

Location: _____

General

Admission

Patient has active status order on file.

☐ **Admit to inpatient** Once, 1, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Level of Care:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

Certification: I certify that based on my best clinical judgment and the patient's condition as documented in the HP and progress notes, I expect that the patient will need hospital services for two or more midnights.

Admission or Observation (Required)

☐ **Admit to inpatient** Once, 1, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Level of Care:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

Certification: I certify that based on my best clinical judgment and the patient's condition as documented in the HP and progress notes, I expect that the patient will need hospital services for two or more midnights.

☐ **Outpatient observation services under general supervision** Once, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Attending Provider:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

☐ **Outpatient in a bed - extended recovery** Once, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Bed request comments:

Admission or Observation

Patient has status order on file

☐ **Admit to inpatient** Once, 1, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Level of Care:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

Certification: I certify that based on my best clinical judgment and the patient's condition as documented in the HP and progress notes, I expect that the patient will need hospital services for two or more midnights.

☐ **Outpatient observation services under general supervision** Once, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Attending Provider:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

☐ **Outpatient in a bed - extended recovery** Once, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Bed request comments:

Admission or Observation (Required)

☐ **Admit to inpatient** Once, 1, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Level of Care:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

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☐ **Admit to IP- University Teaching Service** Once, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Resident Physician:

Resident team assignment:

Level of Care:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

Certification: I certify that based on my best clinical judgement and the patient's condition as documented in the HP and progress notes, I expect that the patient will need hospital services for two or more midnights.

To reach the team taking care of this patient please call the University Teaching Service Answering Service at (713) 363-9648 and ask for the team taking care of the patient to be paged. The team name is listed in both "Treatment Teams" and "Notes from Clinical Staff" sections in the Summary\Overview tab of Epic.

☐ **Outpatient observation services under general supervision** Once, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Attending Provider:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

☐ **UTS - Outpatient observation services under general supervision** Once, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Resident Physician:

Resident team assignment:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

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☐ **Outpatient in a bed - extended recovery** Once, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Bed request comments:

Admission or Observation**Patient has active status order on file**☐ **Admit to inpatient** Once, 1, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Level of Care:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

Certification: I certify that based on my best clinical judgment and the patient's condition as documented in the HP and progress notes, I expect that the patient will need hospital services for two or more midnights.

☐ **Admit to IP- University Teaching Service** Once, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Resident Physician:

Resident team assignment:

Level of Care:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

Certification: I certify that based on my best clinical judgement and the patient's condition as documented in the HP and progress notes, I expect that the patient will need hospital services for two or more midnights.

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☐ **Outpatient observation services under general supervision** Once, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Attending Provider:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☐ **UTS - Outpatient observation services under general supervision** Once, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Resident Physician:

Resident team assignment:

Patient Condition:

Bed request comments:

To reach the team taking care of this patient please call the University Teaching Service Answering Service at (713) 363-9648 and ask for the team taking care of the patient to be paged. The team name is listed in both "Treatment Teams" and "Notes from Clinical Staff" sections in the Summary\Overview tab of Epic.

☐ **Outpatient in a bed - extended recovery** Once, Routine

Admitting Physician:

Bed request comments:

Code Status

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☒ **Code Status**

DNR and Modified Code orders should be placed by the responsible physician.

☐ **Full code** Continuous, Routine

Code Status decision reached by:

☐ **DNR (Do Not Resuscitate)** (Required)

☒ **DNR (Do Not Resuscitate)** Continuous, Routine

Did the patient/surrogate require the use of an interpreter?

Did the patient/surrogate require the use of an interpreter?

Does patient have decision-making capacity?

I acknowledge that I have communicated with the patient/surrogate/representative that the Code Status order is NOT

Active until Signed by the Responsible Attending Physician.:

Code Status decision reached by:

☐ **Consult to Palliative Care Service**

☒ **Consult to Palliative Care Service** Once, Routine

Priority:

Reason for Consult?

Order?

Name of referring provider:

Enter call back number:

Reason for Consult?

Note: Please call Palliative care office 832-522-8391. Due to current resource constraints, consultation orders received after 2:00 pm M-F will be seen the following business day. Consults placed over weekend will be seen on Monday.

☐ **Consult to Social Work** Once, Routine

Reason for Consult:

Reason for Consult?

☐ **Modified Code** Continuous, Routine

Did the patient/surrogate require the use of an interpreter?

Did the patient/surrogate require the use of an interpreter?

Does patient have decision-making capacity?

Modified Code restrictions:

I acknowledge that I have communicated with the patient/surrogate/representative that the Code Status order is NOT Active until Signed by the Responsible Attending Physician.:

Code Status decision reached by:

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☐ **Treatment Restrictions ((For use when a patient is NOT in a cardiopulmonary arrest))** Continuous - Treatment Restrictions, Routine

I understand that if the patient is NOT in a cardiopulmonary arrest, the selected treatments will NOT be provided. I understand that all other unselected medically indicated treatments will be provided.:

Treatment Restriction decision reached by:

Specify Treatment Restrictions:

Code Status decision reached by:

Treatment Restrictions is NOT a Code Status order. It is NOT a Modified Code order. It is strictly intended for Non Cardiopulmonary situations.

The Code Status and Treatment Restrictions are two SEPARATE sets of physician's orders. For further guidance, please click on the link below: [Guidance for Code Status & Treatment Restrictions](#)

Examples of Code Status are Full Code, DNR, or Modified Code. An example of a Treatment Restriction is avoidance of blood transfusion in a Jehovah's Witness patient.

If the Legal Surrogate is the Primary Physician, consider ordering a Biomedical Ethics Consult PRIOR to placing this order. A Concurring Physician is required to second sign the order when the Legal Surrogate is the Primary Physician.

Isolation (Required)

Airborne plus Contact isolation is recommended for all Confirmed or Suspected COVID-19 patients.

Please refer to the Confirmed COVID or PUI section in the [Clinical Resource Guide](#) for PPE guidance.

☒ **Airborne Isolation**

☒ **Airborne isolation status** Continuous, Routine, Include eye protection

☒ **Contact Isolation**

☒ **Contact isolation status** Continuous, Routine, Include eye protection

Precautions

☐ **Aspiration precautions** Continuous, Routine

☐ **Fall precautions** Continuous, Routine

Increased observation level needed:

☐ **Latex precautions** Continuous, Routine

☐ **Seizure precautions** Continuous, Routine

Increased observation level needed:

Nursing

Vital Signs (Required)

Vital signs with link to algorithm of Stepwise management of Hypoxemia

☒ **Vital signs - T/P/R/BP** Per unit protocol, -1, Days, Routine

☒ **Pulse oximetry continuous** Continuous, -1, Days, Routine

Current FIO2 or Room Air:

Activity (Required)

☒ **Strict bed rest** Until discontinued, Routine

☐ **Bed rest with bathroom privileges** Until discontinued, Routine

Bathroom Privileges: ○ with bathroom privileges

☐ **Up with assistance** Until discontinued, Routine

Specify: ○ Up with assistance

☐ **Activity as tolerated** Until discontinued, Routine

Specify: ○ Activity as tolerated

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☒ **Limit repeated entry to room** Until discontinued, -1, Occurrences, Routine, Batch all care and work with pharmacy and providers to limit repeated entry to patient care room.

☐ **Intake and output every shift** Every shift, Routine

☐ **Incentive spirometry instructions** Once, Routine

Frequency of use:

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☐ **Telemetry**☒ **Telemetry monitoring** Continuous, 3, Days, Routine

Order: Place in Centralized Telemetry Monitor: EKG Monitoring Only (Telemetry Box)

Can be off of Telemetry for baths? Yes

Can be off for transport and tests? Yes

Reason for telemetry:

Reason?

