

DRUGS THAT MAY AFFECT BLOOD CLOTTING

Some drugs interfere with blood clotting and may affect your surgery, it is important that your surgeon be aware if you are taking any of these medications.

DO NOT TAKE ASPIRIN FOR 10 DAYS BEFORE AND AFTER SURGERY UNLESS OTHERWISE INSTRUCTED BY YOUR PHYSICIAN.

DO NOT TAKE IBUPROFEN (MOTRIN) 2 DAYS BEFORE AND AFTER SURGERY UNLESS OTHERWISE INSTRUCTED BY YOUR PHYSICIAN.

If you are taking anticoagulants drugs such as (COUMADIN, HEPARIN, OR LOVANOX) please consult your primary care physician and surgeon a few weeks prior to surgery. **DO NOT** suddenly stop taking these medications. **PLEASE BRING A LIST OF YOUR MEDICATION WITH YOU TO YOUR PRE-OPERATIVE VISIT. Herbal medications such as Garlic, Ginseng, and Gingko can affect blood clotting and should be stopped two weeks before and after surgery.**

The following drugs may affect blood clotting. Please notify your primary care physician before stopping these medications. (Tylenol [acetaminophin] **CAN** be taken for pain and does not affect blood clotting).

A.C.A.	CAMA INLAY	GELCOID	PLAVIX
ACETABAR	CARPON	GEMNISYN	PRESALIN
ADVIL	CHRISTODYNE	GOODY'S POWDER	PROPOXYPHENE
ALKA-SELTZER	COSTALGESIC	HAYSMA	PROTENSION
ALLYGESTIC	CADASE TAP	HEPTO	QUIET WORLD
ALRPINE	COLDATE	ILLISTADYL W/ ASA	RHINATE
ALUPRIN	CP2	HYPAN	RHINEX
AMSODYNE	DAMASON-P	IBUPROFEN	RHINOCAPS
ANACIN	DARVON W/ ASA	I-PAC	RIONA
ANODYNOS	DARVON COMPOUND	ISOBARB	ROBAXIL
ANTI-TEN	DASICON CAPSULES	ISOLLYL	RU-LOR-N
APAC	DEDACHE	LANORINAL	SALATIN
APA-DEINE	DEFENCIN	MARVAL	SALETO
APC	DEWITTS PILL	MEASURIN	SALPHENINE
ARTHRITIS FORMULA	DOVER'S POWDER	MEPRO	SALSPRIN
ARTHRITIS BUFFERIN	DOVOSAL	MEPROGESIC	SINE-OFF
A.S.A. COMPOUND	DRINOPHEN	MIDOL	SOLTICE
ALALCO	DRISTAMEAD	MOBIGESIC	SUPAC
ASCRIPIN	DYNOSAL	MOMENTUM	SYNALGOS
ASCODEEN	EASPRIN	MONACET	TABLOID APC
ASPADINE	ECOTRIN	MOTRIN	TALWIN COMPOUND
ASPERGUM	EMAGRIN	NAPROSYN	TEN-SHUN
ASPHAC-G	EMIPIRIN	NORGESIC	TRINMINICIN
ASPIRIN	EMPRAZIL	OPASAL	TRIGESIC
ATOKA	ENTAB-650	OS-CAL-GESIC	URSINUS
AXOTAL	EQUAGESIC	PABIRIN	VANQUISH
BAYER PRODUCTS	EXCEDRIN	PAC COMPOUND	VANTRIN
BC TABLETS	FEBRINETTE	PAN-APC	VAN-TROL-NOL
BIACT	FENDOL	PASIBAR	VITAMIN E
BITRIN	FIOGESIC	PERCOBARB	ZACTRIN
BUFF-A	FIORINAL	PERCODAN	
BUFFADYNE	FISH OIL	PERSISTIN	
BUFFERIN	FORBUTOL	PHENEGRAN	
CAFECETIN	4-WAY W/CODEINE	PHENOTRON	