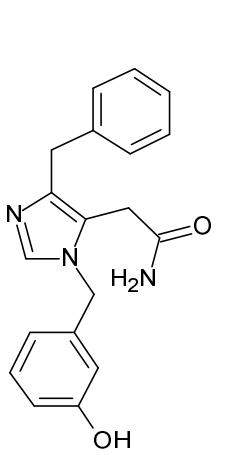
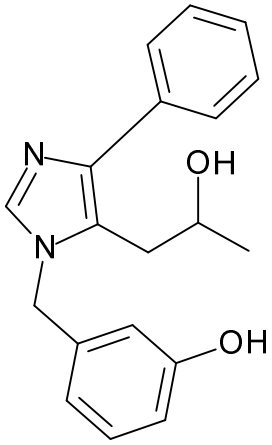
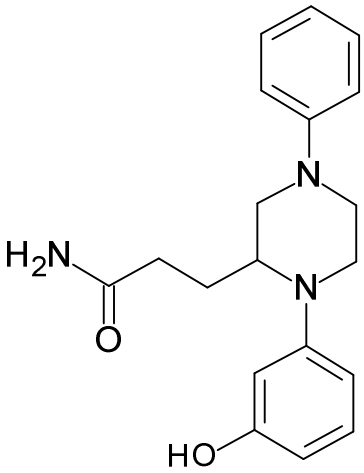
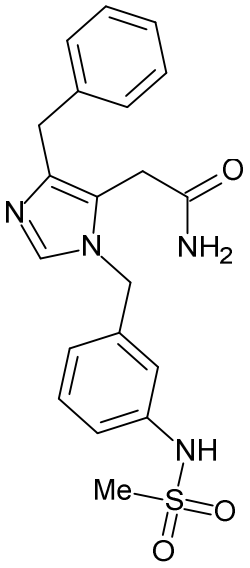
THE CLAIMS DEFINING THE INVENTION ARE AS FOLLOWS:-

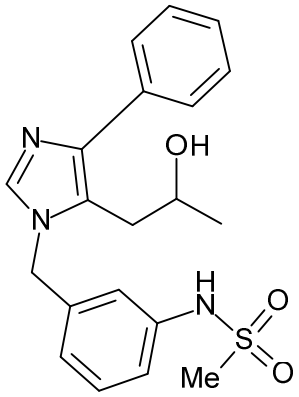
1. A compound selected from the group consisting of:

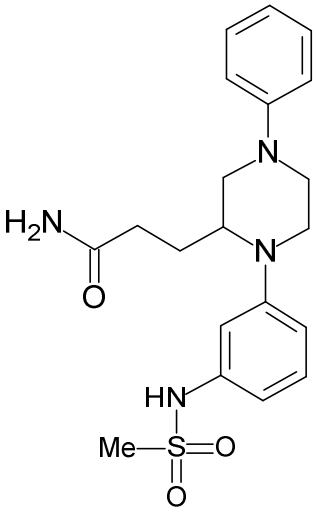


,


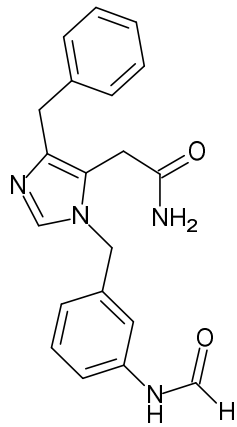
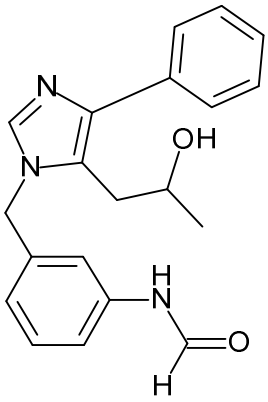
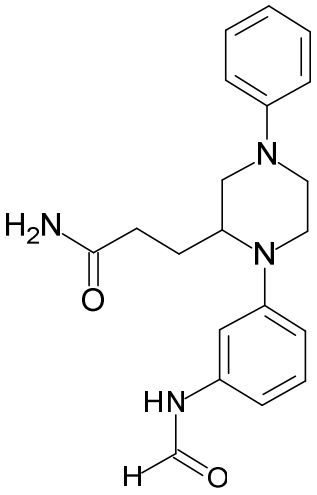
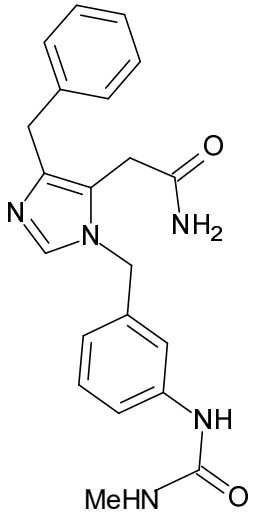
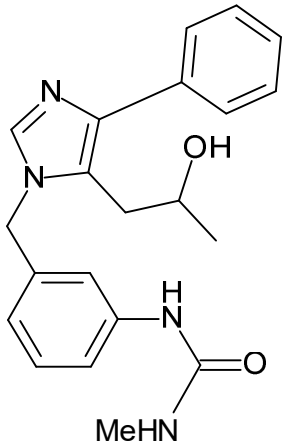
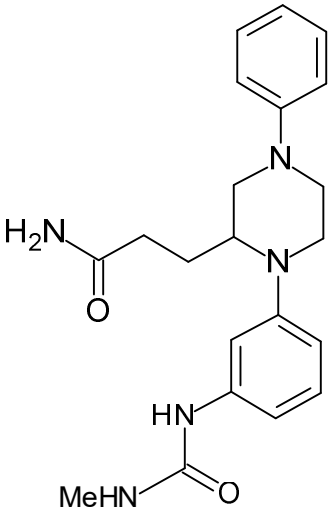
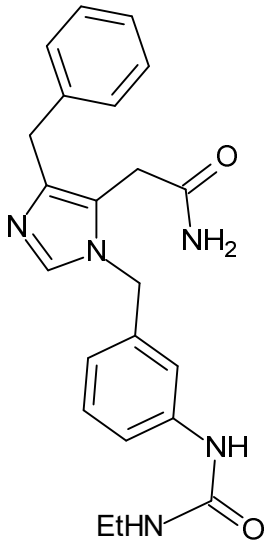
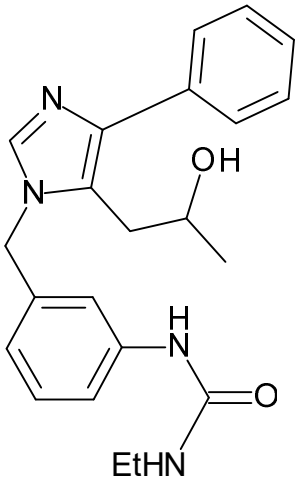
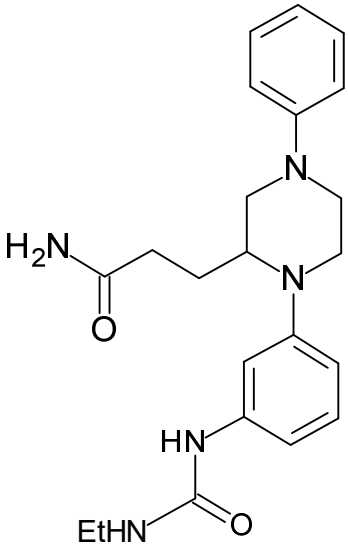
,


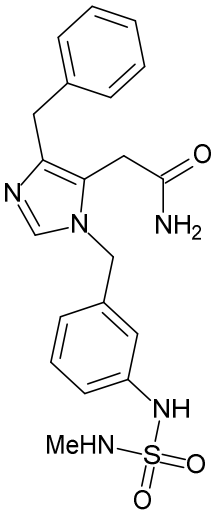
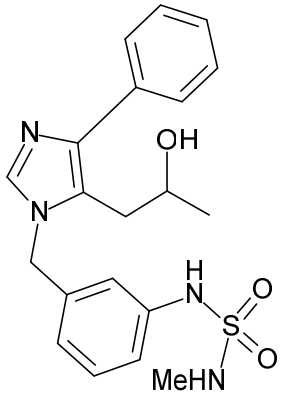
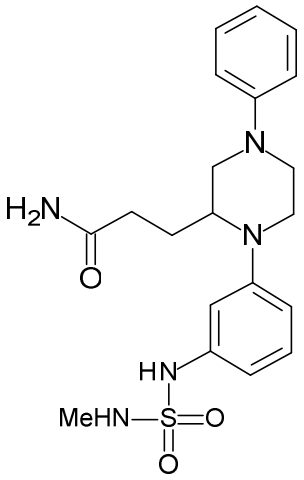
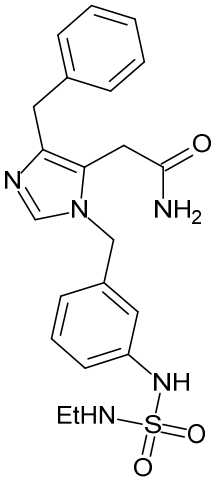
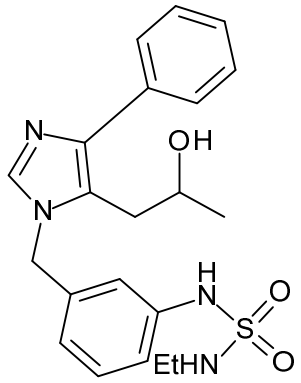
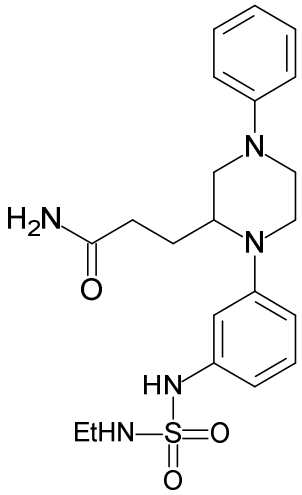
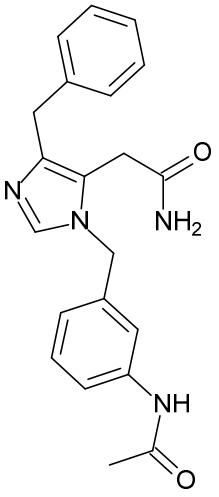
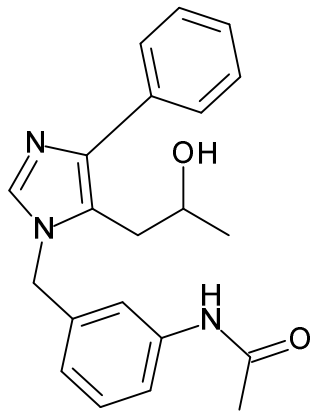
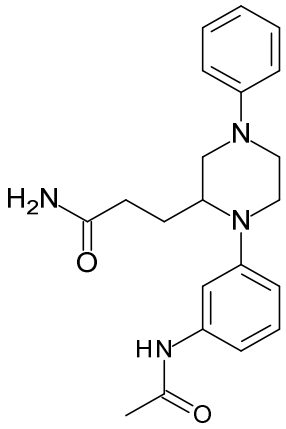
,


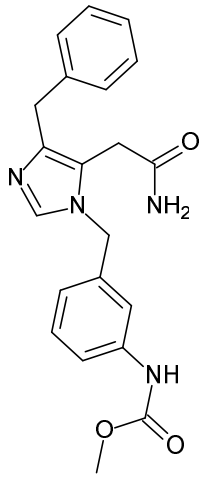
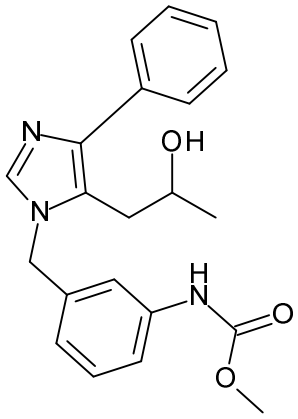
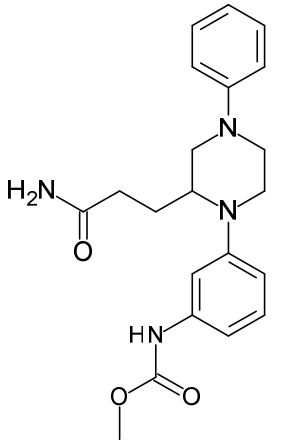
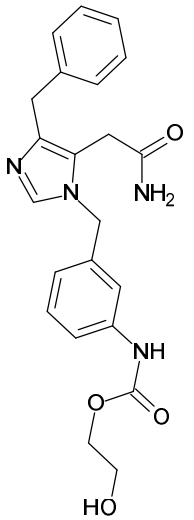
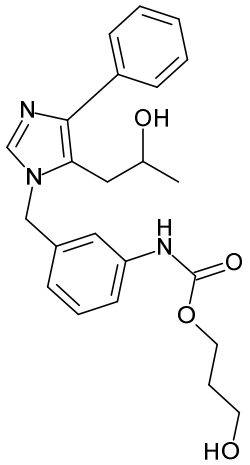
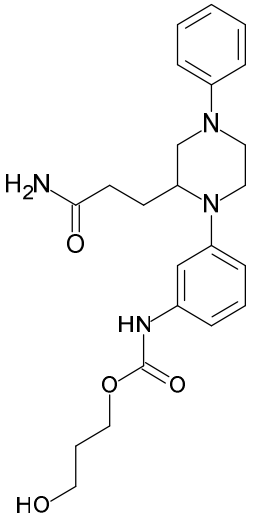
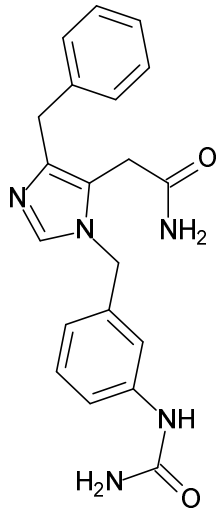
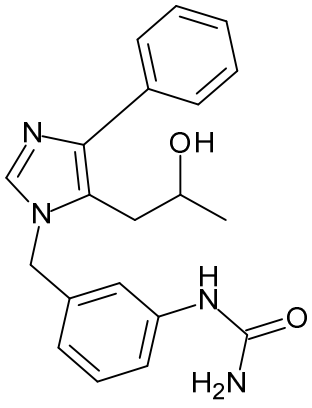
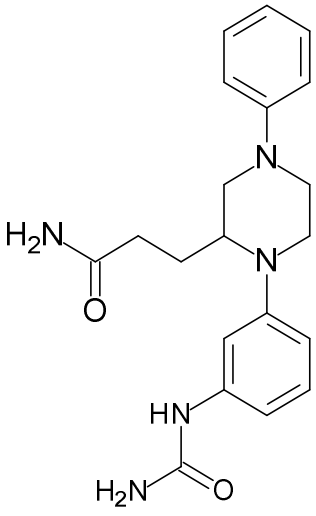
,


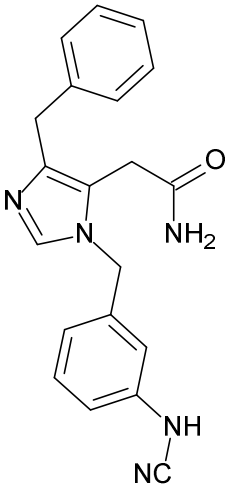
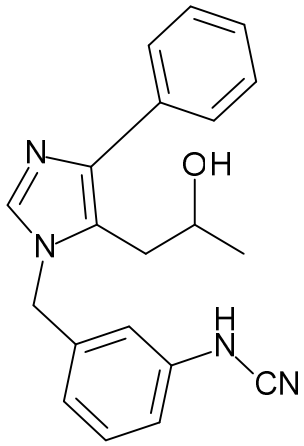
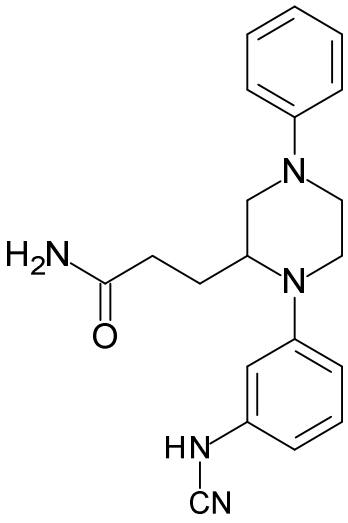
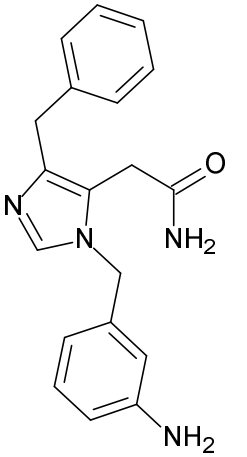
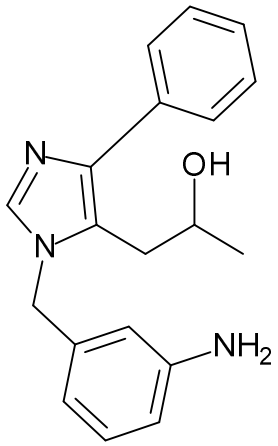
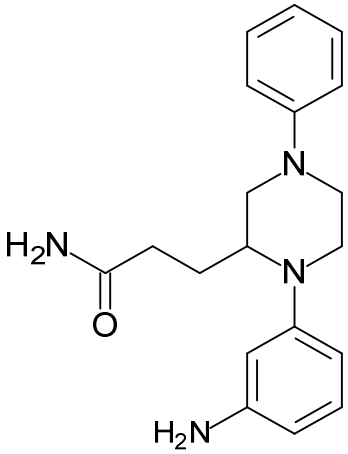
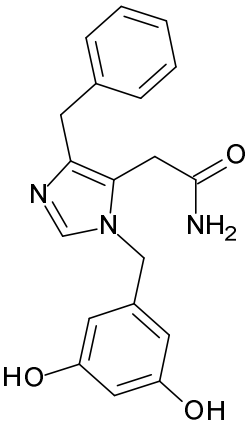
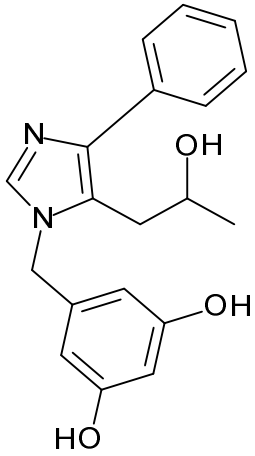
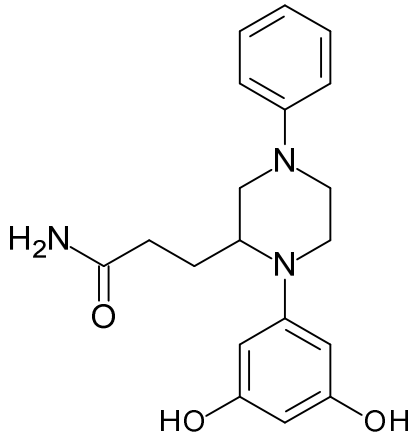
,