☒ **Telemetry Additional Setup Information** Continuous, 3, Days, RoutineHigh Heart Rate (BPM): ☐ 120 ☐ 120.000Low Heart Rate(BPM): ☐ 50 ☐ 50.000High PVC's (per minute): ☐ 10 ☐ 10.000High SBP(mmHg): ☐ 175 ☐ 175.000Low SBP(mmHg): ☐ 100 ☐ 100.000High DBP(mmHg): ☐ 95 ☐ 100.000Low DBP(mmHg): ☐ 40 ☐ 95.000Low Mean BP: ☐ 60 ☐ 60.000High Mean BP: ☐ 120 ☐ 120.000Low SPO2(%): ☐ 94 ☐ 94.000☐ **Daily weights** Daily, Routine**HM IP NOTIFY COVID-19 ADMISSION**☒ **Notify Physician for vitals:** Until discontinued, RoutineMAP less than: ☐ 65 ☐ 60.000Heart rate greater than (BPM): ☐ 120 ☐ 100

Heart rate less than (BPM): 60

SpO2 less than: 92

Temperature greater than: 100.5

Temperature less than:

Systolic BP greater than: 160

Systolic BP less than: 90

Diastolic BP greater than: 100

Diastolic BP less than: 50

Respiratory rate greater than: 25

Respiratory rate less than: 8

☒ **Notify Physician for any acute changes in patient conditions (mental status, RR, O2 requirement, or other vital sign changes)** Until discontinued, -1, Days, Routine, For critical values.**Diet** (Required)☐ **NPO** Diet effective now, Routine

NPO:

Pre-Operative fasting options:

An NPO order without explicit exceptions means nothing can be given orally to the patient.

☐ **NPO after midnight** Diet effective midnight, Routine

NPO:

Pre-Operative fasting options:

An NPO order without explicit exceptions means nothing can be given orally to the patient.

☐ **Diet- Regular** Diet effective now, RoutineDiet(s): ☐ Regular

Cultural/Special:

Other Options:

Advance Diet as Tolerated?

IDDSI Liquid Consistency:

Fluid Restriction:

Foods to Avoid:

Foods to Avoid:

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☐ **Diet- Clear Liquid** Diet effective now, Routine

Diet(s): ○ Clear Liquids

Cultural/Special:

Other Options:

Advance Diet as Tolerated?

IDDSI Liquid Consistency:

Fluid Restriction:

Foods to Avoid:

Foods to Avoid:

☐ **Diet- Heart Healthy** Diet effective now, Routine

Diet(s): ○ Heart Healthy

Cultural/Special:

Other Options:

Advance Diet as Tolerated?

IDDSI Liquid Consistency:

Fluid Restriction:

Foods to Avoid:

Foods to Avoid:

IV Fluids-IV fluids for COVID-19 should be minimized.

Insert and Maintain IV / Central Line Access

☒ **Insert and Maintain IV**

☒ **Insert peripheral IV** Once, 1, Occurrences, 1, STAT

☒ **Saline lock IV** Once, 1, Occurrences, 1, Routine

☒ **sodium chloride 0.9 % flush** 10 mL, PRN, line care

☐ **Consult for Venous Access** Once, Routine

Access:

Reason for Consult?

For all venous access consults, nephrology consultation is recommended when GFR is less than 45.

Medications

General COVID-19 Treatment

Neither Azithromycin, Hydroxychloroquine nor Ivermectin (or any combination thereof) are viable treatments for COVID-19.

Use of these agents for the treatment of COVID-19 at HM shall be limited only to within the context of a clinical trial.

Contact local Clinical Pharmacy with any questions.

☐ **Moderate to Severe COVID-19**

Houston Methodist has approved this drug with certain criteria based on those who are most likely to benefit from its use. Please review the following criteria for your patient:

SARS-CoV-2 PCR or Antigen result documented within 10 days

Documented symptom onset within 10 days

REQUIRING SUPPLEMENTAL OXYGEN to maintain SpO2 GREATER than 94% or an SpO2 LESS than or EQUAL to 94% on Room Air without improvement

ALT LESS than 10x the upper limit of normal

Patients may not benefit from remdesivir treatment if they are beyond 10 days from symptom onset

☒ **remdesivir IV Loading and Maintenance Doses - HMM Only**

☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 100 mL infusion** 50 , intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 100 mL infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, daily at 1000, 4, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes

NOTE: Patients do NOT need to complete a full course of Remdesivir prior to discharge.

☒ **remdesivir IV Loading and Maintenance Doses - HMSL Only**

☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 100 mL infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
Hold for ALT greater than 500

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- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 100 mL infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, every 24 hours, 4, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
NOTE: Patients do NOT need to complete a full course of Remdesivir prior to discharge.
- ☒ **remdesivir IV Loading and Maintenance Doses - HMB Only**
- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 250 mL infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
Hold for ALT greater than 500
- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 250 mL infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, daily at 1500, 4, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
NOTE: Patients do NOT need to complete a full course of Remdesivir prior to discharge.
- ☒ **remdesivir IV Loading and Maintenance Doses - HMTW Only**
- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 100 mL infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
Hold for ALT greater than 500
- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 100 mL infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, daily at 1100, 4, Occurrences, 60.000 Minutes
NOTE: Patients do NOT need to complete a full course of Remdesivir prior to discharge.
- ☒ **remdesivir IV Loading and Maintenance Doses - HMCL Only**
- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 250 mL infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
Hold for ALT greater than 500
- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 250 mL infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, daily at 1000, 4, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
NOTE: Patients do NOT need to complete a full course of Remdesivir prior to discharge.
- ☒ **remdesivir IV Loading and Maintenance Doses - HMWB Only**
- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 250 mL infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
Hold for ALT greater than 500
- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 100 mL infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, nightly, 4, Occurrences, 60.000 Minutes
NOTE: Patients do NOT need to complete a full course of Remdesivir prior to discharge.
- ☒ **remdesivir IV Loading and Maintenance Doses - HMW Only**
- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 250 mL infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
Hold for ALT greater than 500
- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 250 mL infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, daily at 1000, 4, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
NOTE: Patients do NOT need to complete a full course of Remdesivir prior to discharge.
- ☒ **remdesivir IV Loading and Maintenance Doses - HMCCH Only**
- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 250 mL infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
Hold for ALT greater than 500
- ☒ **remdesivir in sodium chloride 0.9% 250 mL infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, daily at 1000, 4, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
NOTE: Patients do NOT need to complete a full course of Remdesivir prior to discharge.

☐ **Mild COVID-19**

Houston Methodist has approved the use of a 3 day course of remdesivir in patients with mild COVID-19 not admitted to the hospital for COVID related symptoms

Please review the following criteria for your patient:

- Patient was NOT hospitalized BECAUSE OF COVID-19 diagnosis and/or symptoms
- Patient is currently NOT REQUIRING OXYGEN (or increase in baseline oxygen requirement)
- Patient has not received remdesivir in last 90 days
- Patient is immunocompromised - OR - > 65 with at least one comorbid condition conferring high risk to progression

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If patient was hospitalized BECAUSE OF COVID-19 AND REQUIRING OXYGEN, please see "Moderate to Severe COVID-19"

☒ Mild - HMB Only

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, daily at 1500, 2, Occurrences, S+1
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ Mild - HMH Only

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, daily at 1100, 2, Occurrences, S+1
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ Mild - HMW Only

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, daily at 1500, 2, Occurrences, S+1
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ Mild - HMWB Only

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, nightly, 2, Occurrences
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ Mild - HMSL Only

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, every 24 hours, 2, Occurrences, S+1
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ Mild - HMCL Only

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, daily at 1300, 2, Occurrences, S+1
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ Mild - HMCCH Only

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, daily at 1000, 2, Occurrences, S+1
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ Mild - HMTW Only

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 200 mg, intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences, 30.000 Minutes
Hold for ALT greater than 500

☒ **remdesivir infusion** 100 mg, intravenous, daily at 1100, 2, Occurrences, 60.000 Minutes
Hold for ALT greater than 500

acetaminophen (TYLENOL) tablet

☐ **acetaminophen (TYLENOL) tablet** 500 mg, oral, every 4 hours PRN, Fever GREATER than 100.5 F, fever

Antitussives

☐ **guaifenesin (MUCINEX) 12 hr tablet** 1200 mg, oral, every 12 hours PRN, cough

☐ **benzonatate (TESSALON) capsule** 200 mg, oral, every 8 hours PRN, cough

Dexamethasone PO or IV

-Dexamethasone should only be used in COVID-19 patients (a) requiring oxygen supplementation or (b) requiring ventilator support.

