

## Medications to Discontinue During the Pre-Operative Period

The following drugs either contain aspirin or a non-steroidal anti-inflammatory medication. Therefore, they may cause postoperative problems with abnormal bleeding and bruising.

✓ These drugs must be avoided for FOUR weeks prior to surgery and for TWO weeks after.

- ✓ If you need to take something for the relief of minor pain *you may take Tylenol*, or another acetaminophen containing product.
- ✓ If you are taking any steroid or medication for arthritis please let Dr. Ahn or his staff know before surgery.
- ✓ It is very important that you let Dr. Ahn or his staff know if you are currently taking any of these medications.

Advil	Aspergum
Aleve	Aspirin
Alka-Seltzer	Atromid
Alka-Seltzer Plus	Axotal
Anacin	Azolid
Anaprox	Azulfidine
Anadynos	Azulfidine EN-tabs
Ansaid	Bayer Aspirin
A.P.C	Bayer Aspirin Maximum
Argesic	Bayer Children's Aspirin
Arthropan liquid	Bayer Children's Cold
Arthritis Pain Formula	Bayer Time Release Aspirin
Arthritis Strength	B.C. Tablets and Powder
Bufferin	Buff-a-Comp
A.S.A	Buff-a-Comp No.3
A.S.A Enseals	Bufferin Arthritis Strength
Ascriptin	Bufferin Extra Strength
Ascriptin A/D	Bufferin with Codeine No. 3
Ascriptin with codeine	Buffets 2
Ascriptin Extra Strength	Buffinol
Asperbuf	Buf-Tabs

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Butazolidin	Fish Oil
Cams Arthritis Pain Reliever	Flagyl
Carisoprodol	Flexeril
Cheracol Capsules	Four Way Cold Tablets
Chlortrimeton	Gaysal-S
Clinoril	Gelprin
Conjesprin Chewable	Gemnisin
Cope Tablets	Goody's
Cosprin Tablets	Ibuprofen
CP-2 Tablets	Indocin
Damason P	Indomethacin
Darvon Compound	Lanorinal
Darvon compound-65	Lioresal
Darvon N with A.S.A	Lortab
Darvon with A.S.A Pulvules	Magan
Di-gesic	Magsal
Disalcid	Marnal
Dolobid	Maximum Bayer Aspirin
Dolprin	Measurin
Dristan	Medomen
Durasal Tablets	Meloxicam
Easprin	Methcarbamol with Aspirin
Ecotin	Micrainin
Efficin	Mobidin
Elavil	Midol
Emagrin	Mobigesic
Empirazil	Momentum Muscular
Empirin with Codeine	Backache Formula
Encaprin	Motrin
Endep	Mysteclin F
Equagesic Tablets	Nalfon
Etrafon	Naprosyn
Excedrin	Naproxen
SK-65 Compound	Neocylate
Stanback	Nicobid
Feldene	Norgesic
Fiorinal	Norgesic Forte

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Nuprin	St. Joseph's Aspirin for
Oraflex	Children
Orudis	St. Joseph's Cold Tablets
Pabalate-SF	Sulfasalazine
Pamelor	Sulindac
Parnate	Surmontil
Pepto Bismol Tablets	Synalgos
Pepto Bismol Suspension	Tagamet
Percodan	Talwin Compound
Percodan Demi Tablets	Tenuate Dospan
Persantine	Tetracycline
Persistin	Tolectin
Phentermine	Tolmetin
Phenylbutazone	Triaminicin
Ponstel	Triavil
Propoxyphene compound 65	Trigesic
Robaxisal	Trilisate tablets and liquids
Rufen	Uracel
Ru-Tuss	Vanquish
S.A.C	Verin
Saleto	Vibramycin
Salocal	Vitamin E
Sine Aid	Vivlodex
Sine- off Sinus Med.	Voltaren
Sinutab	Zomax
Stendin	Zorprin

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