

## MEDICATIONS TO WITHHOLD BEFORE SURGERY

**PLEASE STOP TAKING ANY OF THE MEDICATIONS LISTED BELOW 7 DAYS PRIOR TO YOUR SURGERY. This includes any aspirin or aspirin containing medication, blood thinning medication, and any non-steroidal anti-inflammatory (NSAIDs) medication.** All of these medications thin your blood and could cause you to lose more blood than expected during surgery. You may resume your medication as instructed by your surgeon. Please refer to your postoperative instructions to see when you may resume your medication after surgery. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your medication, please contact your surgeon's office.

### **BRAND NAMES**

Advil  
Adlyxine  
Aggrastat  
Aggrenox  
Aleve  
Alka Seltzer  
Amigesic  
Anacin  
Anaprox  
Angiomax  
Argatroban  
Arixtra  
Arthrotec  
Asacol  
Ascriptin  
Aspirin  
Azulfidine  
Bayer  
Brilinta  
Bufferin  
Cambia  
Canasa  
Cataflam  
Celebrex  
Cilostazol  
Clinoril  
Colazal  
Coumadin  
Daypro  
Dipentum  
Doan's  
Dolobid

Ecotrin  
Effient  
Eliquis  
Excedrin  
Feldene  
Fiorinal  
Fish oil  
Flector  
Fragmin  
Halfprin  
Heparin  
Herbal Supplements  
Indocin  
Integrilin  
Iprivask  
Kaopectate  
Lovenox  
Mobic  
Mounjaro  
Motrin  
Naprelan  
Naprosyn  
Norgesic  
Norgesic Forte  
Orudis  
Ozempic  
Pepto Bismol  
Persantine  
Plavix  
Pletal  
Pradaxa  
Relafen  
ReoPro

Salflex  
Savaysa  
Soma compound  
Ticlid  
Tolectin  
Toradol  
Treximet  
Tricosal  
Vicoprofen  
Voltaren  
Xarelto  
Zipsor  
Zontivity  
Zorvolex

### **GENERIC NAMES**

Abciximab  
Apixaban  
Aspirin  
Balsalazide  
Bismuth subsalicylate  
Bivalirudin  
Celecoxib  
Choline magnesium  
Cilostazol  
Clopidogrel  
Dabigatran  
Dalteparin  
Desirudin  
Diclofenac  
Diflunisal  
Dipyridamole  
Edoxaban

Enoxaparin  
Eptifibatide  
Etodolac  
Fondaparinux  
Ibuprofen  
Indomethacin  
Ketoprofen  
Ketorolac tromethamine  
Magnesium salicylate  
Meclofenamate  
Meloxicam  
Mesalamine  
Nabumetone  
Naproxen  
Olsalazine sodium  
Oxaprozin  
Piroxicam  
Prasugrel  
Rivaroxaban  
Salsalate  
Sulfasalazine  
Sulindac  
Sumatriptan-naproxen  
Ticagrelor  
Ticlopidine HCL  
Tirofiban  
Tolmetin  
Trulicity  
Victoza  
Vorapaxar  
Warfarin  
Wegovy  
Zepbound

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**FOR PATIENTS UNDERGOING FUSION:**

1. Do not take any osteoporosis medications (Actonel, Atelvia, Binosto, Boniva, Evista, Fosamax, Prolia, Reclast, etc.) for one month before and three months after surgery, unless specifically discussed with your surgeon.
2. Do not take any oral rheumatoid arthritis medications (Arava, Azasan, Azulfidine, Imuran, Plaquenil, etc.) for two weeks before and two weeks after surgery, unless specifically discussed with your surgeon.
3. Do not take any injectable rheumatoid arthritis medications (Cimzia, Enbrel, Humira, Orencia, Remicade, Rheumatrex, Xeljanz, etc.) for one month before and one month after surgery, unless specifically discussed with your surgeon.