

Antidepressant Comparison Chart

Side Effects to Consider When Selecting an Agent

	Celexa Citalopram	Lexapro Escitalopram	Paxil Paroxetine	Prozac Fluoxetine	Zoloft Sertraline	Effexor-XR Venlafaxine	Remeron Mirtazapine	Cymbalta Duloxetine	Wellbutrin-XL Bupropion
Weight Gain	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	-
Sexual Dysfunction	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-
Sedation/fatigue	+/-	-	+	-	-	+/-	+	-	-
Nausea/GI upset/ Diarrhea	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-
Restlessness	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	+
Insomnia	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	+

+ indicates a clearly increased risk of side effects; +/- indicates a modestly increased risk of the side effect;
 - indicates a side effect is possible, but not more frequent than other medications