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-Caution in using steroids early in COVID-19 disease (i.e. symptoms less than 7 days).

- ☐ **dexamethasone (DECADRON) tablet** 6 mg, oral, daily, 10, Occurrences
- ☐ **dexamethasone (DECADRON) IV** 6 mg, intravenous, daily, 10, Occurrences
- ☐ **dexamethasone 4 mg/mL oral suspension** 6 mg, oral, daily, 10, Occurrences

Note: Suspension is alcohol-free

☐ **Immunomodulatory Agents**☐ **Baricitinib (OLUMIANT) for COVID-19 (RESTRICTED)**

- ☒ **baricitinib (OLUMIANT) tablet (RESTRICTED)** 4 mg, oral, daily at 1700, 14, Occurrences

RESTRICTED to infectious diseases, pulmonary, or critical care specialists. Are you a specialist or ordering on behalf of one? The patient has PCR-confirmed SARS-CoV-2/COVID and is requiring Humidified High-Flow Oxygen (Airvo) support or invasive or non-invasive ventilation.:

Does the patient have a history of TB?

Does the patient have an active bacterial or fungal infection?

The patient has an ALC LESS than 200 or ANC LESS than 1000 or hemoglobin LESS than 8:

Is this patient on renal replacement therapy?

I am aware that baricitinib increases the risk for secondary bacterial and fungal infections.:

May dissolve INTACT tablet in 20-30 mL of water for administration via feeding tube. DO NOT CRUSH.

- ☐ **QuantiFERON-TB Gold Plus, 4 tube** AM draw, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

- ☐ **Coccidioides antibody, IgG/IgM by ELISA** AM draw, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

This order is a send-out test and will have a long turnaround time, perhaps days. For information about this specific test, please call 713-441-1866 Monday-Friday, 8 am-6 pm.

- ☐ **Histoplasma Abs** AM draw, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

This order is a send-out test and will have a long turnaround time, perhaps days. For information about this specific test, please call 713-441-1866 Monday-Friday, 8 am-6 pm.

- ☐ **Pharmacy consult to manage dose adjustments for renal function** Until discontinued, Routine

Adjust dose for:

Please assess for hemodialysis, peritoneal dialysis, or continuous renal replacement therapy (CRRT) orders in addition to creatine clearance when making dose adjustments.

- ☐ **tocilizumab (ACTEMRA) infusion for COVID (RESTRICTED)** intravenous, once, 1, Occurrences, STAT

RESTRICTED to infectious diseases, pulmonary, or critical care specialists. Are you a specialist or ordering on behalf of one?

Is this a repeat dose?

Does the patient have a history of TB?

Does the patient have an active bacterial or fungal infection?

Does the patient have chronic bowel disease – risk of GI perforation?

I am aware that Tocilizumab increases the risk for secondary bacterial and/or fungal infections.:

☐ **sodium chloride 0.9% bag for line care**

- ☐ **sodium chloride 0.9 % bag for line care** .9 , intravenous, PRN, line care

For flushing of extension tubing sets after administration of intermittent infusions. Program sodium chloride bag to run at the same infusion rate as medication given for a total volume equal to contents of tubing sets used. Change bag every 96 hours.

Respiratory Inhalers

- ☐ **albuterol (PROAIR HFA) inhaler** 2 puff, inhalation, every 4 hours PRN, wheezing

MDI with spacer only

- ☐ **ipratropium (ATROVENT HFA) inhaler** 2 puff, inhalation, every 4 hours PRN, wheezing

shortness of breath

MDI with spacer only

VTE

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

VTE Risk and Prophylaxis Tool (Required)

Low Risk Definition	Moderate Risk Definition Pharmacologic prophylaxis must be addressed. Mechanical prophylaxis is optional unless pharmacologic is contraindicated.	High Risk Definition Both pharmacologic AND mechanical prophylaxis must be addressed.
Age less than 60 years and NO other VTE risk factors	One or more of the following medical conditions :	One or more of the following medical conditions :
Patient already adequately anticoagulated	CHF, MI, lung disease, pneumonia, active inflammation, dehydration, varicose veins, cancer, sepsis, obesity, previous stroke, rheumatologic disease, sickle cell disease, leg swelling, ulcers, venous stasis and nephrotic syndrome	Thrombophilia (Factor V Leiden, prothrombin variant mutations, anticardiolipin antibody syndrome; antithrombin, protein C or protein S deficiency; hyperhomocysteinemia; myeloproliferative disorders)
	Age 60 and above	Severe fracture of hip, pelvis or leg
	Central line	Acute spinal cord injury with paresis
	History of DVT or family history of VTE	Multiple major traumas
	Anticipated length of stay GREATER than 48 hours	Abdominal or pelvic surgery for CANCER
	Less than fully and independently ambulatory	Acute ischemic stroke
	Estrogen therapy	History of PE
	Moderate or major surgery (not for cancer)	
	Major surgery within 3 months of admission	

Anticoagulation Guide for COVID patients ([https://formweb.com/files/houstonmethodist/documents/COVID-19 Anticoagulation Guideline - 8.20.2021v15.pdf](https://formweb.com/files/houstonmethodist/documents/COVID-19%20Anticoagulation%20Guideline%20-%208.20.2021v15.pdf))

☐ Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis with Risk Stratification (Required)

☐ Moderate Risk - Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis (Required)

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☒ **Moderate risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** Once, Routine
No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis because: patient is already on therapeutic anticoagulation for other indication.
Therapy for the following:

☒ **Place sequential compression device**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **Moderate Risk - Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** (Required)

☒ **Moderate risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** Once, Routine
No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis because: patient is already on therapeutic anticoagulation for other indication.
Therapy for the following:

☒ **Place sequential compression device**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **High Risk - Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** (Required)

☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** Once, Routine
No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis because: patient is already on therapeutic anticoagulation for other indication.
Therapy for the following:

☒ **Place sequential compression device**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **High Risk - Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** (Required)

☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** Once, Routine
No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis because: patient is already on therapeutic anticoagulation for other indication.
Therapy for the following:

☒ **Place sequential compression device**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **LOW Risk of VTE** (Required)

☒ **Low Risk** (Required)

☒ **Low risk of VTE** Once, Routine

Low risk: ☐ Due to low risk, no VTE prophylaxis is needed. Will encourage early ambulation ☐ Due to low risk, no VTE prophylaxis is needed. Will encourage early ambulation

☐ **MODERATE Risk of VTE - Surgical** (Required)

☒ **Moderate Risk** (Required)

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☒ **Moderate risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Moderate Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Surgical Patient** (Required)

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis - Order Sequential compression device**

☒ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis AND mechanical prophylaxis**

☒ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☐ **Enoxaparin (LOVENOX) for Prophylactic Anticoagulation** (Required)

Patient renal status: @CRCL@

For patients with CrCl GREATER than or EQUAL to 30mL/min, enoxaparin orders will apply the following recommended doses by weight:

Weight	Dose
LESS THAN 100kg	enoxaparin 40mg daily
100 to 139kg	enoxaparin 30mg every 12 hours
GREATER THAN or EQUAL to 140kg	enoxaparin 40mg every 12 hours

☐ **ENOXAPARIN 30 MG DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** 30 mg, subcutaneous, daily at 1700, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** subcutaneous, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily, S+1

If the patient does not have a history of or suspected case of Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia (HIT) do NOT order this medication. Contraindicated in patients LESS than 50kg, prior to surgery/invasive procedure, or CrCl LESS than 30 mL/min.

