

Table 1: Overlap and differences between the Swedish and Norwegian recommendations for antidementia drugs and psychotropic drugs

Recommendation	Sweden	Norway
Antidementia drugs		
MCI and ACHI	✓	✓
AD (mild/moderate) and ACHI	✓	✓
AD (moderate/severe) and mem	✓	✓
AD (moderate/serious) and combination ACHI/mem	STRONG recommendation FOR	WEAK recommendation AGAINST
Down's syndrome with dementia and ACHI	✓	✓
FTD and ACHI	✓	✓
FTD and mem	STRONG recommendation AGAINST	WEAK recommendation AGAINST
LBD and ACHI	STRONG recommendation FOR	WEAK recommendation FOR
LBD and mem	WEAK recommendation FOR	WEAK recommendation AGAINST
Psychotropic drugs		
Dementia with aggressiveness and SSRI	WEAK recommendation FOR	WEAK recommendation AGAINST
Dementia with aggressiveness and typical antipsychotics	✓	✓
Dementia with psychotic symptoms and typical antipsychotics	✓	✓
Dementia and anxiety with oxazepam	WEAK recommendation FOR	STRONG recommendation AGAINST

MCI=Mild cognitive impairment
AD=Alzheimer's disease
FTD=Frontotemporal dementia
LBD=Lewybody dementia
ACHI=Acetylcholinesterase inhibitors
Mem=Memantine