza®)  
 Phentermine / Topiramate (Qsymia®)

## **SGLT-2 Inhibitors Discontinue according to time listed below:**

Jardiance (empagliflozin) 3 days before Surgery  
 Invokana (canagliflozin) 3 days before Surgery  
 Farxiga (dapagliflozin) 3 days before Surgery  
 Brenzavvy (Bexagliflozin) 3 days before surgery  
 Zynquista (Sotagliflozin) 3 days before surgery  
 Steglatro (ertugliflozin) 4 days before Surgery



# Please ask your provider prior to taking the following medications the day of surgery



## Anticoagulants:

### Aspirin:

Discontinue for 7 days prior to non-cardiovascular surgery. Continue for carotid surgery, recent heart stent, recent MI or stroke. Again, please consult with your doctor.

### Coumadin:

Generally, discontinue for 5 days pre-surgery. Again, must consult with your doctor and see if bridging therapy is needed.

Dabigatran (Pradaxa®)

Fondaparinux (Arixtra)

Apixaban (Eliquis)

Rivaroxaban (Xarelto)

Clopidogrel (Plavix)

Prasugrel (Effient)

Ticagrelor (Brilinta)

Ticlopidine (Ticlid)

## MAO inhibitors:

Obtain psychiatry consult before elective surgery for further instructions.

Isocarboxazid (Marplan®)

Phenelzine (Nardil®)

Tranlycypromine (Parnate®)

Rasagiline (Azilect®)

Selegiline patch (Emsam®)

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## Cox-2 Inhibitor:

Consult with your surgeon. You may be asked to continue including morning of surgery

Celecoxib (Celebrex)

## Non-steroidal anti-inflammatory:

Consult with your surgeon. Generally, stop 2-3 days before surgery

Diclofenac (Cataflam®, Voltaren®)

Etodolac (Lodine®)

Fenoprofen (Nalfon®)

Flurbiprofen (Ansaid®)

Ibuprofen (Advil®, Motrin®)

Ibuprofen/Hydrocodone (Vicoprofen®)

Ibuprofen/Oxycodone (Combunox®)

Indomethacin (Indocin®)

Ketoprofen (Orudis KT®, Oruvail®)

Ketorolac (Toradol®)

Meclofenamate (Meclomen®)

Mefenamic Acid (Ponstel®)

Tolmetin (Tolectin®)

Diflunisal (Dolobid®)

Etodolac (Lodine XL®)

Meloxicam (Mobic®)

Nabumetone (Relafen□)

Naproxen (Aleve®, Anaprox®, Naprosyn®)

Oxaprozin (Daypro□)

Piroxicam (Feldene□)

Sulindac (Clinoril®)

## Metformin

Does not have to be held unless directed by the surgeon.

Medications taken for ED should be held 3 days prior to scheduled surgery

Sildenafil (Viagra)

Tadalafil (Cialis)

Alprostadil (Edex/Caverject)

Avanafil (Stendra/Spedra)

Vardenafil (Levitra)



# You may take the following medications the day of your surgery.



Beta Blockers
Acebutolol (Sectral)
Atenolol (Tenormin)
Betaxolol (Kerlone)
Bisoprolol (Zebeta)
Carvedilol (Coreg)
Metoprolol (Lopressor, Toprol XL)
Nadolol (Corgard)
Nebivolol (Bystolic)
Penbutolol (Levadol)
Pindolol (Visken)
Propranolol (Inderal)
Sotalol (Betapace)

Bronchodilators, Inhaled Steroids, Anticholinergics, or combination of these
Albuterol (ProAir, Proventil, Ventolin)
Albuterol/Ipratropium (Duoneb, Combivent)
Formoterol/Budesonide (Symbicort)
Formoterol/Mometasone (Dulera)
Ipratropium (Atrovent)
Levalbuterol (Xopenex)
Salmeterol (Serevent)
Salmeterol/Fluticasone (Advair)
Beclomethasone (QVAR)
Flunisolide (AeroBid)
Fluticasone (Flovent)
Mometasone (Asmanex)
Triamcinolone (Asmacort)
Fluticasone/vilanterol (Breo)
Tiotropium/olodaterol (Stiolto)

Steroids (Glucocorticoids)
Prednisone
Methylprednisolone (Medrol) or (Solumedrol)

Opioid Agonist/Antagonist: Consider transitioning to alternative medication 1-2 weeks prior to elective surgery by the prescribing physician.
Buprenorphine/Naloxone (Suboxone)
Buprenorphine patch (Butrans)
Naltrexone (Vivitrol, ReVia, Depade)

