

## Appendix 5: Bipolar disorder

### Place of therapy of different agents

#### **Adults:**

First line agents (monotherapies): lithium, quetiapine, divalproex, aripiprazole, paliperidone, risperidone.

First line (combination): quetiapine+ lithium/divalproex, aripiprazole+ lithium/divalproex, risperidone+ lithium/divalproex

Second line agents: olanzapine, carbamazepine, olanzapine+ lithium/divalproex, lithium+ divalproex, haloperidol

#### **Pediatrics:**

First-line: Lithium risperidone aripiprazole, and quetiapine

Second-line: olanzapine. Quetiapine adjunctive therapy

Third line:

divalproex

#### **Elderly:**

First-line: lithium or divalproex

Second-Line:

Quetiapine

Third-Line: aripiprazole, risperidone, carbamazepine

**Antimanic drugs:** lithium, haloperidol, Aripiprazole, Clozapine, Olanzapine, Quetiapine, Paliperidone, Risperidone