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Please **stop** taking the following medications **1 week before** your surgery:

**A**

Abbokinase  
Activase  
Advil  
Advil Cold & Sinus Caplets,  
Liqui-Gels  
Alka Seltzer  
Alka Seltzer Plus Cold  
Medicine  
Aleve  
Alteplase  
Anacin Tablets, Capsules  
Anaprox  
Angiomax  
Anistreplase  
Ansaid  
Anthropan  
APC Tablets  
APC with Butalbital Tablets  
APC with Codeine  
Argatroban  
Arixtra  
Arthritis Pain Ascriptin  
Arthritis Pain Formula  
Arthritis Strength Bufferin  
Arthritis Bayer Timed Release  
Aspirin  
Arthrotec  
Ascriptin  
Aspergum  
Aspirin  
Aspirin Regimen Bayer  
Adult Low Dose  
Aspirin Regimen Bayer  
Regular Strength  
Tablets, Caplets  
Astragalus Root  
Atnativ

**B**

Backache Caplets  
Backache Pain Relief  
Formula  
Bayer Aspirin  
Bayer Children's Aspirin  
Bayer Children Cold Tablets  
Bayer Select Maximum  
Strength  
Bivalirudin

**B**

Blood-thinning Meds (ask your  
**Primary Care** Physician when to  
stop)  
Bufferin Tablets, Caplets  
Butazolidin

**C**

Cama Arthritis Pain Tablets  
Cataflam  
Celebrex  
Chamomile  
Chondroitin  
Clinoril  
Congesprin Cold Tablets  
Cope  
Coricidin D Tablets  
Coricidin -DC Capsules  
Coricidin for Children  
Coumadin (ask your **Primary  
Care** Physician when to stop)

**D**

Dalfon  
Dalteparin  
Darvon Compound  
Dasin  
Daypro  
Dimetapp Sinus Caplets  
Disalcid  
Disprin  
Doan's Pills  
Dolobid  
Dristan Sinus Caplets  
Duradyne

**E**

Easprin  
Echinacea  
EC Naprosyn  
Ecotrin Tablets, Caplets  
Ecotrin Maximum Strength  
Ecotrin Regular Strength  
Eminase  
Empirin  
Empirin with Codeine  
Enoxaparin

Ephedra  
Equagesic  
Estradiol  
Evening Primrose

**E**

Excedrin  
Extended-Release Bayer  
8-hour  
Extra-Strength Aspirin  
Extra-Strength Bayer Aspirin  
Tablets, Caplets  
Extra-Strength Bayer Plus  
Tablets, Caplets  
Extra-Strength Bufferin  
Extra-Strength Excedrin

**F**

4-Way Cold Tablets  
Feldene  
Feverfew  
Fiorinol  
Fiorinal with Codeine  
Fish Oil  
Flextra/Fondaparinux  
Fragmin

**G**

Garlic  
Gemnisyn  
Genpril  
Gensan  
Genuine Bayer Aspirin  
Tablets, Caplets  
Ginger  
Ginkgo Biloba  
Ginseng, Siberian  
Goldenseal  
Goody's Headache Powders

**H**

Halfprin  
Haltran  
Hawthorn  
Healthprin  
Heparin  
Hycopap

**I**

Ibuprofen

Idarac  
Indocin  
Innohep

**J**

Junior-Strength Motrin

**K**

Kava Kava  
Kabbikinase

**L**

Lepirudin (rDNA)  
Licorice  
Lodine  
Lodine XL  
Lovenox (ask your **Primary Care** Physician when to stop)

**M**

Magsal  
Maximum-Strength Bayer Aspirin  
Maximum-Strength Arthritis  
Maximum-Strength Ascriptin  
Maximum-Strength Doan's Analgesic Caplets  
Measurin Tablets  
Meclomen  
Mendaol  
Mepro Compound Tablets  
Methocarbamol with Aspirin Tablets  
Midol  
Mobic  
Mobiflex  
Mobigesic  
Momentum Muscular Backache Formula  
Motrin  
Motrin IB  
Motrin IB Sinus  
Motrin Migraine Pain

**N**

Nalfon  
Naprelan  
Naprosyn  
Norgesic & Norgesic Forte  
Norwich Aspirin  
Norwich Extra-Strength Aspirin  
Nuprin

**O**

Orudis  
Orudis KT  
Oruvail

**P**

Pabirin Buffered Tablets  
Panalgesc  
Passionflower  
Pepto-Bismol  
Percodan  
Pesantine

Plavix (ask your **Primary Care** Physician when to stop)  
Ponstel  
Propoxyphene Compound 65

**R**

Red Clover  
Refludan  
Relafen  
Retavase  
Reteplase  
Robaxisal Tablets  
Roxiprin

**S**

Salflex  
Saw Palmetto  
Sine-Aid IB  
Sine-Off Sinus Medicine Tablets (Aspirin Formula)  
Soma Compound  
Soma Compound with Codeine  
St Joseph's Aspirin for Children  
Streptase  
Streptokinase  
Supac  
Suprol  
Surgam  
Synalogos Capsules  
Synalogos-DC Capsules

**T**

Talwin  
Tandearil  
Tenecteplase  
Thrombale III  
Tinzaprin  
TNKase  
Tolectin  
Tolectin DS  
Toradol  
Triaminicin Tablets  
Triclid  
Trigesic  
Trilisate

**U**

Urokinase

**V**

Valerian  
Vanquish  
Verin  
Vicoprofen  
Viro-Med Tabs  
Vitamin E  
Voltaren  
Voltaren-XR

**W**

Warfarin

**Z**

Zomax

Zorprin

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