Table 19. Recommended documentation.

- Indication for neuroleptic therapy
- Decision-making process weighing risks and benefits of neuroleptic medication as well as of alternative treatment approaches and of no treatment
- Informed consent (patient voluntary and competent; adequate information has been given and understood)
- Regular reassessments of the continued need of neuroleptic treatment, its effectiveness and the doses required
- Regular screening for early signs of tardive dyskinesia
- Rationale for continuing neuroleptic treatment despite the occurrence of tardive dyskinesia