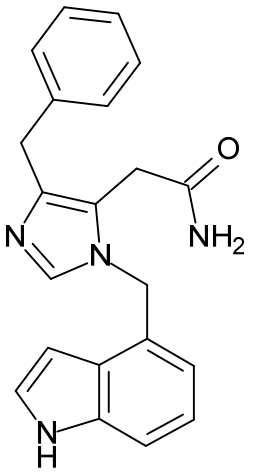
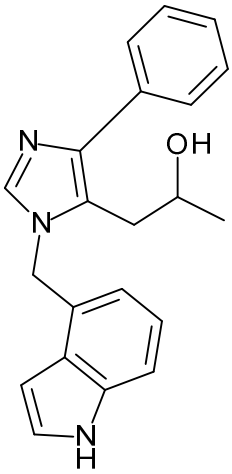
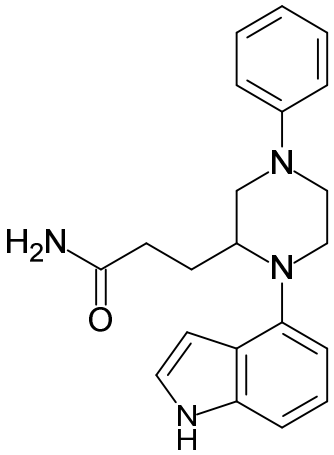
,

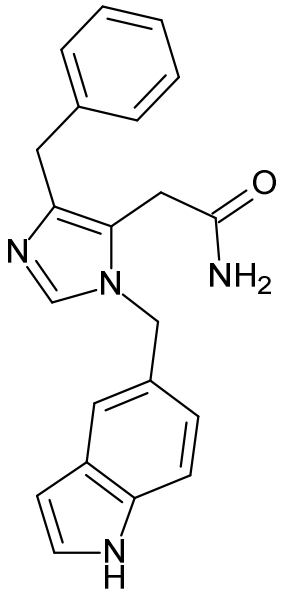
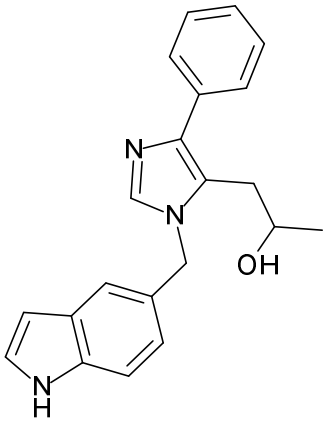
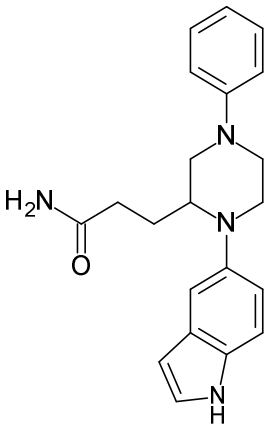

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,


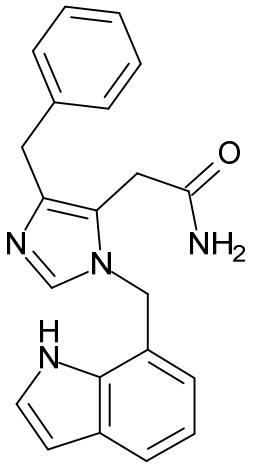
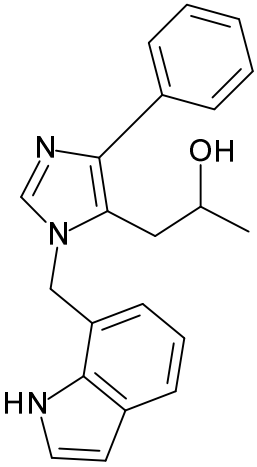
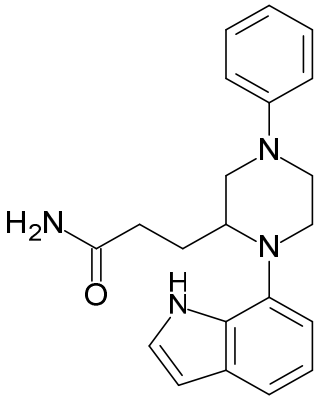

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

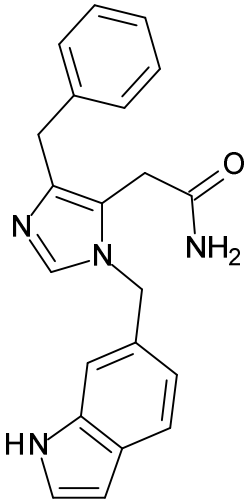
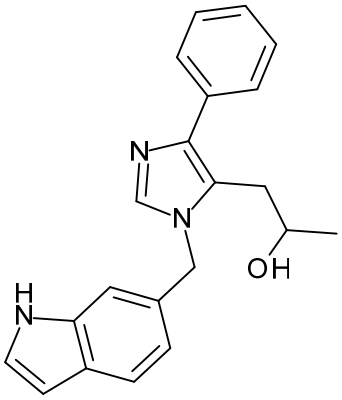
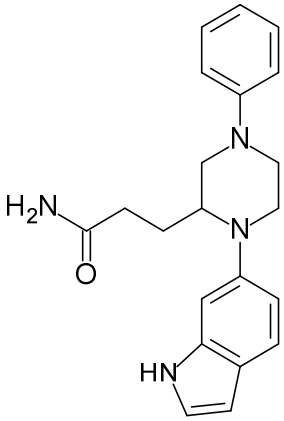
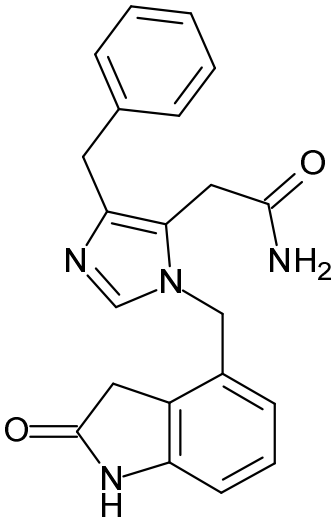
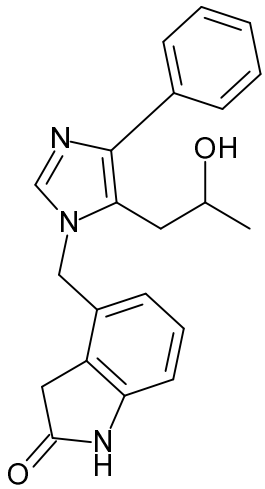
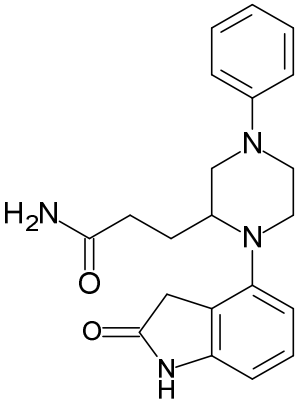
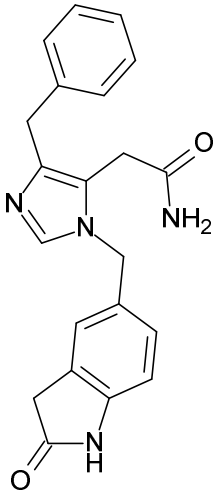
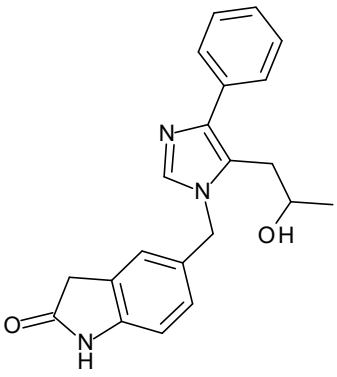
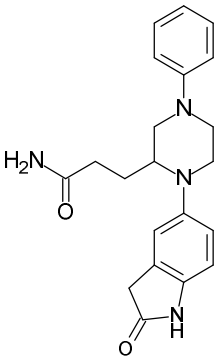

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

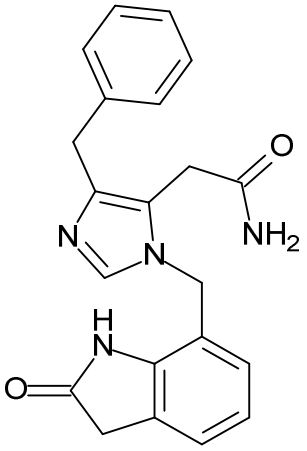
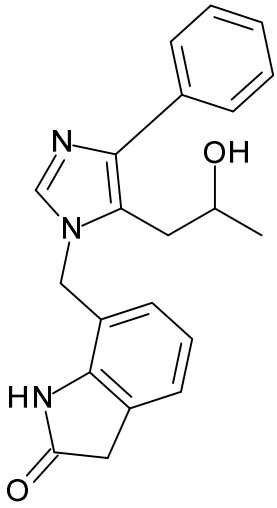
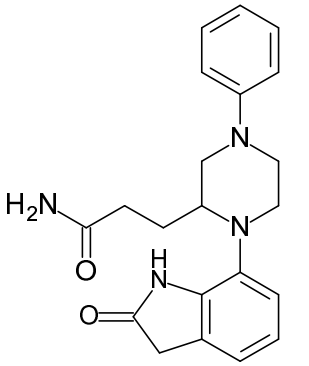
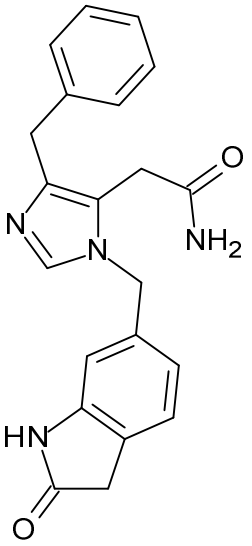
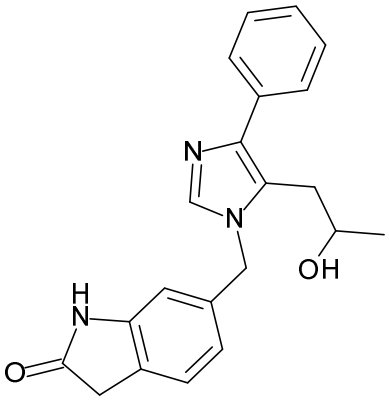
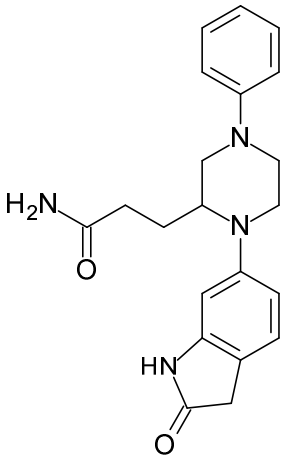
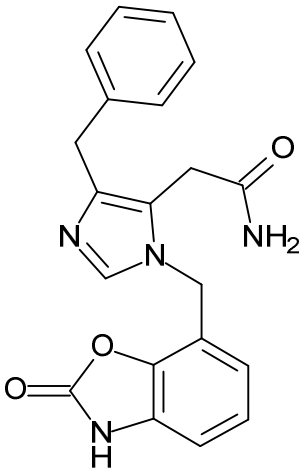
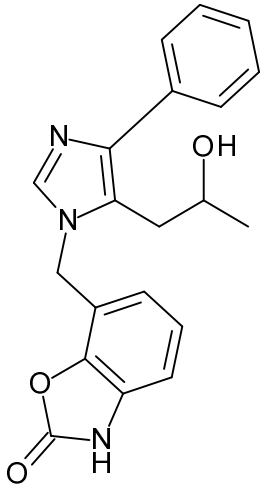
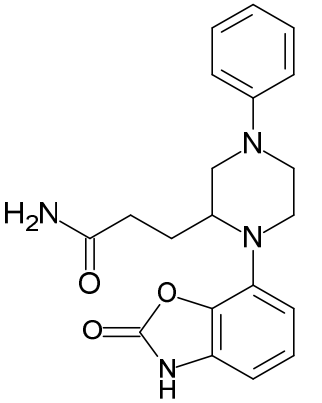

O
N
N
NH2
NH
NC
,

N
OH
N
H
N
CN
,

N
H2N
N
O
HN
CN
,

O
N
N
NH2
NH2
,

N
OH
N
NH2
,

N
H2N
N
O
H2N
,

O
N
N
NH2
HO
OH
,

N
OH
N
OH
HO
,

N
H2N
N
O
HO
OH
,

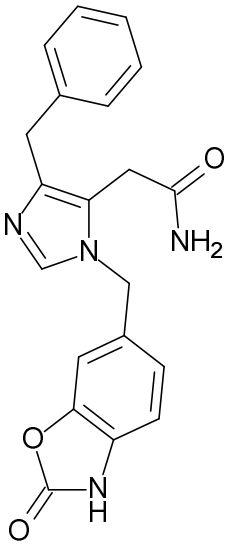
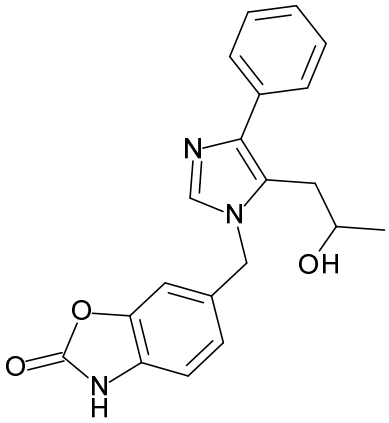
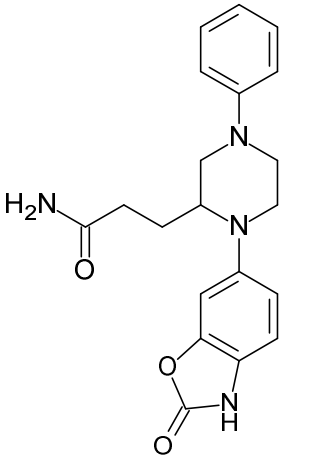
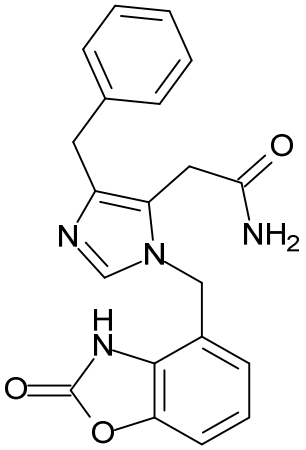
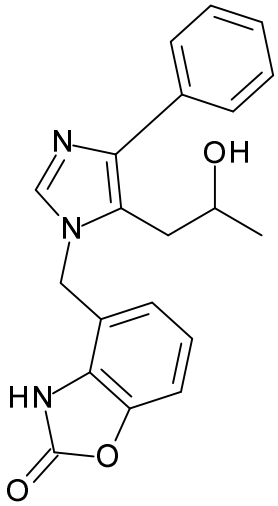
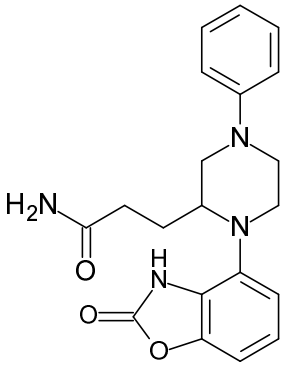
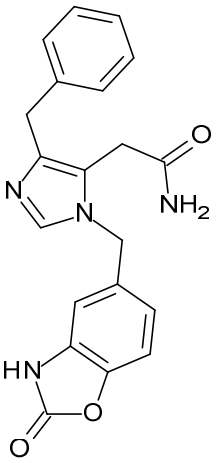
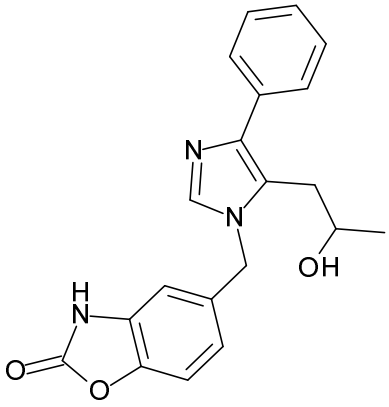
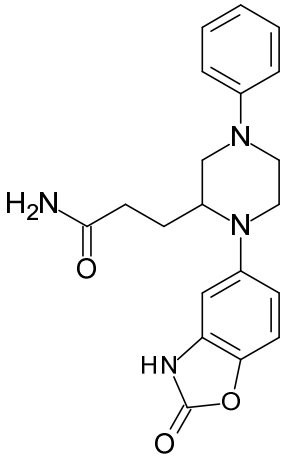




