Location:
Nursing Nursing
Bedside glucose Conditional Frequency, PACU, Routine, Blood, Perform Point of Care (POC) blood glucose in PACU, if patient has Diabetes, BMI 25 or Greater, Age 45 or Greater, or has an insulin pump. Notify Anesthesia if result is less than 70 mg/dL OR greater than 200 mg/dL for consideration of the Perioperative Glycemic Control Optimization on Day of Surgery Pathway (Order Set #2379).
Notify Anesthesia - blood glucose Until discontinued, PACU, Routine, Notify Anesthesia if Point of Care (POC) blood glucose result is less than 70 mg/dL OR greater than 200 mg/dL for consideration of the Perioperative Glycemic Control Optimization on Day of Surgery Pathway (Order Set #2379).
Notify Anesthesia - respiratory rate Until discontinued, PACU, Routine, If respiratory rate is less than 10 breaths/min pric to administering narcotics.
Ok to use Central Line Until discontinued, PACU, Routine Device:  Central Line
Discontinue arterial line Once, PACU, Routine, Prior to discharge from the PACU
Deaccess Port-A-Cath Once, PACU, Routine
IV Fluids
Maintenance IV Fluids
O lactated Ringer's infusion 30 mL/hr, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences, Post-op
<ul> <li>For patients on dialysis OR coming for dialysis access - sodium chloride 0.9 % infusion 30 mL/hr, intravenous, once 1, Occurrences, Post-op</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>For patients diagnosed with Renal Failure and/or CHF - sodium chloride 0.9 % infusion 500 mL, intravenous, PRN, Post-op, 30.000 mL/hr, If Patient diagnosed with Renal Failure and/or Congestive Heart Failure</li> <li>Post-Op Medications         Post-Op Pain Medications: Option 1         Due to risk of toxicity, the use of morphine products in patients with renal dysfunction, particularly in ESRD, is no recommended. An alternative opioid should be considered.     </li> </ul>
Option 1
O fentaNYL (SUBLIMAZE) injection 25 mcg, intravenous, every 5 min PRN, 6, Occurrences, PACU, Option 1 for pain score 4-10
O HYDROmorphone (DILAUDID) injection 0.3 mg, intravenous, every 5 min PRN, 6, Occurrences, PACU, Option 1 fo pain score 4-10
Post-Op Pain Medications: Option 2 Option 2 will only be administered ONLY if patient has failed to achieve adequate pain relief from Option maximum dose.  Due to risk of toxicity, the use of morphine products in patients with renal dysfunction, particularly in ESRD, is no recommended. An alternative opioid should be utilized.
Option 2
O fentaNYL (SUBLIMAZE) injection 25 mcg, intravenous, every 5 min PRN, 6, Occurrences, PACU, Option 2 for pain
score 4-10, other Administer Option 2 ONLY if patient failed to achieve adequate pain relief from Option 1 doses. Monitor and record pain scores and respiratory status.
<ul> <li>HYDROmorphone (DILAUDID) injection 0.3 mg, intravenous, every 5 min PRN, 6, Occurrences, PACU, Option 2 fo pain score 4-10, other</li> <li>Administer Option 2 ONLY if patient failed to achieve adequate pain relief from Option 1 doses. Monitor and record pain scores and respiratory status.</li> <li>Post-Op Pain Medications: Additional</li> </ul>
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Adult Anesthesia Post-Op (1461)  Version: 23 Gen: 5/29/2025	
acetaminophen (OFIRMEV) injection 1000 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences, PACU Per Med Staff Policy, R.Ph. will automatically switch IV to equivalent PO dose when above approved criteria are satisfied: IV acetaminophen (Ofirmev) is restricted to use only in OR, PACU, or ICU areas, and for patients that cannot tolerate oral, per tube, or rectal routes of administration. Do you attest that this restriction has been met? IV acetaminophen is restricted to use in patients that cannot tolerate oral, per tube, or rectal routes of administration, and is or approved for post-operative use. If patient status allows, please utilize an alternate route of administration of acetaminophen. Maximum of 3 grams of acetaminophen per day from all sources. (Cirrhosis patients maximum: 2 grams per day from all sources).	
No Analgesics Indicated for Post Op Pain Management	
Anesthesia communication Until discontinued, PACU, Routine, No analgesics indicated for post op pain management Post-Op Shivering	
✓ meperidine (DEMEROL) injection	
✓ meperidine (DEMEROL) injection 12.5 mg, intravenous, every 5 min PRN, 2, Occurrences, PACU, Post-operative shivering	
Formulary approved non-pain management indication(s) : ○ Post-operative shivering May give a second dose of 12.5 milligrams after 5 minutes if patient continues to shiver. For PACU Use Only. Monitor ar record respiratory status.  naloxone (NARCAN) - for Respiratory Depression	nd
For patients with Respiratory Rate LESS than 8 per minute OR if patient is stuporous or unarousable.	
✓ naloxone (NARCAN) injection 0.1 mg, intravenous, every 1 min PRN, PACU, Routine, as needed for respiratory rate 8 pminute or less OR patient somnolent and difficult to arouse (POSS GREATER than 3)., respiratory depression Repeat Naloxone 0.1 mg once in 2 minutes if necessary (MAXIMUM 0.2 mg). If naloxone is needed, please call the ordering physician and/or CERT team. Monitor vital signs (pulse oximetry, P/R/BP) every 15 minutes for 3 times. Notify Anesthesia if administered.	er
Post-Op Antiemetics	
ONDANSETRON ANESTHESIA HMH PANEL (Required)	
ondansetron ODT (ZOFRAN-ODT) disintegrating tablet 4 mg, oral, once PRN, nausea vomiting Give if patient is able to tolerate oral medication. May cause QTc prolongation.	
ondansetron (ZOFRAN) 4 mg/2 mL injection 4 mg, intravenous, once PRN, nausea	
vomiting Give if patient is UNable to tolerate oral medication OR if a faster onset of action is required. May cause QTc prolongation.	
✓ promethazine (PHENERGAN ) IV or Oral	
promethazine (PHENERGAN) IV 12.5 mg, intravenous, every 6 hours PRN, nausea	
vomiting Give if ondansetron (ZOFRAN) is ineffective and patient is UNable to tolerate oral or rectal medication OR if a faster onse action is required.	et o
promethazine (PHENERGAN) tablet 12.5 mg, oral, every 6 hours PRN, nausea vomiting	
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**✓** promethazine (PHENERGAN) IV or Oral

