UpToDate Lexidrug for Dentistry

Quick reference guide

→ Clinical databases include:

- Dental-specific Drug Information
- Natural Products
- Dental Office Medical Emergencies
- Oral Soft Tissue Diseases
- Oral Hard Tissue Diseases
- Oral Surgery
- Periodontics
- Endodontics
- Dental Implants

→ Clinical modules:

- Dental Alerts & Drug Interactions and Allergy Screener with Medication Safety Check: Medication warnings; analysis of drug, herbal and drug allergy interactions, as well as duplicate therapy screening; and recommendations of drugs from a category that won't interact with a patient's regimen and known allergies to help inform treatment decisions
- Drug ID: Identification of drugs by dosage form, imprint, color, and shape
- Medical Calculators: Wide range of medical calculations
- Patient Education: Printable leaflets providing drug, natural product, dental topics, disease, condition and procedure information written for patients

→ Optional add-on resources:

- VisualDx® Oral: Oral lesion diagnosis tool

Searching to display monograph

From the home page ❶ or on the top left corner of every page, enter any keyword (i.e., drug, dental condition, procedure) in the search box and click the "Search" button. To assist with searching, a possible keyword list will appear after you enter at least three (3) characters. To select a suggested term, simply click on the desired search term, and the system will automatically perform a search and display the results.

❷ To view the results, simply click on the hyperlink under the database listing you wish to review.

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Navigating content within a drug monograph

Once you select a search result, the monograph will be displayed. Navigate monograph content quickly by using the Outline **3** on the left side, including the option to view the Outline alphabetically **4** .

Each drug monograph contains dental-specific fields of information such as:

- › Dental Health Professional Considerations
- › Dental Use
- › Dental Usual Dosage
- › Effects on Bleeding
- › Effects on Dental Treatment
- › ELocal Anesthetic / Vasocontrictor Precautions

Accessing images and patient education leaflets

In addition to the monograph information, additional content is available via the tabs **5** across the top of the monograph window. Clicking on these tabs will give users access to drug images, adult patient education material and pediatric patient education material.

Explore by general category

The "**Explore by General Category**" function below the search box **6** allows the user to browse the available databases using different indexes. The databases are classified into four main categories: Drugs, Dental Databases, Oral Surgery Videos, and Patient Education. Browse all clinical reference content by clicking the "Dental Databases" **7** category to display the complete listing of dental databases.

Click the database name **8** to review available indexes within a database or view all database indexes on the left **9** .

Dental Lexi-Drugs

Generic Names

U.S. Brand Names

Charts/Special Topics **8**

Changed Last 7 Days

Pharmacologic/Therapeutic Category

REMS

Prescribing and Access Restrictions

Boxed Warnings

Special Alerts

Other Dental Title Databases

Dental Lexi-Drugs **9**

Dental Lexi-Drugs is designed for all dental professionals seeking information on com and herbal products. Written by dentists for dentists, this best-selling resource include drugs, natural products, and dietary supplements.

Dental Office Medical Emergencies

This database is designed to provide information for the practicing dentist and dental management of emergencies are part of the office knowledge base. The database pre

The clinical decision tool bar

The blue Clinical Decision Tool Bar provides access to all clinical tools that are included in the user's account. This bar is always available from any screen in the application.

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Home | Alerts / Interactions | Drug I.D. | Patient Education | Calculators | Patient eRx | More Clinical Tools ⌄

Dental alerts and drug interactions

Clicking on the "Alerts/Interactions" button provides a tool to quickly assess risk management information about a patient's entire drug profile. Enter all patient medications (both prescription and over-the-counter), natural products, foods and/or alcohol, and known medication allergies. Once the list is complete, review the following:

Alerts **1** button delivers a summarized report describing how patient medications will affect dental treatment.

Interactions

Selected Items

Drug(s)

Enter Drug Name | Add

✕ Digoxin — Single Drug Analysis

✕ Glucophage (CAN) — Single Drug Analysis

✕ Lexapro — Single Drug Analysis

Allergies

Enter Allergy Name | Add

Medication Categories

☑ Duplicate Drug Therapy

Clear | Alerts **1**

Analyze

Interaction Checking | Interaction Analysis | Medication Categd

Digoxin

Use

Atrial fibrillation or atrial flutter, rate control: Control of ventricular response rate

Heart failure with reduced ejection fraction (HFrEF): Treatment of mild to modera ACCF/AHA) heart failure in adults; to increase myocardial contractility in pediatri

Local Anesthetic/Vasoconstrictor Precautions

Use vasoconstrictor with caution due to risk of cardiac arrhythmias with digoxin

Effects on Dental Treatment

Sensitive gag reflex may cause difficulty in taking a dental impression.

