

# Paxlovid Drug Interactions

COLOR-CODED INTERACTIONS FOR PATIENT GUIDANCE

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## Medications with no relevant interactions

### **Cardiovascular (Heart) medications:**

Aspirin, Atenolol, Carvedilol (Coreg and Corgard), Hydrochlorothiazide (HCTZ), Furosemide (Lasix), Irbesartan (Avapro), Isosorbide Dinitrate (Dilatrate-Isordil), Lisinopril (Zestril), Losartan (Cozaar), Metoprolol (Toprol-XL) and Prasugrel (Effient).

### **Diabetes medications:**

Metformin, Insulin (any kind), Glyburide, Empaglifozin and Pioglitazone.

### **Respiratory medications:**

Corticosteroids (Prednisone and others), Montelukast (Singulair), Formoterol, and most meds for COPD and Asthma

### **Lipid lowering medications:**

Pravastatin (Pravachol), Pitavastatin (Livalo) and Ezetimibe (Zetia).

### **Stomach Acid reducing medications:**

Famotidine (Pepcid and Zantac), Omeprazole (Prilosec) and Pantoprazole (Protonix)

### **Immunosuppressants medications:**

Methotrexate, Mycophenolate (lupus medication) and Prednisone and Cellcept.

### **Pain medications:**

Acetaminophen (Tylenol), Aspirin, Codeine, Ibuprofen (Motrin), Naproxen (Naprosyn) and others.

### **Psychiatric medications:**

Amitriptyline, Elavil (TCA med), Bupropion (Wellbutrin-SR, Zyban, Buproban. Used to treat ADHD), Citalopram (Celexa, used for major depression), Fluoxetine (Prozac), Gabapentin, Lorazepam (Ativan), Nortriptyline (Pamelor), Paroxetine (Paxil), Sertraline (Zoloft), Olanzapine (Risperdal, Geodon and Abilify).

### **Anti-infective medications:**

Azithromycin (Z-Pack), Hydroxychloroquine.

### **Allergy medications:**

Cetirizine (Zyrtec), Diphenhydramine (Benadryl), Loratadine (Claritin, Alavert)

### **Miscellaneous medications:**

Allopurinol (Zyloprim), Contraceptives (oral), Donepezil (treat dementia and Alzheimer), Enoxaparin (Aricept, mail drug for Alzheimer), Levothyroxine (Synthroid), Ondansetron (Zofran)

## Medications that can be taken but may require adjustment when on Paxlovid.

### **Anticoagulant medications:**

Eliquis (Apixaban), Dabigatran (Pradaxa), Edoxaban, Warfarin

### **Cardiovascular (Heart) medications:**

Amlodipine, Diltiazem (Cardizem- used to treat atrial fib/flutter and PSVT), Nifedipine (calcium channel blocker), Valsartan, Verapamil

### **Diabetes medicine:**

Saxagliptin

### **Enlarge Prostate (BPH) medications:**

Tamsulosin, Terazosin, Doxazosin

### **Anti-infective medications:**

Clarithromycin, Itraconazole, Ketoconazole, Maraviroc, Rifabutin, Cobicistat, Ritonavir, Isavuconazole, Posaconazole, Voriconazole

### **Pain medications:**

Buprenorphine, Hydromorphone, Methadone, Morphine and Tramadol

### **Psychiatric medications:**

Haloperidol, Hydroxyzine, Mirtazapine, Risperidone, Zolpidem

## Medications that CANNOT be taken with Paxlovid.

### Cardiovascular (Heart) medications:

Amiodarone (Cordarone, Pacerone – These meds are used for atrial fib/flutter and ventricular arrhythmias), Clopidogrel, Flecainide (Tambocor), Quinidine (ventricular arrhythmias)

### Pain medications:

Meperidine (Demerol)

### Psychiatric medications:

Clozapine (Clozaril, used mainly in Schizophrenia-resistant), Midazolam (Oral), Pimozide, Clonazepam, Diazepam (valium), Flurazepam (Dalmane), Triazolam (Halcion)

### Anticonvulsants (Seizure) medications:

Carbamazepine, Phenobarbital, Phenytoin, Primidone

### Anti-infective medications:

Rifampin, Rifapentine, Glecaprevir/Pibrentavir, Erythromycin

### Pulmonary Hypertension medications:

Sildenafil, Tadalafil, Vardenafil

### Enlarged Prostate medications:

Alfuzosin, Silodosin

### Anticoagulants medications:

Rivaroxaban (Xarelto)

### Lipid-modifying medications:

Atorvastatin (Lipitor), Lovastatin (Mevacor), Simvastatin (Zocor)

### Erectile dysfunction medications:

Avanafil (Stendra)

### Immunosuppressant medications:

Everolimus (used to treat metastatic breast cancer), Sirolimus, Tacolimus

### Miscellaneous medications:

Chemotherapeutic agents, Colchicine, Flivanserin, Naloxegol

