DRUG CARD TEMPLATE:

Warfarin /Jantoven	
Classification:	Indication:
Coumarin ,oral anticoagulant	atrial fibrillation (AF), the presence of artificial heart valves, deep venous thrombosis (DVT), and pulmonary embolism (PE)
Side effects/ adverse reactions	Nursing Considerations:
• Severe bleeding, including heavier than usual menstrual bleeding. • Red or brown urine. • Black or bloody stool. • Severe headache or stomach pain. • Joint pain, discomfort or swelling, especially after an injury. • Vomiting of blood or material that looks like coffee grounds. • Coughing up blood.	Watch for signs of bleeding and hemorrhage, including bleeding gums, nosebleeds, unusual bruising, coughing up blood, black/tarry stools, hematuria, or a fall in hematocrit or blood pressure. Notify physician or nursing staff immediately if warfarin causes excessive anticoagulation.

DRUG CARD TEMPLATE:

Epoetin /Procrit and Epogen	
Classification:	Indication:
erythropoiesis-stimulating agents (ESAs).	Epogen is indicated for the treatment of anemia due to chronic kidney disease (CKD), including patients on dialysis and not on dialysis to decrease the need for red blood cell (RBC) transfusion.
Side effects/ adverse reactions: Side effects/	Nursing Considerations:

adverse reactions: Side effects/	Nursing Considerations:
Serious skin reactions can occur with this medicine. Check with your doctor right away if you have blistering, peeling, or loosening of the skin, red skin lesions, severe acne or a skin rash, sores or ulcers on the skin, or fever or chills with this medicine. Epoetin is made from donated human blood.	● Assess dialysis shunts. ● Contraindicated in albumin hypersensitivity. ● May cause. Seizures. CHF. MI. CVA. Hypertension. ● Do not shake the vial. ● Initiate seizure precautions. ● Monitor. Bleeding times. Signs of anemia.

DRUG CARD TEMPLATE:

Ferrous Sulfate /Feratab, Iron, Mol-Iron, Feosol	
Classification:	Indication:
Iron	Ferrous sulfate (or sulphate) is a medicine used to treat and prevent iron deficiency anemia. Iron helps the body to make healthy red blood cells, which carry oxygen around the body. Some things such as blood loss, pregnancy or too little iron in your diet can make your iron supply drop too low, leading to anemia.
Side effects/ adverse reaction	Nursing Considerations:

● feeling or being sick (nausea or vomiting), stomach pain or heartburn. ● loss of appetite. ● constipation. ● diarrhoea. ● dark or black poo. ● black stained teeth (from the drops)	• May cause seizures, hypotension, constipation, epigastric pain, diarrhea, skin. staining, anaphylaxis. • Assess nutritional status, bowel function. • Monitor hemoglobin, hematocrit, iron levels.