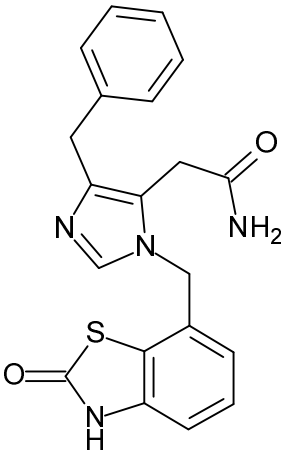
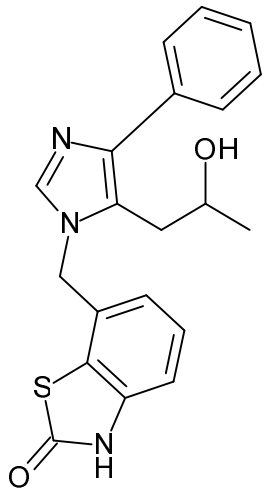
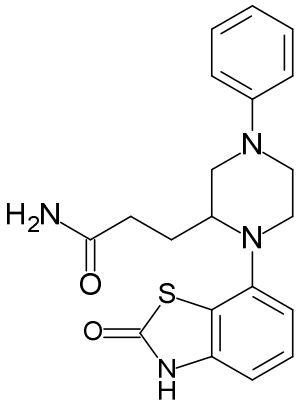
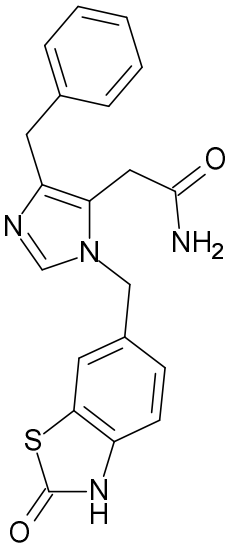
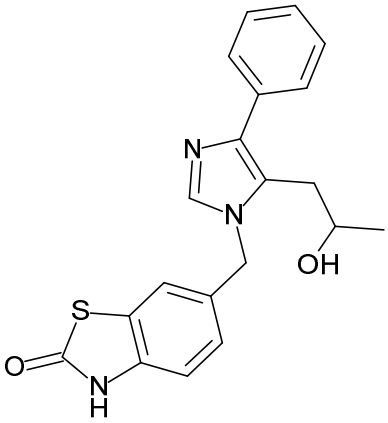
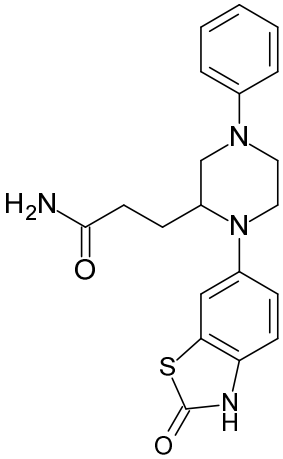
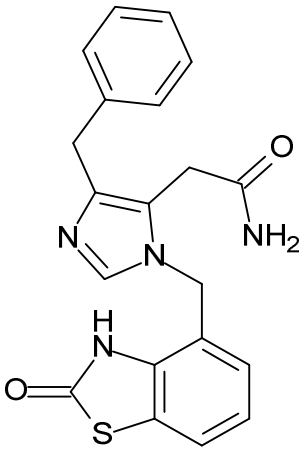
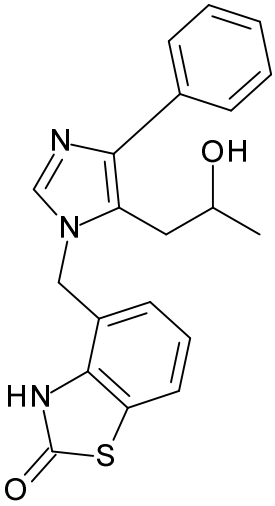
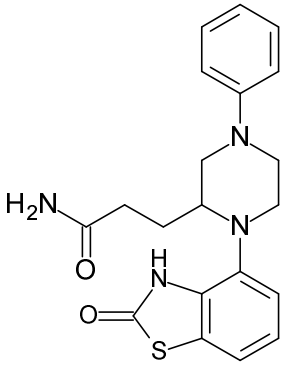




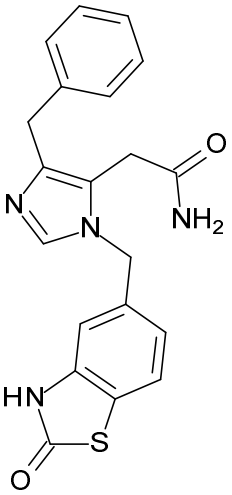
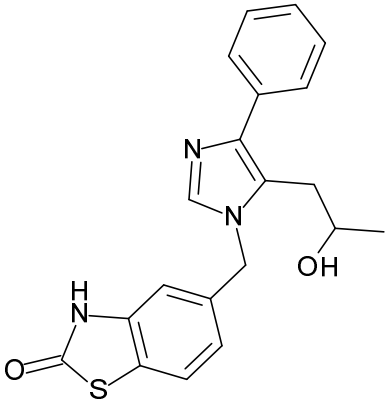
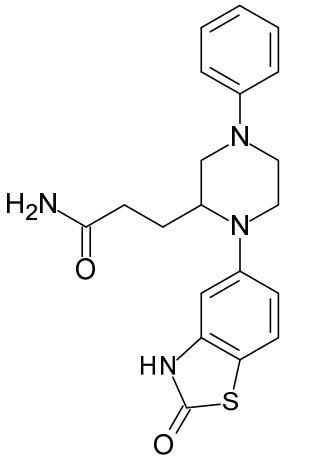




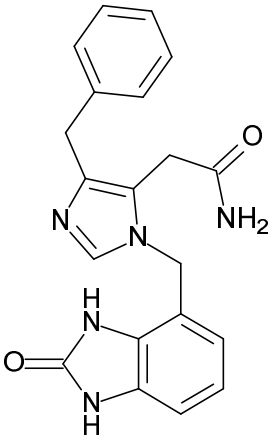
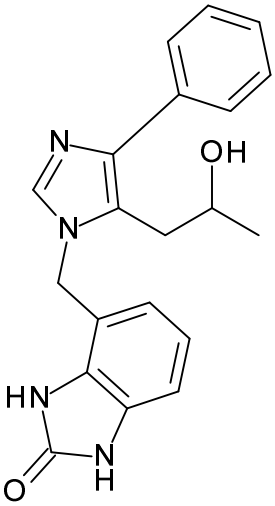
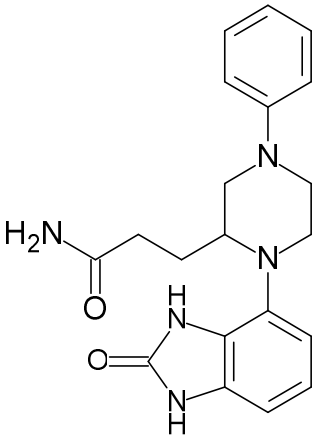

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

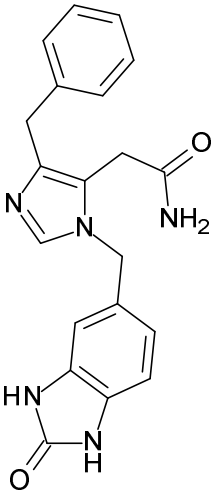
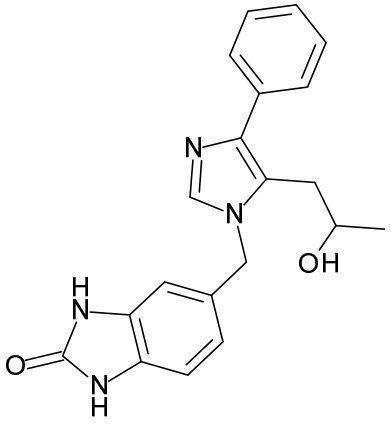
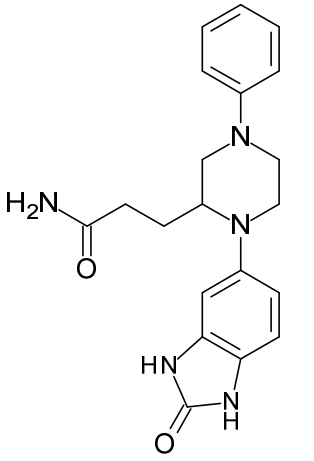

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

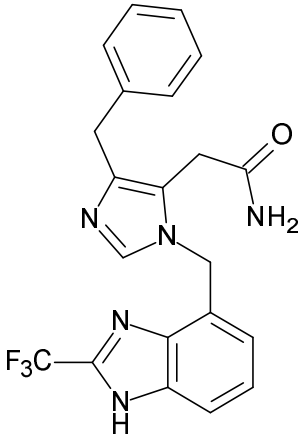
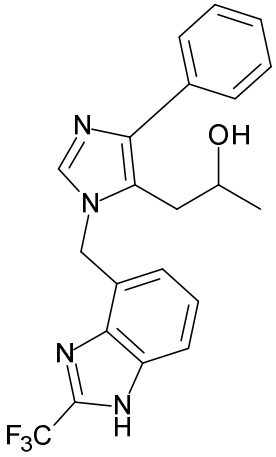
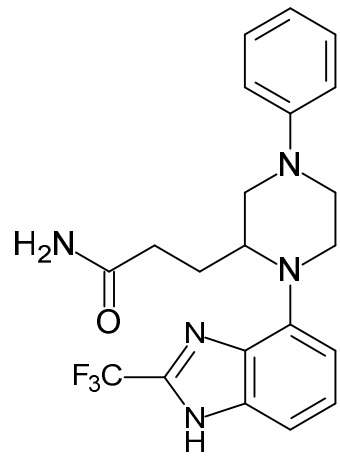
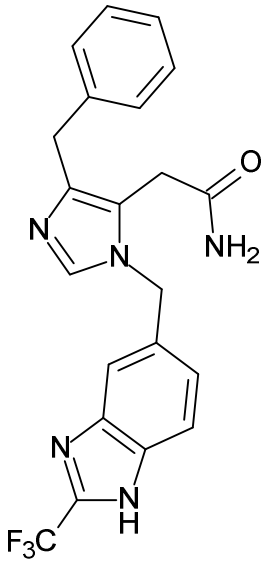
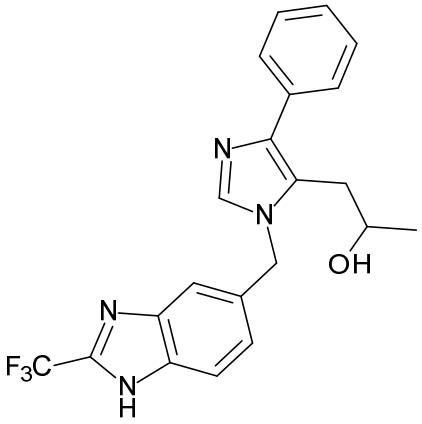
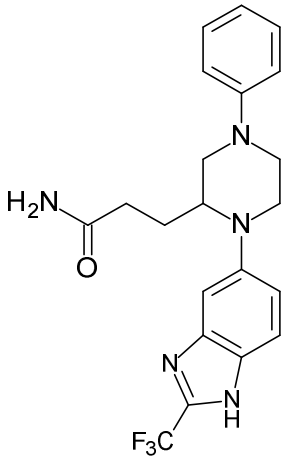
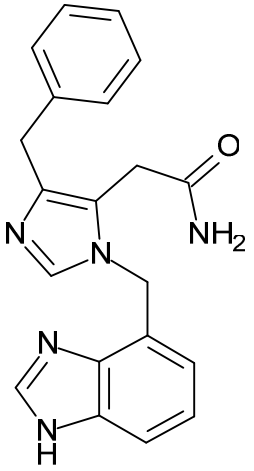
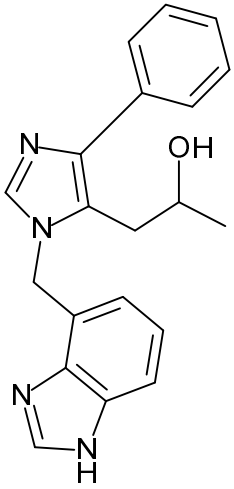
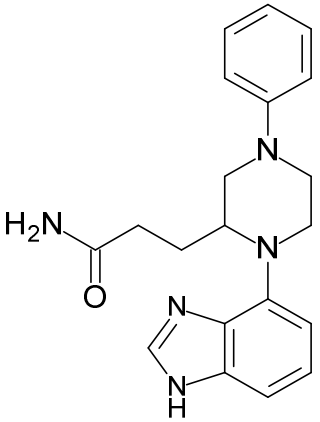

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

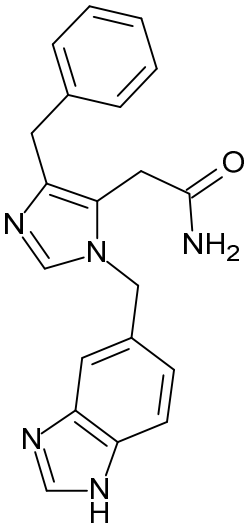
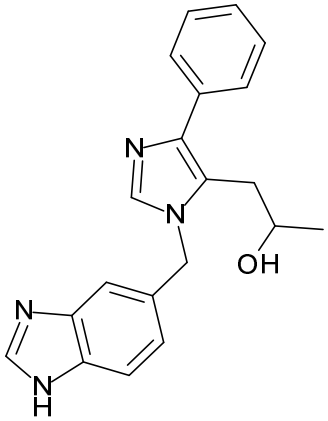
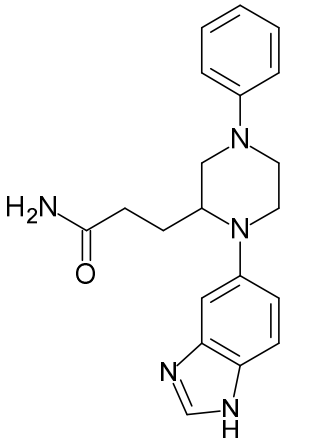
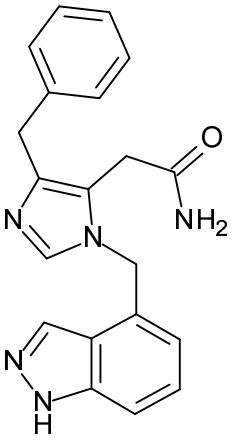
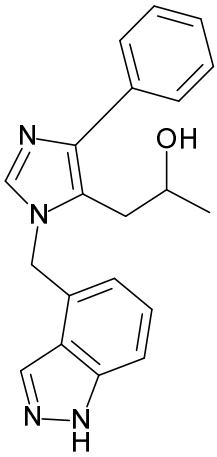
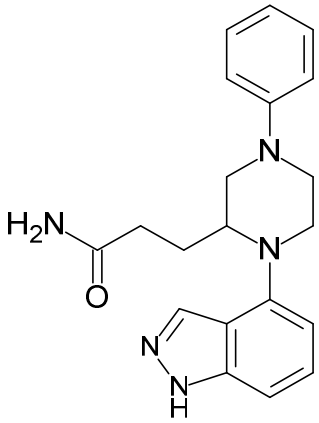
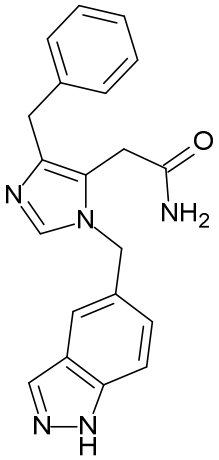
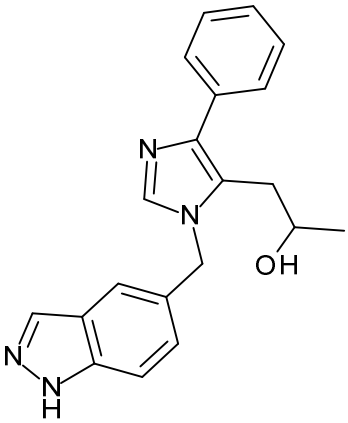
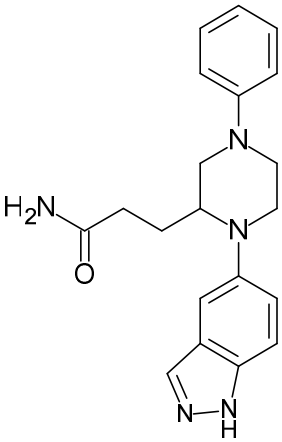

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

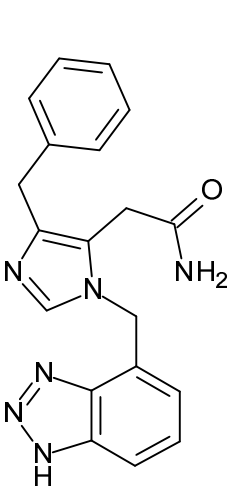
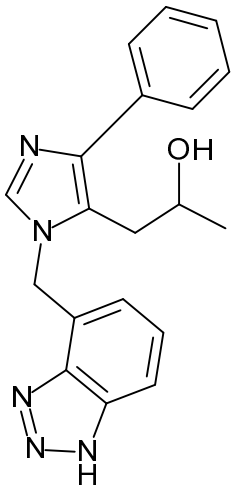
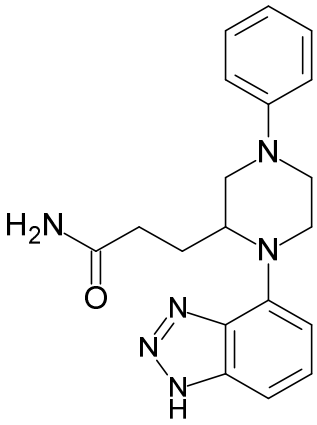
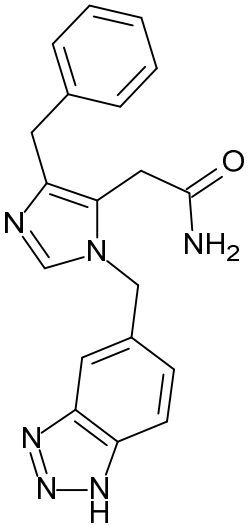
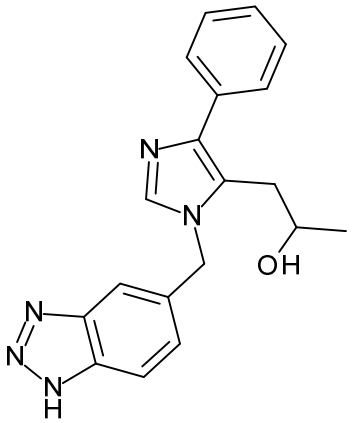
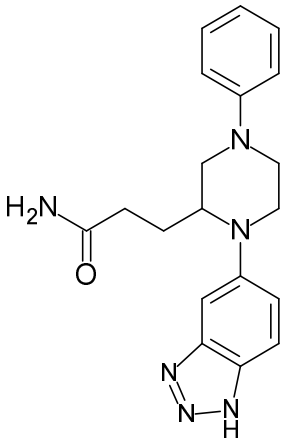
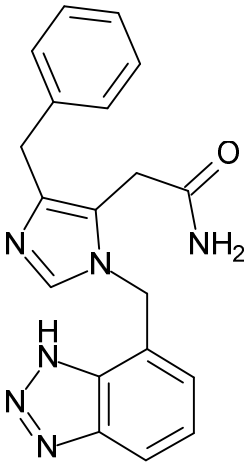
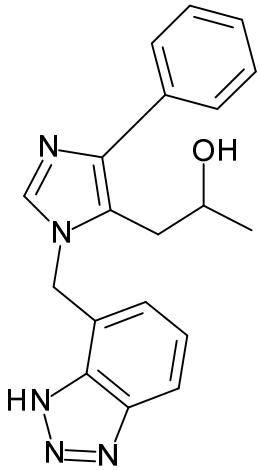
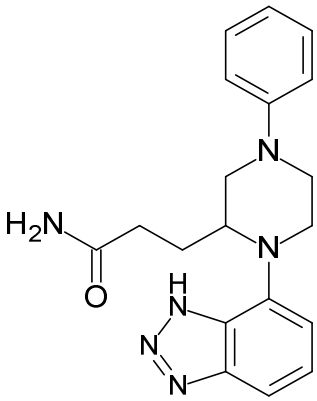

