# **Prescribed Medication Side effects**

## **Ibuprofen**

#### Most common side effects

- headache
- dizziness
- drowsiness, fatigue and restless sleep
- thirst and sweating
- tingling or numbness in hands and feet
- ringing in the ears
- blurred vision and eye irritation
- fluid retention and ankle swelling
- mild allergic reaction
- abdominal pain
- nausea, vomiting
- heartburn
- diarrhoea
- constipation
- bladder irritation and pain, frequent urination

## Cyclobenzaprine

#### More common

- Blurred vision
- dizziness, drowsiness, or lightheadedness
- dryness of the mouth

#### Less common or rare

- Bloated feeling or gas, indigestion, nausea or vomiting, or stomach cramps or pain
- constipation
- diarrhea
- excitement or nervousness
- frequent urination
- general feeling of discomfort or illness
- headache
- muscle twitching
- numbness, tingling, pain, or weakness in hands or feet
- pounding heartbeat
- problems in speaking
- trembling
- trouble sleeping
- unpleasant taste or other taste changes
- unusual muscle weakness
- unusual tiredness

### Diazepam

#### Common Side Effects

- Shakiness and unsteady walk
- unsteadiness, trembling, or other problems with muscle control or coordination
- Agitation
- black, tarry stools
- blistering, flaking, or peeling of the skin
- blurred vision
- changes in patterns and rhythms of speech
- chills
- confusion
- cough
- dark urine
- decrease in the frequency of urination
- decrease in urine volume
- difficulty in passing urine (dribbling)
- discouragement
- dizziness, faintness, or lightheadedness when getting up suddenly from a lying or sitting position
- false beliefs that cannot be changed by facts
- fast heartbeat
- fast or irregular breathing
- feeling sad or empty
- feeling that others are watching you or controlling your behavior
- feeling that others can hear your thoughts
- feeling, seeing, or hearing things that are not there
- fever
- headache
- hyperexcitability
- increased muscle spasms or tone
- irritability
- itching or rash
- lack of memory of what takes place after a certain event
- loss of appetite
- loss of bladder control
- loss of interest or pleasure
- lower back or side pain
- nausea
- nightmares
- outbursts of anger
- painful or difficult urination
- pale skin
- restlessness

- seizures
- slurred speech
- sore throat
- stomach pain
- sweating
- trouble concentrating
- trouble sleeping
- trouble speaking
- ulcers, sores, or white spots in the mouth
- unpleasant breath odor
- unusual behavior
- unusual bleeding or bruising
- unusual feeling of excitement
- unusual tiredness or weakness
- vomiting of blood
- yellow eyes or skin

#### **Duloxetine**

## More common

- Body aches or pain
- cough
- difficulty having a bowel movement (stool)
- dry mouth
- ear congestion
- frequent urination
- headache
- lack or loss of strength
- loss of appetite
- loss of voice
- muscle aches
- nausea
- sleepiness or unusual drowsiness
- sneezing
- sore throat
- stuffy or runny nose
- sweating increased
- trouble sleeping
- weight loss

#### Less common

- Abnormal ejaculation
- abnormal orgasm
- acid or sour stomach
- belching
- burning, crawling, itching, numbness, prickling, "pins and needles", or

## tingling feelings

- change in taste
- change or problem with discharge of semen
- decreased interest in sexual intercourse
- difficulty with moving
- feeling of warmth or redness of the face, neck, arms, and occasionally, upper chest
- heartburn
- inability to have or keep an erection
- indigestion
- longer than usual time to ejaculation of semen
- loose stools
- loss in sexual ability, desire, drive, or performance
- loss of taste
- muscle cramps, pains, or stiffness
- shakiness in the legs, arms, hands, or feet
- stomach discomfort or upset
- sudden sweating
- swollen joints
- trembling or shaking of the hands or feet

