

Potential side effects associated with varenicline (Chantix®)

Common side effects*	Drug-placebo difference	Percentage of patients on varenicline who report it	Percentage of patients on placebo who report it
Nausea	20%	30%	10%
Abnormal dreams	8%	13%	5%
Constipation	5%	8%	3%
Other side effects**			
Vomiting	3%	5%	2%
Flatulence	3%	6%	3%
Decreased appetite	1%	2%	1%
Gastroesophageal reflux disease	1%	1%	0%
Lethargy	1%	1%	0%
Nightmare	1%	1%	0%
Sleepiness	1%	1%	0%

Adverse events that that occurred during treatment with varenicline are considered here to be side effects if they occurred at least twice as often as on placebo.

** Occurred in at least 5% more patients on varenicline 1 mg per day compared to those on placebo.*

*** Occurred in at least 1% more patients on varenicline 1 mg per day compared to those on placebo.*

For very important additional information about this medication, including about potentially serious side effects, please make sure to also see the following webpages:

<https://medlineplus.gov/druginfo/meds/a606024.html>

<https://dailymed.nlm.nih.gov/dailymed/medguide.cfm?setid=f0ff4f27-5185-4881-a749-c6b7a0ca5696>