,

,

,

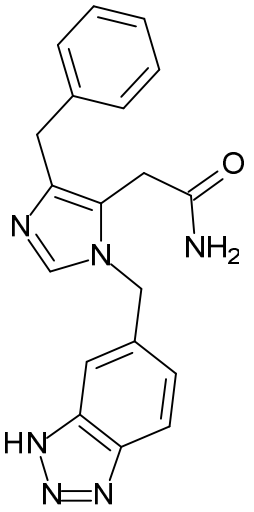
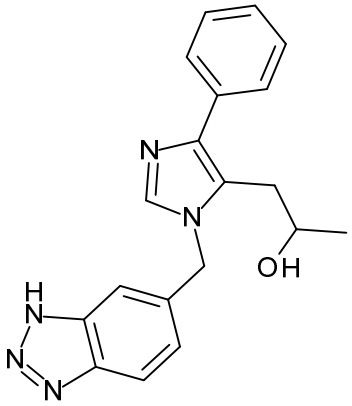
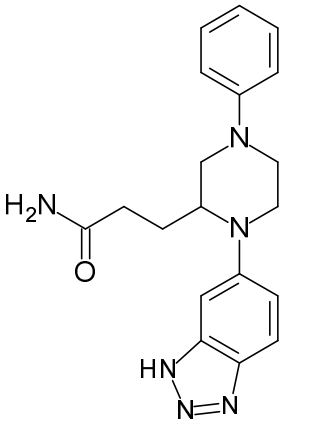
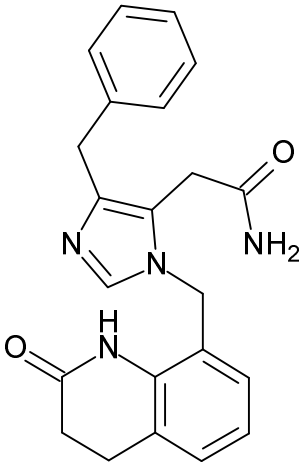
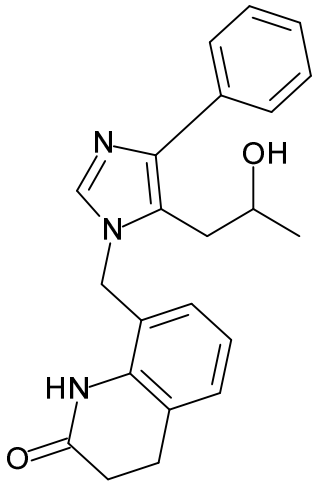
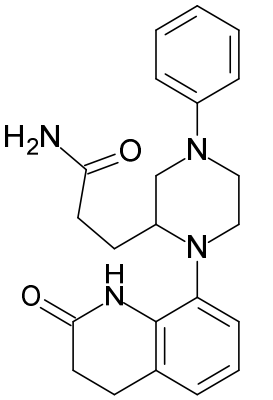
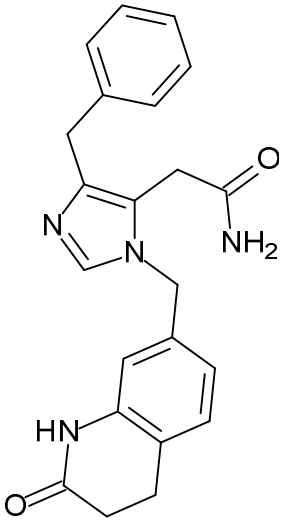
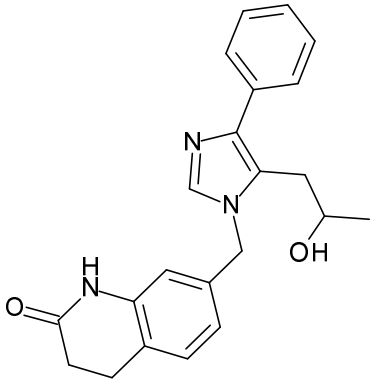
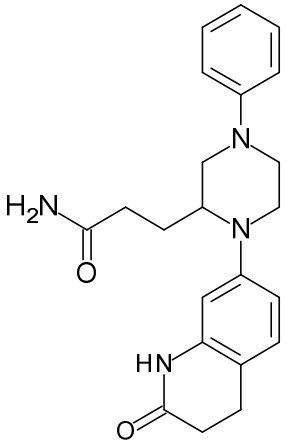

,

,

,

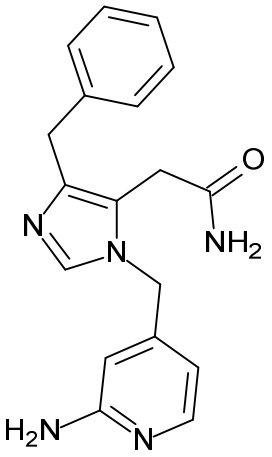
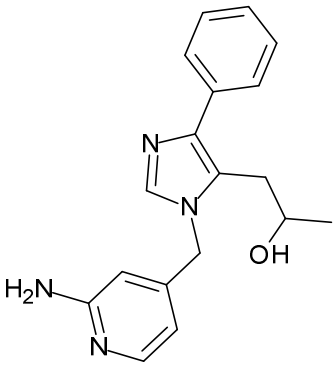
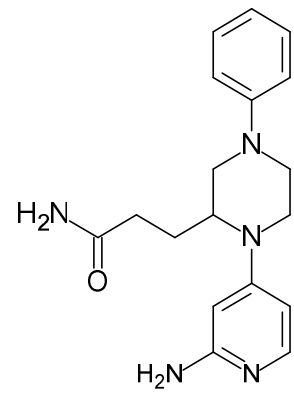

,

,

,

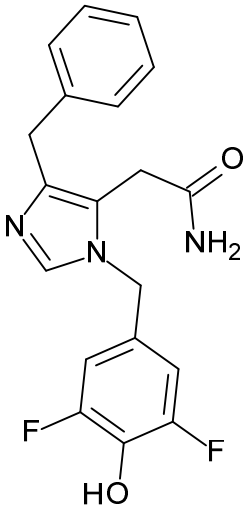
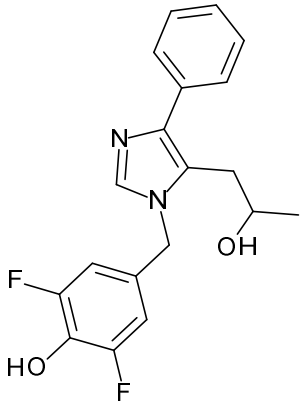
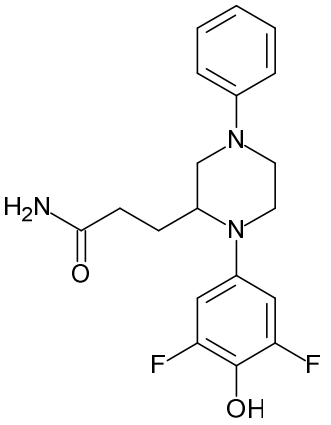

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

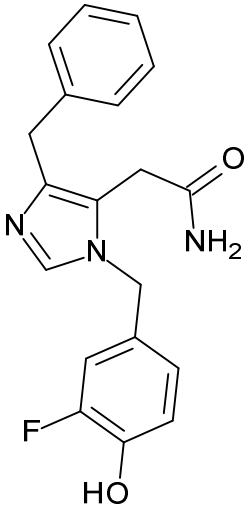
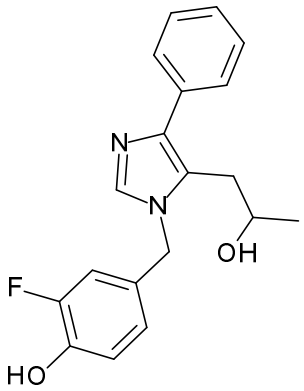
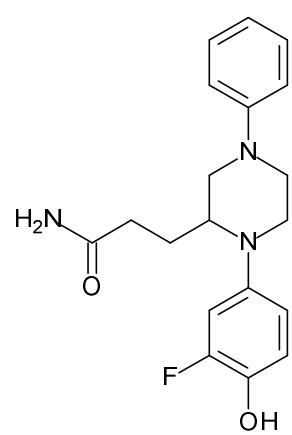

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

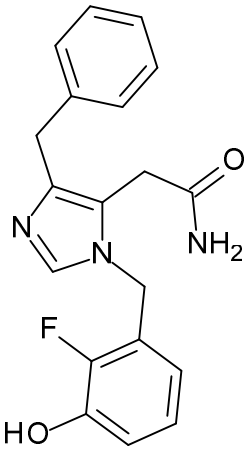
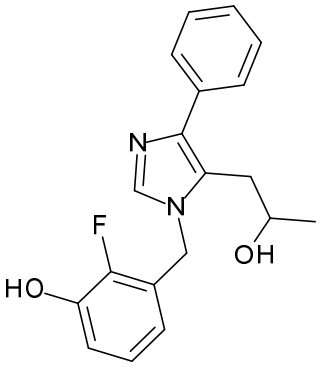
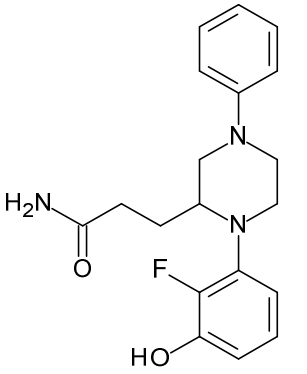
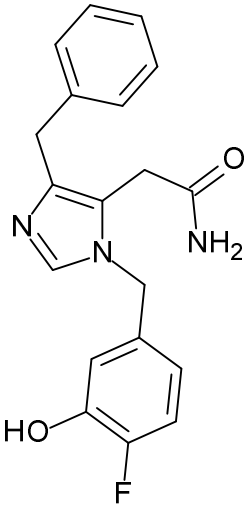
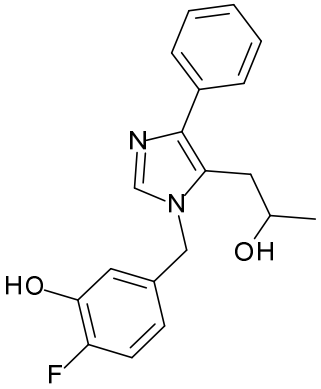
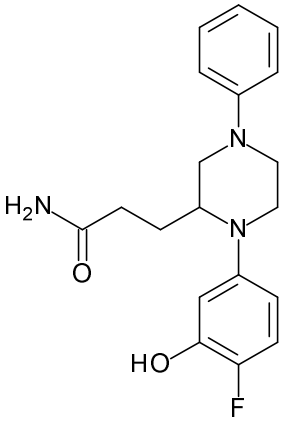
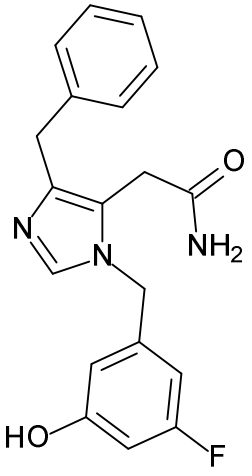
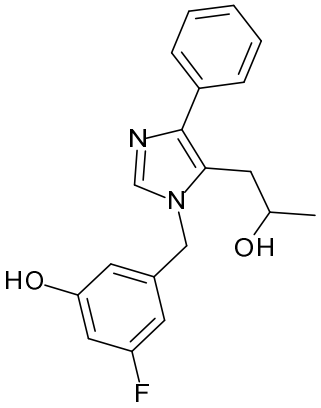
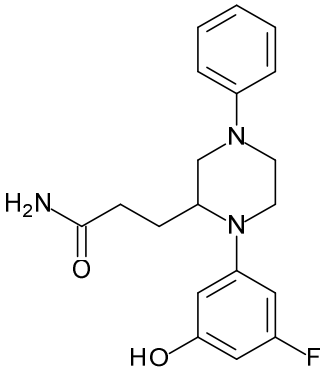

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

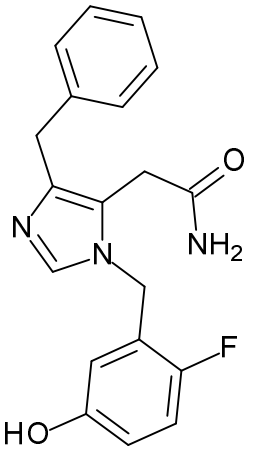
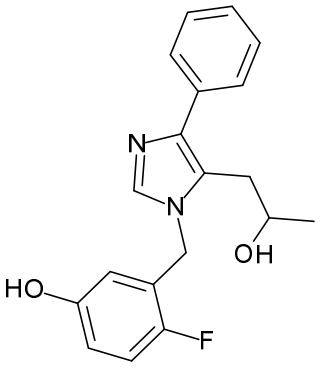
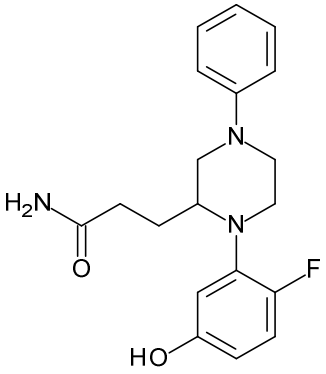
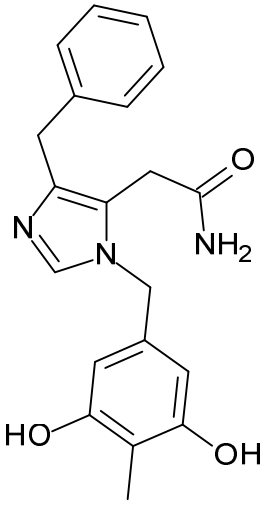
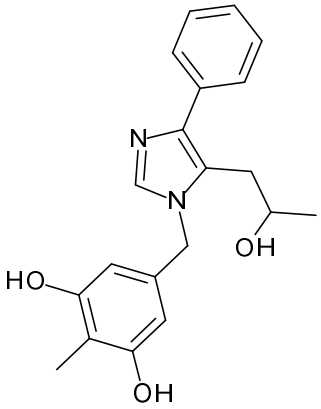
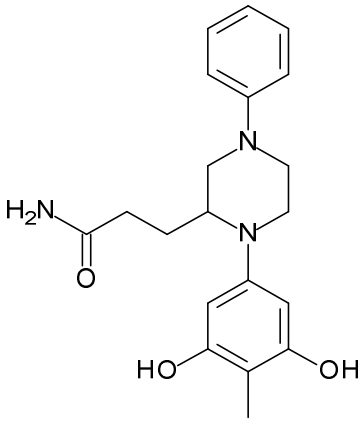
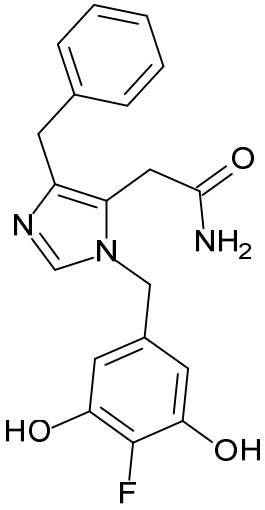
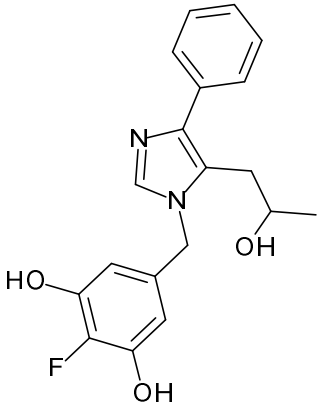
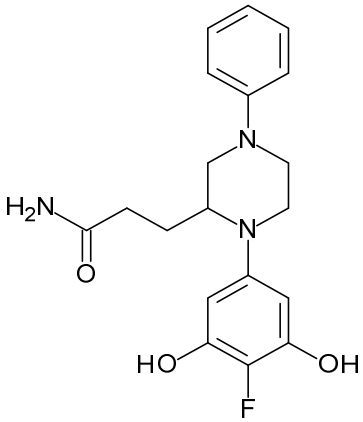

