

**8720.5479 ADDD (Pyxis) Utilization
Attachment B**

Override Procedure (Profiled Stations Only):

1. A medication order must be obtained by the patient's health care provider before an override transaction is initiated.
2. Medications are assigned an override status in Pyxis. A user's privileges to remove a specific medication on override are determined by that nurse's level of access, see list below.
 - a. Basic: Most nurses with med removal privileges can access these medications on override.
 - b. Obstetrics: Nurses assigned this access may remove all meds on the Basic list as well as those on the Obstetrics list.
 - c. Intensive: Nurses qualified to work in ICU/ER/Perioperative Area can access these medications, as well as any on the Basic and Obstetrics list.
3. The appropriate clinical manager will be notified if an override medication is taken without an order or if an override transaction does not fit the override medication criteria.

Nurses are cautioned to use extreme care in deciding to use an override medication. THE PRESENCE OF A DRUG ON THE APPROVED OVERRIDE LIST DOES NOT MEAN THAT IT IS APPROPRIATE TO REMOVE BY OVERRIDE IN ALL SITUATIONS. The Override Medication process is to be used only in urgent situations when a delay in doing so would harm the patient. Nurses, when using the Override Medication process, must check drug-drug interactions; therapeutic duplication, drug indication, and allergies have been assessed for the medication in question.
4. Pharmacy will review all overrides to assure appropriateness of the override. The manager of pharmacy maintains the medication override list.

BASIC

Agitation:

Haloperidol lactate Inj.

Allergic Response:

Diphenhydramine Inj.
Diphenhydramine tablet
Epinephrine Inj.
Methylprednisolone Inj.
Famotidine inj

Alkalinizing Agent:

Sodium Citrate-citric acid oral solution
Sodium Bicarbonate Inj.

Chest Pain:

Aspirin tablet
Nitroglycerin SL tablet
Nitroglycerin ointment

Critical Blood Sugar:

50% Dextrose Inj.
25% Dextrose Inj.
Glucagon 1mg vial

Emergency Procedure Anesthetic

Lidocaine 1% Inj.

Fever:

Acetaminophen Suppository
Acetaminophen tab

Nausea:

Hydroxyzine Inj.
Metoclopramide Inj.
Ondansetron Inj.
Promethazine Inj.

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BASIC (cont)

Pain Control:

Hydromorphone Inj.
Morphine Inj.

Pulmonary Edema/Antihypertensive

Furosemide Inj.

Reversal Agents:

Atropine Inj.
Calcium Gluconate 10% Inj
Glycopyrrolate Inj
Naloxone Inj/Nasal spray
Neostigmine Inj.

Respiratory Compromise:

Albuterol Nebulizer Sol.
Ipratropium/Albuterol Nebulizer Sol.
Racemic Epinephrine Nebulizer Sol.
Intubation Med Box (aka: RSI Kit)

Seizure Control:

Diazepam Inj.
Lorazepam Inj.

Waste:

Waste Controlled Substances function

OBSTETRICS

Antidote:

Fat IV emulsion 20%

Neonatal Anticoagulation:

Heparin in 0.45 NS Inj.

Premature Labor:

Betamethasone Sod-Phos-Acetate Inj.
Hydroxyzine cap
Magnesium Sulfate 2 g & 4g IVPB
PRETERM labor Terbutaline &
Betamethasone Kit
Terbutaline Inj.
Terbutaline tablet

Local Anesthetics:

Mepivacaine 1% Inj.

Lung Surfactants:

Poractant Alfa

Pain Control:

Fentanyl Inj.
Fentanyl/Bupivacaine Epidural ("OB Epidural")

Post-partum hemorrhage:

PPH Kit Methylergonovine and Carboprost Inj.
PPH Kit Oxytocin Inj. & Misoprostol tablet
Oxytocin Inj.
Tranexamic acid Inj.
Loperamide 2 mg capsule

Prophylactic Antibiotics:

Cefazolin Inj.
Clindamycin Inj.
Penicillin G Inj.

Critical Blood Sugar:

Oral glucose 40% gel

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INTENSIVE

Antidote:

Fat IV emulsion 20%
Hydroxocobalamin 5gm Inj.
Physostigmine salicylate Inj.

Agitation:

Ziprasidone IM Inj.

Antianginal Agent:

Nitroglycerin Inj.

Antiarrhythmics:

Adenosine Inj.
Amiodarone Inj.
Dofetilide oral
Digoxin Inj.
Diltiazem Inj.
Lidocaine 2% Inj.
Verapamil Inj.

Antihypertensives:

Hydralazine Inj.
Labetolol Inj.
Metoprolol Inj

Antiplatelet Agents:

Clopidogrel tablet
Prasugrel tablet
Ticagrelor tablet

General Anesthetic:

Etomidate Inj.
Ketamine Inj.
Propofol Inj.

Neuromuscular blocking agents

Cisatracurium Inj.
Rocuronium Inj.
Succinylcholine Inj.
Sterile Water Inj.
Vecuronium Inj.

Seizure Control:

Fosphenytoin Inj.

Post-partum hemorrhage:

PPH Kit Methylergonovine and Carboprost Inj.
PPH Kit Oxytocin Inj. & Misoprostol tablet

Pressors:

Dobutamine Inj.
Dopamine Inj.
Ephedrine Inj.
Norepinphrine Inj.
Phenylephrine Inj.
Vasopressin Inj.

Prophylactic Antibiotics:

Ampicillin Inj.
Ampicillin/Sulbactam (Unasyn) Inj.
Cefoxitin Inj.
Ceftriaxone Inj.
Ciprofloxacin Inj.
Gentamicin Inj.
Levofloxacin oral/Inj.
Vancomycin Inj.

Pulmonary function:

Albuterol Nebulizer Solution ED Prepack

Sedation:

Midazolam Inj.

Reversal Agents:

Flumazenil 1mg/10ml Inj.

Thrombolytic Agents:

Alteplase Inj.
Tenecteplase Inj.

Hyperglycemia:

Insulin Regular 100 units/mL Inj

Other:

Mannitol Inj.

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