

Brand Name	Generic Name	Description	Controlled Substance?
Adipex-P, Lomaira	phentermine	oral tablet or capsules; appetite suppressant; anorectic	yes, C- IV
Alli	orlistat	oral capsule; lipase inhibitor; inhibits fat absorption in the intestine	available over-the-counter (OTC)
Belviq, Belviq XR (brands and generic discontinued)	lorcaserin	selective serotonin 2C receptor agonist; promotes a feeling of fullness or satiety; withdrawn from US market in 2020 due to increased cancer risk.	product withdrawn
Bontril PDM	phendimetrazine	oral tablets; appetite suppressant; anorectic	yes, C-III
Desoxyn	methamphetamine	oral tablets; appetite suppressant; use cautiously if prescribed for weight loss due to high potential for abuse, illegal distribution	yes, C-II
Didrex (brand discontinued)	benzphetamine	oral tablet; appetite suppressant; anorectic	yes, C-III
Generic only	diethylpropion	oral tablet; appetite suppressant; anorectic	yes, C-IV
Meridia	sibutramine	anorectic; withdrawn from US market in 2010 due to increased heart toxicity risk.	product withdrawn
Qsymia	phentermine and topiramate extended-release	oral capsules; combination appetite suppressant-anorectic; exact action of topiramate on weight loss is not known	yes, C-IV
Suprenza (brand discontinued)	phentermine	oral tablet; appetite suppressant; anorectic	brand not available; generic C-IV
Xenical	orlistat	oral capsule; lipase inhibitor; prescription form of Alli (OTC); higher dose than Alli; inhibits fat absorption in the intestine	not controlled; prescription required.
Contrave	bupropion and naltrexone	oral tablet; increases metabolism, suppresses appetite, affects central reward center (proposed mechanism)	not controlled; prescription required.
Saxenda	liraglutide	once-daily subcutaneous injection; glucagon-like peptide-1 (GLP-1) receptor agonist	not controlled; prescription required.
Wegovy	semaglutide	once-weekly subcutaneous injection; glucagon-like peptide-1 (GLP-1) receptor agonist	not controlled; prescription required.