Phenylpiracetam

Description

Phenylpiracetam is a nootropic derivative of the GABAergic agent piracetam and has been evaluated for its efficacy in reducing neurological deficits related to cerebral ischemia, epilepsy, and neurobehavioral disorders.\(^1\)\(^2\) At 10-100 mg/kg in mice, phenylpiracetam can increase locomotor and antidepressant activity in the open-field and forced swimming tests, as well as enhance memory in a passive avoidance response test.\(^1\) Because of its cognitive enhancing and general stimulant properties, phenylpiracetam has the potential to be abused recreationally and is listed as a banned substance by the World Anti-Doping Agency and the International Olympic Committee.\(^3\) This product is intended for research and forensic purposes only.

References