

Adult/Geriatric Medication Worksheet - Current Medications & PRN from 12pm prior day to 12pm current day

Student Name: Gillian Ruiz

Date: 11/1

Patient Allergies: Ibuprofen

Primary IV fluid and rate: 0.9% Sodium Chloride (NS)

Patient specific reasoning for IV fluids (including type isotonic, hypotonic, hypertonic): Isotonic solution, it was compatible with all medications, only ran with piggy backs medications

| Generic Name | Dosage with route and schedule | IVP-List diluent solution, volume, and rate of administration IVPB- List concentration and rate of administration | Patient specific therapeutic reasoning | Patient specific teaching with reasoning |
|------------------------|--------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Duloxetine / Cymbalta | 60 mg capsule PO once daily | This is a capsule so it does not require a diluent solution or rate | For depression | Do not crush or chew tablets, take whole with fluids to get full effect and prevent headaches Report worsening depression or suicidal ideation Do not take with MAOI medications Report changes in vision |
| Enoxaparin / Lovenox | 40mg / 0.4 mL Sub Q injection | Given as injection and does not require diluent solution | To prevent blood clots while in the hospital | Do not rub or itch the injection site to prevent bleeding Report any unusual bleeding such as blood in stool, urine, nosebleeds, etc. |
| Fluconazole / Diflucan | IVPB 200mg once daily | 100ml/hr. in normal saline | Antifungal | Teach common side effects as antifungal medications can interreact with a variety of different medications |
| Gabapentin / Neurontin | 100mg tab three times daily | This tab does not require a diluent solution or rate | To help with his nerve pain | Teach patient to report suicidal thoughts or behavior as this can worsen especially in individuals with depression already Teach if taking this at home not to |

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| | | | | drive until pt. knows how it affects them |
| Pantoprazole / Protonix | 40mg IVP Twice daily | Sterile water, 10ml, pushed over 3 minutes | To help prevent ulcers caused by GI stress | Teach patient to report any type of chest pain Teach patient to watch for s/s of dehydration / dry mucosa |
| Meropenem / Merrem | 1g IVP q 8 hours | Sterile water, 20mL, pushed over 5 minutes | Used to treat infections | Teach patient to report side effects that do not go away as in diarrhea, headaches, rash, and swelling of face |
| Vancomycin | 1,250 mg IVPB once | 166ml/hr. Primary is 250ml 0.9% sodium chloride | To help treat infection | Teach patient to report hearing loss Teach patient to report feeling warm, red, hot, and rashes as this is a common reaction to vancomycin |
| Furosemide /Lasix | 20mg Tab given ONCE - completed within 24 hours | Tab does not require diluent solution or rate | Diuretic | Teach patient s/s of hypokalemia as this medication can cause low potassium Teach patient to call before getting up as it can cause orthostatic hypotension |

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| Potassium Chloride | 10mg IVPB | Primary 0.9% sodium chloride RATE 100mL VTBI 30ml | To help potassium levels stay above 3.5 | Teach signs and symptoms of hyperkalemia Teach to report heart palpitations and / or muscle cramps |
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Medication reference: Medscape App on iPhone