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Certain medications interfere with allergy testing and should be discontinued for 72 hours prior to testing. For questions and clarifications on which medications to stop, call our office during business hours, Monday to Thursday 8:30am to 5:00pm and Friday 8:30am to 1:00pm

Nasal Allergy, Sinus, Anti-itch and some Gastric acid reducing medications should be stopped 72hours before appointment.

Medications which interfere with Skin prick test include but are not limited to the following commonly used medications:

Actifed	Dimetapp	Pepcid (Famotidine)
Alavert	Drixoral	Zantac (Ranitidine)
Allegra	Extendryl	Axid (Nizatidine)
Allegra D	Histabid	Tagamet (Cimetidine)
Allerest	Naldecon	Respaire
Atrohist	Nolamine	Zyrtec D
Azatadine	Novafed	
Benadryl	Optamine	
Clarinex	Omade	
Claritin	Promethazine	
Claritin D	Phenergan	
Chlortrimeton	PBZ-SR	
Chlorpheniramine	Rondec	
Comhist-LA	Ryna	
Contac	Rynatan	
Dallergy	Sine-Off	
Dallergy	Sudafed	
Diphenhydramine	Tavist	
Deconamine	Triaminic	
Demazin	Trinalin	
Dristan	Trind	
Dimetane	Zyrtec	

The following Medications must be avoided for five days prior to the appointment:
Atarax, Periactin, Astelin nasal spray

Some medications may need to be held for 7 to 10 days. These medications include tricyclic antidepressants. Please call our office if you are on an antidepressant for counseling before stopping your medication as you may not need to discontinue your medications. Do not discontinue this category of medications without a physician's advice. If we determine that such medications will interfere with our test results, we will work with your doctor to make sure that you are being fully treated with alternative medications before we temporally discontinue such medications.

Continue taking your asthma medications and all other prescribed medications not listed above.
