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Types: ONCOLOGY TREATMENT
Synonyms: EP, ETOPOSIDE , CISPLATIN , AP, TOPOSAR, PLATINOL, TESTICLES, BALLS, TESTICULAR

Cycles 1 to 4 Repeat 4 times Cycle length: 21 days

Day 1 Perform every 1 day x1

Appointment Requests

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Outpatient Electrolyte Replacement Protocol

TREATMENT CONDITIONS 39
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- o Protocol applies only to same day lab value.
- o Serum potassium less than 3.0mEq/L, give 40mEq KCL IV or PO and contact MD/NP
- o Serum potassium 3.0 to 3.2mEq/L, give 40mEq KCL IV or PO
- o Serum potassium 3.3 to 3.4mEq/L, give 20mEq KCL IV or PO
- o Serum potassium 3.5 mEq/L or greater, do not give potassium replacement
- o If patient meets criteria, order SmartSet called "Outpatient Electrolyte Replacement"
- o Sign electrolyte replacement order as Per protocol: cosign

required

TREATMENT CONDITIONS 40

Interval: -- Occurrences: --

Comments: Magnesium (Normal range 1.6 to 2.6mEq/L)
- o Protocol applies for SCr less than 1.5. Otherwise, contact MD/NP
- o Protocol applies only to same day lab value.
- o Serum Magnesium less than 1.0mEq/L, give 2 gram magnesium sulfate IV and contact MD/NP
- o Serum Magnesium 1.0 to 1.2mEq/L, give 2 gram magnesium sulfate IV
- o Serum Magnesium 1.3 to 1.5mEq/L, give 1 gram magnesium sulfate IV
- o Serum Magnesium 1.6 mEq/L or greater, do not give magnesium replacement
- o If patient meets criteria, order SmartSet called "Outpatient Electrolyte Replacement"
- o Sign electrolyte replacement order as Per protocol: cosign required

Nursing Orders

TREATMENT CONDITIONS 7

Interval: -- Occurrences: --

Comments: HOLD and notify provider if ANC LESS than 1000; Platelets LESS than 100,000.

Line Flush

sodium chloride 0.9 % flush 20 mL

Dose: 20 mL Route: intravenous PRN

Start: S

Pre-Hydration

sodium chloride 0.9 % infusion 1,000 mL

Dose: 1,000 mL Route: intravenous once @ 500 mL/hr for 1 dose

Start: S

Pre-Medications

☑ **palonosetron (ALOXI) injection 0.25 mg**

Dose: 0.25 mg Route: intravenous once for 1 dose

Start: S End: S 1:45 PM

☑ **dexamethasone (DECADRON) 12 mg in sodium chloride 0.9% IVPB**

Dose: 12 mg Route: intravenous once over 15 Minutes for 1 dose

Start: S

Ingredients:

Name	Type	Dose	Selected	Adds Vol.
DEXAMETHASONE 4 MG/ML INJECTION SOLUTION	Medications	12 mg	Main Ingredient	Yes
SODIUM CHLORIDE 0.9 % INTRAVENOUS SOLUTION	Base	50 mL	Yes	Yes
DEXTROSE 5 % IN WATER (D5W) INTRAVENOUS SOLUTION	Base	50 mL	No	Yes

☑ **aprepitant (CINVANTI) 130 mg in dextrose (NON-PVC) 5% 130 mL IVPB**

Dose: 130 mg Route: intravenous once over 30 Minutes for 1 dose

Start: S End: S

Ingredients:

Name	Type	Dose	Selected	Adds Vol.
APREPITANT 7.2 MG/ML INTRAVENOUS EMULSION	Medications	130 mg	Main Ingredient	Yes
DEXTROSE 5 % IN WATER (D5W) IV SOLP (EXCEL; NON-PVC)	Base	130 mL	Yes	Yes
SODIUM CHLORIDE 0.9 % IV SOLP (EXCEL;NON-PVC)	Base	130 mL	No	Yes

☐ **netupitant-palonosetron (AKYNZEO) 300-0.5 mg per capsule 1 capsule**

Dose: 1 capsule Route: oral once for 1 dose
Start: S End: S 5:30 PM
Instructions:
Administer approximately 1 hour prior to chemotherapy.

