

Bradford District Care Foundation Trust

Psychotropic Drug formulary

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This drug formulary has been developed jointly between the Pharmacists and Doctors in the Trust, with input from Primary Care. It has been developed to promote quality, cost-effective prescribing both in the primary and secondary care sectors. The formulary will be regularly reviewed and enhanced to include links to local and national guidelines.

With many medicines having more than one indication, the formulary has been indexed under the drug therapies linked to each NICE Clinical Guideline (CG) and associated Technology Appraisal (TA)

The following NICE clinical guidelines have not been listed separately. Where prescribing issues arise within them, they signpost to specific guidelines (e.g. depression) which are already covered in the formulary.

[Post-traumatic stress disorder \(PTSD\) \(CG26\)](http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG26) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG26> Issued Mar 2005
[Antenatal and postnatal mental health \(CG192\)](https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/cg192) <https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/cg192> Issued Dec 2014
[Antisocial personality disorder \(CG77\)](http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG77) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG77> Issued Jan 2009
[Borderline personality disorder \(BPD\) \(CG78\)](http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG78) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG78> Issued Jan 2009
[Common mental health disorders \(CG123\)](http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG123) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG123> Issued May 2011

Whilst not a formulary, the Bradford District Care Trust: Choice and Medication website (<http://www.choiceandmedication.org/bradford/>) offers information about medications used in the mental health setting to help people make informed decisions about medication.

For full prescribing information refer to -

British National Formulary <http://www.bnf.org/bnf/index.htm>

NICE Guidelines www.nice.org.uk

Medicines Compendium www.medicines.org.uk

Medicines Management Connect Page (**Bradford District Care Trust staff only**)
[Treatment Guidelines and Prescribing Advice Notes](#)

Indicative monthly costs are based on the March 2015 drug tariff (or BNF 70 if not listed).

Doses listed are for adults – Check BNF and SPC for dosing in children and the elderly.

For non-psychotropic medication the Trust defaults to the Acute Hospital's formulary. The link to Bradford Teaching Hospitals formulary is:

<http://www.bradfordhospitalsformulary.nhs.uk/>

Monthly cost key £ = £0-£30 ££ = £30-£60 £££ = £60-£90 ££££ = £90- £120 £££££ = >£120

Alzheimer's Disease

NICE Guidelines

Dementia (CG42) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG42> Issued Sep 2008

Alzheimer's disease - donepezil, galantamine, rivastigmine and memantine (TA217)
<http://guidance.nice.org.uk/TA217> March 2011

Linked Trust guidelines

Shared Care Guideline Drug treatment of Alzheimer's disease

DRUG (oral route)	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Mild to moderate 1st line						
Donepezil	Acetylcholin- esterase inhibitor	4.11	5-10mg nocte	10mg nocte	10mg	£
Mild to moderate 2nd line						
Galantamine	Acetylcholin- esterase inhibitor	4.11	16-24mg	24mg XL	24mg XL	£££
Rivastigmine	Acetylcholin- esterase inhibitor	4.11	3-6mg bd	12mg	12mg DIV2	££
			4.6- 9.5mg patch	9.5mg	9.5mg	£££
Moderate to Severe						
Memantine	Uncompetitive NMDA receptor antagonist	4.11	10-20mg	20mg	20mg	£

Attention Deficit Disorder

NICE Guidelines

Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) (CG72) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG72> Issued Jan 2009

Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD): surveillance review decision

<https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/cg72/resources/attention-deficit-hyperactivity-disorder-adhd-surveillance-review-decision>

Linked Trust guidelines

Shared Care Guideline Drug Treatment of Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) in children and adolescents

Shared Care Guideline Melatonin in Children (in management of insomnia)