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

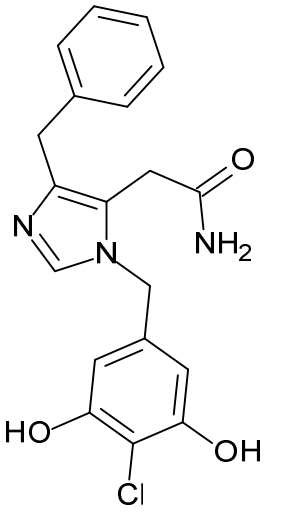
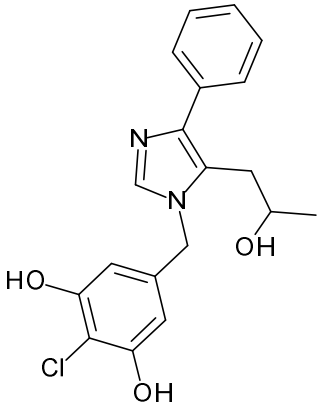
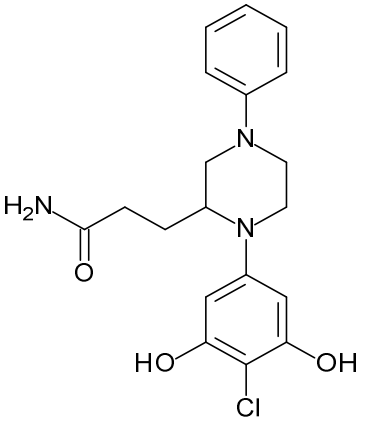
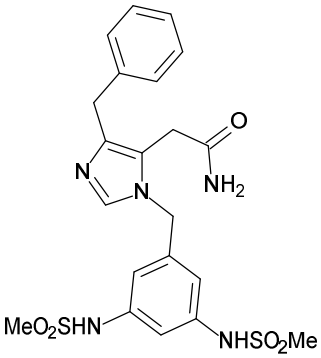
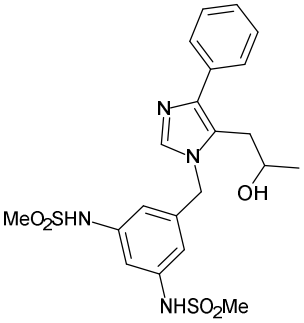
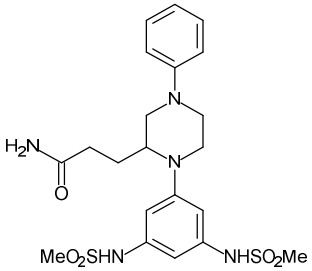
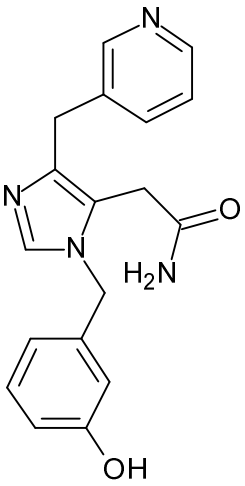
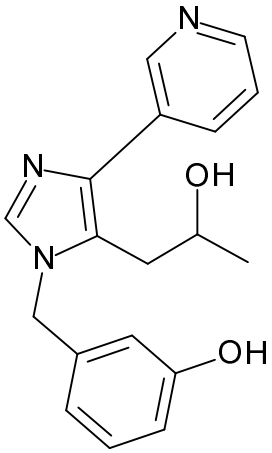
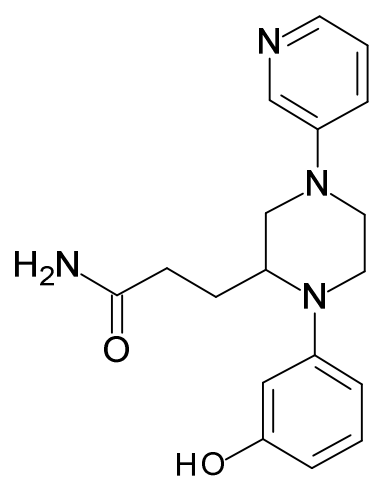

,

,

,

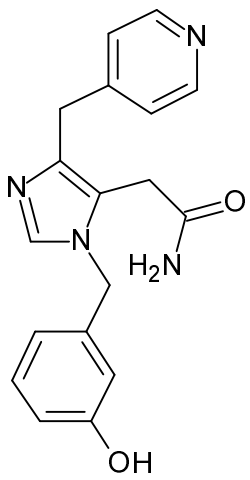
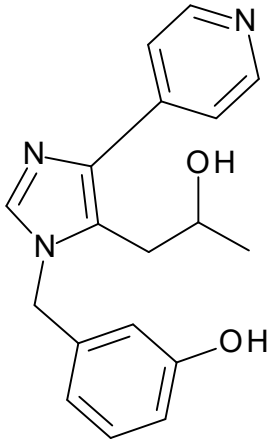
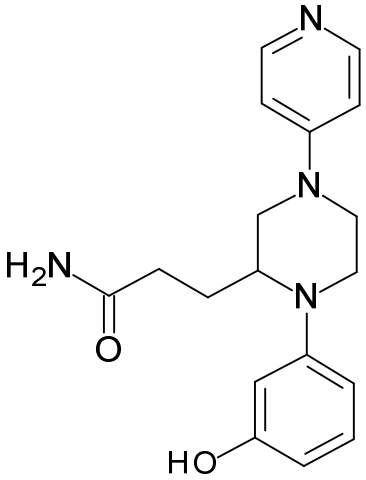
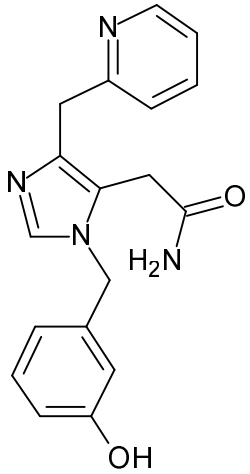
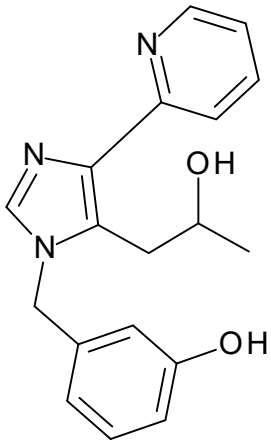
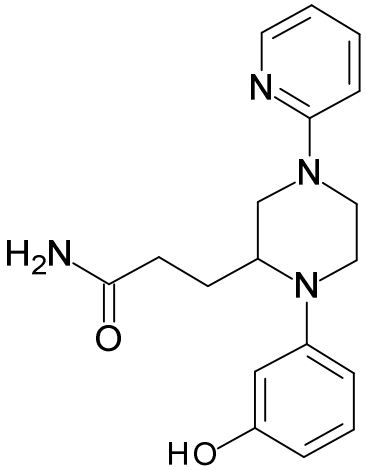
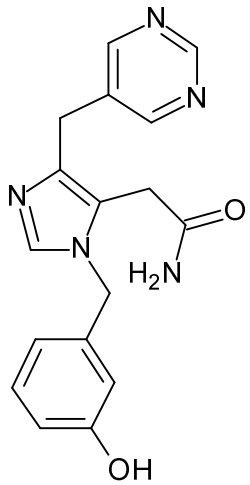
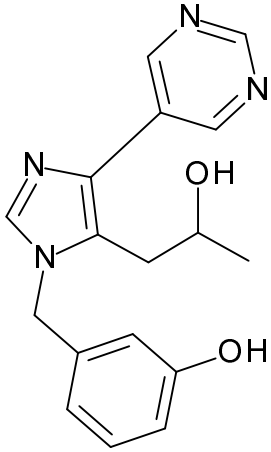
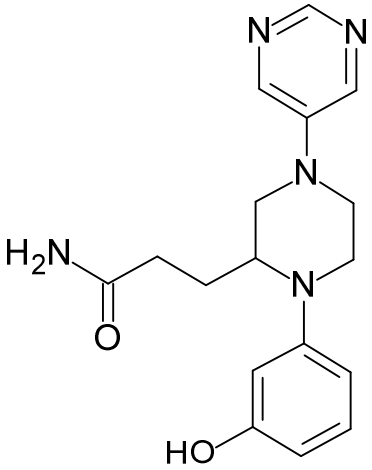

,

,

,

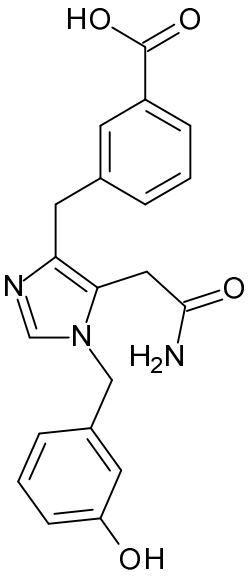
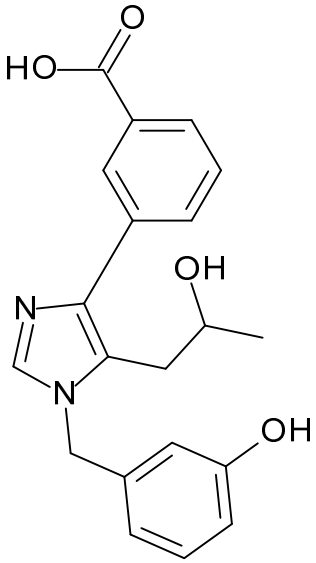
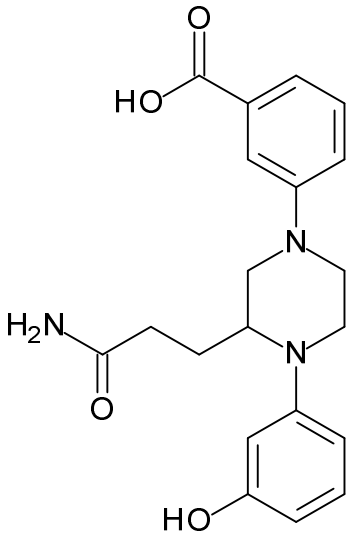
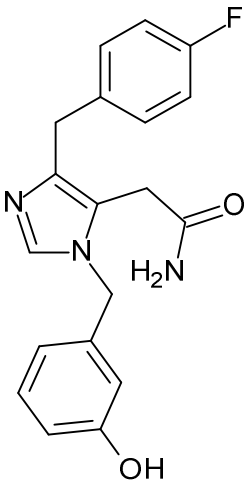
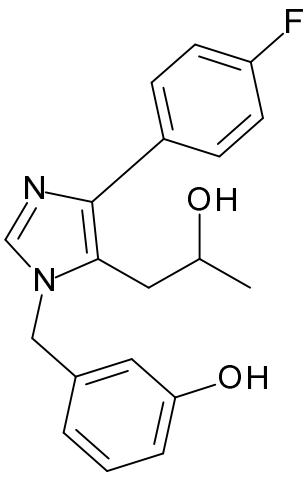
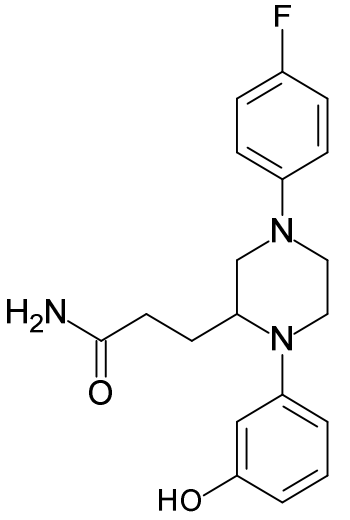
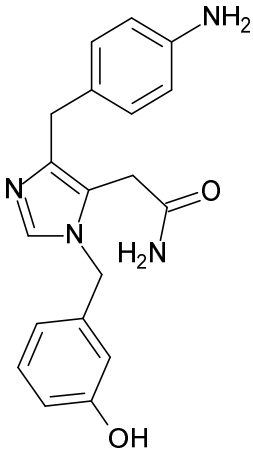
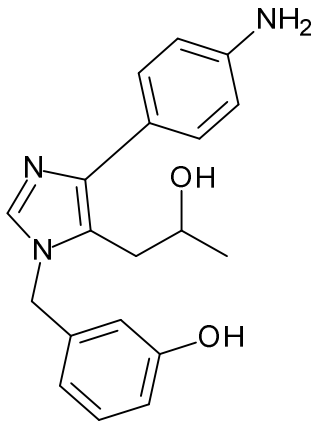
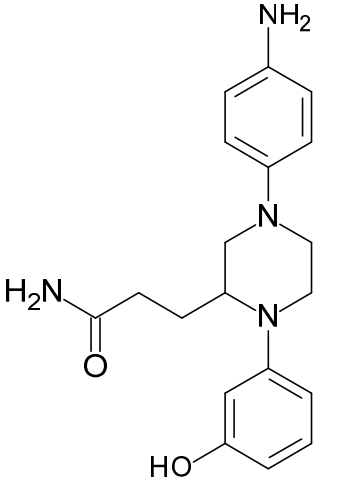

,

,

,

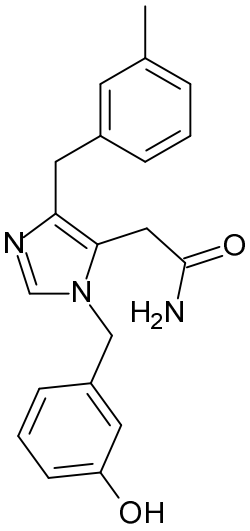
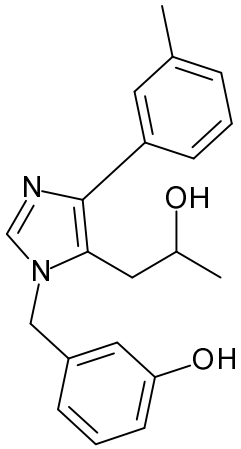
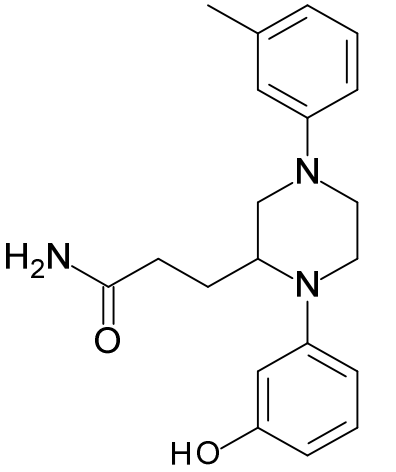
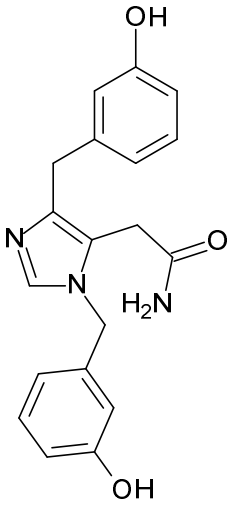
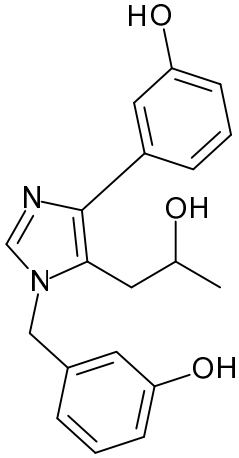
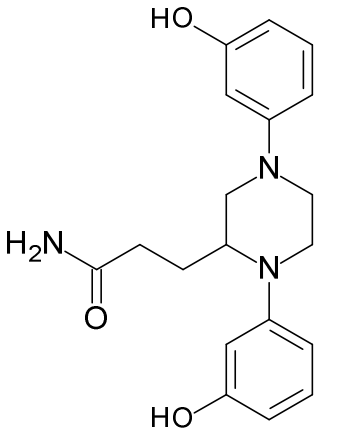
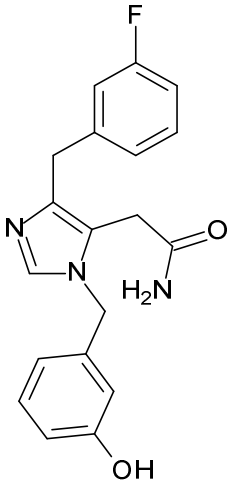
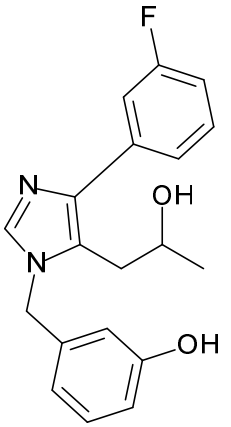
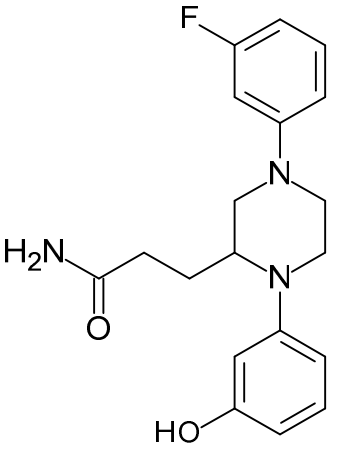

