

RxFiles - Helping you to make drug therapy decisions

Compare drug therapy options - via the Drug Comparison Charts

- **evidence for benefit, harms and side effects, drug interactions, cost, formulation options**
 - great place to check your assumptions
 - useful to individualize for that unique patient in front of you
 - clear away the marketing hype that often comes with heavily promoted new drugs
- **use to assist shared decision making with patients and getting patient buy-in**
 - charts are not intended for patients, but a lot of clinicians use to help explain, and get buy in

Access online extras

- **we have patient tools such as:**
 - [Opioid Consent and Agreement form](#)
 - [PPI Deprescribing Patient Page](#)
 - [Viral Infection - Patient Page \(13 languages\)](#)
 - look for detailed critical appraisals of emerging new evidence/trials
 - [trial summaries](#): e.g. EMPA-REG
 - [outcomes color coded comparison](#)
- **Current topics of interest**
 - ABX-2: Antibiotics & Common Infections (Skin, Cystitis, ABX Comparison)
 - [Newsletters and Charts](#)
 - [Clinic Posters](#)

Multiple platform options

Hard copy of the [RxFiles 11th Edition book](#) (separate purchase)

RxFiles Online at www.RxFiles.ca

- use the search box
- use the [book table of contents](#)
- use the [disease and drug index](#)

RxFiles-PLUS + App

- the 11th Edition book, and a few extras can be accessed by mobile device app (Apple and Android)
- INCLUDED for those who have an Individual or Group Subscription
- [help, instructions and more information](#)

How to use RxFiles – 5-minute Video on YouTube

Spend a few minutes with a chart in an area you have an interest in

Check out a [YouTube Link](#) re RxFiles. (Produced for physicians/residents by University of Ottawa Family Medicine)