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**PHYSICIAN'S ORDERS
PREOP TOTAL JOINT SURGERY**

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1. General:

Today's Date: _____ Time: _____

Date of Surgery: _____

Preop Diagnosis: DJD Right Left Bilateral Hip Knee
 Total Shoulder Total Ankle Other: _____

Patient Weight: _____ KG

Allergies: NKA Yes: _____

- OK to give cefazolin (Ancef) if patient has PCN allergy
- OK to give acetaminophen (Tylenol) if patient has acetaminophen allergy
- OK to give Ropivacaine Joint Mixture if patient has allergies to Ropivacaine, Ketorolac, NSAIDs or Epinephrine
- OK to give 3M skin and nasal antiseptic if patient has povidone or iodine allergy

2. Preop Medications:

a.) Nasal decontamination

- 3M skin and nasal antiseptic to each nostril at least 1 hour prior to surgery

b.) IV Fluids:

- 1,000 mL LR @ 150 ml/hr

c.) Antibiotic:

- Cefazolin (Ancef) **2 gram IV** (for weight less than 120 kg)
- Cefazolin (Ancef) **3 gram IV** (for weight greater than or equal to 120 kg)
- Cefepime 2 gram IV
- Vancomycin 15 mg/kg IV (Pharmacy to dose and round up to the nearest 250 mg. Max dose 2 grams.)
- Levofloxacin 500 mg IV
- Other Antibiotic _____

d.) Multimodal Pain Relief:

- Gabapentin (Neurontin) 300 mg PO x 1 dose preop *
- Acetaminophen (Tylenol) PO: patient is greater than or equal to 50 kg = acetaminophen 975 mg PO x 1 dose preop*
- Acetaminophen (Tylenol) PO: patient is less than 50 kg = acetaminophen 650 mg PO x 1 dose preop*
- Scopolamine (Transderm-Scop) 1.5 mg Patch** to be applied preop * (for patients less than or equal to 70 years of age and **no** history of glaucoma).

* Remove from Pyxis; all other medications sent from Pharmacy

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- e.) **Dexamethasone (Decadron)** 8 mg IV push x 1 dose intraop to be administered by anesthesia
- f.) **Ondansetron (Zofran)** 4 mg IV push x 1 dose at time of wound closure to be administered by anesthesia
- g.) **Tranexamic Acid:**
- Tranexamic Acid 1 gram IV in 50 ml NSS to be administered over 15 minutes by Anesthesia at the beginning of surgery.
AND
IF patient is greater than or equal to 70 KG when weighed upon arrival to SSSU, administer an additional Tranexamic Acid 1 gram IV in 50 ml NSS in PACU immediately postop, to be given by the PACU Nurse.
- No Tranexamic Acid due to contraindications.
- Topical Tranexamic Acid 1 gm in 50 ml NSS syringe
- h.) **Naropin (Ropivacaine) Joint Mixture:**
- Knee, left or right:** 3 syringes.
Syringe #1 and 2 contain Naropin (ropivacaine) 0.5% 137.5 mg,
Toradol (ketorolac) 15 mg, and Epinephrine 0.25 mg.
Syringe #3 contains Naropin (ropivacaine) 0.5% 125 mg.
- Knee, Bilateral:** 4 syringes (2 for each knee).
Syringes A and B contain Naropin (ropivacaine) 0.5% 100 mg,
Toradol (ketorolac) 15 mg, and Epinephrine 0.25 mg.
Syringes C and D contain Naropin (ropivacaine) 0.5% 100 mg.
- No Naropin (Ropivacaine) Joint Mixture due to contraindications.
- i.) **For Revisions: antibiotic to be added to cement:**
- Tobramycin 1.2 gm powder: _____ vials
- Vancomycin 1 gm powder: _____ vials

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