☐ **heparin**

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

High Risk Bleeding Characteristics
Age $\geq$ 75
Weight < 50 kg
Unstable Hgb
Renal impairment
Plt count < 100 K/uL
Dual antiplatelet therapy
Active cancer
Cirrhosis/hepatic failure
Prior intra-cranial hemorrhage
Prior ischemic stroke
History of bleeding event requiring admission and/or transfusion
Chronic use of NSAIDs/steroids
Active GI ulcer

☐ **High Bleed Risk**

Every 12 hour frequency is appropriate for most high bleeding risk patients. However, some high bleeding risk patients also have high clotting risk in which every 8 hour frequency may be clinically appropriate.

Please weight the risks/benefits of bleeding and clotting when selecting the dosing frequency.

☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q12 Hours** 5000 Units, every 12 hours scheduled

☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q8 Hours** 5000 Units, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Not high bleed risk**

☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**

☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Medications**

☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Mechanical Prophylaxis (Required)**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **MODERATE Risk of VTE - Non-Surgical (Required)**

☒ **Moderate Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Non-Surgical Patient (Required)**

☒ **Moderate Risk (Required)**

☒ **Moderate risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Moderate Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Non-Surgical Patient (Required)**

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis - Order Sequential compression device**

☒ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis AND mechanical prophylaxis**

☒ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☐ **Enoxaparin for Prophylactic Anticoagulation Nonsurgical** (Required)

Patient renal status: @CRCL@

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LESS THAN 100kg	enoxaparin 40mg daily
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☐ **ENOXAPARIN 30 MG DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** 30 mg, subcutaneous, daily at 1700, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** subcutaneous, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily

If the patient does not have a history of or suspected case of Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia (HIT), do NOT order this medication. Contraindicated in patients LESS than 50kg, prior to surgery/invasive procedure, or CrCl LESS than 30 mL/min

☐ **heparin**

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

High Risk Bleeding Characteristics
Age $\geq$ 75
Weight < 50 kg
Unstable Hgb
Renal impairment
Plt count < 100 K/uL
Dual antiplatelet therapy
Active cancer
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☐ **Not high bleed risk**

☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**

☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Medications**

☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Mechanical Prophylaxis (Required)**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine
No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **HIGH Risk of VTE - Surgical (Required)**

☒ **High Risk (Required)**

☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **High Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Surgical Patient (Required)**

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine
No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☐ **Enoxaparin (LOVENOX) for Prophylactic Anticoagulation (Required)**

Patient renal status: @CRCL@

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

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Weight	Dose
LESS THAN 100kg	enoxaparin 40mg daily
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GREATER THAN or EQUAL to 140kg	enoxaparin 40mg every 12 hours

☐ **ENOXAPARIN 30 MG DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** 30 mg, subcutaneous, daily at 1700, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** subcutaneous, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily, S+1

If the patient does not have a history or suspected case of Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia (HIT) do NOT order this medication. Contraindicated in patients LESS than 50kg, prior to surgery/invasive procedure, or CrCl LESS than 30 mL/min.

☐ **heparin**

High Risk Bleeding Characteristics

Age $\geq$ 75

Weight < 50 kg

Unstable Hgb

Renal impairment

Plt count < 100 K/uL

Dual antiplatelet therapy

Active cancer

Cirrhosis/hepatic failure

Prior intra-cranial hemorrhage

Prior ischemic stroke

History of bleeding event requiring admission and/or transfusion

Chronic use of NSAIDs/steroids

Active GI ulcer

☐ **High Bleed Risk**

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☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q12 Hours** 5000 Units, every 12 hours scheduled

☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q8 Hours** 5000 Units, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Not high bleed risk**

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

- ☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled
- ☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**

- ☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

- ☐ **Medications**

- ☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

- ☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Mechanical Prophylaxis (Required)**

- ☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

- ☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **HIGH Risk of VTE - Non-Surgical (Required)**

- ☒ **High Risk (Required)**

- ☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

- ☒ **High Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Non-Surgical Patient (Required)**

- ☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

- ☐ **Enoxaparin for Prophylactic Anticoagulation Nonsurgical (Required)**

Patient renal status: @CRCL@

For patients with CrCl GREATER than or EQUAL to 30mL/min, enoxaparin orders will apply the following recommended doses by weight:

Weight	Dose
LESS THAN 100kg	enoxaparin 40mg daily
100 to 139kg	enoxaparin 30mg every 12 hours
GREATER THAN or EQUAL to 140kg	enoxaparin 40mg every 12 hours

☐ **ENOXAPARIN 30 MG DAILY**

- ☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** 30 mg, subcutaneous, daily at 1700, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

- ☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** subcutaneous, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

- ☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily

If the patient does not have a history of or suspected case of Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia (HIT) do NOT order this medication. Contraindicated in patients LESS than 50kg, prior to surgery/invasive procedure, or CrCl LESS than 30 mL/min.

- ☐ **heparin**

High Risk Bleeding Characteristics
Age $\geq$ 75
Weight < 50 kg
Unstable Hgb
Renal impairment
Plt count < 100 K/uL
Dual antiplatelet therapy
Active cancer
Cirrhosis/hepatic failure
Prior intra-cranial hemorrhage
Prior ischemic stroke
History of bleeding event requiring admission and/or transfusion
Chronic use of NSAIDs/steroids
Active GI ulcer

- ☐ **High Bleed Risk**

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Please weight the risks/benefits of bleeding and clotting when selecting the dosing frequency.

- ☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q12 Hours** 5000 Units, every 12 hours scheduled

- ☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q8 Hours** 5000 Units, every 8 hours scheduled

- ☐ **Not high bleed risk**

- ☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

- ☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

- ☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**

- ☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

- ☐ **Medications**

- ☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

- ☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

- ☐ **Mechanical Prophylaxis (Required)**

- ☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

- ☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

- ☐ **HIGH Risk of VTE - Surgical (Hip/Knee) (Required)**

- ☒ **High Risk (Required)**

- ☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

- ☒ **High Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Hip or Knee (Arthroplasty) Surgical Patient (Required)**

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine
No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

- ☐ **aspirin chewable tablet** 162 mg, daily, S+1
- ☐ **aspirin (ECOTRIN) enteric coated tablet** 162 mg, daily, S+1
- ☐ **Apixaban and Pharmacy Consult** (Required)

☒ **apixaban (ELIQUIS) tablet** 2.5 mg, 2 times daily, S+1

Indications: ○ VTE prophylaxis

☒ **Pharmacy consult to monitor apixaban (ELIQUIS) therapy** Until discontinued, STAT

Indications: VTE prophylaxis

☐ **Enoxaparin (LOVENOX) for Prophylactic Anticoagulation** (Required)

Patient renal status: @CRCL@

For patients with CrCl GREATER than or EQUAL to 30mL/min, enoxaparin orders will apply the following recommended doses by weight:

Weight	Dose
LESS THAN 100kg	enoxaparin 40mg daily
100 to 139kg	enoxaparin 30mg every 12 hours
GREATER THAN or EQUAL to 140kg	enoxaparin 40mg every 12 hours

☐ **ENOXAPARIN 30 MG DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** 30 mg, subcutaneous, daily at 1700, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** subcutaneous, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily, S+1

If the patient does not have a history or suspected case of Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia (HIT) do NOT order this medication. Contraindicated in patients LESS than 50kg, prior to surgery/invasive procedure, or CrCl LESS than 30 mL/min

☐ **heparin**

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

High Risk Bleeding Characteristics
Age $\geq$ 75
Weight < 50 kg
Unstable Hgb
Renal impairment
Plt count < 100 K/uL
Dual antiplatelet therapy
Active cancer
Cirrhosis/hepatic failure
Prior intra-cranial hemorrhage
Prior ischemic stroke
History of bleeding event requiring admission and/or transfusion
Chronic use of NSAIDs/steroids
Active GI ulcer

☐ **High Bleed Risk**

Every 12 hour frequency is appropriate for most high bleeding risk patients. However, some high bleeding risk patients also have high clotting risk in which every 8 hour frequency may be clinically appropriate.

Please weight the risks/benefits of bleeding and clotting when selecting the dosing frequency.

☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q12 Hours** 5000 Units, every 12 hours scheduled

☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q8 Hours** 5000 Units, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Not high bleed risk**

☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Rivaroxaban and Pharmacy Consult (Required)**

☒ **rivaroxaban (XARELTO) tablet for hip or knee arthroplasty planned during this admission** 10 mg, daily at 0600 (TIME CRITICAL)

Indications: ☐ VTE prophylaxis

For Xarelto 15 mg and 20 mg, give with food or follow administration with enteral feeding to increase medication absorption. Do not administer via post-pyloric routes.

☒ **Pharmacy consult to monitor rivaroxaban (XARELTO) therapy** Until discontinued, STAT

Indications: VTE prophylaxis

Indication:

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**

☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Medications**

☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Mechanical Prophylaxis (Required)**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

VTE Risk and Prophylaxis Tool

Low Risk Definition	Moderate Risk Definition Pharmacologic prophylaxis must be addressed. Mechanical prophylaxis is optional unless pharmacologic is contraindicated.	High Risk Definition Both pharmacologic AND mechanical prophylaxis must be addressed.
Age less than 60 years and NO other VTE risk factors	One or more of the following medical conditions :	One or more of the following medical conditions :
Patient already adequately anticoagulated	CHF, MI, lung disease, pneumonia, active inflammation, dehydration, varicose veins, cancer, sepsis, obesity, previous stroke, rheumatologic disease, sickle cell disease, leg swelling, ulcers, venous stasis and nephrotic syndrome	Thrombophilia (Factor V Leiden, prothrombin variant mutations, anticardiolipin antibody syndrome; antithrombin, protein C or protein S deficiency; hyperhomocysteinemia; myeloproliferative disorders)
	Age 60 and above	Severe fracture of hip, pelvis or leg
	Central line	Acute spinal cord injury with paresis
	History of DVT or family history of VTE	Multiple major traumas
	Anticipated length of stay GREATER than 48 hours	Abdominal or pelvic surgery for CANCER
	Less than fully and independently ambulatory	Acute ischemic stroke
	Estrogen therapy	History of PE
	Moderate or major surgery (not for cancer)	
	Major surgery within 3 months of admission	

Anticoagulation Guide for COVID patients ([https://formweb.com/files/houstonmethodist/documents/COVID-19 Anticoagulation Guideline - 8.20.2021v15.pdf](https://formweb.com/files/houstonmethodist/documents/COVID-19%20Anticoagulation%20Guideline%20-%208.20.2021v15.pdf))

- ☐ Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis with Risk Stratification (Required)
- ☐ Moderate Risk - Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis (Required)

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☒ **Moderate risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** Once, Routine
No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis because: patient is already on therapeutic anticoagulation for other indication.
Therapy for the following:

☒ **Place sequential compression device**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **Moderate Risk - Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** (Required)

☒ **Moderate risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** Once, Routine
No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis because: patient is already on therapeutic anticoagulation for other indication.
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☒ **Place sequential compression device**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

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Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **High Risk - Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** (Required)

☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

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☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

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☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

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☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

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No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis because: patient is already on therapeutic anticoagulation for other indication.
Therapy for the following:

☒ **Place sequential compression device**

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No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **LOW Risk of VTE** (Required)

☒ **Low Risk** (Required)

☒ **Low risk of VTE** Once, Routine

Low risk: ☐ Due to low risk, no VTE prophylaxis is needed. Will encourage early ambulation ☐ Due to low risk, no VTE prophylaxis is needed. Will encourage early ambulation

☐ **Moderate Risk of VTE - Surgical** (Required)

☒ **Moderate Risk** (Required)

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☒ **Moderate risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Moderate Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Surgical Patient** (Required)

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis - Order Sequential compression device**

☒ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis AND mechanical prophylaxis**

☒ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☐ **Enoxaparin (LOVENOX) for Prophylactic Anticoagulation** (Required)

Patient renal status: @CRCL@

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☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** 30 mg, subcutaneous, daily at 1700, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** subcutaneous, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily, S+1

If the patient does not have a history of or suspected case of Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia (HIT) do NOT order this medication. Contraindicated in patients LESS than 50kg, prior to surgery/invasive procedure, or CrCl LESS than 30 mL/min.

☐ **heparin**

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

High Risk Bleeding Characteristics
Age $\geq$ 75
Weight < 50 kg
Unstable Hgb
Renal impairment
Plt count < 100 K/uL
Dual antiplatelet therapy
Active cancer
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☐ **Not high bleed risk**

☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**

☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Medications**

☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Mechanical Prophylaxis (Required)**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **Moderate Risk of VTE - Non-Surgical (Required)**

☒ **Moderate Risk (Required)**

☒ **Moderate risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Moderate Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Non-Surgical Patient (Required)**

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis - Order Sequential compression device**

☒ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

- ☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

- ☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis AND mechanical prophylaxis**

- ☒ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

- ☒ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

- ☐ **Enoxaparin for Prophylactic Anticoagulation Nonsurgical** (Required)

Patient renal status: @CRCL@

For patients with CrCl GREATER than or EQUAL to 30mL/min, enoxaparin orders will apply the following recommended doses by weight:

Weight	Dose
LESS THAN 100kg	enoxaparin 40mg daily
100 to 139kg	enoxaparin 30mg every 12 hours
GREATER THAN or EQUAL to 140kg	enoxaparin 40mg every 12 hours

- ☐ **ENOXAPARIN 30 MG DAILY**

- ☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** 30 mg, subcutaneous, daily at 1700, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

- ☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

- ☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** subcutaneous, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

- ☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily

If the patient does not have a history of or suspected case of Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia (HIT), do NOT order this medication. Contraindicated in patients LESS than 50kg, prior to surgery/invasive procedure, or CrCl LESS than 30 mL/min

- ☐ **heparin**

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

High Risk Bleeding CharacteristicsAge $\geq$ 75

Weight < 50 kg

Unstable Hgb

Renal impairment

Plt count < 100 K/uL

Dual antiplatelet therapy

Active cancer

Cirrhosis/hepatic failure

Prior intra-cranial hemorrhage

Prior ischemic stroke

History of bleeding event requiring admission and/or transfusion

Chronic use of NSAIDs/steroids

Active GI ulcer

☐ **High Bleed Risk**

Every 12 hour frequency is appropriate for most high bleeding risk patients. However, some high bleeding risk patients also have high clotting risk in which every 8 hour frequency may be clinically appropriate.