DRUG (oral route)	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
1st line						
Methylphenidate	CNS Stimulant	4.4	Concerta XL 18mg - 54mg	108mg	108mg	£££
			Equasym XL 10mg - 60mg	90mg (unlicensed)	90mg (unlicensed)	£££ (60mg)
			Medikinet XL 10mg -60mg	90mg (unlicensed)	90mg (unlicensed)	£££ (60mg)
2nd line						
Atomoxetine	CNS Stimulant	4.4	80mg-100mg	120mg (unlicensed)	120mg (unlicensed)	£££££ (100mg)
Lisdexamfetamine	CNS	4.4	30mg	70mg	70mg	£££
3rd line						
Dexamfetamine	CNS Stimulant	4.4	2.5mg -5mg tds (1mg/Kg)	20mg DIV	5mg	£££

Bipolar Affective Disorder

NICE Guidelines

Bipolar disorder: the assessment and management of bipolar disorder in adults, children and young people in primary and secondary care. <http://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/cg185> Issued Sept 2014

Bipolar Disorder (adolescents) aripiprazole (TA292) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/TA292> Issued July 2013

Linked Trust guidelines

Bipolar Disorder Guidelines for prescribing and monitoring medication in Primary & Secondary Care

Lithium Prescribing Advice Note

DRUG (oral route)	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Valproic Acid (Semi-sodium valproate)	Anti-Manic	4.2.3	Initially 750mg daily in 2-3 Divided doses	2000mg	1000mg	££
Lithium Carbonate (Priadel & Camcolit)	Anti-Manic	4.2.3	400-1200mg daily	Adjustable	Div 1-2	£ (800mg)
Lithium Citrate (Priadel liquid)	Anti-Manic	4.2.3	As above (5mls = 200mg lithium carbonate)	Adjustable	Div 1-2	£
Carbamazepine	Anti-Manic	4.8.1	400mg-600mg 2-3 times daily <i>N.B. Slow release preparations also available</i>	1600mg	Div 2+	£
Sodium Valproate	Anti-Manic	4.8.1	500mg-1000mg divided doses <i>N.B. Slow release also available</i>	2000mg	Div 2	£ (plain tablet)
Lamotrigine	Anti-Manic	4.8.1	50-200mg daily with valproate 100-400mg daily without valproate	200mg 400mg	Div 2 Div 2	£ £
Aripiprazole	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	10-30mg	30mg	30mg	£
Olanzapine	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	5-20mg daily	20mg	20mg	£
Quetiapine plain	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	300mg-600mg	800mg plain	800mg Div 2	£
XL				800mg XL	800mg	££££££
Risperidone	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	Initially 2mg daily Usually 4-6mg daily	16mg No benefit shown above 10mg daily	Div 1- 2	£ (6mg)
Haloperidol	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	1.5mg-5mg up to 2-3 times daily	20mg	10mg	£

Depression

NICE Guidelines

Depression in adults (update) (CG90) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG90> Issued Oct 2009

Depression with a chronic physical health problem (CG91) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG91> Issued Oct 2009

Depression in children and young people (CG28) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG28> Issued Sep 2005

Linked Trust guidelines

Management of Depression in Adult March 2012

Agomelatine Prescribing Advice Note

Lithium Prescribing Advice Note

Venlafaxine Prescribing Advice Note

Dosulepin Prescribing Advice Note*

1st line and 2nd line

DRUG	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Citalopram	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	20-40mg <i>N.B. 8mg (4) Drops = 10mg tablet</i>	40mg	40mg	£
Sertraline	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	50mg-200mg	200mg	200mg	£

2nd line

DRUG	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Mirtazapine	NASSA Antidepressant	4.3.4	15-45mg usually nocte	45mg	45mg	£
Escitalopram	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3.	10-20mg	20mg	20mg	£

3rd line - refer to Trust guidelines for further details

DRUG	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Fluoxetine	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	20-60mg	60mg	60mg	£ (3x20mg)
Lofepamine	Tricyclic Antidepressant	4.3.1	140-210mg	210mg	Div 2	£
Paroxetine	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	20-50mg	50mg	50mg	£
Trazodone	Tricyclic related Antidepressant	4.3.1	100-300mg	600mg	300mg	£
Venlafaxine	SNRI Antidepressant	4.3.4	37.5 -75mg twice daily	375mg	Div 2	£
Vortioxetine	Multimodal SSRI related Antidepressant	4.3	5mg-20mg	20mg	20mg	££

Depression continued.

