

Risk Category Classification of MS Drugs in Pregnancy and Lactation

Drug	Common Indication	FDA Category in Pregnancy	Risk Category in Lactation
INF β 1a	RRMS	C	L3
INF β 1b	RRMS	C	L3
Glatiramer acetate	RRMS	B	L3
Fingolimoid	RRMS	C	Unknown
Natalizumab	PRMS	C	Unknown
Teriflunomide	PRMS	X (contraindicated)	Unknown (contraindicated)
Mitoxantrone	SPMS, PRMS	D (teratogen)	L5 (contraindicated)

Available data on FDA-approved disease-modifying agents for multiple sclerosis are mainly derived from animal research or incidental exposure to drug.

RRMS: relapsing remitting multiple sclerosis; PRMS: progressive relapsing multiple sclerosis; SPMS: secondary progressive multiple sclerosis.

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