LIST OF COMMONLY AVAILABLE NSAIDs AND COX-1 INHIBITORS TO AVOID

Patients with suspected aspirin or non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drug (NSAID) allergies should completely avoid all medications that may inhibit the COX-1 enzyme, until further evaluation by an allergy expert.

The list below details most commonly available COX-1 inhibitors in the United States – the generic drug name in **bold**, followed by most of the brand names in *italics*. All of these medications should be avoided. Please read all medication labels, and check with your healthcare providers to ensure that you are not mistakenly given a prescription for a medication listed below.

**Aspirin or salicylate-containing medications**
- Exedrine
- Pepto- Bismol
- Alka-Seltzer
- Aggrenox
- Anacin
- Arthropan
- Ascriptin
- Asperbuf
- Aspergum
- Aspermin
- Aspir-Mox
- Aspirtab

**Ibuprofen**
- Motrin
- Advil

**Naproxen**
- Aleve
- Anaprox

**Salsalate**
- Amigesic
- Salflex
- Argesic

**Flurbiprofen**
- Ansaid

**Ketorolac**
- Toradol

**Diclofenac**
- Arthrotec

Note: this list may be incomplete – contact your doctor if you have questions about the safety of medications not listed above.