

IM2 Med Terms and Pharmacology #2 - Nesbitt

Exam #	Generic	Trade	Class	Effect	Adverse Reactions	Nursing Implications	Patient Education
3	Cefazolin	Ancef, Kefzol	Cephalosporin antibiotic	Inhibits bacterial cell wall synthesis; treats infections	Diarrhea, rash, allergic reactions, superinfection	Monitor for allergic reactions, assess renal function, check for signs of superinfection	Complete full course, report rash or diarrhea, avoid alcohol
3	Insulin - NPH	Humulin N, Novolin N	Intermediate-acting insulin	Lowers blood glucose by facilitating cellular uptake	Hypoglycemia, weight gain, lipodystrophy	Monitor glucose levels, rotate injection sites, know onset/peak/duration	Recognize hypoglycemia signs, proper injection technique, store insulin properly
3	Ketorolac	Toradol	NSAID; Analgesic	Inhibits prostaglandin synthesis; reduces pain and inflammation	GI bleeding, renal impairment, dizziness	Limit use to 5 days, monitor renal function and bleeding	Take with food, report GI pain or bleeding, avoid alcohol
3	Levofloxacin	Levaquin	Fluoroquinolone antibiotic	Inhibits bacterial DNA synthesis	Tendon rupture, photosensitivity, nausea	Monitor for tendon pain, assess renal function, avoid antacids	Avoid sun exposure, report tendon pain, take as prescribed
3	Lorazepam	Ativan	Benzodiazepine; Anxiolytic	Enhances GABA activity; reduces anxiety and seizures	Sedation, dizziness, dependence	Monitor CNS status, fall risk, avoid abrupt withdrawal	Avoid alcohol, do not drive, take as prescribed
3	Methylprednisolone	Medrol, Solu-Medrol	Corticosteroid	Reduces inflammation and immune response	Hyperglycemia, mood changes, infection risk	Monitor glucose, signs of infection, taper dose	Take with food, report mood changes, do not stop abruptly
3	Metoclopramide	Reglan	Antiemetic; GI stimulant	Enhances GI motility; treats nausea and gastroparesis	Drowsiness, EPS, diarrhea	Monitor for EPS, assess GI symptoms	Report involuntary movements, avoid alcohol, take before meals
3	Metoprolol	Lopressor, Toprol XL	Beta-blocker; Antihypertensive	Blocks beta receptors; lowers BP and HR	Bradycardia, fatigue, hypotension	Monitor BP and HR, assess for dizziness	Take with food, do not stop abruptly, monitor pulse
3	Pantoprazole	Protonix	Proton pump inhibitor	Reduces gastric acid secretion	Headache, diarrhea, vitamin B12 deficiency	Monitor GI symptoms, assess magnesium levels	Take before meals, avoid NSAIDs, report persistent symptoms
3	Promethazine	Phenergan	Antiemetic; Antihistamine	Blocks histamine and dopamine receptors; treats nausea and allergies	Sedation, dizziness, dry mouth	Monitor CNS status, fall risk, avoid IV push	Avoid alcohol, may cause drowsiness, take as directed