ONLINE SUPPLEMENTARY TABLES

Table S1

Rates of serious adverse events (all) and adverse events (at least 5 % in one of the study groups) reported for the included studies investigating d-cycloserine (listed by frequency).

D-Cycloserine				
	RCTs (Farrell et al., 2013;		OLTs (Posey et	
	Storch et al., 2010)		al., 2004)	
	Drug	Plc	Drug	
Total N	24	23	12	
	n (%)	n (%)	n (%)	
Serious adverse events				
-	-	-	-	
Adverse events				
Increased echolalia	-	-	1 (8.3)	
Transient motor tic	-	-	1 (8.3)	

Abbreviations: OLTs: Open-label trials; Plc: placebo; RCTs: randomized controlled trials.

Table S2Rates of serious adverse events (all) and adverse events (at least 5 % in one of the study groups) reported for the included studies investigating memantine (listed by frequency).

Memantine				
	RCTs		OLTs	
	(Ghaleiha, Asadabadi, et al., 2013; Hardan, 2014; Hendren, 2014)		(Chez et al., 2007; Owley et al., 2006), (Erickson et al., 2007; Findling et al., 2007; Melmed, 2014)	
	Drug Plc		Drug	
Total N	400	240	1106	
	n (%)	n (%)	n (%)	
Serious adverse events				
Not further specified	-	-	6 (0.5)	
Adverse events				
Headache	-	-	80 (7.2)	
Nasopharyngitis	-	-	59 (5.3)	

Abbreviations: OLTs: O-label trials; Plc: placebo; RCTs: randomized controlled trials.

Table S3

Rates of serious adverse events (all) and adverse events (at least 5 % in one of the study groups) reported for the included studies investigating minocycline (listed by frequency).

Minocycline				
	R	RCTs		
	(Leigh e	(Leigh et al., 2013)		
	Drug	Plc	Drug	
Total N	33	33	70	
	n (%)	n (%)	n (%)	
Serious adverse events				
-	-	-	-	
Adverse events	•			
Diarrhoea	15 (45.5)	15 (45.5)	3 (4.3)	
Skin rash	12 (36.4)	7 (21.2)	-	
Gastrointestinal distress	9 (27.3)	15 (45.5)	18 (25.7)	
Fever	6 (18.2)	11 (33.3)	-	

Discoloration of teeth	5 (15.2)	-	-
Headache	4 (12.1)	5 (15.1)	2 (2.9)
Sunburn/sun sensitivity	4 (12.1)	1 (3.0)	-
Blue-grey hue to teeth or other tissues	3 (9.0)	1 (3.0)	-
Daytime drowsiness	2 (6.1)	3 (9.0)	-
Increased appetite	2 (6.1)	1 (3.0)	-
Insomnia	2 (6.1)	-	-
Dark coloured urine	1 (3.0)	2 (6.1)	-
Dizziness	-	1 (3.0)	4 (5.7)
Infection	-	-	2 (6.1)

Abbreviations: OLTs: O-label trials; Plc: placebo; RCTs: randomized controlled trials.

Table S4Rates of serious adverse events (all) and adverse events (at least 5 % in one of the study groups) reported for the included studies investigating modafinil (listed by frequency).

	RCTs (Wigal et al., 2006)		
	Drug	Plc	
Total N	420	215	
	n (%)	n (%)	
Serious adverse events			
Asthma	1 (0.2)	-	
Dehydration	1 (0.2)	-	
Duodenitis	1 (0.2)	-	
Erythema multiforme	1 (0.2)	-	
Hypertonia	1 (0.2)	-	
Influenza syndrome	1 (0.2)	-	
Peptic ulcer	1 (0.2)	-	
Possible Stevens-Johnson	1 (0.2)	-	
syndrome	1 (0.2)		
Adverse events		L	
Insomnia	115 (27.4)	9 (4.2)	
Headache	82 (19.5)	28 (13.0)	
Decreased appetite	67 (16.0)	6 (2.8)	
Infection	46 (11.0)	1 (0.5)	
Abdominal pain	40 (9.5)	-	
Increased cough	32 (7.6)	-	
Rhinitis	31 (7.4)	-	
Pharyngitis	30 (7.1)	-	
Fever	21 (5.0)	-	
Vomiting	21 (5.0)	-	

Abbreviations: Plc: Placebo; RCTs: Randomized controlled trials.

Table S5
Rates of serious adverse events (all) and adverse events (at least 5 % in one of the study groups) reported for the included studies investigating N-acetylcysteine (listed by frequency).

N-Acetylcysteine				
	R	CTs		
	(Bloch	et al., 2013)		
	(Ghanizade	eh et al., 2013),		
	(Ghanizade	eh & Moghimi-		
	Sara	Sarani, 2013)		
	Drug	Plc		
Total N	51	44		
	n (%)	n (%)		
Serious adverse events				
-	-	-		
Adverse events	<u> </u>			
Nausea	6 (11.8)	12 (27.3)		
Constipation	5 (9.8)	1 (2.3)		
Increased appetite	5 (9.8)	3 (6.8)		
Daytime drowsiness	4 (7.8)	2 (4.5)		
Nervousness	4 (7.8)	-		
Decreased appetite	3 (5.9)	1 (2.3)		
Fatigue	-	6 (13.6)		

Abbreviations: Plc: Placebo; RCTs: Randomized controlled trials.

Table S6Rates of serious adverse events (all) and adverse events (at least 5 % in one of the study groups) reported for the included studies investigating riluzole (listed by frequency).

N-Acetylcysteine			
	RCTs (Ghaleiha, Mohammadi, et al., 2013), (Grant et al., 2014)		OLTs (Grant et al., 2007)
	Drug	Plc	Drug
Total N	50	50	6
	n (%)	n (%)	n (%)
Serious adverse events			
Pancreatitis	1 (2.0)	-	-
Adverse events			
Increased appetite	12 (24.0)	3 (6.0)	-
Drowsiness	7 (14.0)	4 (8.0)	1 (16.7)
Increased salivation	6 (12.0)	6 (12.0)	-
Abdominal pain	5 (10.0)	2 (4.0)	-
Elevated liver function tests	5 (10.0)	-	2 (33.3)
Restlessness	4 (8.0)	1 (2.0)	-
Nervousness	3 (6.0)	1 (2.0)	-
Vomiting	1 (2.0)	-	1 (16.7)

Abbreviations: OLTs: Open-label trials; Plc: placebo; RCTs: randomized controlled trials.