O
NH2
N
N
F
HO
,

N
N
F
HO
OH
,

H2N
O
N
N
F
HO
,

O
NH2
N
N
HO
F
,

N
N
HO
OH
F
,

H2N
O
N
N
HO
F
,

O
NH2
N
N
HO
F
,

N
N
HO
OH
F
,

H2N
O
N
N
HO
F
,

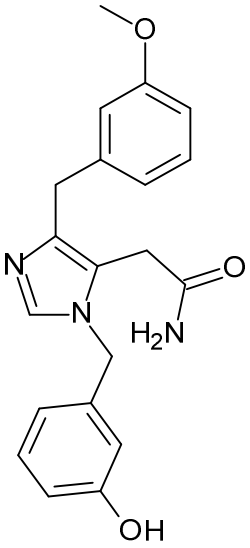
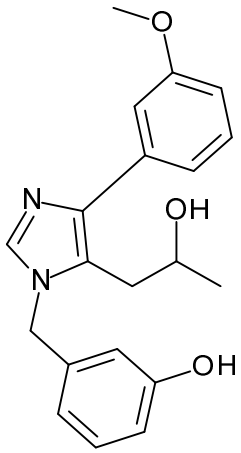
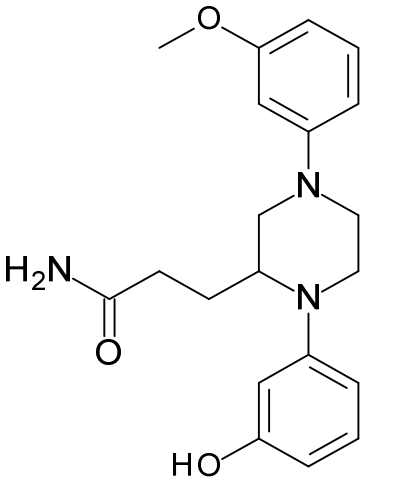
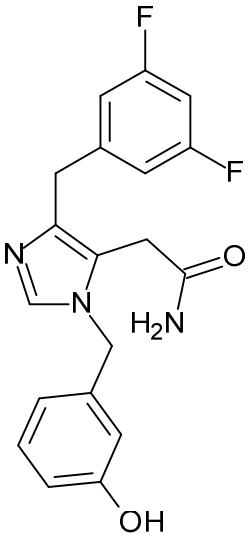
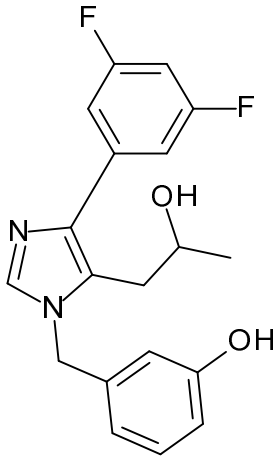
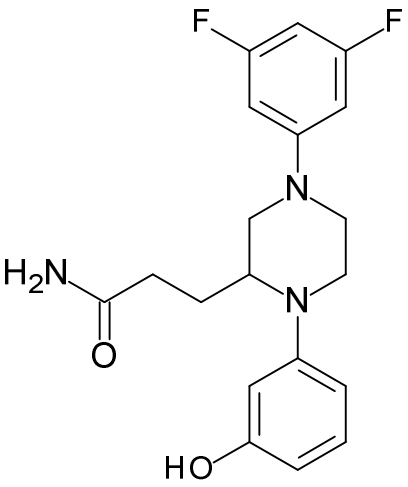
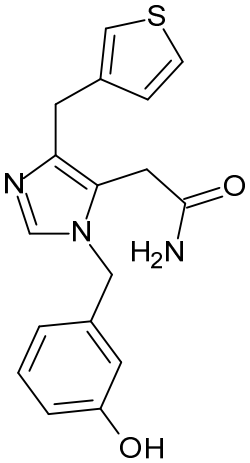
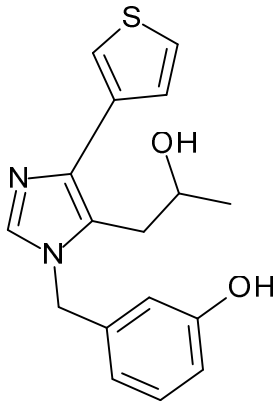
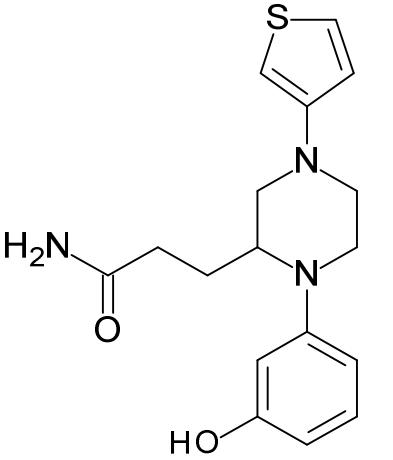










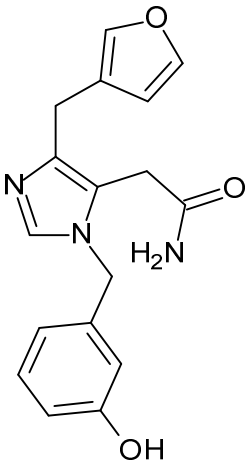
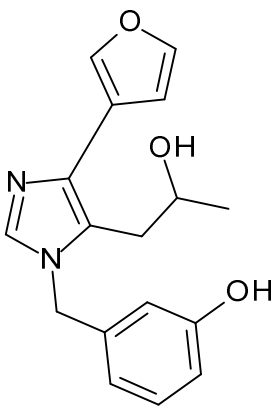
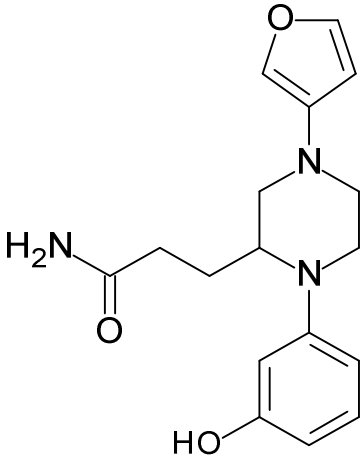
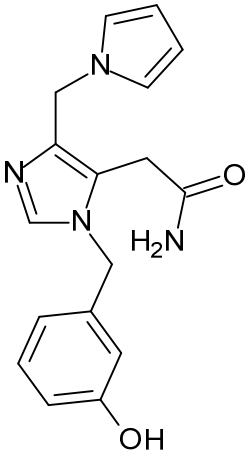
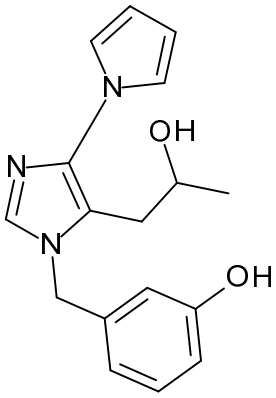
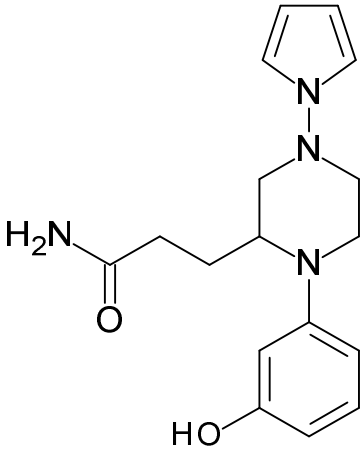
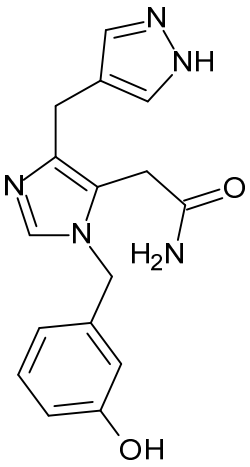
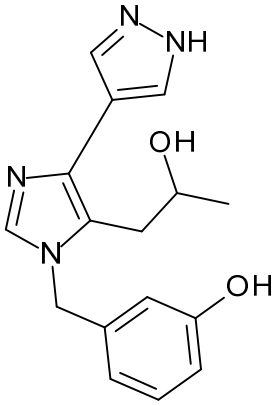
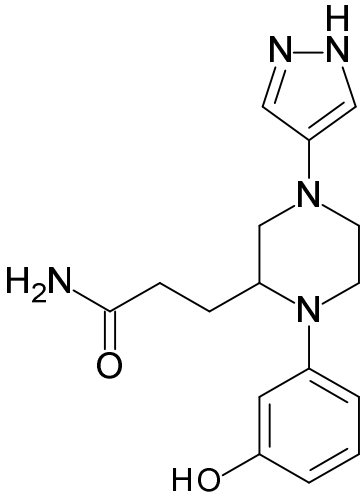

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

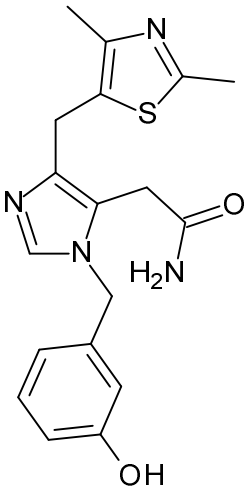
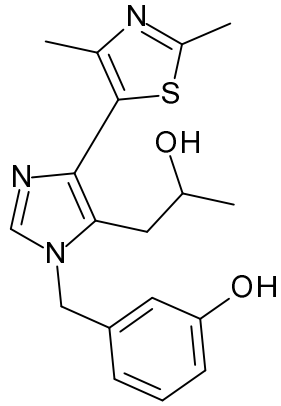
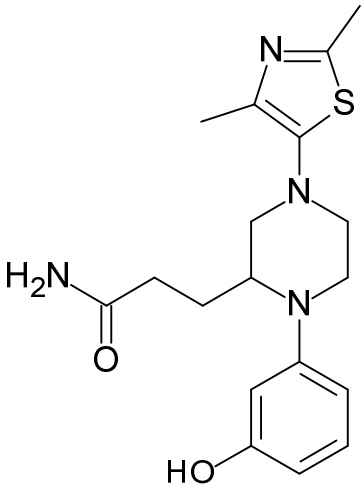

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

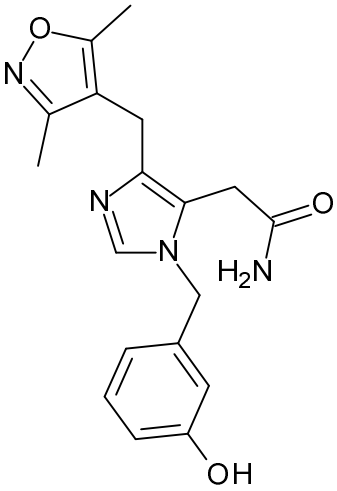
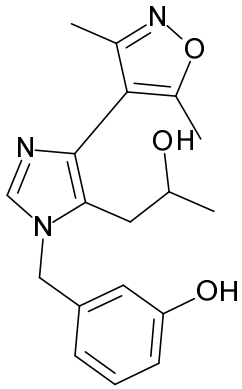
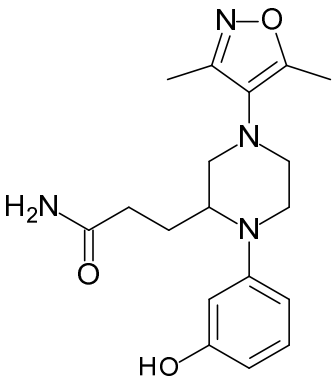

HO
O
N
N
O
H2N
OH
,

HO
O
OH
N
N
OH
,

HO
O
N
H2N
O
N
HO
,

F
N
O
H2N
N
OH
,

F
N
OH
N
OH
,

F
N
H2N
O
N
HO
,

NH2
N
O
H2N
N
OH
,

NH2
N
OH
N
OH
,

NH2
N
H2N
O
N
HO
,

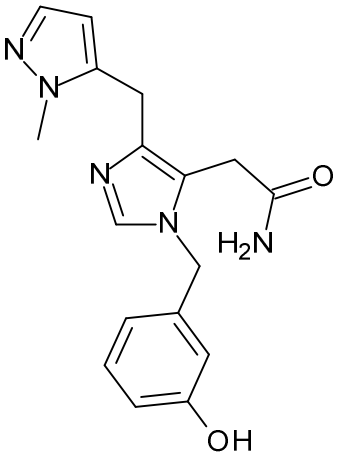
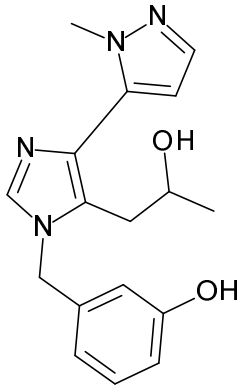
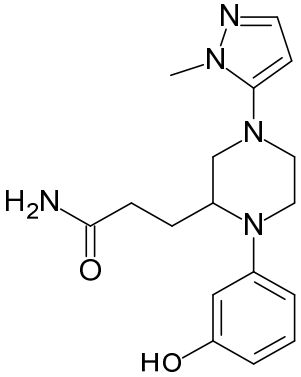










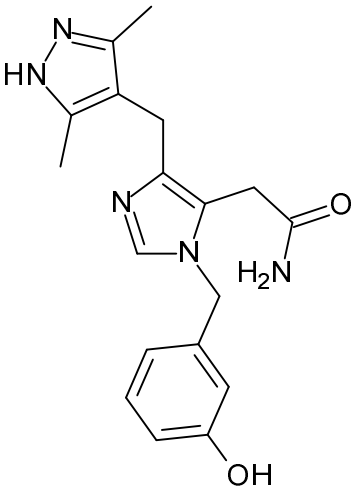
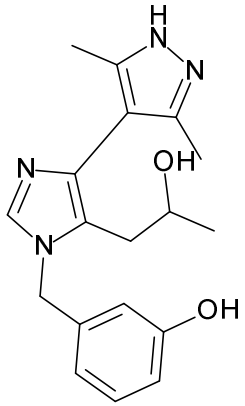
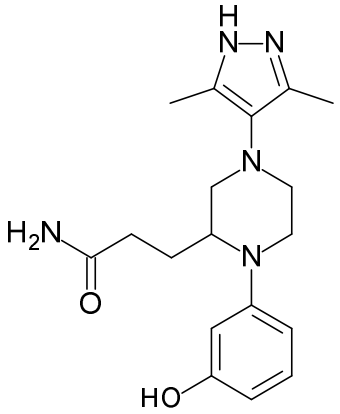










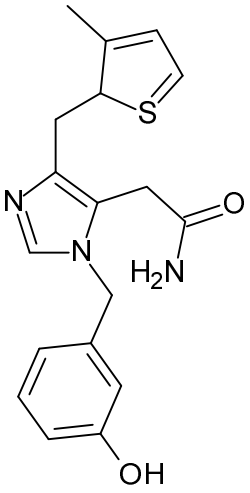
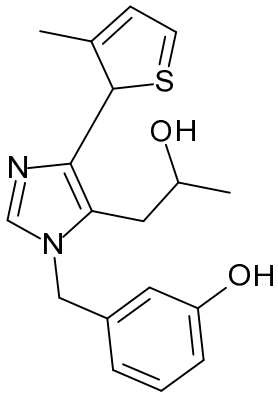
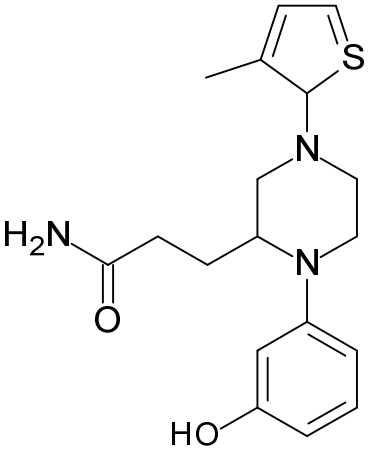

O
N
N
O
H2N
OH
,

O
OH
N
N
OH
,

O
N
H2N
N
O
HO
,

N
N
O
H2N
OH
,

N
OH
N
N
OH
,

N
N
H2N
N
O
HO
,

N
NH
N
N
O
H2N
OH
,

N
NH
OH
N
N
OH
,

H
N
N
N
H2N
N
O
HO
,

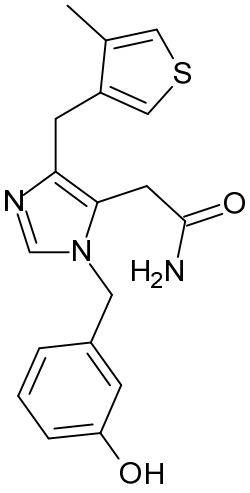
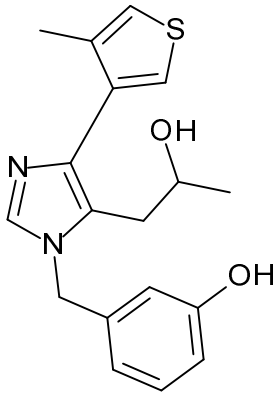
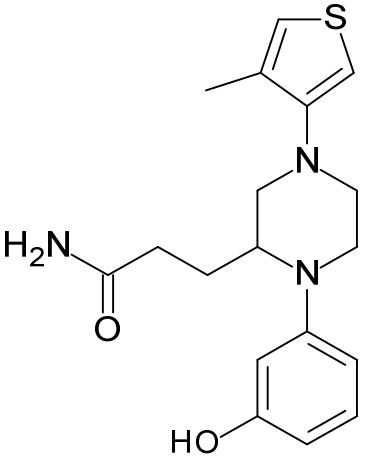




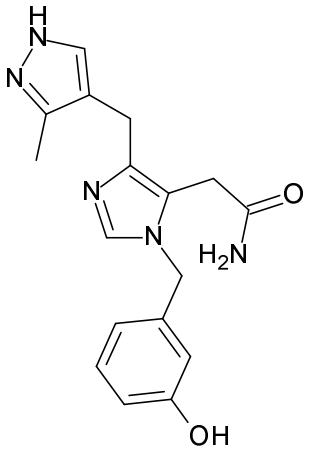
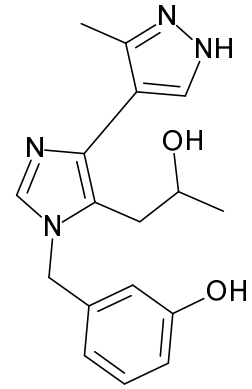
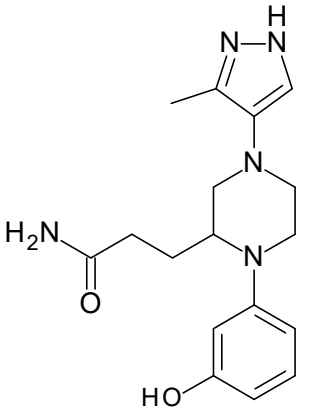
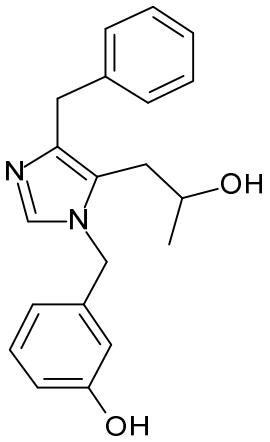
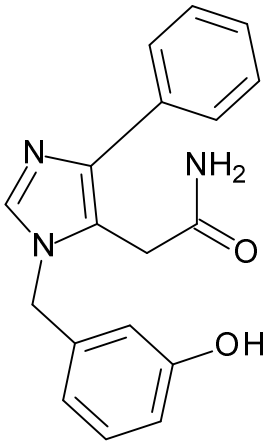
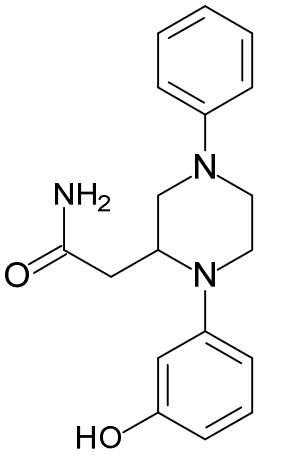
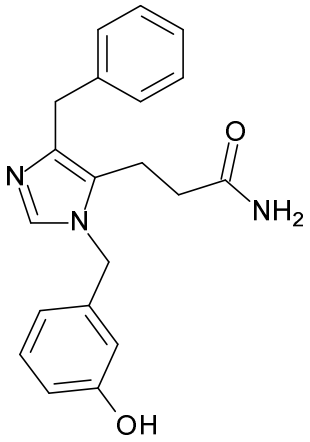
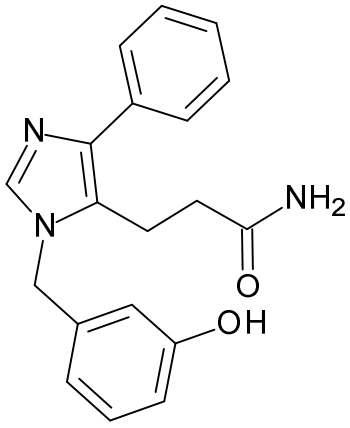
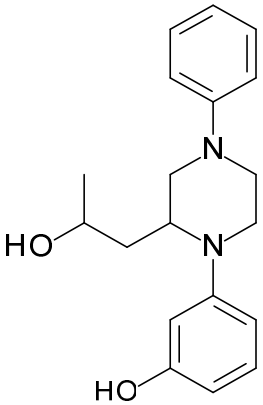