May cause QTc prolongation.

opromethazine (PHENERGAN) injection 6.25 mg, intravenous, every 6 hours PRN, nausea vomiting

Give if patient is UNable to tolerate oral medication OR if a faster onset of action is required.

Give if ondansetron (ZOFRAN) is ineffective and patient is UNable to tolerate oral or rectal medication OR if a faster onset of action is required.

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promethazine (PHENERGAN) tablet 12.5 mg, oral, every 6 hours PRN, nausea vomiting

Give if ondansetron (ZOFRAN) is ineffective and patient is able to tolerate oral medication.

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## ONDANSETRON ANESTHESIA HMH PANEL (Required)

• ondansetron ODT (ZOFRAN-ODT) disintegrating tablet 4 mg, oral, once PRN, nausea vomiting

Give if patient is able to tolerate oral medication.

May cause QTc prolongation.

ondansetron (ZOFRAN) 4 mg/2 mL injection 4 mg, intravenous, once PRN, nausea vomiting

Give if patient is UNable to tolerate oral medication OR if a faster onset of action is required. May cause QTc prolongation.

### promethazine (PHENERGAN) IV or Oral

promethazine (PHENERGAN) 12.5 mg in 50 mL NS IVPB 12.5 mg, intravenous, every 6 hours PRN, Post-op, 100.000 mL/hr, 30.000 Minutes, nausea

vomiting

Give if ondansetron (ZOFRAN) is ineffective and patient is UNable to tolerate oral or rectal medication OR if a faster onset of action is required.

If there are active tasks available for both ondansetron and promethazine, you may administer promethazine if ondansetron is ineffective.

Give through a large vein (avoid hand or wrist if possible). STOP administration if pain, redness, or burning occurs. Doses greater than 12.5 mg can only be administered via CENTRAL access.

• promethazine (PHENERGAN) tablet 12.5 mg, oral, every 6 hours PRN, Post-op, nausea vomiting

Give if ondansetron (ZOFRAN) is ineffective and patient is able to tolerate oral medication.

#### **Post-Op Antiemetics**

# ONDANSETRON ANESTHESIA HMH PANEL (Required)

ondansetron ODT (ZOFRAN-ODT) disintegrating tablet 4 mg, oral, once PRN, nausea vomiting

Give if patient is able to tolerate oral medication.

