

LIST OF COMMONLY USED MEDICATIONS

The noun *remedium* and its more frequent plural form *remedia* is usually omitted: thus *abortiva* = *remedia abortiva*.

Latin name	English translation and explanation
1. remedium abortivum <i>abortivus, a, um</i>	abortifacient , a drug inducing or causing abortion
2. remedium anaestheticum <i>anaestheticus, a, um</i>	anesthetic , a drug causing temporary loss of bodily sensations
3. remedium analgeticum <i>analgeticus, a, um</i>	analgetic (analgesic) , a drug relieving pain
4. remedium antacidum <i>antacidus, a, um</i>	antacid , a drug preventing, neutralizing, or counteracting acidity (e. g. of the stomach)
5. remedium antiallergicum <i>antiallergicus, a, um</i>	antiallergic (antiallergenic) , a drug preventing or relieving allergies
6. remedium antibioticum <i>antibioticus, a, um</i>	antibiotic , a drug destroying or inhibiting the growth of other microorganisms
7. remedium anticoagulans <i>anticoagulans, antis</i>	anticoagulant , a drug preventing blood clotting
8. remedium antidiarrhoicum <i>antidiarrhoicus, a, um</i>	antidiarrheal , a drug preventing or stopping diarrhoea
9. remedium antidiureticum <i>antidiureticus, a, um</i>	antidiuretic , a drug limiting the formation of urine
10. remedium antipyreticum <i>antipyreticus, a, um</i>	antipyretic , a drug reducing fever
11. remedium antisepticum <i>antisepticus, a, um</i>	antiseptic , a drug inhibiting the growth of microorganisms and thus preventing infection
12. remedium antispasticum <i>antispasticus, a, um</i>	antispastic (antispasmodic), a drug relieving or preventing spasms, especially of smooth muscles
13. remedium cardiotonicum <i>cardiotonicus, antis</i>	cardiac stimulant , a drug stimulating the function of the heart
14. remedium contraceptive <i>contraceptivus, a, um</i>	contraceptive , a drug preventing conception
15. remedium desinficiens <i>desinficiens, entis</i>	disinfectant , a drug preventing infection by inhibiting the growth or action of microorganisms
16. remedium detoxicans <i>detoxicanus, antis</i>	detoxicant , a drug counteracting poisoning
17. remedium diureticum <i>diureticus, a, um</i>	diuretic , a drug increasing the formation of urine
18. remedium emeticum <i>emeticus, a, um</i>	emetic , a drug inducing nausea and vomiting
19. remedium expectorans <i>expectorans, antis</i>	expectorant , a drug facilitating the secretion or expulsion of phlegm or mucus from the respiratory tract
20. remedium hypnoticum <i>hypnoticus, a, um</i>	hypnotic , a drug inducing sleep

21. remedium hypotonicum <i>hypotonicus, a, um</i>	antihypertensive , a drug decreasing blood pressure
22. remedium chemotherapeuticum <i>chemotherapeuticus, a, um</i>	chemotherapeutic , a drug that is selectively destructive to malignant cells and tissues
23. remedium laxativum (laxans) <i>laxativus, a, um (laxans, antis)</i>	laxative (purgative), a drug facilitating or increasing bowel movements
24. remedium narcoticum <i>narcoticus, a, um</i>	narcotic , a drug that blunts senses (e. g. opium, morphine, belladonna, alcohol), and that is used in medicine to relieve pain, cause sedation and induce sleep
25. remedium obstipans <i>obstipans, antis</i>	anti diarrheal , a drug providing relief for diarrhoea
26. remedium prophylacticum <i>prophylacticus, a, um</i>	prophylactic , a drug defending or protecting from a disease or infection
27. remedium relaxans <i>relaxans, antis</i>	relaxant , a drug relaxing and relieving muscular or nervous tension
28. remedium sedativum <i>sedativus, a, um</i>	sedative (tranquilizer) , a drug inducing sedation by reduction of irritability or excitement
29. remedium spasmolyticum <i>spasmolyticus, a, um</i>	antispasmodic (spasmolytic), a drug suppressing muscle spasms
30. remedium stimulans <i>stimulans, antis</i>	stimulant , a drug exciting any bodily function, especially those that stimulate the brain and CNS
31. remedium stomachicum <i>stomachicus, a, um</i>	stomachic , a drug stimulating gastric digestion and relieving discomfort of stomach pain
32. remedium vasoconstringens <i>vasoconstringens, entis</i>	vasoconstrictor , a drug that causes narrowing (vasoconstriction) of walls of blood vessels
33. remedium vasodilatans <i>vasodilatans, antis</i>	vasodilator , a drug that causes dilatation (vasodilatation) of walls of blood vessels