



NAUSEA/VOMITING

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ADULT

Routine Patient Care

Cardiac Monitor

Vascular access

ONDANSETRON 4mg
Slow IVP/IO/ODTMay repeat x1 PRN
in 10 minutes**Considerations:**

- IV should ideally be given over 2-5 minutes and no less than 30 seconds.
- When administering the IV push it is critical to administer slowly in order to avoid profound hypotension.
- An IO should not be initiated only for Ondansetron administration

Side Effects:

- Tachycardia
- Hypotension
- Syncope (If given too fast)

Contraindications to Ondansetron:

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- Concomitant use with apomorphine (Parkinson's medication)
- Congenital long Q-T Syndrome

PEDIATRIC

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Under 10kg
(approx. age <1yr)

Contact Base Hospital

10-18kg
(approx. age 1yr - 4yrs)

ONDANSETRON
2 mg IM/IO/IV
(IV over 60 seconds or more*).

May repeat once in 10 minutes.

*When administering IV it is critical to administer **SLOWLY** to avoid profound hypotension.*

>18kg
(approx. age 4+yrs)

ONDANSETRON
4 mg IM/IO/IV/ODT
(IV over 60 seconds or more*).

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