Table 33. Patient characteristics–chlorpromazine versus ziprasidone

| **Author, Year** | **Study Characteristics** | **Inclusion and Exclusion Criteria** | **Population** | **Interventions** |
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| **Kane et al. 2006**96 | ***Study design:*** RCT  ***Registration #:*** NR  ***Study population:*** Schizophrenia  ***DSM Classification:*** DSM–III–R  ***Study period:*** NR  ***Number of centers:*** Multicenter(n = 8)  ***Setting:*** Outpatient  ***Country:*** India  ***Financial support:*** Industry (Pfizer)  ***Washout period performed:*** NA  ***Run-in phase performed:*** yes (6 wks)  ***Followup period:*** 12 wks | ***Main inclusion criteria:*** Men and Women ≥18yrs with chronic or subchronic Sz; Tx resistant; Haloperidol nonresponders; total score ≥45 on the BPRS; a score ≥4 on at least two PANSS core psychosis items (conceptual disorganization, hallucinatory behavior, delusions and suspiciousness); and a score ≥4 on the CGI–S scale.  ***Main exclusion criteria:*** Respond to haloperidol during run in phase | ***G1:***  ***Age (mean±SD):*** 34.40±8.20  ***Males (n(%)):***122/154 (79.2%)  ***Ethnicity:*** NR  ***BL symptom scores:*** BPRS (mean±SD): 50.54±NR  ***G2:***  ***Age (mean±SD):*** 35.60±9.50  ***Males (n(%)):***103/152 (67.8%)  ***Ethnicity:*** NR  ***BL symptom scores:*** BPRS (mean±SD): 50.47±NR | ***G1:***  ***Classification:*** FGA  ***Drug:*** Chlorpromazine  ***Dosage:*** 100–1200mg/d  ***Intervals:*** BID  ***G2:***  ***Classification:*** SGA  ***Drug:*** Ziprasidone  ***Dosage:*** 40–160mg/d  ***Intervals:*** BID |

AP = antipsychotic; BID  = Twice daily; BL = baseline; BPRS = Brief Psychiatric Rating Scale; CGI = Clinical Global Impressions; d = day; DSM = Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders; FGA = first-generation antipsychotic; mg = milligram; NA = not applicable; n = number; NR = not reported; PANSS  = Positive and Negative Syndrome Scale; pts = patients; RCT = randomized controlled trial; SD = standard deviation; SGA = second-generation antipsychotic; Sz = schizophrenia; Tx = treatment; wk = week; yr = year