

Potential Side Effects of Gabapentin (Neurontin®)

Common side effects (≥ 5%)	Drug-placebo difference	Patients on gabapentin who report it	Patients on placebo who report it
Dizziness	20%	28%	8%
Somnolence	16%	21%	5%
Peripheral edema	6%	8%	2%
Dry mouth	4%	5%	1%
Diarrhea	3%	6%	3%
Other side effects			
Abnormal thinking	3%	3%	0%
Ataxia	3%	3%	0%
Abnormal gait	2%	2%	0%
Accidental injury	2%	3%	1%
Amblyopia	2%	3%	1%
Constipation	2%	4%	2%
Incoordination	2%	2%	0%
Weight gain	2%	2%	0%
Conjunctivitis	1%	1%	0%
Diplopia	1%	1%	0%
Hyperglycemia	1%	1%	0%
Otitis media	1%	1%	0%
Pharyngitis	1%	1%	0%

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