Medicines to Avoid When Taking Warfarin

If you are taking warfarin, you know that we need to test your blood often.

We need to know how fast your blood is clotting. We measure this with a test called an "INR level."

If it clots too fast or too slowly, we need to adjust your warfarin dose.

Over-the-counter medications such as Tylenol, Motrin, antacids, and even antibiotics can affect your INR levels too.

Ask your doctor or nurse for a list of medicines you should avoid. And always call and check with your care team before taking ANY new medicine.