Please weight the risks/benefits of bleeding and clotting when selecting the dosing frequency.

☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q12 Hours** 5000 Units, every 12 hours scheduled

☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q8 Hours** 5000 Units, every 8 hours scheduled
☐ **Not high bleed risk**
☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled
☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**
☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Medications**
☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Mechanical Prophylaxis (Required)**
☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **High Risk of VTE - Surgical (Required)**

Address both pharmacologic and mechanical prophylaxis by ordering from Pharmacological and Mechanical Prophylaxis.

☒ **High Risk (Required)**
☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine
☒ **High Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Surgical Patient (Required)**
☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☐ **Enoxaparin (LOVENOX) for Prophylactic Anticoagulation** (Required)

Patient renal status: @CRCL@

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

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☐ **ENOXAPARIN 30 MG DAILY**

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Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** subcutaneous, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily, S+1

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☐ **heparin**

High Risk Bleeding Characteristics

Age $\geq$ 75

Weight < 50 kg

Unstable Hgb

Renal impairment

Plt count < 100 K/uL

Dual antiplatelet therapy

Active cancer

Cirrhosis/hepatic failure

Prior intra-cranial hemorrhage

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☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q12 Hours** 5000 Units, every 12 hours scheduled

☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q8 Hours** 5000 Units, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Not high bleed risk**

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

- ☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled
- ☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**

- ☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1, oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Medications**

- ☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

- ☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1, oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **High Risk of VTE - Non-Surgical** (Required)

Address both pharmacologic and mechanical prophylaxis by ordering from Pharmacological and Mechanical Prophylaxis.

- ☒ **High Risk** (Required)

- ☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

- ☒ **High Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Non-Surgical Patient** (Required)

- ☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

- ☐ **Enoxaparin for Prophylactic Anticoagulation Nonsurgical** (Required)

Patient renal status: @CRCL@

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Indication(s):

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☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

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Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

- ☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily

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- ☐ **heparin**

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High Risk Bleeding CharacteristicsAge $\geq$ 75

Weight < 50 kg

Unstable Hgb

Renal impairment

Plt count < 100 K/uL

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☐ **Not high bleed risk**
☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled
☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**
☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Medications**
☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **High Risk of VTE - Surgical (Hip/Knee) (Required)**

Address both pharmacologic and mechanical prophylaxis by ordering from Pharmacological and Mechanical Prophylaxis.

☒ **High Risk (Required)**
☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine
☒ **High Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Hip or Knee (Arthroplasty) Surgical Patient (Required)**
☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☐ **aspirin chewable tablet** 162 mg, daily, S+1

☐ **aspirin (ECOTRIN) enteric coated tablet** 162 mg, daily, S+1

☐ **Apixaban and Pharmacy Consult (Required)**
☒ **apixaban (ELIQUIS) tablet** 2.5 mg, 2 times daily, S+1
Indications: ☐ VTE prophylaxis
☒ **Pharmacy consult to monitor apixaban (ELIQUIS) therapy** Until discontinued, STAT

Indications: VTE prophylaxis

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☐ **Enoxaparin (LOVENOX) for Prophylactic Anticoagulation** (Required)

Patient renal status: @CRCL@

For patients with CrCl GREATER than or EQUAL to 30mL/min, enoxaparin orders will apply the following recommended doses by weight:

Weight	Dose
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100 to 139kg	enoxaparin 30mg every 12 hours
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☐ **ENOXAPARIN 30 MG DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** 30 mg, subcutaneous, daily at 1700, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** subcutaneous, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily, S+1

If the patient does not have a history or suspected case of Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia (HIT) do NOT order this medication. Contraindicated in patients LESS than 50kg, prior to surgery/invasive procedure, or CrCl LESS than 30 mL/min

☐ **heparin**

High Risk Bleeding Characteristics
Age $\geq$ 75
Weight < 50 kg
Unstable Hgb
Renal impairment
Plt count < 100 K/uL
Dual antiplatelet therapy
Active cancer
Cirrhosis/hepatic failure
Prior intra-cranial hemorrhage
Prior ischemic stroke
History of bleeding event requiring admission and/or transfusion
Chronic use of NSAIDs/steroids
Active GI ulcer

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Please weight the risks/benefits of bleeding and clotting when selecting the dosing frequency.

☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q12 Hours** 5000 Units, every 12 hours scheduled

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

- ☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q8 Hours** 5000 Units, every 8 hours scheduled
- ☐ **Not high bleed risk**
- ☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled
- ☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled
- ☐ **Rivaroxaban and Pharmacy Consult** (Required)
- ☒ **rivaroxaban (XARELTO) tablet for hip or knee arthroplasty planned during this admission** 10 mg, daily at 0600 (TIME CRITICAL)
Indications: ☐ VTE prophylaxis
For Xarelto 15 mg and 20 mg, give with food or follow administration with enteral feeding to increase medication absorption. Do not administer via post-pyloric routes.
- ☒ **Pharmacy consult to monitor rivaroxaban (XARELTO) therapy** Until discontinued, STAT
Indications: VTE prophylaxis
Indication:
- ☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**
- ☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700
Indication:
Dose Selection Guidance:
- ☐ **Medications**
- ☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine
Indication:
- ☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral
Indication:
Dose Selection Guidance:

VTE Risk and Prophylaxis Tool

Low Risk Definition	Moderate Risk Definition Pharmacologic prophylaxis must be addressed. Mechanical prophylaxis is optional unless pharmacologic is contraindicated.	High Risk Definition Both pharmacologic AND mechanical prophylaxis must be addressed.
Age less than 60 years and NO other VTE risk factors	One or more of the following medical conditions :	One or more of the following medical conditions :
Patient already adequately anticoagulated	CHF, MI, lung disease, pneumonia, active inflammation, dehydration, varicose veins, cancer, sepsis, obesity, previous stroke, rheumatologic disease, sickle cell disease, leg swelling, ulcers, venous stasis and nephrotic syndrome	Thrombophilia (Factor V Leiden, prothrombin variant mutations, anticardiolipin antibody syndrome; antithrombin, protein C or protein S deficiency; hyperhomocysteinemia; myeloproliferative disorders)
	Age 60 and above	Severe fracture of hip, pelvis or leg
	Central line	Acute spinal cord injury with paresis
	History of DVT or family history of VTE	Multiple major traumas
	Anticipated length of stay GREATER than 48 hours	Abdominal or pelvic surgery for CANCER
	Less than fully and independently ambulatory	Acute ischemic stroke
	Estrogen therapy	History of PE
	Moderate or major surgery (not for cancer)	
	Major surgery within 3 months of admission	

Anticoagulation Guide for COVID patients ([https://formweb.com/files/houstonmethodist/documents/COVID-19 Anticoagulation Guideline - 8.20.2021v15.pdf](https://formweb.com/files/houstonmethodist/documents/COVID-19%20Anticoagulation%20Guideline%20-%208.20.2021v15.pdf))

- ☐ Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis with Risk Stratification (Required)
- ☐ Moderate Risk - Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis (Required)

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☒ **Moderate risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis because: patient is already on therapeutic anticoagulation for other indication.
Therapy for the following:

☒ **Place sequential compression device**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **Moderate Risk - Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** (Required)

☒ **Moderate risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis because: patient is already on therapeutic anticoagulation for other indication.
Therapy for the following:

☒ **Place sequential compression device**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **High Risk - Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** (Required)

☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis because: patient is already on therapeutic anticoagulation for other indication.
Therapy for the following:

☒ **Place sequential compression device**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **High Risk - Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** (Required)

☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Patient currently has an active order for therapeutic anticoagulant or VTE prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis because: patient is already on therapeutic anticoagulation for other indication.
Therapy for the following:

☒ **Place sequential compression device**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **LOW Risk of VTE** (Required)

☒ **Low Risk** (Required)

☒ **Low risk of VTE** Once, Routine

Low risk: ☐ Due to low risk, no VTE prophylaxis is needed. Will encourage early ambulation ☐ Due to low risk, no VTE prophylaxis is needed. Will encourage early ambulation

☐ **MODERATE Risk of VTE - Surgical** (Required)

☒ **Moderate Risk** (Required)

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☒ **Moderate risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Moderate Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Surgical Patient** (Required)

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis - Order Sequential compression device**

☒ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis AND mechanical prophylaxis**

☒ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

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Patient renal status: @CRCL@

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☐ **ENOXAPARIN 30 MG DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** 30 mg, subcutaneous, daily at 1700, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** subcutaneous, S+1

Indication(s):

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☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily, S+1

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☐ **heparin**

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

High Risk Bleeding Characteristics
Age $\geq$ 75
Weight < 50 kg
Unstable Hgb
Renal impairment
Plt count < 100 K/uL
Dual antiplatelet therapy
Active cancer
Cirrhosis/hepatic failure
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☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**

☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Medications**

☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Mechanical Prophylaxis (Required)**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **MODERATE Risk of VTE - Non-Surgical (Required)**

☒ **Moderate Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Non-Surgical Patient (Required)**

☒ **Moderate Risk (Required)**

☒ **Moderate risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **Moderate Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Non-Surgical Patient (Required)**

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis - Order Sequential compression device**

☒ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis AND mechanical prophylaxis**

☒ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☐ **Enoxaparin for Prophylactic Anticoagulation Nonsurgical (Required)**

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☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**

☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Medications**

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Indication:

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Mechanical Prophylaxis (Required)**

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No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

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Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **HIGH Risk of VTE - Surgical (Required)**

☒ **High Risk (Required)**

☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

☒ **High Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Surgical Patient (Required)**

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine
No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

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Patient renal status: @CRCL@

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☐ **heparin**

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Renal impairment

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Please weight the risks/benefits of bleeding and clotting when selecting the dosing frequency.

☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q12 Hours** 5000 Units, every 12 hours scheduled

☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q8 Hours** 5000 Units, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Not high bleed risk**

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- ☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled
- ☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**

- ☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1, oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

- ☐ **Medications**

- ☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

- ☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1, oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Mechanical Prophylaxis** (Required)

- ☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

- ☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

☐ **HIGH Risk of VTE - Non-Surgical** (Required)

- ☒ **High Risk** (Required)

- ☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

- ☒ **High Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Non-Surgical Patient** (Required)

- ☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

- ☐ **Enoxaparin for Prophylactic Anticoagulation Nonsurgical** (Required)

Patient renal status: @CRCL@

For patients with CrCl GREATER than or EQUAL to 30mL/min, enoxaparin orders will apply the following recommended doses by weight:

Weight	Dose
LESS THAN 100kg	enoxaparin 40mg daily
100 to 139kg	enoxaparin 30mg every 12 hours
GREATER THAN or EQUAL to 140kg	enoxaparin 40mg every 12 hours

☐ **ENOXAPARIN 30 MG DAILY**

- ☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** 30 mg, subcutaneous, daily at 1700, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

- ☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** subcutaneous, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

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- ☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily

If the patient does not have a history of or suspected case of Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia (HIT) do NOT order this medication. Contraindicated in patients LESS than 50kg, prior to surgery/invasive procedure, or CrCl LESS than 30 mL/min.

- ☐ **heparin**

High Risk Bleeding Characteristics
Age $\geq$ 75
Weight < 50 kg
Unstable Hgb
Renal impairment
Plt count < 100 K/uL
Dual antiplatelet therapy
Active cancer
Cirrhosis/hepatic failure
Prior intra-cranial hemorrhage
Prior ischemic stroke
History of bleeding event requiring admission and/or transfusion
Chronic use of NSAIDs/steroids
Active GI ulcer

- ☐ **High Bleed Risk**

Every 12 hour frequency is appropriate for most high bleeding risk patients. However, some high bleeding risk patients also have high clotting risk in which every 8 hour frequency may be clinically appropriate.

Please weight the risks/benefits of bleeding and clotting when selecting the dosing frequency.

- ☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q12 Hours** 5000 Units, every 12 hours scheduled

- ☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q8 Hours** 5000 Units, every 8 hours scheduled

- ☐ **Not high bleed risk**

- ☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

- ☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

- ☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**

- ☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

- ☐ **Medications**

- ☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

- ☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

- ☐ **Mechanical Prophylaxis (Required)**

- ☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

- ☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

- ☐ **HIGH Risk of VTE - Surgical (Hip/Knee) (Required)**

- ☒ **High Risk (Required)**

- ☒ **High risk of VTE** Once, Routine

- ☒ **High Risk Pharmacological Prophylaxis - Hip or Knee (Arthroplasty) Surgical Patient (Required)**

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☐ **Contraindications exist for pharmacologic prophylaxis** Once, Routine
No pharmacologic VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

- ☐ **aspirin chewable tablet** 162 mg, daily, S+1
- ☐ **aspirin (ECOTRIN) enteric coated tablet** 162 mg, daily, S+1
- ☐ **Apixaban and Pharmacy Consult** (Required)

☒ **apixaban (ELIQUIS) tablet** 2.5 mg, 2 times daily, S+1

Indications: ○ VTE prophylaxis

☒ **Pharmacy consult to monitor apixaban (ELIQUIS) therapy** Until discontinued, STAT

Indications: VTE prophylaxis

☐ **Enoxaparin (LOVENOX) for Prophylactic Anticoagulation** (Required)

Patient renal status: @CRCL@

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100 to 139kg	enoxaparin 30mg every 12 hours
GREATER THAN or EQUAL to 140kg	enoxaparin 40mg every 12 hours

☐ **ENOXAPARIN 30 MG DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** 30 mg, subcutaneous, daily at 1700, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **ENOXAPARIN SQ DAILY**

☒ **enoxaparin (LOVENOX) injection** subcutaneous, S+1

Indication(s):

Administer by deep subcutaneous injection into the left and right anterolateral or posterolateral abdominal wall. Alternate injection site with each administration.

☐ **fondaparinux (ARIXTRA) injection** 2.5 mg, subcutaneous, daily, S+1

If the patient does not have a history or suspected case of Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia (HIT) do NOT order this medication. Contraindicated in patients LESS than 50kg, prior to surgery/invasive procedure, or CrCl LESS than 30 mL/min

☐ **heparin**

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Dual antiplatelet therapy
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Cirrhosis/hepatic failure
Prior intra-cranial hemorrhage
Prior ischemic stroke
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☐ **HEParin (porcine) injection - Q8 Hours** 5000 Units, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Not high bleed risk**

☐ **Wt > 100 kg** 7500 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Wt LESS than or equal to 100 kg** 5000 Units, subcutaneous, every 8 hours scheduled

☐ **Rivaroxaban and Pharmacy Consult (Required)**

☒ **rivaroxaban (XARELTO) tablet for hip or knee arthroplasty planned during this admission** 10 mg, daily at 0600 (TIME CRITICAL)

Indications: ☐ VTE prophylaxis

For Xarelto 15 mg and 20 mg, give with food or follow administration with enteral feeding to increase medication absorption. Do not administer via post-pyloric routes.