4th line

DRUG	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Agomelatine	Melatonin agonist & SSRI	4.3.4	25-50mg	50mg	50mg	£££
Clomipramine	Tricyclic Antidepressant	4.3.1	30-150mg divided doses	250mg	250mg	£
Dosulepin*	Tricyclic Antidepressant	4.3.1	75-225mg	225mg	225mg Div 1-3	£
Duloxetine	SNRI Antidepressant	4.3.4	60mg	60mg	60mg	£
Flupentixol	Thioxanthene	4.3.4	1-3mg	3mg	2mg Div 2	£
Imipramine	Tricyclic Antidepressant	4.3.1	75-200mg divided doses	200mg (300mg in hospital)	150mg	£
Moclobemide	Reversible MAOI	4.3.2	150-600mg	600mg	300mg Div 2	££
Phenelzine	MAOI Antidepressant	4.3.2	Aim for lowest possible maintenance	90mg	30mg Div 3	££
Reboxetine	NARI Antidepressant	4.3.4	4mg twice daily	12mg	6mg	£
Venlafaxine XL	SNRI Antidepressant	4.3.4	75-225mg once daily	225mg	225mg	££

Disturbed Behaviour

NICE Guidelines

Violence and Aggression: The short term management in mental health, health, and community settings.
NICE Guidelines [NG 10]: National Institute for Clinical Excellence, May 2015.
www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng10

Psychosis and schizophrenia in adults: treatment and management <http://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/cg178>
Issued February 2014

Delirium (CG103) <http://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/CG103> Issued Jul 2010

Dementia (CG 42) <http://www.nice.org.uk/CG42> Issued Sep 2008

Alcohol-use disorders: physical complications (CG100) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG100> Issued Jun 2010

Linked Trust guidelines

Drug Mgt Acutely Disturbed Behaviour (inc RT) Procedure

Oral

DRUG (oral route)	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Haloperidol	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	1.5mg-5mg up to 2-3 times daily	20mg	10mg	£
Aripiprazole	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	10-30mg	30mg	30mg	£
Olanzapine	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	5-20mg daily	20mg	20mg	£
Risperidone	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	Initially 2mg daily Usually 4-6mg daily	16mg <i>No benefit shown above 10mg daily</i>	Div 1- 2	£ plain ££ Orodispersible
Lorazepam	Benzodiazepine	4.1.2	1-4mg daily in divided doses	4mg	2mg	£
Promethazine Hydrochloride	Antihistamine	3.4.1	10-25mg up to four times daily	100mg	25mg (50mg)	£

Short acting antipsychotic injections

DRUG	CLASS	B.N.F	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	SINGLE DOSE
Haloperidol	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	12mg	2-5mg	£
Aripiprazole	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1.	30mg	15mg	£ (9.75mg)
Olanzapine <i>(no longer marketed by Eli Lilly Aug 2012)</i>	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1.	20mg (max 20mg in 24 hours on 3 consecutive days)	10mg	£
Zuclopenthixol Acetate (Acuphase®)	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	Max of 4 injections and 400mg in 2 week period	150mg	£

Disturbed Behaviour continued

Other injectables

DRUG	CLASS	B.N.F	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	COST SINGLE DOSE
Lorazepam	Benzodiazepine	4.1.2	1-4mg daily in divided doses	4mg	£
Midazolam	Benzodiazepine	15.1.4.1	2.5mg-7.5mg (15mg in 24 hours)	7.5mg	£
Clonazepam	Benzodiazepine	4.8.2	500mcg to 2mg (6mg in 24 hours)	2mg	£
Promethazine Hydrochloride	Antihistamine	3.4.1	25-25mg up to four times daily	25mg	£

