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**Medicines to be Avoided after Surgery**

**The following products can increase the risks of bleeding.  
Prior to surgery, please avoid the use of these products, as directed by your physician.**

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| Prescription Pain Relievers To Be Avoided | |
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| Anaprox  APC Artha-G Asproject Axotal Azdone D-A-C Butabital Compound Clinoril Damason-P Darvon Compound   Pulvules Darvon-N Compound 65   Pulvules Darvon with A.S.A.   Pulvules Darvon-N.A.S. Disalcid Dolobid Doloprin #3 Easprin  Empirin with Codeine Epromate Tabs Equagesic Equazine-M Feldene Fiorgen PF Fiorinal Fiorinal with Codeine Indocin Isollyl Improved | Lanorinal Lortab ASA TabsMagan Meprobamate & Aspirin Meprogesic Q Tabs Micrainin Mobidin Monacet with Codeine Mono-Gesic Naprosy Norgesic Panalgesic Percodan-Tabs Percogesic Persistin Rexolate Robaxisal Roxiprin Tabs Salflex Salgesic Salsitab Sodium Thiosalicylate Soma Cmpd - Codeine Ster-Darvon with ASA Synalgos-DC Talwin Compound Tolectin Trilisate Liquid Trilisate Tabs Tusal  Zorprin |
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| Cold And Allergy Medicines To Be Avoided | |
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| Alka-Seltzer Plus Cold Tabs Coricidin  Dristan | Fiogesoc Tabs  Rhinocaps caps Sine-Aide |
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| Sine-Off Sinus Medicine Tabs | |
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| Triaminicin | Urinus In-Lay Tabs |
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| Over The Counter Pain Relievers To Be Avoided | |
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| Advil A.S.A. Enseals A.S.A. Pulvules Anacin Anodynos Tabs Arthritic Str. BC Powder Ascriptin Aspergum Aspirin Caps Bayer Children's Chewable Aspirin Bayer Children's Aspirin  BC Powder BC Tabs Buffa-Comp  Cama Arthritis Pain Rel. Children's Aspirin Dasin Caps Doan's Caps Duentric Duradyne Tabs Ecotrin Ecotrin Max. Strength Emprazil Empirin Excedrin Caps & Tabs Gelpirin Gemnisyn Gensan | Genuine Bayer Aspirin Goody's Headache Pwdr Ibuprofen Magnaprin Measurin Midol Caps Momentum Caps Motrin Norwich Extra Strength Nuprin Pabalate Pabirin Buffered Tabs P-A-C Tabs Pain Reliever Tabs Salagen Salatin Caps Saleto Salocol Sodium Salicylate Supac Synalgos Caps Synalgos D.C. Tenol-Plus Tabs Trigesic Tri-Pain Valesin Tabs Uracel 5 Verin |
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| Pain Relievers/Antacids To Be Avoided | |
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| Alka-Seltzer Alka-Seltzer & Antacid Alka-Seltzer Extra Strength & Antacid Ascriptin Ascriptin A/D Buffaprin Bufferin Bufferin Extra Strength Buffets II Tabs | Buffex Buffinol Cope Tabs Pepto Bismol Presalin  Vanquish Caps Wesprin Buffered Zomax |
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| Herbal Medications To Avoid | |
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| Echinacea Ginko | St. John's Wart |
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| Topical Medications To Be Avoided | |
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| Absorbent Rub Absorbine Arthritic Absorbine Jr. Act-On-Rub Analbalm Analgesic Balm Antiphlogistine Arthralgen Aspercreme Aspirin Suppositories Banalg Ben Gay Ben Gay Str. Balm Ben Gay Gel Ben Gay Greasless Oint. Ben Gay Original Braska Counterpain Rub Dencorub Doan's Rub Duragesic Emul-O-Balm End-Ake Exocaine Plus Exocaine Tube | Heet Heet Liniment Heet Spray Icy Hot Balm & Rub Infra-Rub Mentholatum Deep Htg. Minit-Rub Musterole Rubs (all) Neurabalm Oil-O-Sol Omega Oil Panalgesic Rid-A-Pain Rumarub Sloan's Soltice Hi-Therm Soltice Quick Rub Sport Crème SPD Stimurub Surin Yager's Liniment Vitamin E (& oral) Zemo Zemo Liq. Ext. Str. Zemo Ointment |
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New drugs appear on the market every day. If you do not see the name of the pain, cold/allergy or herbal medicine you are considering taking, please call Dr. Egan to ask for guidance.  
Do not take any type of prescription or over the counter diet pill for a minimum of 2 weeks prior to surgery. These medications can cause life-threatening interactions with drugs used for anesthesia.