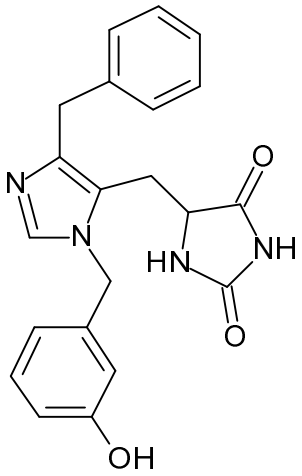
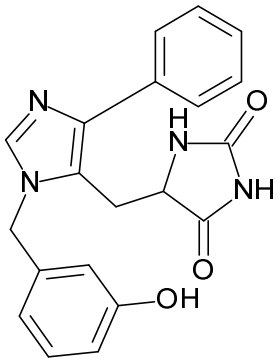
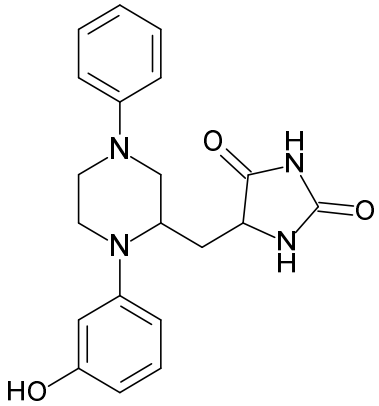
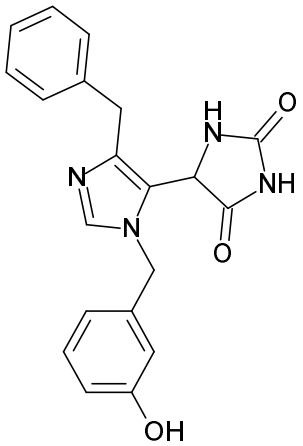
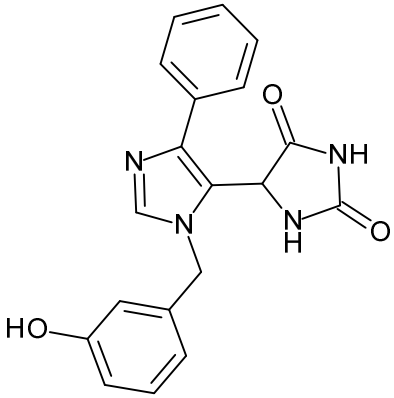
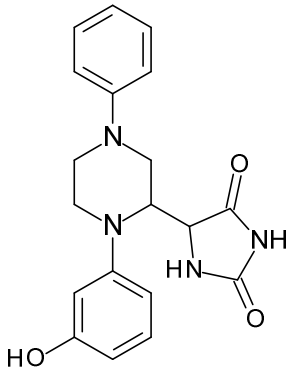
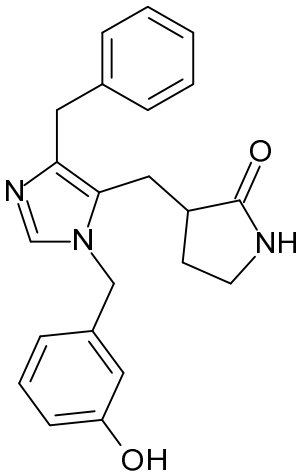
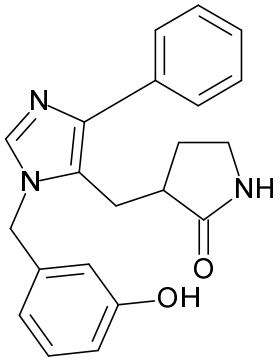
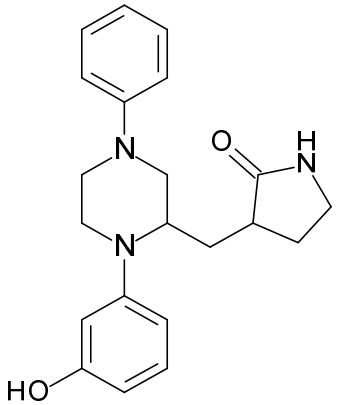




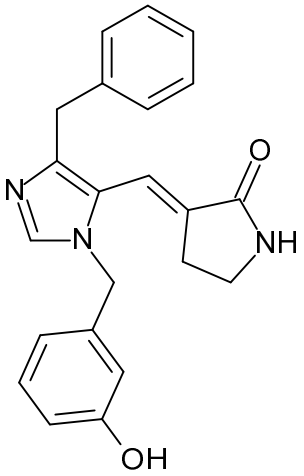
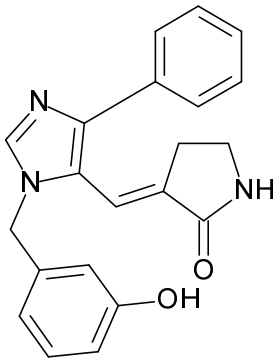
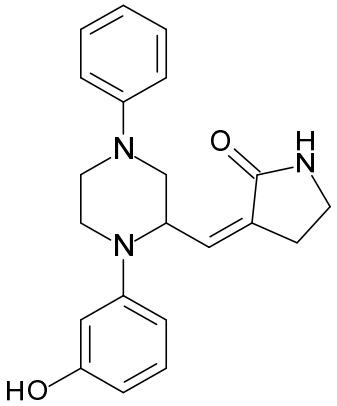
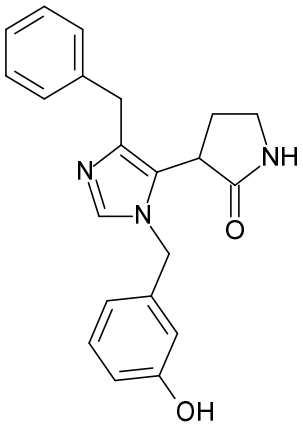
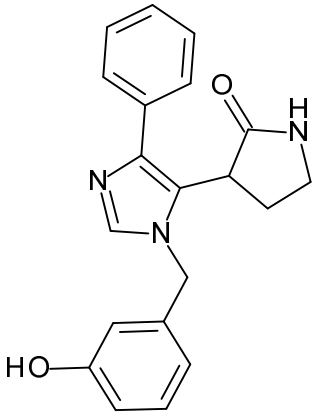
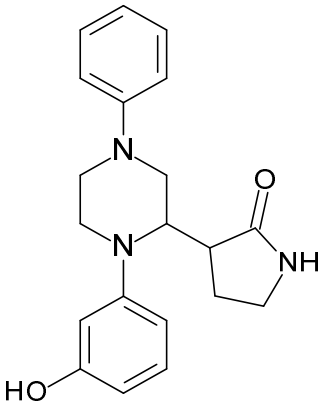
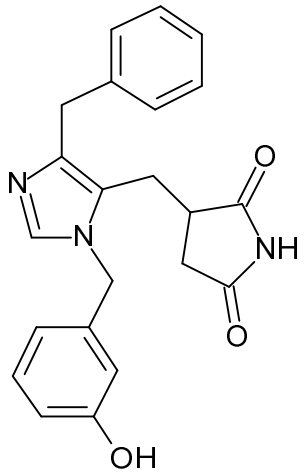
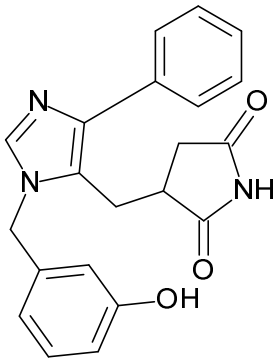
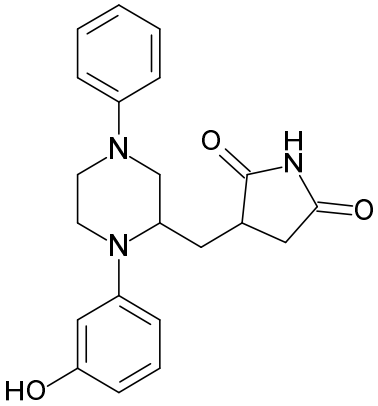

,

,

,

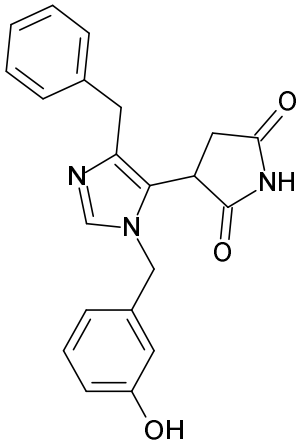
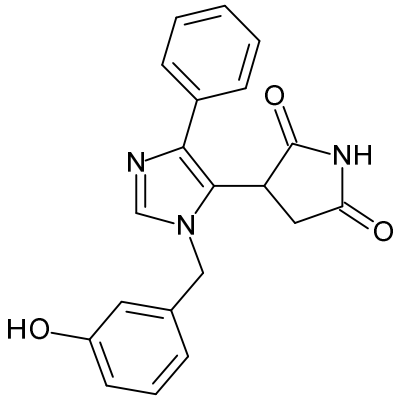
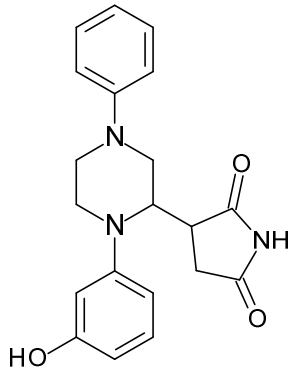
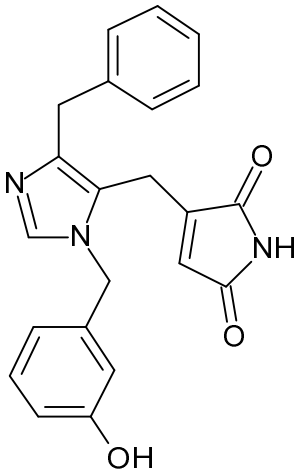
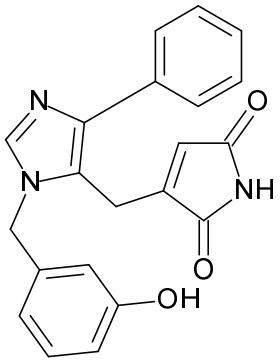
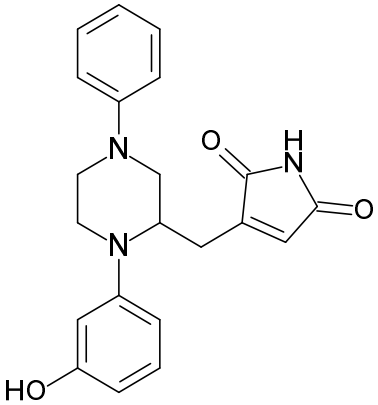
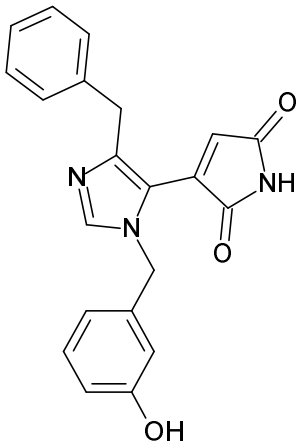
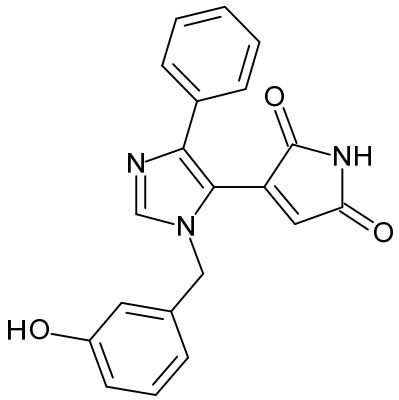
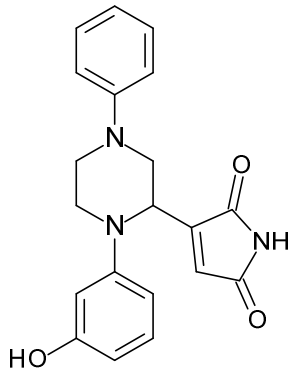

,

,

,

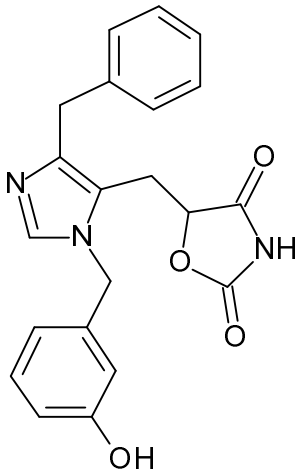
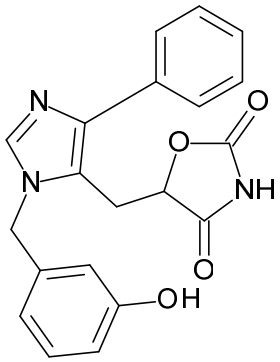
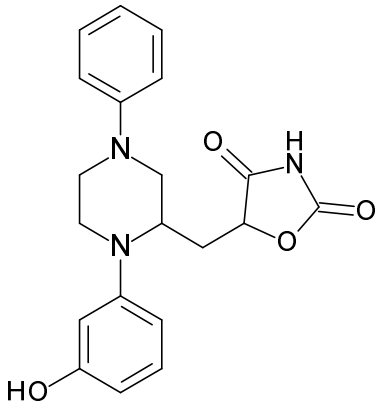
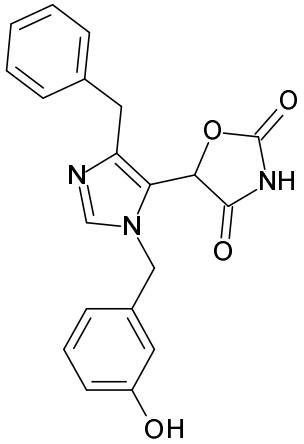
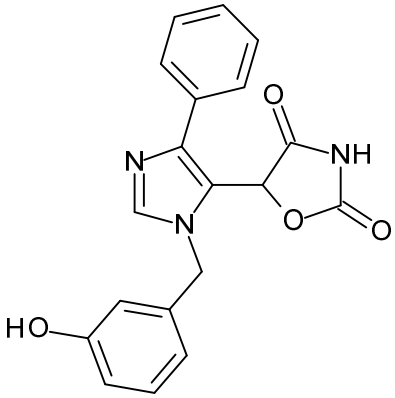
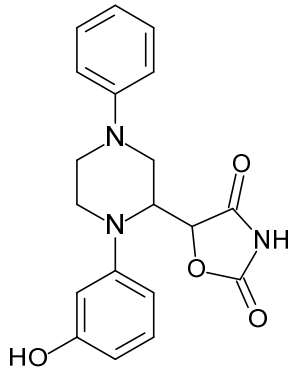
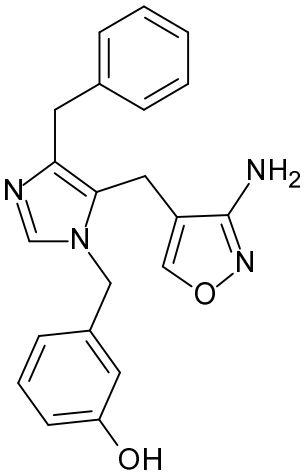
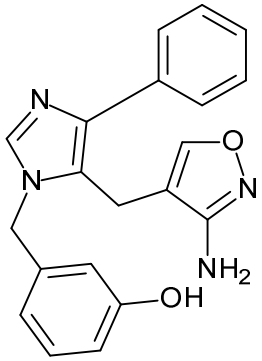
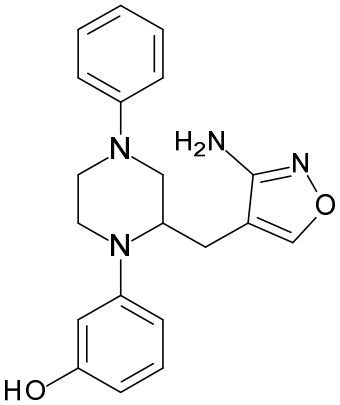