Short term management of severe anxiety and psychomotor agitation

DRUG (oral route)	CLASS	B.N .F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	COST
Pericyazine	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	15-30mg initially Adjust for response	300mg	Div 2-3	££ Oral solution

Generalised Anxiety Disorder

NICE Guidelines

Anxiety (CG113) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG113> Issued Jan 2011

Social Anxiety disorder (CG159) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG159> Issued May 2013

Linked Trust guidelines

Generalised Anxiety Disorder Advice Note August 2013

Misuse and Cost Implications of Pregabalin 2013

Benzodiazepine Anxiolytics Advice Note Nov 2010

DRUG	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
1st line						
Sertraline	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	50mg-200mg	200mg	200mg	£
2nd line						
Paroxetine	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	20-50mg	50mg	50mg	£
Escitalopram	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3.	10-20mg	20mg	20mg	£
3rd line						
Venlafaxine XL	SNRI Antidepressant	4.3.4	75-225mg once daily	225mg	225mg	££
Duloxetine	SNRI Antidepressant	4.3.4	30-60mg	120mg	120mg	££
4th line						
Pregabalin	Anti-epileptic	4.8.1	150mg-600mg daily in 2-3 divided doses	600mg	300mg	300mg bd ££ 200mg tds £££
Short term management						
Diazepam	Benzodiazepine	4.1.2	2-10mg up to three times a day	30mg	10mg	£2.37
Clonazepam (unlicensed)	Benzodiazepine	4.8.2	4-8mg	8mg	8mg	£4.09
Lorazepam	Benzodiazepine	4.1.2	1-4mg daily in divided doses	4mg	2mg	£13.68
Oxazepam	Benzodiazepine	4.1.2	15-30mg 3-4 times daily	120mg	30-50mg	£12.00
Buspirone	5HYT IA agonist	4.1.2	5-10mg 3 times a day	45mg	15mg	£73.35
Promethazine Hydrochloride	Antihistamine	3.4.1	10-25mg up to four times daily	100mg	25mg (50mg)	£9.30

Insomnia

NICE Guidance

Insomnia - newer hypnotic drugs (TA77) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/TA77> Apr 2004

Linked Trust guidelines

Hypnotics Prescribing Advice Note November 2010

DRUG (oral route)	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
1st line						
Zolpidem	Hypnotic	4.1.1	5-10mg nocte	10mg	10mg	£
Zopiclone	Hypnotic	4.1.1	3.75-7.5mg nocte	7.5mg	7.5mg	£
2nd line						
Promethazine	Antihistamine	4.1.1.	10mg- 25mg Nocte	50mg	50mg	£
Temazepam	Hypnotic	4.1.1	10-20mg nocte	20mg	20mg	£
Alternatives						
Lormetazepam	Hypnotic	4.1.1.	0.5-1.5mg nocte	1.5mg	1.5mg	££
Nitrazepam	Hypnotic	4.1.1	5-10mg nocte	10mg	10mg	£
Clomethiazole	Hypnotic	4.1.1	1-2 capsules	2 capsules	2 caps	£
Chloral Hydrate (Welldorm)	Hypnotic	4.1.1	1-2 tablets at night or 15- 45mls elixir	5 tablets or 70ml	5 tablets or 70ml	£££ tablets ££££ Elixir

Obsessive Compulsive Disorder

NICE Guidelines

Obsessive compulsive disorder (OCD) and body dysmorphic disorder (BDD) (CG31)

<http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG31> Issued Nov 2005

DRUG	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Citalopram	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	20-40mg <i>N.B. 8mg (4) Drops = 10mg tablet</i>	40mg	40mg	£
Sertraline	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	50mg-200mg	200mg	200mg	£
Fluoxetine	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	20-60mg	60mg	60mg	£
Paroxetine	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	20-50mg	50mg	50mg	£
Clomipramine	Tricyclic Antidepressant	4.3.1	100-150mg	250mg	250mg	£