May cause QTc prolongation.

ondansetron (ZOFRAN) 4 mg/2 mL injection 4 mg, intravenous, once PRN, nausea vomiting

Give if patient is UNable to tolerate oral medication OR if a faster onset of action is required. May cause QTc prolongation.

## promethazine (PHENERGAN ) IV or Oral

opromethazine (PHENERGAN) IV 12.5 mg, intravenous, every 6 hours PRN, nausea vomiting

Give if ondansetron (ZOFRAN) is ineffective and patient is UNable to tolerate oral or rectal medication OR if a faster onset of action is required.

promethazine (PHENERGAN) tablet 12.5 mg, oral, every 6 hours PRN, nausea vomiting

Give if ondansetron (ZOFRAN) is ineffective and patient is able to tolerate oral medication.

#### **Post-Op Antihypertensives**

☐ labetalol (NORMODYNE,TRANDATE) injection vial 10 mg, intravenous, every 15 min PRN, 2, Occurrences, PACU	J, for
Systolic Blood Pressure GREATER than 160.	
Do not give if heart rate is LESS than 60 beats per minute. Maximum daily	

dose of 20 mg. For PACU Use Only

hydraLazine (APRESOLINE) injection 5 mg, intravenous, every 20 min PRN, 2, Occurrences, PACU, for Systolic Blood Pressure GREATER than 160.

BP HOLD parameters for this order:

Contact Physician if:

Use for heart rate LESS than 60 beats per minute. Maximum Daily Dose of

10 mg. For PACU Use Only Post-Op Muscle Relaxers

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	methocarbamol (ROBAXIN) 750 mg in sodium chloride 0.9 % 100 mL IVPB 750 mg, intravenous, once PRN, 24, Hours, PACU, spasms
Pos	st-Op Anxiolytics
	midazolam (VERSED) injection 2 mg, intravenous, once PRN, 24, Hours, PACU, anxiety Indication(s):
	Continuous Continu
	albuterol (PROVENTIL) nebulizer solution 2.5 mg, nebulization, once, 1, Occurrences, PACU Aerosol Delivery Device:
	ipratropium (ATROVENT) 0.02 % nebulizer solution 0.5 mg, nebulization, once, 1, Occurrences, PACU Aerosol Delivery Device:
Pos	st-Op Itching
	diphenhydrAMINE (BENADRYL) injection 25 mg, intravenous, once PRN, 24, Hours, PACU, itching Diphenhydramine (BENADRYL) injection is the 1st choice for itching.
	nalbuphine (NUBAIN) injection 2 mg, intravenous, every 2 hour PRN, 24, Hours, PACU, itching Nalbuphine (NUBAIN) injection is the 2nd option for itching if diphenhydramine (BENADRYL) is ineffective. st-Op Infusions
	dexMEDEtomidine (PREcedex) 4 mcg/ml infusion 400 mcg/100 mL, intravenous, continuous, 24, Hours, PACU Generally for mild to moderate sedation. Not for use in patients on neuromuscular blocking agents. NO LOADING DOSE. After initiation reassess RASS within 1 hour. Titrate for Sedation
Post-	norEPInephrine (LEVOPHED) infusion titrated, PACU, STAT Op AOD Medications Op AOD orders are only for AOD or PACU patient prior to being discharged home st-Op AOD Mild Pain (Pain Score 1-3)
	acetaminophen (TYLENOL) tablet 650 mg, oral, once PRN, PACU, mild pain (score 1-3) once PRN if pain not alleviated by option 1 and/or option 2 prior to leave from PACU/AOD.  Maximum of 3 grams of acetaminophen per day from all sources. (Cirrhosis patients maximum: 2 grams per day from all sources).
	acetaminophen (TYLENOL) tablet 1000 mg, oral, once PRN, PACU, mild pain (score 1-3) once PRN if pain not alleviated by option 1 and/or option 2 prior to leave from PACU/AOD. st-Op AOD Moderate Pain (Pain Score 4-6)
	HYDROcodone-acetaminophen (NORCO 10-325) 10-325 mg per tablet 1 tablet, oral, once PRN, PACU, moderate pain (score 4-6) Allowance for Patient Preference: once PRN if pain not alleviated by option 1 and/or option 2 prior to leave from PACU/AOD.
	HYDROcodone-acetaminophen (NORCO) 7.5-325 mg per tablet 1 tablet, oral, once PRN, PACU, moderate pain (score 4
	6) Allowance for Patient Preference: once PRN if pain not alleviated by option 1 and/or option 2 prior to leave from PACU/AOD. Give if patient can receive oral tablet/capsule.
	HYDROcodone-acetaminophen (NORCO) 5-325 mg per tablet 1 tablet, oral, once PRN, PACU, moderate pain (score 4-6 Allowance for Patient Preference: once PRN if pain not alleviated by option 1 and/or option 2 prior to leave from PACU/AOD. Give if patient can receive oral tablet/capsule.
	HYDROcodone-acetaminophen (HYCET) 7.5-325 mg/15 mL solution 2.5-108.3, oral, once PRN, PACU, moderate pain (score 4-6) Allowance for Patient Preference: once PRN if pain not alleviated by option 1 and/or option 2 prior to leave from PACU/AOD.
	If patient received IV Acetaminophen during procedure - HYDROmorphone (DILAUDID) tablet 1 mg, oral, once PRN, PACU, moderate pain (score 4-6) Allowance for Patient Preference: once PRN if pain not alleviated by option 1 and/or option 2 prior to leave from PACU/AOD. Give if patient can receive oral tablet/capsule.