☒ **Pharmacy consult to monitor rivaroxaban (XARELTO) therapy** Until discontinued, STAT

Indications: VTE prophylaxis

Indication:

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN)**

☐ **WITHOUT pharmacy consult** 1 , oral, daily at 1700

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Medications**

☒ **Pharmacy consult to manage warfarin (COUMADIN)** Until discontinued, Routine

Indication:

☐ **warfarin (COUMADIN) tablet** 1 , oral

Indication:

Dose Selection Guidance:

☐ **Mechanical Prophylaxis (Required)**

☐ **Contraindications exist for mechanical prophylaxis** Once, Routine

No mechanical VTE prophylaxis due to the following contraindication(s):

☒ **Place/Maintain sequential compression device continuous** Continuous, Routine

Side: Bilateral

Select Sleeve(s):

Labs

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HM IP COVID-19 GENERAL ADMISSION LABS

☐ **CBC with platelet and differential** STAT, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

☐ **Comprehensive metabolic panel** STAT, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **Prothrombin time with INR** STAT, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **Partial thromboplastin time, activated (PTT)** STAT, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

Do not draw blood from the arm that has heparin infusion. Do not draw from heparin flushed lines. If there is no other access other than the heparin line, then stop the heparin, flush the line, and aspirate 20 ml of blood to waste prior to drawing a specimen.

☐ **Troponin T** STAT, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **NT-proBNP** STAT, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **Procalcitonin** STAT, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **Creatine kinase, total (CPK)** STAT, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

☐ **Blood culture, aerobic and anaerobic x 2**

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Most recent Blood Culture results from the past 7 days:

@LASTPROCRESULT(LAB462)@

Blood Culture Best Practices (<https://formweb.com/files/houstonmethodist/documents/blood-culture-stewardship.pdf>)

☒ **Blood culture, aerobic & anaerobic** Once, Routine, Blood, Collect before antibiotics given. Blood cultures should be drawn from a peripheral site. If unable to draw both sets from a peripheral site, please call the lab for assistance; an IV line should NEVER be used.

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☐ **hCG qualitative, urine screen** STAT, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Urine

Release to patient (Note: If manual release option is selected, result will auto release 5 days from finalization.):

Laboratory-COVID-19 Inflammatory bundle

☒ **C-reactive protein** Once, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **Interleukin 6** Once, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **Ferritin level** Once, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **D-dimer** Once, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **LDH** Once, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **Fibrinogen** Once, Routine, Blood, 3

☐ **Lactic acid level - Now and repeat 2x every 3 hours** Now and repeat 2x every 3 hours, 3, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

HM IP COVID-19 REPEAT ADMISSION LABS

☐ **CBC with platelet and differential** AM draw repeats, 3, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

☐ **Comprehensive metabolic panel** AM draw repeats, 3, Occurrences, Routine, Blood, 3

☐ **ADDITIONAL DAILY LABS for Critical Illness/Clinical Deterioration**

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☒ **Troponin T** AM draw repeats, 3, Occurrences, S+1, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **D-dimer** AM draw repeats, 3, Occurrences, S+1, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **LDH** AM draw repeats, 3, Occurrences, S+1, Routine, Blood, 3

☒ **Ferritin level** AM draw repeats, 3, Occurrences, S+1, Routine, Blood, 3

Laboratory-Type and Screen

☒ **Type and screen** STAT, 1, Occurrences, Routine, Blood

Respiratory

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Avoid BiPAP and CPAP to avoid aerosolization of virus

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[Click here for COVID-19 Oxygen therapy algorithm](#) (\\epic-nas.et0922.epichosted.com\\static\\OrderSets\\COVID19 Hypoxemia Algorithm.pdf)

☐ **Oxygen therapy** Continuous, Routine, Keep HFNC flow under 30L/min

Device: ○ High Flow Nasal Cannula (HFNC)

Titrate to keep O2 Sat Above: 92%

Device:

Indications for O2 therapy:

Cardiology

HM IP COVID CARDIOLOGY ORDERS

ECG on admission to ICU for baseline QTc and daily if on multiple agents that prolong QTc.

☐ **ECG 12 lead** STAT, 1, Occurrences, Routine, 6

Clinical Indications: ○ Rate/Rhythm

Interpreting Physician:

☐ **ECG 12 lead** Daily, 3, Occurrences, Routine, 6

Clinical Indications:

Interpreting Physician:

☐ **Transthoracic Echocardiogram Complete, (w Contrast, Strain and 3D if needed)** 1 time imaging, Routine

Does this study require a chemo toxicity strain protocol?

Does this exam need a strain protocol?

Call back number for Critical Findings:

Where should test be performed?

Does this exam need a bubble study?

Preferred interpreting Cardiologist or group:

If this patient has had an echocardiogram ordered/performed within the past 120 hours as indicated by repeat Echo orders report on the left. Please contact the Echo department at 713-441-2222 to discuss the reason for a repeat exam with a cardiologist.

For STAT order, select appropriate STAT Indication. Please enter the cell phone number for the ordering physician so the echo attending can communicate the results of the stat test promptly. If the phone number is not entered, we will not be able to perform the test as stat. Please note that nursing unit phone number or NP phone number do not meet this request'

Other Indications should be ordered for TODAY or Routine.

For Discharge or Observation patient, please choose TODAY as Priority.

Imaging

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☒ **XR Chest 1 Vw Portable** 1 time imaging, 1, Occurrences, STAT

Is the patient pregnant?

Release to patient (Note: If manual release option is selected, result will auto release 5 days from finalization.):

☐ **Daily XR Chest 1 Vw Portable** Daily imaging, -1, Occurrences, S+1, Routine, Consider daily CXR for the following patients:

Age > 70, BMI > 40, or Increasing O2 requirements on the floor.

Is the patient pregnant?

Release to patient (Note: If manual release option is selected, result will auto release 5 days from finalization.):

Physician Consults

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Consider using these consults to assist with management of the COVID-19 positive patient.

☐ **Consult Infectious Diseases for moderate to severe COVID-19 patient** Once, Routine

Reason for Consult? ○ Management of COVID-19 positive patient

Patient/Clinical information communicated?

Patient/clinical information communicated?

To Provider:

Provider Group:

☐ **Consult Pulmonary/Crit Care for respiratory insufficiency** Once, Routine

Reason for Consult? ○ Management of COVID-19 positive patient with respiratory insufficiency

Patient/Clinical information communicated?

Patient/clinical information communicated?

To Provider:

Provider Group:

Sign: _____ Printed Name: _____ Date/Time: _____

☐ **Consult Nephrology/Hyperten** Once, Routine

Reason for Consult?

Patient/Clinical information communicated?

Patient/clinical information communicated?

To Provider:

Provider Group:

Ancillary Consults

Pharmacy Consults

☐ **Pharmacy consult to change IV medications to concentrate fluids maximally** Until discontinued, Routine

☐ **Pharmacy consult to manage dose adjustments for renal function** Until discontinued, Routine

Adjust dose for:

Please assess for hemodialysis, peritoneal dialysis, or continuous renal replacement therapy (CRRT) orders in addition to creatine clearance when making dose adjustments.

COVID-19 CONSULTS

☐ **Consult to Palliative Care Service**

☒ **Consult to Palliative Care Service** Once, Routine

Priority:

Reason for Consult?

Order?

Name of referring provider:

Enter call back number:

Reason for Consult?

Note: Please call Palliative care office 832-522-8391. Due to current resource constraints, consultation orders received after 2:00 pm M-F will be seen the following business day. Consults placed over weekend will be seen on Monday.

☐ **Consult to Nutrition Services** Once, Routine

Reason For Consult?

Purpose/Topic:

Reason for Consult?

☐ **Consult to Spiritual Care** Once, Routine

Reason for consult?

Reason for Consult?

For requests after hours, call the house operator.

☐ **Consult to Social Work** Once, Routine

Reason for Consult:

Reason for Consult?

☐ **Consult to Case Management** Once, Routine

Consult Reason:

Reason for Consult?