

Student name: _____

Date: _____

Adult/geriatric medication worksheet (Medication Admin lab)

Allergies: _____

Generic Name	Pharm Classification	Therapeutic Reason	Dose, Route & Frequency	Safe dose? If no, what is a safe dose?	RN assessments, interventions, precautions, and contraindications	Patient teaching? Possible side effects?
cefaclor	Cephalosporin	Bacterial infection	250mg per PEG tube every 8 hours	Y N	1. Assess body system related to infectious process	1. May cause GI upset, nausea, or diarrhea – please report to RN 2. Do not skip any doses or stop antibiotic course before it is finished – antibiotic resistance
ondansetron hydrochloride	5-HT ₃ antagonist	Nausea, emesis (nausea and vomiting)	4 mg SL every 4 hours PRN nausea	Y N	1. Assess GI system	1. May cause drowsiness, headache, constipation, dizziness 2. Report if heart “feels like it’s skipping a beat or racing, 3. Call for help when getting out of bed.

timolol maleate	Beta – Adrenergic antagonist	Glaucoma (increase pressure in eyes)	0.5% eye 1 gtt OU BID	Y N	Hypotension, bradycardia, arrhythmias 1. apply pressure to lacrimal duct x 1 min post admin 2. assess BP and HR prior to	1. May cause ocular stinging, headache, dry eyes, dry mouth 2. Sugarless gum/candy for dry mouth.
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budesonide / formoterol	Corticosteroid / beta-adrenergic agonist	Bronchospasm COPD	80 mcg/4.5 mcg Inhalation BID	Y N	Headache, chest pain, SOB, tachycardia, nervousness, oral candida, anaphylactic s/s 1. Assess breath sounds before and after administration	1. May cause headache, chest pain, shortness of breath, nervousness 2. Not a rescue medication 3. Rinse mouth with water - don't swallow
naproxen sodium	NSAID	Analgesic (pain reducer)	125 mg/5mL PEG, PO Every 12 hours PRN moderate pain	Y N	Headache, vertigo, decreased mental status; GI bleed, blood disorders, upset stomach 1. Assess pain level 2. Assess BP	1. Avoid with alcohol, ASA, acetaminophen 2. Report ringing in the ears, easy bruising, rash 3. May raise blood pressure.