Thyroid hormone
Levothyroxine (Synthroid, Levoxyol)
Dessicated thyroid (Armour Thyroid)

Calcium Channel Blocker
Amlodipine (Norvasc®)
Clevipidine (Cleviprex®)
Diltiazem (Cardizem®)
Felodipine (Plendil®)
Isradipine (Dynacirc®)
Nicardipine (Cardene®)
Nifedipine (Procardia®, Adalat®)
Nimodipine (Nimotop®)
Verapamil (Calan®, Covera-HS®, Verelan®)

Statins
Atorvastatin (Lipitor)
Fluvastatin (Lescol)
Lovastatin (Mevacor)
Pitavastatin (Livalo)
Pravastatin (Pravachol)
Rosuvastatin (Crestor)
Simvastatin (Zocor)

Opioid/Narcotics
Fentanyl Patch (Duragesic)
Hydromorphone SR (Exalgo)
Methadone (Dolophine)
Morphine SR (MS Contin, Kadian, Avinza)
Morphine SR/Naltrexone (Embeda)
Oxycodone SR (Oxycontin)
Oxymorphone (Opana ER)
Hydrocodone
Hydrocodone/Acetaminophen (Hycet, Lorcet, Lortab, Norco, Vicodin, Zydone)
Hydrocodone/Ibuprofen (Vicoprofen)
Hydromorphone (Dilaudid)
Hydromorphone ER (Exalgo)
Morphine
Oxycodone (Roxicodone)
Oxycodone/Acetaminophen (Percocet, Endocet, Roxicet)
Oxycodone/Aspirin (Percodan, Endodan)
Propoxyphene/Acetaminophen (Darvocet)
Propoxyphene/Aspirin (Darvon)
Tapentadol (Nucynta)



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## GERD/antacids

Esomeprazole (Nexium)  
Lansoprazole (Prevacid)  
Omeprazole (Prilosec)  
Pantoprazole (Protonix)  
Rabeprazole (Aciphex)

## Alzheimer's (acetyl cholinesterase inhibitors)

Donazepil (Aricept)  
Galantamine (Razadyne)  
Rivastigmine (Exelon)  
Tacrine (Cognex)

## Antidepressants (and anti-anxiety)

Citalopram (Celexa®)  
Duloxetine (Cymbalta)  
Escitalopram (Lexapro®)  
Fluoxetine (Prozac®)  
Fluvoxamine (Luvox®)  
Paroxetine (Paxil®)  
Sertraline (Zoloft®)  
Strattera (Atomoxetine®)  
Desvenlafaxine (Pristiq, Khedezla)  
Amitriptyline (Elavil)  
Bupropion (Wellbutrin)  
Desipramine (Norpramin)  
Doxepin (Sinequan)  
Imipramine (Tofranil)  
Mirtazapine (Remeron®)  
Nefazodone (Serzone)  
Nortriptyline (Pamelor)  
Trazodone (Desyrel)  
Buspirone (Buspar)

## Lithium

You may take morning of surgery. Please consult with your psychiatrist for instructions.

## Skeletal Muscle Relaxants

Carisoprodol (Soma)  
Metaxalone (Skelaxin)

## Histamine H2 blockers

Cimetidine (Tagamet)  
Famotidine (Pepcid)  
Nizatidine (Axid)  
Ranitidine (Zantac)

## Psychiatric (including anxiety and depression) and Neurological Medications

Alprazolam (Xanax®)  
Chlordiazepoxide (Librium®)  
Diazepam (Valium®)  
Clonazepam (Klonopin)

## Anticonvulsants

Carbamazepine (Tegretol)  
Felbamate (Felbatol)  
Gabapentin (Neurontin)  
Levetiracetam (Keppra)  
Lamotrigine (Lamictal)  
Oxcarbazepine (Trileptal)  
Phenytoin (Dilantin)  
Pregabalin (Lyrica)  
Primidone (Mysoline)  
Tiagabine (Gabitril)  
Topiramate (Topamax)  
Valproic Acid (Depakote)  
Zonisamide (Zonegran)

## ADHD (stimulant and non-stimulant)

Dextroamphetamine (Adderall)  
Lisdexamfetamine (Vyvanse)  
Dexmethylphenidate (Focalin)  
Methylphenidate (Ritalin, Metadate, Concerta, Daytrana patch)  
Guanfacine (Intuniv)  
Atomoxetine (Strattera)