

# A HEALTHY BALANCE...

## Understanding NSAIDs for Optimal Healing

Your health matters to us... both during your procedure and after you leave our office. That's why we're providing these helpful tips on NSAIDs (non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs). When your doctor recommends a medication, be sure to check it against these trade names, to avoid confusion and to check for possible interactions.

### Know Your Medications and How They May Interact NSAIDs (non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs)

GENERIC	TRADE NAMES	GI RISK
Acetylsalicylic Acid	Aspirin, Aspergum, Ecotrin, Empirin	Moderate
Celecoxib	Celebrex	Low
Diclofenac	Cataflam, Arthrotec, Voltaren, Diclomax, Cambia, Dyloject, Flector, Pennsaid, Solaraze, Zipsor, Zorvolex	Moderate
Etodolac	Lodine (discontinued brand)	Low
Fenoprofen	Nalfon, Fenopron	Moderate
Flurbiprofen	Ansaid, Froben	High
Ibuprofen	Motrin, Vicoprofen, Combunox, Actoprofen, Advil, Motrin, Excedrin, Genpril, Haltran, Medipren, Menadol, Midol, Nuprin, Nurofin, Pamprin, Rafen, Trendar, Rufin, Caldolor, Ibu-Tab, Ibuprohm, Profen, Tab-Profen, Duexis, Reprexain	Low
Indomethacin	Indocin, Tivorbex	Moderate to High
Ketoprofen	Oruvail, Actron, Orudis	Moderate
Ketorolac	Torodol, Sprix, Acuvail, Acular	High
Meclofenamate	Meclomen	High
Mefenamic Acid	Ponstel	Low to Moderate
Meloxicam	Mobic	Low
Nabumetone	Relafen (discontinued brand)	Low
Naproxen	Naprosyn, Anaprox, Naprelan, Synflex, Aleve, Anaprox DS, Treximet, Vimovo	Moderate
Oxaprozin	Daypro	High
Piroxicam	Feldene	High
Salsalate	Disalcid	Low
Sulindac	Clinoril	Moderate
Tolmetin	Tolectin (discontinued brand)	Moderate

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