

## PALMS WEST HOSPITAL ORTHOPEDIC DAY OF SURGERY ORDERS

Register Patient as:  Observation  Inpatient  Outpatient      Date of Procedure: \_\_\_\_\_

Surgical Procedure: \_\_\_\_\_ Surgeon: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies/Reaction:  NKDA  List \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ kg Patient Height: \_\_\_\_\_

### Preoperative Orders

1. Initiate anesthesia protocol.
2. Beta-blocker prophylaxis (*for surgery if patient currently taking a beta-blocker*): \_\_\_\_\_.
3. VTE Prophylaxis:  SCDs  Contraindicated (Bilateral Amputee, lower leg trauma, lower leg wounds, patient refusal)
4. Surgical Site Preparation:  
(*Preparation of groin, pelvic, abdominal, splinted or cases extremity cases to be prepped in OR, otherwise preparation to be completed in ASU*)
  - Clip hair around incision site
  - 2% Chlorhexidine gluconate cloth for procedures scheduled with implants
5. MRSA, MSSA screen (if not completed already).

### Medications:

#### Preoperative antibiotic:

- Patient weight less than 120 kg: Cefazolin 2 gm IV once; infuse within 60 minutes prior to incision
- Patient weight greater than or equal to 120 kg: Cefazolin 3 gm IV once; infuse within 60 minutes prior to incision
- MRSA positive/unknown MRSA surveillance swabs/MRSA History:**  
Vancomycin 1000 mg IV once over 60 minutes, infuse within 120 minutes prior to incision  
For total joint implant: (add cefazolin to vancomycin):
  - Patient weight less than 120 kg: Cefazolin 2 gm IV once; infuse within 60 minutes prior to incision
  - Patient weight greater than or equal 120 kg: Cefazolin 3 gm IV once; infuse within 60 minutes prior to incision
- If beta-lactam allergy and cannot tolerate a cephalosporin:**  
Vancomycin 1000 mg IV once over 60 minutes, infuse within 120 minutes prior to incision  
For total joint implant: (add aztreonam to vancomycin): Aztreonam 2 gm IV once within 60 min prior to incision

#### Other Preoperative Medications:

- Acetaminophen 1000 mg PO x 1
- Celecoxib 200 mg PO x 1
- Celecoxib 400 mg PO x 1
- Gabapentin (Neurontin) 600 mg PO x 1
- Oxycodone SUSTAINED release (Oxycontin) 10 mg PO x1
- Oxycodone IMMEDIATE release (OxylR) 10 mg PO x 1
- Dexamethasone 8 mg IV x 1
- Metoclopramide 10 mg IV x 1
- Scopolamine Patch apply one patch behind ear at least 1 hour prior to surgery.
- Tranexamic acid 1000 mg IV over 10 minutes x 1 dose (Physician to assess for thrombotic risk)
- Tranexamic acid 1000 mg IV over 10 min every 2 hours x 2 doses (Physician to assess for thrombotic risk)
- Peri-articular injection to be prepared prior to surgery for instillation peri-articular once during surgery:
  - o Ropivacaine 250 mg, ketorolac 30 mg, epinephrine 0.5 mg, QS with normal saline to 100 mL total volume

#### Other Orders:

Physician Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Physician Name (Printed): \_\_\_\_\_

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