

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
Vancomycin	Oral - works only in intestines. Injections - will treat serious infections in other parts of body		Bacterial Infections	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. May cause ringing in the ears, feeling of fullness in the ears, or loss of balance, which may indicate hearing loss. 2. May cause leg cramps, constipation, irregular heartbeats, or fluttering in your chest, which may indicate low potassium levels. 3. May cause increased thirst/urination, numbness/tingling, muscle weakness or limp feeling, which indicates low potassium. 4. May cause diarrhea even up to 2 months or more after stopping this medication. Check with doctor first before treating diarrhea. Let me know if you feel any of the above.
Metoprolol			HTN (high blood pressure)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. May cause extreme fatigue, dizziness, depression, confusion, trouble sleeping, diarrhea. 2. Let me know if you feel light-headed, have chest pain, shortness of breath, or if your hands or feet feel cold. 3. Call for help when getting out of bed. 4. Take med at same time daily

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				and take with a meal or just after a meal and swallow the whole capsule; do not crush, chew, break, or open it. Let me know if you feel any of these.
Prednisone			Corticosteroid (decrease inflammation - immune response)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Avoid being around people who are sick or have infections because this medication weakens your immune sys. and makes it easier for you to get an infection. (Esp. exposure to Chicken pox or measles. 2. Take this medicine with food and do NOT crush, chew , or break a delayed released tablet: swallow it whole. 3. May cause high blood sugar, so check blood sugar regularly. 4. Do not stop taking this medication suddenly and do not drink alcohol while on this medicine.
Ondansetron			Nausea, Emesis (nausea & vomiting)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. May cause drowsiness, headache, constipation, dizziness. 2. Report if heart feels like "it's skipping a beat or racing." 3. May cause stomach cramping, constipation, or inability to pass gas , which may be due to bowel

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				<p>blockage.</p> <p>4.Call for help when getting out of bed to avoid a fall in case of dizziness.</p>
Levofloxacin			<p>Bacterial Infections (Infection caused by a bacteria)</p> <p>Anthrax or Plague</p>	<p>1.Take medicine 1 hr. before or 2 hrs. after eating and drink additional glasses of water daily.</p> <p>2. May cause inflammation of the achilles tendon, which may cause it to rupture. (esp. if over 60 yrs)</p> <p>3. Refrain from exercise until doctor advised.</p> <p>4. Avoid being around people who are sick or have infections because you may get infections more easily.</p>

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Allergies:

Primary IV fluid and rate:

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

Medication reference: