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Examples of medication that typically are immunosuppressing include:

- Abatacept (Orencia)
- Adalimumab (Humira)
- Alemtuzumab (Lemtrada) within the past 3 years
- Alkylating agents inc.
- Anakinra (Kineret)
- Antimetabolites
- Azathioprine (imuran)
- Baracitinib (Olmiant)
- Belimumab (Benlysta)
- Brodalumab (Siliq)
- Canakinumab (Ilaris)
- Cancer chemotherapeutic agents classified as severely immunosuppressive
- Certolizumab (Cimzia)
- Cladribine (Mavneclad) within the past 2 years
- Cyclophosphamide (Cytoxan)
- Cyclosporine
- Patients on cytotoxic chemotherapy within the last 6 months or other anti-cancer therapies that are known to be moderately or severely immunosuppressive
- Dimethyl fumarate (Tecfidera)
- Diroximel fumarate (Vumerity)
- Eculizumab (Soliris)
- Etanercept (Enbrel)
- Fingolimod (Gilenya)
- Golimumab (Simponi)
- Guselkumab (Tremfya)
- Inebilizumab (Uplizna)
- Infliximab (Remicade, Inflectra, Renflexis)
- Intravenous immunoglobulin (IVIG)
- Ixekizumab (Talz)
- Leflunomide (arava)
- Natalizumab (Tysabri)
- Prednisone or equivalent $\geq 20\text{mg/day}$
- Methotrexate
- Mycophenolate mofetil (Myfortic, Cellcept)
- 6-mercaptopurine
- Natalizumab (Tysabri)
- Ocrelizumab (Ocrevus)
- Ofatumumab (Kesimpta)
- Ozanimod (Zeposia)
- Ponesimod (Ponvory)
- Risankizumab (Skyrizi)
- Rituximab (Rituxan, rituximab-arrx, truxima)
- Sartralizumab (Enspryng)
- Secukinumab (Cosentyx)
- Siponimod (Mayzent)
- Tacrolimus
- Teriflunomide (Aubagio)
- Tildrakizumab (Ilumya)
- Tocilizumab (Actemra)
- Tofacitinib (Xeljanz)
- Transplant-related immunosuppressive drugs
- Tremfya
- Sarilumab (Kevzara)
- Upadacitinib (Rinvoq)
- Ustekinumab (Stelara)
- Vedolizumab (Entyvio)
- Voclosporin (Lupkynis)
- TNF Blockers
- Other biologic agents that are immunosuppressive or immunomodulatory

Examples of medication that typically are NOT immunosuppressing include the following. Please talk to your doctor about these:

- Apremilast (Otezla)
- Glatiramer acetate (Copaxone, Glatopa)
- Hydroxychloroquine (Plaquenil)
- Interferon beta medications (Avonex, Rebif, Betaseron, Extavia, Plegridy)
- Sulfasalazine (Azulfidine)

