

BIPOLAR DISORDERS Factsheet

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What is pregabalin?

Pregabalin is a medication primarily used to treat epilepsy and neuropathic pain. It has also been tested for people with treatment-resistant bipolar disorder.

What is the evidence for pregabalin for treatment-resistant bipolar disorder?

Low quality evidence is unable to determine the effects of pregabalin for treatment-resistant bipolar disorder due to a lack of large, randomised trials.



NeuRA (Neuroscience Research Australia) is one of the largest independent medical and clinical research institutes in Australia and an international leader in neurological research.

Diseases of the brain and nervous system pose the greatest health, economic and social burden of any disease group because they are chronic, debilitating and have no known cures.

Medical research is the cornerstone of efforts to advance the health and wellbeing of families and the community. Our dedicated scientists are focussed on transforming their research into significant and practical benefits for all patients.

While we hope you find this information useful, it is always important to discuss any questions about bipolar disorder or its treatment with your doctor or other health care provider.

For more information see the technical table

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