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If patient received IV Acetaminophen during procedure - oxyCODONE (ROXICODONE) immediate release tablet 2.5 mg, oral, once PRN, PACU, moderate pain (score 4-6) Allowance for Patient Preference: once PRN if pain not alleviated by option 1 and/or option 2 prior to leave from PACU/AOD.
Give if patient can receive oral tablet/capsule.  Post-Op AOD Severe Pain (Pain Score 7-10)
HYDROcodone-acetaminophen (NORCO) 7.5-325 mg per tablet 2 tablet, oral, once PRN, PACU, severe pain (score 7-10) Allowance for Patient Preference: once PRN if pain not alleviated by option 1 and/or option 2 prior to leave from PACU/AOD. Give if patient can receive oral tablet/capsule.
O HYDROcodone-acetaminophen (NORCO) 5-325 mg per tablet 2 tablet, oral, once PRN, PACU, severe pain (score 7-10) Allowance for Patient Preference: once PRN if pain not alleviated by option 1 and/or roption 2 prior to leave from PACU/AOD. Give if patient can receive oral tablet/capsule.
If patient received IV Acetaminophen during procedure - HYDROmorphone (DILAUDID) tablet 2 mg, oral, once PRN, PACU, severe pain (score 7-10) Allowance for Patient Preference: once PRN if pain not alleviated by option 1 and/or option 2 prior to leave from PACU/AOD. Give if patient can receive oral tablet/capsule.
If patient received IV Acetaminophen during procedure - oxyCODONE (ROXICODONE) immediate release tablet 5 mg, oral, once PRN, PACU, severe pain (score 7-10) Allowance for Patient Preference: once PRN if pain not alleviated by option 1 and/or option 2 prior to leave from PACU/AOD. Give if patient can receive oral tablet/capsule.  Pain - Other Meds
gabapentin (NEURONTIN) oral, once, 1, Occurrences, PACU Prior to leaving PACU/AOD.
traMADol (ULTRAM) tablet 50 mg, oral, once, 1, Occurrences, PACU Allowance for Patient Preference: Prior to leaving PACU/AOD. Give if patient can receive oral tablet/capsule.
Labs
Cardiology
Imaging
Diagnostic X-Ray
Chest 1 Vw Portable 1 time imaging, PACU & Post-op, Routine, If NEW central line is placed perioperatively Is the patient pregnant?
Release to patient (Note: If manual release option is selected, result will auto release 5 days from finalization.):
Respiratory
Respiratory
Mechanical ventilation Continuous, PACU & Post-op, Routine Mechanical Ventilation: Vent Management Strategies: Adult Respiratory Ventilator Protocol
Oxygen therapy Continuous, PACU & Post-op, Routine, CONT/O2, Nasal Cannula or Mask to keep SaO2 greater than 94%. If unable to wean off Mask may transer to next level of care with up to 6 liters per minute Oxygen.  Device: ONASAL Cannula  Titrate to keep O2 Sat Above: Other (Specify) 92%  Specify titration to keep O2 Sat (%) Above: 94  Indications for O2 therapy: Immediate post-op period  Device:
Rehab
Additional Orders

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