

Antipsychotic Medication		Dosage Form	Availability	Adverse Effect Profile Comparison				
Generic Name	Trade Name			Sedation	Extrapyramidal Adverse Effects (EPS)	Anticholinergic Adverse Effects	Orthostatic Hypotension	Weight Gain
Atypical Antipsychotic Medications								
Aripiprazole	Abilify®	tablet, orally disintegrating tablet, oral solution, immediate acting injection	brand only	low	low	rare	low	rare
Asenapine	Sapharis®	sublingual tablet	brand only	moderate	low	rare	moderate	low
Clozapine	Clozaril®	tablet	brand and generic	high	rare	high	high	high
Iloperidone	Fanapt®	tablet	brand only	low	low	rare	moderate	moderate
Lurasidone	Latuda®	tablet	brand only	moderate	moderate	low	low	rare
Olanzapine	Zyprexa®	tablet	brand and generic					
	Zyprexa Relprew®	extended release injection	brand only	moderate	low	low	low	high
	Zyprexa Zydis®	orally disintegrating tablets	brand and generic					
Paliperidone	Invega®	extended release tablet	brand only	moderate	low	rare	moderate	low
	Invega Sustenna®	extended release injection	brand only					
Quetiapine	Seroquel®	tablet	brand and generic	moderate	rare	low	moderate	moderate
	Seroquel XR®	extended release tablet	brand only					
Risperidone	Risperdal®	tablet, oral solution	brand and generic					
	Risperdal M-Tab®	orally disintegrating tablet	brand and generic	low	moderate	rare	moderate	moderate
	Risperdal Consta®	extended release injection	brand only					
Ziprasidone	Geodon®	capsule	brand only	low	low	rare	low	rare
Traditional Antipsychotic Medications								
Chlorpromazine	formerly Thorazine	tablet, immediate acting injection	generic only	high	moderate	moderate	high	n/a
Fluphenazine	formerly Prolixin and Prolixin Decanoate	tablet, oral solution, long acting injection	generic only	low	high	low	low	
Haloperidol	Haldol®	tablet, oral solution, immediate acting injection	brand and generic	low	high	low	low	
	Haldol Decanoate®	long acting injection						
Loxapine	Loxitane®	capsule	brand and generic	moderate	moderate	low	low	
Perphenazine	formerly Trilafon	tablet	generic only	low	moderate	low	low	
Pimozide	Orap®	tablet	brand only	moderate	high	moderate	low	
Thioridazine	formerly Mellaril	tablet	generic only	high	low	high	high	
Thiothixene	Navane®	capsule	brand and generic	low	high	low	moderate	
Trifluoperazine	formerly Stelazine	tablet	generic only	low	high	low	low	

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