

Chronic Obstructive Disease Medications

Control Medications: these medicines are not used to treat flare-ups.

Corticosteroids:

Beclomethasone (Qvar)
Fluticasone (Flovent)
Ciclesonide (Alvesco)
Mometasone (Asmanex)
Budesonide (Pulmicort)

Long Acting Beta-Agonists (LABAs):

Arformoterol (Brovana)
Formoterol (Foradil)
Salmeterol (Serevent)
Indacaterol (Arcapta)

Corticosteroids + Long Acting Beta-Agonists:

Budesonide + Formoterol (Symbicort)
Fluticasone + Salmeterol (Advair)
Fluticasone + Vilanterol (Breo Ellipta)

Long Acting Anticholinergics:

Aclidinium (Tudorza Pressair)
Tiotropium (Spiriva)

Anticholinergic + Long Acting Beta-Agonist:

Umeclidinium + Vilanterol (Anoro Ellipta)

Anticholinergic + Beta-Agonist:

Ipratropium + Albuterol (Combivent Respimat)

Phosphodiesterase Inhibitor:

Roflumilast (Daliresp)

Quick relief Medications: these medicines are called rescue medications.

Short Acting Beta-Agonists (SABAs):

Albuterol (ProAir HFA, Proventil HFA, Ventolin HFA)
Levalbuterol (Xopenex HFA)
Metaproterenol
Terbutaline

Oral Steroids:

Methylprednisolone
Prednisone
Prednisolone