☐ **ondansetron (ZOFRAN), dexamethasone (DECADRON) in sodium chloride 0.9% 50 mL IVPB**

Dose: -- Route: intravenous once over 15 Minutes for 1 dose
Start: S End: S 11:42 AM

Ingredients:

Name	Type	Dose	Selected	Adds Vol.
ONDANSETRON HCL 2 MG/ML INTRAVENOUS SOLUTION	Medications		Yes	No
DEXAMETHASONE 4 MG/ML INJECTION SOLUTION	Medications		Yes	No
SODIUM CHLORIDE 0.9 % INTRAVENOUS SOLUTION	Base	50 mL	Always	Yes
DEXTROSE 5 % IN WATER (D5W) INTRAVENOUS SOLUTION	Base		No	Yes

Chemotherapy

etoposide (TOPOSAR) 100 mg/m2 in sodium chloride (NON-PVC) 0.9 % 500 mL chemo IVPB

Dose: 100 mg/m2 Route: intravenous once over 3 Hours for 1 dose
Offset: 30 Minutes
Instructions:
Administer through a 0.22 micron filter and non-PVC tubing set

Ingredients:

Name	Type	Dose	Selected	Adds Vol.
ETOPOSIDE 20 MG/ML INTRAVENOUS SOLUTION	Medications	100 mg/m2	Main Ingredient	Yes
SODIUM CHLORIDE 0.9 % IV SOLP (EXCEL;NON-PVC)	QS Base	500 mL	Yes	Yes

CISplatin (PLATINOL) 20 mg/m2 in sodium chloride 0.9 % 100 mL chemo IVPB

Dose: 20 mg/m2 Route: intravenous once over 1 Hours for 1 dose
Offset: 2 Hours

Ingredients:	Name	Type	Dose	Selected	Adds Vol.
	CISPLATIN 1 MG/ML INTRAVENOUS SOLUTION	Medications	20 mg/m2	Main Ingredient	Yes
	SODIUM CHLORIDE 0.9 % INTRAVENOUS SOLUTION	QS Base	100 mL	Yes	Yes
	DEXTROSE 5 % IN WATER (D5W) INTRAVENOUS SOLUTION	QS Base		No	Yes

Hematology & Oncology Hypersensitivity Reaction Standing Order

ONC NURSING COMMUNICATION 82

Interval: -- Occurrences: --

Comments: Grade 1 - MILD Symptoms (cutaneous and subcutaneous symptoms only – itching, flushing, periorbital edema, rash, or runny nose)
1. Stop the infusion.
2. Place the patient on continuous monitoring.
3. Obtain vital signs.
4. Administer Normal Saline at 50 mL per hour using a new bag and new intravenous tubing.
5. If greater than or equal to 30 minutes since the last dose of Diphenhydramine, administer Diphenhydramine 25 mg intravenous once.
6. If less than 30 minutes since the last dose of Diphenhydramine, administer Fexofenadine 180 mg orally and Famotidine 20 mg intravenous once.
7. Notify the treating physician.
8. If no improvement after 15 minutes, advance level of care to Grade 2 (Moderate) or Grade 3 (Severe).
9. Assess vital signs every 15 minutes until resolution of symptoms or otherwise ordered by covering physician.

ONC NURSING COMMUNICATION 4

Interval: -- Occurrences: --

Comments: Grade 2 – MODERATE Symptoms (cardiovascular, respiratory, or gastrointestinal symptoms – shortness of breath, wheezing, nausea, vomiting, dizziness, diaphoresis, throat or chest tightness, abdominal or back pain)
1. Stop the infusion.
2. Notify the CERT team and treating physician immediately.
3. Place the patient on continuous monitoring.
4. Obtain vital signs.
5. Administer Oxygen at 2 L per minute via nasal cannula. Titrate to maintain O2 saturation of greater than or equal to 92%.
6. Administer Normal Saline at 150 mL per hour using a new bag and new intravenous tubing.
7. Administer Hydrocortisone 100 mg intravenous (if patient has allergy to Hydrocortisone, please administer Dexamethasone 4 mg intravenous), Fexofenadine 180 mg orally and Famotidine 20 mg intravenous once.
8. If no improvement after 15 minutes, advance level of care to Grade 3 (Severe).
9. Assess vital signs every 15 minutes until resolution of symptoms or otherwise ordered by covering physician.

