

MEDICATIONS				
GENERIC & TRADE NAMES	CLASSIFICATION	ACTION	NURSING IMPLICATIONS	
			SIDE EFFECTS	TEACHING & INTERVENTIONS
Vicodin APAP/Hydrocodone 500mg-5mg leach tab P.O. Q 12 Hours	Opioid Agonist/ non opioid analgesic Combinations	Bind to opiate receptors in the CNS - Alter perception and response to painful stimuli Stimulates dopamine receptors in the brain	Confusion/Seclusion Euphoria/Burmes Vision Dry mouth - Dizziness/Syncope Confusion, drowsiness Fatigue - orthostatic hypotension peripheral edema/constipation	Advise pt to take medication as directed - severe and permanent liver damage may result with prolonged use of acetaminophen Encourage fluids Caution pt to change positions slowly Change positions to minimize orthostatic hypotension Periodic SKIN EXAMS
Requir Popinole Hydrochloride 1mg tab 3mg 3tab P.O. BID at 16, 22	(4) Dopamine Agonist Sodium Ferric Glucuronate	Enters blood stream and is transported to the organs of the reticuloendothelial system - becomes part of iron stores	Dizziness/headache Syncope, Hypotension Nausea, Vomiting	Instruct pt to report symptoms of hypotension/bradycardia Nurse immediately
Ferri-Kelc 125mg/12 SOD CHLORIDE 100ml SOD Ferric Gluc 125mg IN SOD Citrus 0.9% 100ml 88mls/hr IV Q 24 Hours	(6) Iron Supplement	Inhibits reabsorption of SODIUM and chloride from loop of Henle and distal renal tubule	Dizziness hypotension headache encephalopathy	Change positions slowly to minimize orthostatic hypotension
Bumex Bumetanide INJ 0.25mg/ml 4ML VIAL - 2mg/8ml IVP Q 12 Hours	Loop Diuretic	Promotes incorporation of phosphate into stool resulting in softer stool mass	mild cramps diarrhea	Advise patients that laxatives should only be used for short term therapy
Colace Docusate Sodium 100mg Cap 1 Cap PO BID	Stool Softeners	Maintain Col motion and capillary permeability	Headache Constipation Nausea Vomiting	Instruct patients not to take Effervescent tablets with H <sub>2</sub> O 1 hr of carbon carbonate
Oyst/Cal 500mg w/ Vit D Calcium/Vitamin D 500mg tablet 500mg 1 tab P.O. Q 12 Hours	Mineral electrolyte replacement Supplement			

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Xenaderm Trypsin Balsam 60 Appl tube TOP/BID Use thin layer to Scalp ulceration				
Levofloxacin 500mg in Premix bag 100ml - Levofloxacin 500mg in premix bag 100ml 100mls/hr IY Q48 hour	Fluoroquinolones	Inhibits bacterial DNA Synthesis by inhibiting DNA gyrase enzyme	Elevated intraocular pressure, Hepatotoxicity Nausea Vomiting to finish drug completely	Instruct pt to take Medication as directed
Di tropen XL 0.5mg Tab CR 10 mg 2 tab controlled release P.O. HS	Urologic tract Anticholinergics	Inhibits the action of acetylcholine at post ganglionic receptors	dizziness, drowsiness agitation, confusion or blurred vision	May cause drowsiness or blurred vision
Pravastatin SOD 40mg tab 1 tab PO QHS	hmg coa reductase inhibitors / Statins	Inhibits 3 hydroxy 3 methylglutaryl Coenzyme A reductase	dizziness, headache insomnia, weakness	Instruct pt to take Medication as directed
Miralax - Polyethylene Glycol 17 gm/pkt / PK 1 PKT PO Daily	Osmotics	In solution acts as osmotic agent drawing water into lumen of GI tract	abdominal bloating Cramping Flatulence	Inform pt that 2-4 days may be needed to produce abowel movement
Prilosec 20mg Omeprazole 20mg Cap CR 1 Cap PO QAM	proton pump inhibitor	binds to an enzyme. in presence of acidic gastroic pH	dizziness, drowsiness, headache fatigue	Instruct pt to take medication as directed for the full course of therapy
Normal Saline Flush SOD CHLORIDE 0.9% to 10 mL Syr 3ml 0.3 IVP PRN	Mineral electrolyte replacement Supplements	Maintain water distribution / acid base balance	hypertatimal hypervolemia	Explain to pt purpose of the intervention

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