

Leaflet Guide: This table shows which leaflets are likely to be most appropriate for people prescribed different types of antipsychotic medication. If a leaflet is not indicated for a particular drug, that does not mean that it is totally free of the side effect in question. Bear in mind that even though some side effects are less common with particular types of antipsychotic drug, all antipsychotics may cause any of the problems listed below in patients who are vulnerable to them.

Type of antipsychotic	General side effects leaflet	Anticholinergic side effects	Movement disorders	Sexual health & period problems.	Weight gain
Amisulpride (Solian®)	✓			✓	
Aripiprazole (Abilify®)	✓				
Chlorpromazine (Largactil®)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Clozapine (Clozaril®; Denzapine®; Zaponex®)	✓	✓			✓
Flupentixol (Depixol®)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Fluphenazine (Moditen®; Modecate®)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Haloperidol (Dozic®; Haldol®; Serenace®)	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Olanzapine (Zyprexa®)	✓	✓			✓
Quetiapine (Seroquel®)	✓				✓
Risperidone (oral & long-acting formulations) (Risperdal®)	✓			✓	✓
Sulpiride (Dolmatil®; Sulpitil®; Sulpor®)	✓			✓	
Trifluoperazine (Stelazine®)	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Zuclopenthixol (Clopixol Acuphase®)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