

**Adult/Geriatric Medication Worksheet – Current Medications & PRN from 0700-1400 current day**

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
<p><b>Metoprolol</b> <i>(Lopressor)</i></p>		<p><b>IV Bolus:</b> Administer bolus at approximately 2 minute intervals.</p> <p><b>PO</b></p>		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Avoid activities requiring coordination, as drug may cause dizziness.</li> <li>2. May cause diarrhea, depression or fatigue.</li> <li>3. Report signs and symptoms of arrhythmias, hypotension, or cardiac failure.</li> <li>4. Advise diabetic patients to monitor glycemic control as drug may mask symptoms of hypoglycemia.</li> <li>5. If using as chronic therapy, do not discontinue abruptly, as this might exacerbate angina or cause myocardial infarction.</li> </ol>
<p><b>Ondansetron</b> <i>(Zofran)</i></p>		<p><b>PO</b></p>		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Report symptoms of serious cardiac arrhythmias.</li> <li>2. Report symptoms of myocardial ischemia.</li> </ol>

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				<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Side effects may include constipation, diarrhea, headache, fatigue, or malaise.</li> <li>4. Advise patient not to chew or swallow oral film and wash hands after taking the drug.</li> </ol>
<p><b>Levofloxacin</b> <i>(Levoquin)</i></p>		<p><b>IVPB:</b> Dilute single-use vials of concentrated solution to final concentration of 5mg/mL. Final volume of 250mg dose should be 50mL; infuse over 60 minutes. Final volume of 500mg dose should be 100mL; infuse over 60 minutes. Final volume of 750mg dose should be 150mL; infuse over 90 minutes.</p> <p><b>PO</b></p> <p><b>Enteral:</b> <i>Avoid administration via enteral feeding tubes or concomitantly with enteral formulas due to alterations in peak concentrations and time to peak concentration.</i></p> <p><b>If enteral administration cannot be avoided:</b></p>		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Advise patient to take at the same time each day.</li> <li>2. Side effects may include nausea, headache, insomnia, and constipation.</li> <li>3. Advise patient to immediately report symptoms of tendinitis, tendon rupture, peripheral neuropathy, or aortic aneurism (ie, sudden chest, stomach, or back pain).</li> <li>4. Advise diabetic patients to monitor blood glucose frequently.</li> <li>5. Advise patient to avoid activities requiring mental alertness until drug effects are realized as drug may cause CNS adverse effects such as dizziness,</li> </ol>

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		Crush tablets and mix in 20-60 mL sterile water immediately prior to administration.		lightheadedness, and increased intracranial pressure.
<b>Vancomycin</b> <i>(Vancocin)</i>		<p><b>IVP:</b> Reconstitute 500mg vial with 10mL sterile water for injection (SWFI). Solution will be 50mg/mL.</p> <p><b>IVPB:</b> MAX infusion concentration 5mg/mL. For doses of 1g, dilute in at least 200mL with compatible solutions including D5W, D5NS, LR, D5LR, NS. Administer over at least 60 minutes or MAX infusion rate of 10mg/min, whichever is longer.</p> <p><b>PO</b></p>		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Advise patient to report symptoms of a severe dermatological reaction.</li> <li>2. Side effects may include nausea, abdominal pain, vomiting, pyrexia, fatigue, urinary tract infection and headache.</li> </ol>
<b>Prednisone</b> <i>(Deltasone)</i>		<b>PO</b>		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Advise patient to take with food.</li> <li>2. Advise patient not to discontinue abruptly.</li> <li>3. Side effects may include nausea, vomiting,</li> </ol>

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				<p>diarrhea, constipation, peptic ulcers, impaired skin healing, edema, and osteoporosis.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>4. Side effects may include anxiety, depression, euphoria, irritability, headache, insomnia, double vision, cataracts, and glaucoma.</li><li>5. Advise diabetic patients to report problems of glycemic control due to drug-induced hyperglycemia.</li><li>6. Report signs and symptoms of infection/fever, fatigue, muscle weakness, loss of appetite, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, hypotension, and hypercortisolism.</li></ol>
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Allergies:

Primary IV fluid and rate:

Patient specific reasoning for IV fluids (including type isotonic, hypotonic, hypertonic):

Medication reference: Micromedex Drug Reference