## Nortriptyline

#### Most Common Side Effects

- Agitation
- blurred vision
- burning, crawling, itching, numbness, prickling, "pins and needles", or tingling feelings
- chest pain or discomfort
- clay-colored stools
- cold sweats
- confusion about identity, place, and time false beliefs that cannot be changed by facts
- continuing ringing or buzzing or other unexplained noise in the ears
- decreased urination
- deep or fast breathing with dizziness
- depression
- difficulty in passing urine (dribbling)
- difficulty with speaking
- dizziness, fainting, or lightheadedness when getting up suddenly from a lying or sitting position
- double vision
- fast, pounding, or irregular heartbeat or pulse
- feeling of warmth
- feeling, seeing, or hearing things that are not there
- feeling that others are watching you or controlling your behavior

- feeling that others can hear your thoughts
- general feeling of tiredness or weakness
- hives or welts
- hostility
- inability to move the arms, legs, or facial muscles
- inability to speak
- irritability
- labored breathing, especially at night
- loss of balance control
- loss of consciousness
- lower back or side pain
- mood or mental changes
- muscle spasm, trembling, jerking, or stiffness
- nightmares
- numbness of the feet, hands, and around mouth
- pain or discomfort in the arms, jaw, back, or neck
- painful or difficult urination
- panic
- perspiration
- pinpoint red or purple spots on the skin
- redness of the face, neck, arms, and occasionally, upper chest
- restlessness
- seizures
- slurred speech
- sores, ulcers, or white spots on the lips or in the mouth
- stiffness of the limbs
- stomach pain
- sweating
- swelling of the face, ankles, legs, or hands
- swollen, painful, or tender lymph glands on side of face or neck
- talking, feeling, and acting with excitement
- trouble sleeping
- twisting movements of the body uncontrolled movements, especially of the face, neck, and back
- unexplained fainting
- weakness in the arms, hands, legs, or feet

### Methylprednisolone

Most Common Side Effects

- Black, tarry stools
- blindness
- bloating
- bloody vomit
- blurred vision
- bone pain

- change in vision
- chest pain
- chills
- confusion
- constipation
- cough
- dark urine
- darkening of the skin
- decrease in height
- decrease in the amount of urine
- decreased range of motion
- decreased vision
- diarrhea
- difficulty in swallowing
- dilated neck veins
- dizziness or lightheadedness
- dry mouth
- extreme tiredness or weakness
- eye pain
- eye tearing
- eyeballs bulge out of the eye sockets
- fainting
- feeling of constant movement of self or surroundings
- fever
- flushed, dry skin
- fruit-like breath odor
- full or bloated feeling
- headache
- heartburn
- hives, itching, skin rash
- impaired wound healing
- increased hunger
- increased thirst
- increased urination
- indigestion
- irregular breathing
- irregular heartbeat
- joint pain
- limp
- loss of appetite
- loss of consciousness
- lower back or side pain
- mental depression
- mood changes
- muscle pain, cramps, or weakness
- nausea
- nervousness

- noisy, rattling breathing
- numbness or tingling in the hands, feet, or lips
- pain in the back, ribs, arms, or legs
- pain or burning in the throat
- pain or swelling in the arms or legs without any injury
- painful or difficult urination
- painful, swollen joints
- pains in the stomach, side, or abdomen, possibly radiating to the back
- pounding in the ears
- pressure in the stomach
- puffiness or swelling of the eyelids or around the eyes, face, lips, or tongue
- seizures
- sensation of spinning
- severe or continuing stomach pain
- slow growth in children
- slow or fast heartbeat
- sores, ulcers, or white spots on the lips or tongue or inside the mouth
- swelling of the face, fingers, feet, abdominal or stomach area, or lower legs
- tearing
- tightness in the chest
- troubled breathing
- troubled breathing at rest
- unexplained weight loss
- unusual tiredness or weakness
- vomiting
- vomiting of material that looks like coffee grounds
- yellow eyes or skin