

If you are taking any over the counter medications or supplements on this list, you should stop these two weeks prior to surgery and not restart them until one week after surgery. If you are taking any doctor-prescribed medications or anticoagulants, you must consult with your prescribing MD prior to stopping these medications. If you are unable to stop any of these medications, please discuss the risks and benefits with your MOPSS surgeon.

COMMON ANTICOAGULANTS OR MEDICATIONS PRESCRIBED SPECIFICALLY TO THIN BLOOD

Aggrenox or Persantine (dipyridamole)
Anagrelide (agrylin)
Aspirin
Brilinta (ticagrelor)
Coumadin or Jantoven (warfarin)
Effient (prasugrel)
Eliquis (apixaban)
Plavix (clopidogrel)
Pletal (cilostazol)
Pradaxa (dabigatran)
Savaysa (edoxaban)
Ticlid (ticlopidine)
Trental (pentoxifylline)
Xarelto (rivaroxaban)

COMMON VITAMINS OR SUPPLEMENTS THAT ALSO THIN THE BLOOD

Vitamin E
Chondroitin
Fish Oil (Omega Fatty Acids)
Glucosamine
Dong quai
Ginseng
Ephedra
Garlic
Green Tea
Feverfew
Ginkgo Biloba
Turmeric
Ginger

COMMON PAIN MEDICATIONS THAT ALSO THIN THE BLOOD

Advil, Midol, Motrin, Nuprin (ibuprofen)
Aleve, Naprosyn, Anaprox (naproxen)
Ansaid (fenoprofen)
Arthrotec, Cataflam, Voltaren (diclofenac)
Bayer, Excedrin, Bufferin, Anacin, Alka-seltzer (aspirin)
Bextra (valdecoxib)
Celebrex (celecoxib)
Clinoril (sulindac)
Daypro (oxaprozin)
Dolobid (diflunisal)
Excedrin
Fledane (piroxicam)
Indocin (Indomethacin)
Lodine (etodolac)
Orudis, Oruvail (ketoprofen)
Ponstel (meloxicam)
Relafen (nabumetone)
Toectin (tolmetrin)
Toradol (ketorolac)
Vioxx (rofecoxib)

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE ABOVE INFORMATION OR HAVE ANOTHER QUESTION THAT HAS NOT BEEN ADDRESSED, PLEASE REACH OUT TO OUR OFFICE STAFF AT [952] 925-4161.