Panic Disorder

NICE Guidelines

Anxiety (CG113) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG113> Issued Jan 2011

Generalised anxiety disorder and panic disorder (with or without agoraphobia) in adults

DRUG	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Citalopram	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	20-40mg <i>N.B. 8mg (4) Drops = 10mg tablet</i>	40mg	40mg	£
Sertraline	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	50mg-200mg	200mg	200mg	£
Paroxetine	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3	20-50mg	50mg	50mg	£
Escitalopram	SSRI Antidepressant	4.3.3.	10-20mg	20mg	20mg	£
Clomipramine	Tricyclic Antidepressant	4.3.1	30-150mg divided doses	250mg	250mg	£
Imipramine	Tricyclic Antidepressant	4.3.1	75-200mg divided doses	200mg (300mg in hospital)	150mg	£

Schizophrenia (and Psychosis)

NICE Guidelines

Psychosis and Schizophrenia <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG178> Issued February 2014

Psychosis and schizophrenia in children and young people (CG155) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG155>

Issued Jan 2013

Psychosis with coexisting substance misuse (CG120) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG120> Issued March 2011

Schizophrenia - aripiprazole (TA213) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/TA213> Jan 2011

Linked Trust guidelines

Guidelines for the use of High Dose Antipsychotic Medication

Clozapine inpatient initiation Guidance

Clozapine Monitoring Prescribing Advice Note

Clozapine Outpatient Initiation Guidance

Clozapine titration schedule

Paliperidone Prescribing Advice Note

Antipsychotic Physical Health Monitoring Shared Care Guidelines February 2013

Lurasidone Prescribing Advice Note

1st line and 2nd line

DRUG (oral route)	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Amisulpride	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	400-600mg in 2 divided doses	1200mg	800mg	£ (200mgx6)
Aripiprazole	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	10-30mg	30mg	30mg	£
Olanzapine	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	5-20mg daily	20mg	20mg	£
Quetiapine plain	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	Initial dose titration 25mg -50mg increments 300mg-450mg	750mg plain	750mg Div 2	£
Quetiapine XL			400mg-800mg	800mg XL	800mg	£££££
Risperidone	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	Initially 2mg daily Usually 4-6mg daily	16mg No benefit shown above 10mg daily	Div 1- 2	£
Lurasidone *currently named patient	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	37 – 148mg	148mg	148mg	£££££

Schizophrenia (and Psychosis) continued

Alternative oral antipsychotics

DRUG (oral route)	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Chlorpromazine	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	75-300mg in divided doses	1000mg	Not Stated	£
Flupentixol	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	3-9mg twice daily	18mg	9mg	£
Haloperidol	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	1.5mg-5mg up to 2-3 times daily	30mg	10mg	£
Promazine	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	100-200mg up to 4 times a day	800mg	200mg	£££££
Sulpiride	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	200-400mg twice daily	2400mg	1200mg	££
Trifluoperazine	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	2-5mg twice daily initially	50mg	Div 2	£
Zuclopenthixol	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	Usual maintenance 20-50mg in divided doses	150mg	50mg	£

Refractory Schizophrenia

DRUG (oral route)	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Clozapine (Hospital only) (Clozaril ®)	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.1	Adjustable Initial titration (CPMS blood tests) Usual dose range 200-450mg	Max 900mg	Div 2 in doses >200mg daily	£££££

