

Cough, cold, allergy, and pain remedies you can take with MAO-B inhibitors.

Talk to your doctor or pharmacist before taking any over-the-counter or prescription treatments for allergies, the common cold, or pain.

Many of these medicines have a variety of formulas and brand names that are not listed here, so it's important to know that the ingredients are safe to take with MAO-B inhibitors.

All medicines should be used with caution. In addition, there may be safety concerns with pain remedies that are not related to use with MAO-B inhibitors.

Examples of acceptable cold and allergy remedies

Oral

Generic	Brand
diphenhydramine	Benadryl®
chlorpheniramine	Chlor-Trimeton®
loratadine	Claritin®, Alavert®
desloratadine	Clarinex®
cetirizine	Zyrtec®
fexofenadine	Allegra®

Antihistamine nasal sprays and drops

Generic	Brand
azelastine	Astelin®
cromolyn	NasalCrom®

Corticosteroid nasal sprays

Generic	Brand
beclomethasone	Beconase®
budesonide	Rhinocort Aqua®
flunisolide	Nasarel®
fluticasone	Flonase®
mometasone	Nasonex®
triamcinolone	Nasacort® AQ

Eye drops

Generic	Brand
levocabastine	Livostin®
cromolyn	Opticrom®, Crolom®
ketotifen	Zaditor®

Examples of acceptable cough remedies

Generic	Brand
benzonatate	Tessalon®
guaifenesin	Robitussin® (not DM), Mucinex® (not D or DM)
guaifenesin & codeine	Brontex®

Examples of acceptable analgesics

Generic	Brand
acetaminophen	Tylenol®
aspirin	
codeine	
fentanyl	Actiq®, Duragesic®, Sublimaze®
hydrocodone	Lortab®, Vicodin®
hydromorphone	Dilaudid®, Palladone®
ibuprofen	Advil®, Motrin®, Nuprin®
morphine	DepoDur®, Kadian®, MS Contin®
naproxen	Aleve®, Anaprox®, Naprosyn®
oxycodone	OxyContin®, Percocet®, Percodan®



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