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Conway Medical Center
Conway, South Carolina

Center Patient Admission
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PHYSICIAN'S ORDERS
For IV Phenylephrine (Neo-Synephrine)
ER/ICU/ and CCL Only

USE: Used in vascular failure in shock, shock-like states and drug induced hypotension, to increase blood pressure. Also will increase pulmonary artery pressure. Useful as alternative in patients who develop unacceptable tachycardia and tachydysrhythmias with dopamine or norepinephrine.

Another brand of drug identical in form
and content may be dispensed unless checked. ☐

Drug Allergies:

Concentration: Phenylephrine 10mg in 250mls of NS (concentration 40 mcg/ml)

Starting dose: 20 mcg/min

Maintenance dose: 20-400 mcg/min,

Titrate rate: 10 mcg/min every 5 min, Max dose 730 mcg/min

Goal MAP > _____ or SBP > _____

Obtain BP and HR upon initiation, with all titrations, Q 5 min x 4, then Q15 min x 4 until stable then Q 1hr.

*****Notify physician if goal is not met at max dose*****

Blood volume depletion should be corrected before phenylephrine therapy is initiated. Extravasation or peripheral ischemia can cause sloughing and necrosis of tissue in the surrounding areas (Antidote: Regitine).

Use with caution in patients with sulfite sensitivity, Cardiogenic shock, uncompensated CHF, bradycardia, pulmonary edema, and heart block. Reduce dose in presence of liver failure.

MD Signature

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Date

Time

Nurse # 1 verifying rate

Nurse # 2 verifying rate