Effects on Bleeding

No information available to require special precautions

Glucophage (CAN)

Use

Diabetes mellitus, type 2, treatment: Management of type 2 diabetes mellitus whe and exercise alone.

Local Anesthetic/Vasoconstrictor Precautions

No information available to require special precautions

Medication categories ❷ will add a category of treatment medications (i.e., Antibiotics) to an interaction analysis for comparison against a patient's medication list.

Analyze ❸ provides a review of interactions, drug allergies and duplicate therapies, including an assigned risk rating (A, B, C, D or X). Each letter represents a different level of urgency in responding to the identified interactions. Use the filters to refine the results.

Medication safety check ❹ displays only the drugs from the selected Medication Category that are unlikely to interact.

Drug ID

Drug ID is a module that allows identification of tablets, capsules and other oral solid dosage forms by entering known product characteristics, such as: Imprint, Dosage Form, Shape and Color. Results and additional product information are displayed with a link to available images.

Calculators

Calculators is a robust dental and medical calculations tool covering adult and pediatric dosing, conversions, and other general medical calculations.

Patient education

Create patient packets that include drug, disease and procedure leaflets (available in up to 19 languages).
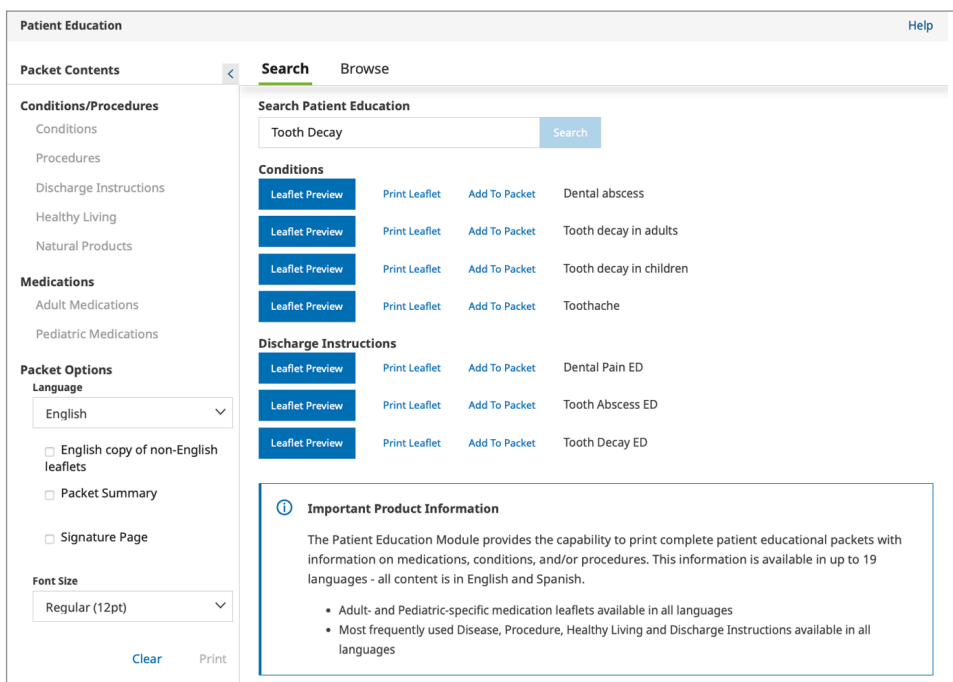
More clinical tools

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A **VisualDx:** Help identify drug-induced conditions of the skin. *When included in your subscription.*

B **Indexes:** Review descriptions of all available content sets within your subscription. The indexes section allows you to quickly link to more information, including available fields and the list of editorial advisory panel members.

C **Other Clinical Links:** Easily link to external websites for additional clinical information or research, including the National Library of Medicine, ASHP (Drug Shortages), FDA (Recalls, Withdrawals, and Safety Alerts), and more.

D **Advanced Search:** Use keywords to search within content sets or within a specified field.