

## FDA Approved Stimulant Medications for Adult ADHD

Stimulant Medications: Methylphenidates						
Brand Name	Generic Available?	Onset (hours)	Duration (hours)	Formulation	Abuse Potential	Cost
<i>Aptensio XR</i>	No	Fast (.5-1hr)	Long (10-12)	Layered bead cap; 40% IR, 60% CR	Higher	\$\$\$
<i>Concerta</i>	Yes	Fast (.5-1hr)	Long (10-12)	Non-absorbable, osmotic release tab - 22% IR, 78% controlled-release (CR)	High	\$\$\$
<i>Daytrana</i>	No	Slow (2-4hrs)	Long (10-12)	Transdermal patch	Higher	\$\$\$
<i>Focalin</i>	Yes	Fast (<.5hr)	Short (3-6)	Dexmethylphenidate IR tab	Highest	\$
<i>Focalin XR</i>	Yes	Fast (<.5hr)	Long (9-12)	Dexmethylphenidate; 50% IR, 50% DR cap	Higher	\$\$
<i>QuilliChew ER</i>	No	Fast (.5-1hr)	Medium (7-9)	30% IR, 70% ER chewable tab	Higher	\$\$\$
<i>Quillivant XR</i>	No	Fast (.5-1hr)	Long (10-12)	5 mg/mL ER suspension; 20% IR and 80% ER	Higher	\$\$\$
<i>Ritalin, Methylin</i>	Yes	Fast (.5hr)	Short (3-5)	Immediate-release (IR) tab, chew tab, solution	Highest	\$
<i>Ritalin LA, Metadate CD</i>	Yes	Fast (.5-1hr)	Medium (7-9)	IR and delayed-release (DR) bead cap Ritalin LA is 50% IR, 50% DR; Metadate CD is 30% IR, 70% DR	Higher	\$\$
<i>Ritalin SR, Metadate ER, Methylin ER</i>	Yes	Med (1-3hrs)	Short-Medium (3-8)	Extended release (ER) tab	Higher	\$\$

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Stimulant Medications: Amphetamines						
Brand Name	Generic Available?	Onset (hours)	Duration (hours)	Formulation	Abuse Potential	Cost
<i>Adderall</i>	Yes	Fast (<.5hr)	Short (5-8)	Mixed amphetamine/ dextroamphetamine salts IR tab	Highest	\$
<i>Adderall XR</i>	Yes	Fast (<.5hr)	Long (10-12)	Amphetamine/ d-amphetamine; 50% IR and 50% ER bead cap	Higher	\$\$
<i>Adzenys XR-ODT</i>	No	Fast (<.5hr)	Long (10-12)	Amphetamine orally disintegrating tab 50% IR, 50% ER	Highest	\$\$\$
<i>Dexedrine, Dextrostat</i>	Yes	Fast (.5-1hr)	Short (4-6)	Dextroamphetamine IR tab	Highest	\$\$
<i>Dexedrine Spansule</i>	Yes	Med (.5-1.5hr)	Medium (6-10)	Dextroamphetamine bead cap; 50% IR, 50% DR	Higher	\$\$\$
<i>Dyanavel XR</i>	No	Med (1-1.5hr)	Long (10-12)	Amphetamine ER suspension	Higher	\$\$\$
<i>Evekeo</i>	No	Fast (.5-1hr)	Medium (5-8)	Amphetamine IR tab	Higher	\$\$\$
<i>Procentra</i>	No	Fast (.5-1hr)	Short (4-6)	Dextroamphetamine IR solution	Higher	\$\$\$
<i>Vyvanse</i>	No	Slow (1.5-2hr)	Long (10-12)	Lisdexamfetamine CR prodrug cap	High	\$\$\$