,

,

,

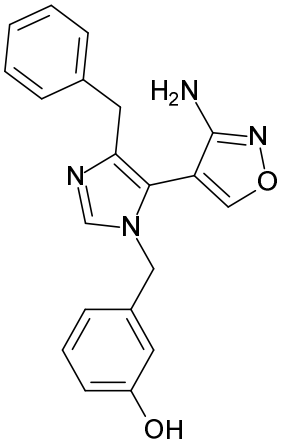
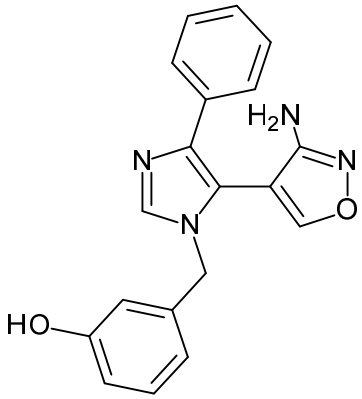
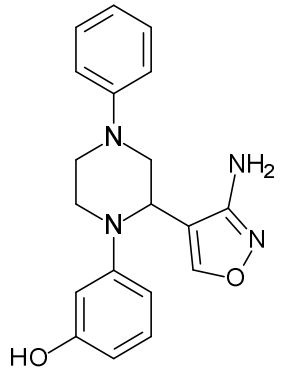
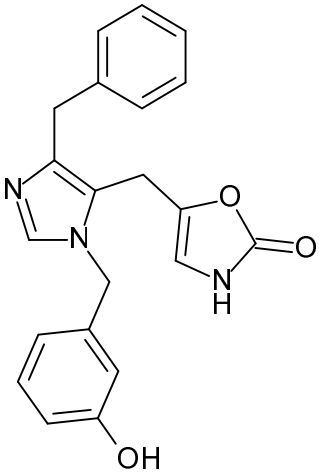
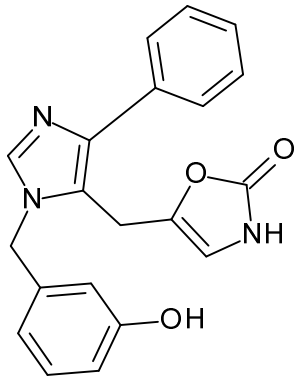
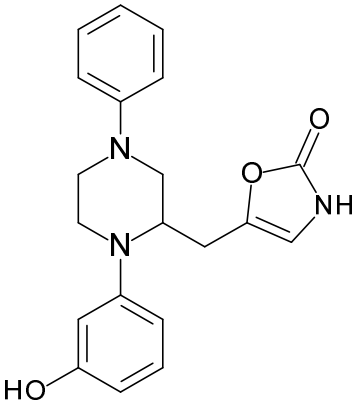
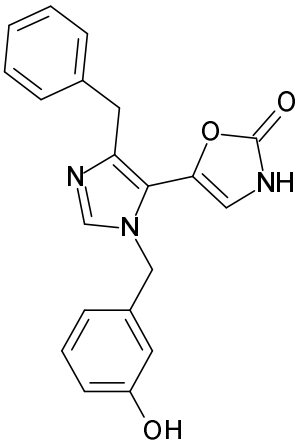
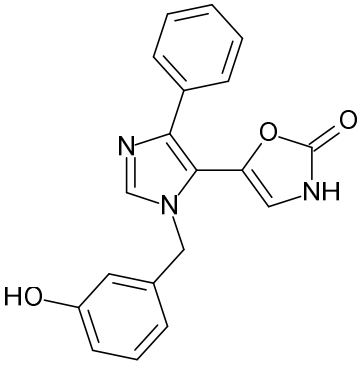
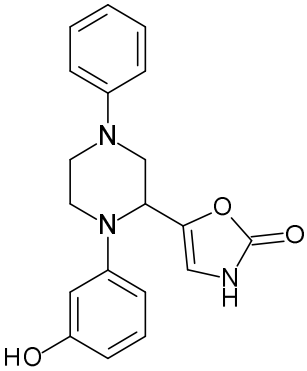

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

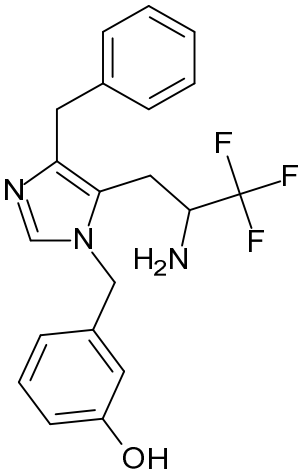
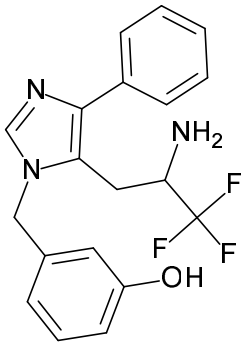
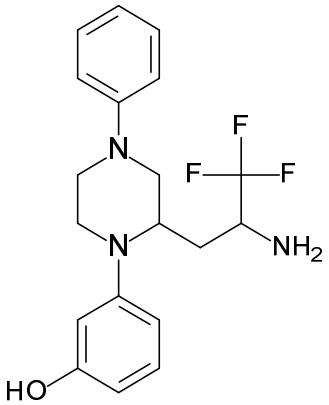
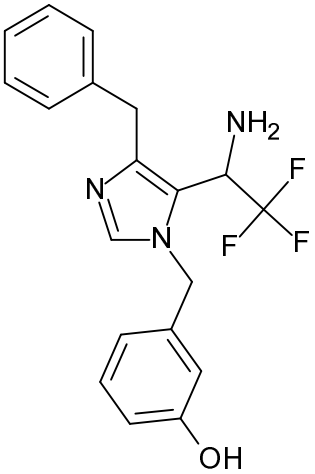
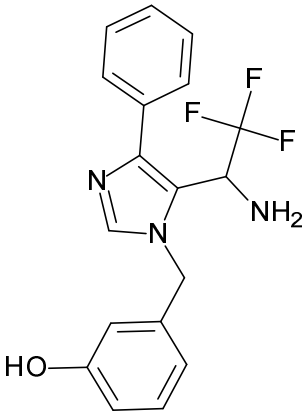
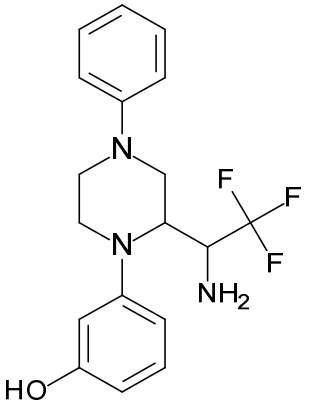
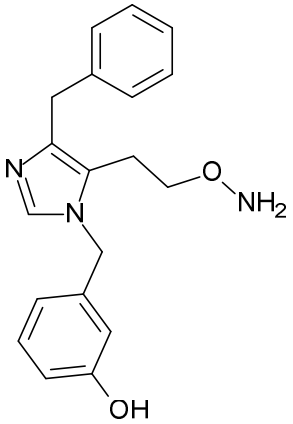
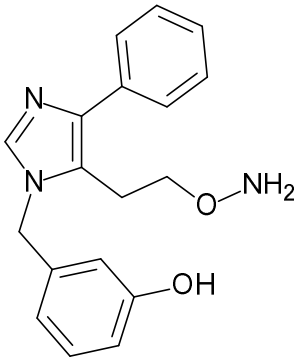
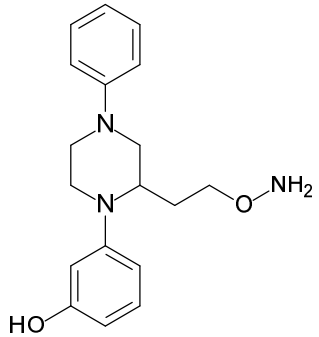

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

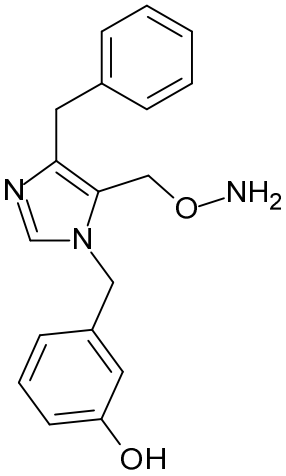
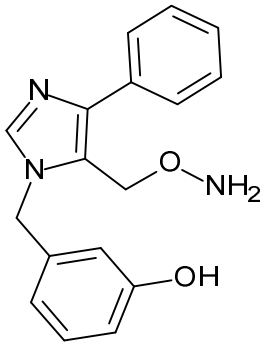
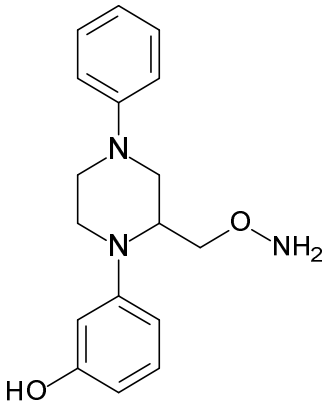
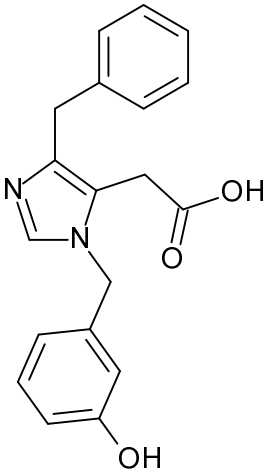
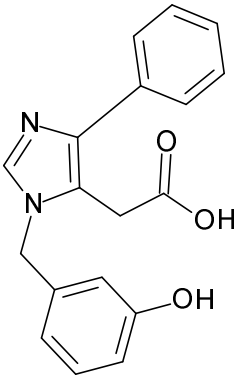
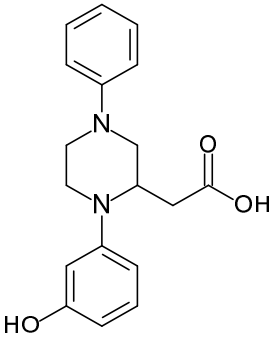
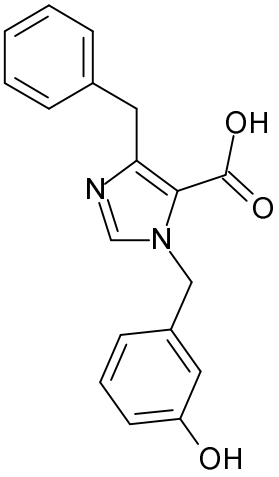
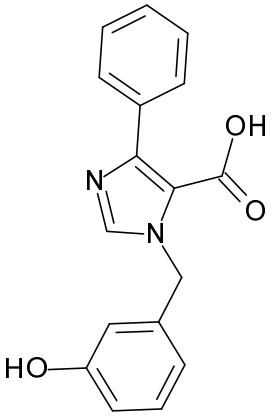
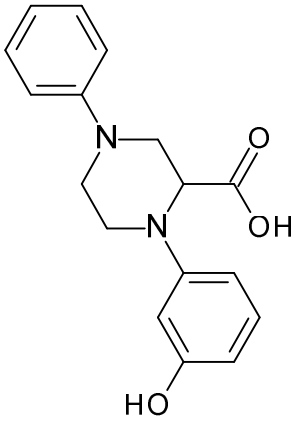

N
N
O
NH
OH
,

N
N
NH
O
OH
,

N
N
O
H
N
HO
,

N
N
NH
O
OH
,

O
H
N
N
N
HO
,

N
N
O
NH
HO
,

N
N
O
NH
O
OH
,

N
N
O
NH
O
OH
,

N
N
O
H
N
O
HO
,

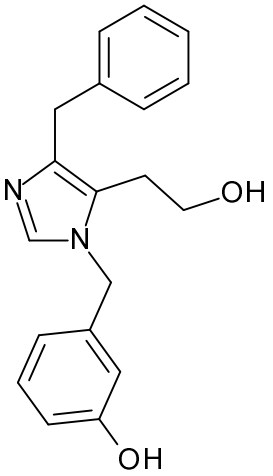
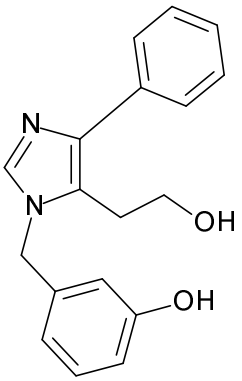
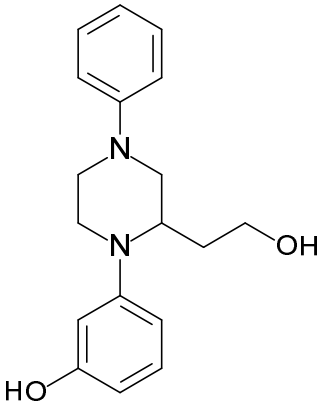
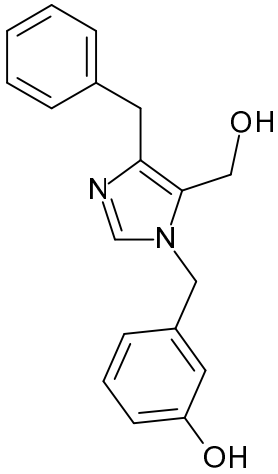
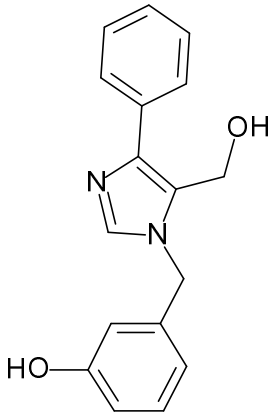
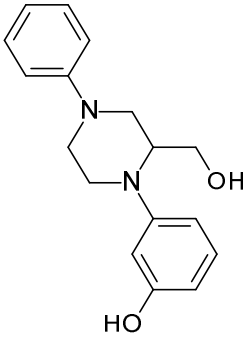
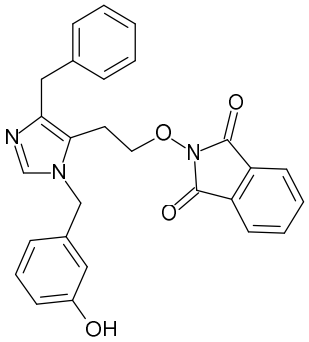
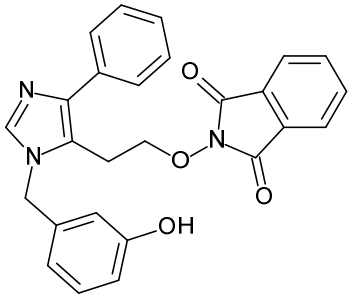
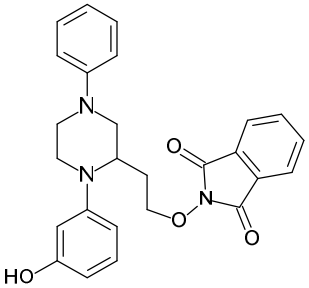

O
NH
O
N
N
OH
,

O
NH
O
N
N
HO
,

N
O
N
NH
O
HO
,

O
N
N
NH
O
OH
,

N
O
N
NH
O
OH
,

N
O
H
N
O
N
HO
,

O
NH
O
N
N
OH
,

O
NH
O
N
N
HO
,

N
O
N
NH
O
HO
,

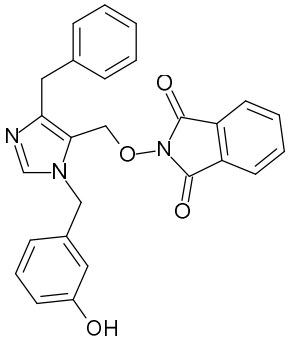
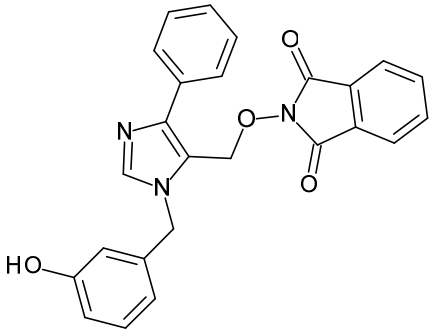
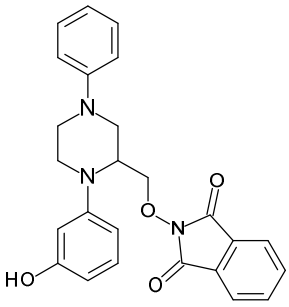

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,


,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

,

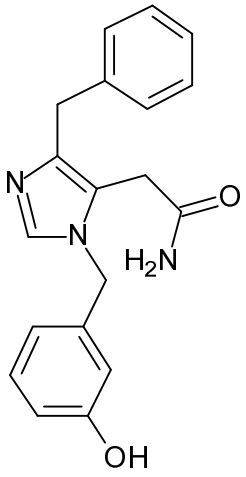
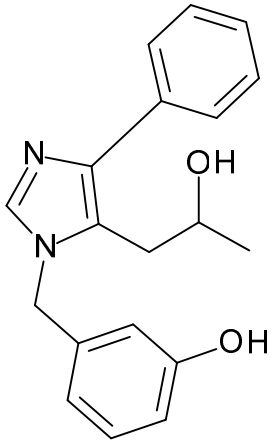
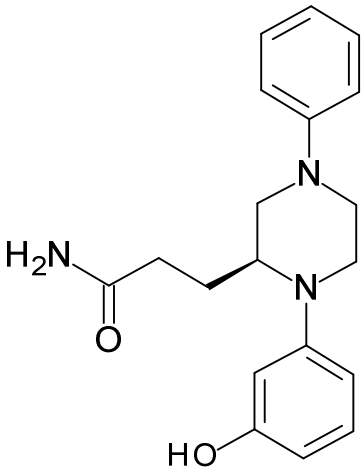

N
N
O
NH2
OH
,

N
N
O
NH2
OH
,

N
N
O
NH2
HO
,

N
N
OH
O
OH
,

N
N
O
OH
OH
,

N
N
O
OH
HO
,

N
N
OH
O
OH
,

N
N
OH
O
HO
,

N
N
O
OH
HO
,


N
N
OH
OH
,

N
N
OH
OH
,

N
N
OH
HO
,

OH
N
N
OH
,

OH
N
N
HO
,

N
N
OH
HO
,

N
N
O
N
O
O
OH
,

N
N
O
N
O
O
OH
,

N
N
O
N
O
O
HO
,



and

,

or a stereoisomer or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

2. A compound selected from:



and

,

or a stereoisomer or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

3. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound, or a stereoisomer or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, according to claim 1 or claim 2, and a pharmaceutically-acceptable excipient.

4. Use of a compound, or a stereoisomer or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, according to claim 1 or claim 2, for the manufacture of a medicament for the therapeutic treatment of hypertension or prehypertension.

5. Use of a compound, or a stereoisomer or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, according to claim 1 or claim 2, for the manufacture of a medicament for the prophylactic treatment of myocardial fibrosis.

6. Use of a compound, or a stereoisomer or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, according to claim 1 or claim 2, for the manufacture of a medicament for the therapeutic treatment of myocardial fibrosis.

7. Use of a compound, or a stereoisomer or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, according to claim 1 or claim 2, for the manufacture of a medicament for the therapeutic treatment of hypertension and myocardial fibrosis.

8. Use of a compound, or a stereoisomer or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, according to claim 1 or claim 2, for the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment of prehypertension and myocardial fibrosis.