# **Hospital Formulary Entry: PREDNISONE**

#### **Document Control Information**

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Risk Level:	Critical

# **Standard Dosing Protocol**

**Current Standard Dose:** Standard dosing per label **Monitoring Requirements:** Standard warnings

#### **Administration Guidelines**

Route of Administration: IM Frequency: Once daily Duration: Until discontinued

Patient Population: Patients similar to case: 1, age 53

#### **Contraindications and Precautions**

**Contraindications:** Enhanced screening for risk factors **Adverse Events:** Respiratory failure, Listeriosis, Pyrexia

## **Detailed Clinical Considerations**

### **Patient Monitoring Protocol**

Regular monitoring is essential for safe administration of PREDNISONE. Current protocols require Standard warnings. Healthcare providers should assess patient response and adjust therapy accordingly. Baseline laboratory values should be obtained prior to initiation. The mechanism of action involves PREDNISONE mechanism with identified safety concern. Clinical efficacy has been demonstrated in Respiratory failure, Listeriosis, Pyrexia.

## **Special Populations**

Elderly Patients: Dose adjustment may be required based on renal function and overall health status.

Pediatric Patients: Safety and efficacy not established in patients under 18 years.

**Pregnancy:** Use only if potential benefit justifies potential risk to fetus. **Nursing Mothers:** Exercise caution when administering to nursing women.

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