ONC NURSING COMMUNICATION 83
Interval: --
Occurrences: --
Comments:
Grade 3 – SEVERE Symptoms (hypoxia, hypotension, or neurologic compromise – cyanosis or O2 saturation less than 92%, hypotension with systolic blood pressure less than 90 mmHg, confusion, collapse, loss of consciousness, or incontinence)
1. Stop the infusion.
2. Notify the CERT team and treating physician immediately.
3. Place the patient on continuous monitoring.
4. Obtain vital signs.
5. If heart rate is less than 50 or greater than 120, or blood pressure is less than 90/50 mmHg, place patient in reclined or flattened position.
6. Administer Oxygen at 2 L per minute via nasal cannula. Titrate to maintain O2 saturation of greater than or equal to 92%.
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9. Administer Epinephrine (1:1000) 0.3 mg subcutaneous.
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diphenhydrAMINE (BENADRYL) injection 25 mg
Dose: 25 mg | Route: intravenous | PRN
Start: S

fexofenadine (ALLEGRA) tablet 180 mg
Dose: 180 mg | Route: oral | PRN
Start: S

famotidine (PEPCID) 20 mg/2 mL injection 20 mg
Dose: 20 mg | Route: intravenous | PRN
Start: S

hydrocortisone sodium succinate (Solu-CORTEF) injection 100 mg
Dose: 100 mg | Route: intravenous | PRN

dexamethasone (DECADRON) injection 4 mg
Dose: 4 mg | Route: intravenous | PRN
Start: S

epINEPHrine (ADRENALIN) 1 mg/10 mL ADULT injection syringe 0.3 mg
Dose: 0.3 mg | Route: subcutaneous | PRN
Start: S

Post-Hydration

○ **sodium chloride 0.9 % infusion 1,000 mL**
Dose: 1,000 mL | Route: intravenous | once @ 500 mL/hr for 1 dose
Offset: 3 Hours

Instructions:
Following chemotherapy.

Discharge Nursing Orders

ONC NURSING COMMUNICATION 76
Interval: --
Occurrences: --
Comments:
Discontinue IV.

Discharge Nursing Orders

☑ **sodium chloride 0.9 % flush 20 mL**

Dose: 20 mL Route: intravenous PRN

☑ **HEParin, porcine (PF) injection 500 Units**

Dose: 500 Units Route: intra-catheter once PRN
Start: S
Instructions:
Concentration: 100 units/mL. Heparin flush for Implanted Vascular Access Device maintenance.

Days 2,3,4,5 Perform every 1 day x4

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Line Flush

sodium chloride 0.9 % flush 20 mL
Dose: 20 mL Route: intravenous PRN
Start: S

Nursing Orders

sodium chloride 0.9 % infusion 250 mL
Dose: 250 mL Route: intravenous once @ 30 mL/hr for 1 dose
Start: S
Instructions:
To keep vein open.

Antiemetics

☑ **ondansetron (ZOFRAN) 16 mg, dexamethasone (DECADRON) 12 mg in sodium chloride 0.9 % 50 mL IVPB**
Dose: -- Route: intravenous once over 15 Minutes for 1 dose
Start: S

Ingredients:

Name	Type	Dose	Selected	Adds Vol.
ONDANSETRON HCL (PF) 4 MG/2 ML INJECTION SOLUTION	Medications	16 mg	Yes	No
DEXAMETHASONE 4 MG/ML INJECTION SOLUTION	Medications	12 mg	Yes	No
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