Schizophrenia (and Psychosis) continued

Long Acting and Depot Antipsychotics

DRUG (Intramuscular Injection)	CLASS	B.N.F	MAX DOSE	MAX WEEKLY DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Flupentixol Decanoate	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.2	Weekly 400mg	400mg	£££
Fluphenazine Decanoate	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.2	Two weekly 100mg	50mg	£
Haloperidol Decanoate	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.2	Four weekly 300mg	75mg	£
Zuclopenthixol Decanoate	1st generation antipsychotic	4.2.2	Weekly 600mg	600mg	£
Aripiprazole *named patient* (Abilify Maintena®)	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.2.	Four weekly	N/A	£££££
Risperidone (Risperdal Consta®)	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.2.	Two weekly 50mg	N/A	£££££
Paliperidone (Xeplion®)	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.22	Four weekly 150mg	N/A	£££££
Olanzapine Embonate (ZypAdhera®) *named patient only *	2 nd generation antipsychotic	4.2.2.	Two weekly 300mg Four weekly 405mg	N/A	£££££ £££££

DRUG (oral route)	CLASS	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Procyclidine	Antimuscarinic	4.9.2	2.5-5mg 3-4 times daily	30mg	Div 3	£
Trihexylphenidyl	Antimuscarinic	4.9.2	5-15mg in 3-4 divided doses	20mg	Div 3-4	£
Orphenadrine	Antimuscarinic	4.9.2	150mg in divided doses	400mg	Div 3+	£

Substance Misuse

Alcohol dependence

NICE Guidelines

Alcohol-use disorders: physical complications (CG100) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG100> Issued Jun 2010

Alcohol dependence and harmful alcohol use (CG115) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG115> Issued Feb 2011

Linked Trust guidelines

Alcohol Detoxification Guidelines (Inpatients)

Clinical and Medical Interventions for Community Alcohol Treatment Services June 2015

DRUG (oral route)	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX MONTHLY COST
Acamprosate	8.1	Bodyweight Over 60 kg 666mg tds Body weight Under 60 kg 666mg breakfast 333mg midday & 330mg nocte	£
Disulfiram	4.10.1	200-500mg	££
Nalmefene	8.1	18mg	£££
Naltrexone (unlicensed)	4.10.3	25-50mg	£

Detoxification

DRUG (oral route)	CLASS	B.N.F	MAX DAILY DOSE	MAX SINGLE DOSE	DRUG (oral route)
Chlordiazepoxide	Benzodiazepine	4.1.2	See SPC	100mg	25mg Div 3-4
Diazepam	Benzodiazepine	4.1.2	See SPC	40mg	10mg Div 3-4
Clomethiazole Inpatient settings only	Hypnotic	4.1.1.	See SPC	12 capsules	12 caps Div 3-4
Carbamazepine Unlicensed	Antiepileptic	4.8.1	See SPC	800mg	800mg DIV

DRUG (oral route)	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	COST PER COURSE
Pabrinex ® I.M.	9.6.2	Wernickes Encephalopathy 2-3 pairs of ampoules 3 times a day for 2-4 days depending on response Prophylaxis of Wernickes Encephalopathy 1 pair of ampoules twice daily for at least 3-5 days	£ (10 ampoules)
Thiamine	9.6.2	100mg tds	£

Substance Misuse

Opioid dependence

NICE Guidelines

Drug misuse: opioid detoxification (CG52) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/CG52> Issued July 2007

Drug misuse - methadone and buprenorphine (TA114) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/TA114> Issued Jan 2007

Drug misuse - naltrexone (TA115) <http://guidance.nice.org.uk/TA115> Issued Jan 2007

Linked Trust guidelines

Suboxone® Prescribing Advice Note update March 2014

DRUG (oral route)	B.N.F	USUAL DOSE RANGE	MAX MONTHLY COST Drug tariff
Methadone	4.10.3	60-120mg	££ (120mg)
Buprenorphine *	4.10.3	12-24mg	££ (24mg)
Suboxone® Buprenorphine with naloxone	4.10.3	12-24mg	£££££ (24mg)
Naltrexone (unlicensed)	4.10.3	25-50mg	£
Lofexidine	4.10.3	800microgram- 2.4mg	£££ (10 days)

* refer to Suboxone ® prescribing advice note