

Weight Loss Drug Interactions

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Belviq (lorcaserin)¹

Belviq may increase exposure to	Possible effects of concomitant administration of Belviq and listed drug
Dextromethorphan and other CYP 2D6 substrates	<p>Serotonin syndrome with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bupropion • Dextromethorphan • Lithium • Monoamine oxidase inhibitors • Selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors • Selective serotonin-norepinephrine reuptake inhibitors • St. John’s Wort • Tramadol • Tricyclic antidepressants • Triptans • Tryptophan

Contrave (naltrexone/bupropion)²

Contrave may increase concentrations of	Exposure to bupropion component of Contrave may be increased by	Possible effects of concomitant administration of Contrave and listed drug	Avoid concomitant use of Contrave and
Beta blockers Haloperidol Risperidone Selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors Thioridazine Tricyclic antidepressants Type 1C antiarrhythmic agents (eg, propafenone and flecainide)	Carbamazepine Clopidogrel Efavirenz Lopinavir Phenobarbital Phenytoin Ritonavir Ticlopidine	Amantadine: central nervous system toxicity Levodopa: central nervous system toxicity Monoamine oxidase inhibitors: increased risk of hypertension	Alcohol Carbamazepine Efavirenz Lopinavir Phenobarbital Phenytoin Ritonavir



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Qsymia (phentermine/topiramate)³

Exposure to topiramate component of Qsymia may be decreased by	Possible effects of concomitant administration of Qsymia and listed drug	Avoid concomitant use of Qsymia and
Carbamazepine Phenytoin	Alcohol: potentiate CNS depressant effects Carbonic anhydrase inhibitors (eg, acetazolamide, dichlorophenamide, zonisamide): metabolic acidosis, kidney stones Non-potassium sparing diuretics: potentiate hypokalemia Oral contraceptives: irregular bleeding Valproic acid: hyperammonemia, encephalopathy, hypothermia	Alcohol Carbonic anhydrase inhibitors (eg, acetazolamide, dichlorophenamide, zonisamide) Monoamine oxidase inhibitors (contraindicated)

Xenical (orlistat)⁴

Xenical may increase concentrations of	Xenical may reduce exposure of	Possible effects of concomitant administration of Xenical and listed drug
Cyclosporine	Amiodarone	Antiepileptic agents: increased frequency or severity of convulsions Antiretroviral agents: loss of virological control Levothyroxine: changes in thyroid function Warfarin: changes in coagulation parameters

References

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