

IM 7 Math Module

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1. Infuse 1 gram of a medication over 45 minutes. The drug is supplied as 1gram/50ml.

The drip factor is 15. How many gtt/min will you infuse?

17 gtt/min

2. The physician writes an order to give 1000mL of intravenous fluid over 8hrs. How many mL/hr will you infuse?

125 mL/hr

3. Infuse 1.5 gram of a medication over 3 hours. The drug is supplied as 1.5 gram/250mL.

The drip factor is 15. How many gtt/min will you infuse?

21 gtt/min

4. An order has been written to give 1 gram of a medication over 30 minutes. The drug is supplied as 1 gram/50mL. The gtt factor is 60. How many gtt/min will you infuse?

100 gtt/min

5. The nurse is to give 500mg IV of a medication over 1 hr. The drug is supplied as 1gram/250mL. The gtt factor is 15. How many gtt/min will you infuse?

63 gtt/min

6. An order is received for 75mcg IV of a medication now. The drug is supplied as 100mcg/2mL. How many mL will you give?

1.5 mL

7. Infuse 1000 mLs of intravenous fluid over 4 hrs. How many mL/hr will you set on the pump?

250 mL/hr

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8. The patient is to receive 5mg of a medication. The drug is supplied as 20mg/5mL. How many mL will you give? (Do not round your final answer)

1.25 mL

9. The order is to give 2mg IV of a medication now. The drug is supplied as 10mg/mL.

How many mL will you give?

0.2 mL

10. Infuse 500mg IV of a medication over 8 hrs. The drug is supplied as 500mg/100mL. The drip factor is 60. How many gtt/min will you infuse?

13 gtt/min

11. The patient is receiving an intravenous medication currently infusing at 142 mL/hr. The IV bag of reads 50 mg in 500 mL D5W. The patient weighs 175 lbs. How many mcg/kg/min are infusing? Round to the nearest tenth.

2.9 mcg/kg/min or 3 mcg/kg/min

12. The physician has ordered a medication that states to start at 1 mcg/kg/min, and titrate as needed. The IV bag of medication contains 250 mg in 500 mL D5W. The patient weighs 70 kg. How many mL/hr should the IV pump be set at to achieve the starting dose? Round to the nearest whole number.

8.4 mL/hr

13. The patient is currently receiving a medication at 12 mL/hr. The bottle reads 100 mg in 250 mL D5W. How many mcg/min is the patient receiving?

80 mcg/min

14. The physician orders a heparin infusion at 500 units/hr. The IV bag of medication reads 25,000 units in 250 mL D5W. How many mL/hr should be showing on the IV pump?

5 mL/hr

15. The physician has ordered a medication to start at 2 mcg/kg/min. The patient weighs 165 lbs. The IV bag reads 800 mg in 500 mL D5W. What rate would the nurse set on the infusion pump? Round to the nearest tenth.

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5.6 mL/hr

16. The physician in the previous questions has now written an order to increase the medication to 4 mcg/kg/min. Using the information in the previous question, what rate would the nurse set on the IV pump? Round to the nearest tenth.

11.3 mL/hr

17. The patient is on a regular insulin drip infusing at 5 units/hr. The bag is labeled 100 units in 250 mL NS. At what rate should the pump be infusing? Round to the nearest whole number.

13 mL/hr

18. The patient is on a medication drip infusing at 35 mL/hr. The label reads 400 mg in 500 mL D5W. The patient weighs 62 kg. How many mcg/kg/min is the patient receiving? Round to the nearest tenth.

7.5 mcg/kg/min

19. The physician has ordered 1 gram IV of a medication over 30 minutes. Pharmacy has sent an IV bag labeled 1 gram in 50 mL D5W. The IV tubing delivers 15 gtt/mL. How many drops per minute (gtt/min) will the nurse deliver?

25 gtt/min

20. The patient is to receive 400 mg IV of a medication over 1 hour. You receive an IV bag from the pharmacy labeled 400 mg in 100 mL D5W. The IV tubing delivers 12 gtt/mL. How many drops per minute (gtt/min) will the nurse deliver?

20 gtt/min