

**PILOT PROGRAM
TACTICAL EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PROTOCOL**

- (j) Ketorolac (Toradol) (injectable)
 - (i) AVAILABILITY.....30 mg/mL IV/IM
 - (ii) ACTION.....Non-steroidal anti-inflammatory pain medication
 - (iii) INDICATIONS.....Mild to moderate pain
 - (iv) CONTRAINDICATIONSKnown hypersensitivity, renal insufficiency (not failure), PUD/GERD/ GI bleed history
 - (v) PRECAUTIONS.....Do not use with other NSAIDs; caution with concomitant steroid use; aPlasma CC (D 3rd trimester) ^a?
 - (vi) OPERATIONAL STATUS?.....Operational
 - (vii) SIDE EFFECTS.....GI upset/nausea; GI bleeding risk
 - (viii) INTERACTIONS.....
 - (ix) DOSAGE.....15–30 mg IM/IV every 6–8 hours
- (7) Sleep/Wake
 - (a) **Caffeine (No-Doz)**
 - (i) AVAILABILITY.....200 mg tablet
 - (ii) ACTION.....Enhances alertness
 - (iii) INDICATIONS.....Suspected caffeine withdrawal headache; to facilitate functioning with limited rest periods
 - (iv) CONTRAINDICATIONSKnown hypersensitivity
 - (v) PRECAUTIONSaL CB ^a?
 - (vi) OPERATIONAL STATUS?.....Operational
 - (vii) SIDE EFFECTS.....Insomnia
 - (viii) INTERACTIONS.....
 - (ix) DOSAGE.....200 mg / 3–4 hours as needed
 - (b) Zaleplon (Sonata) (sleeper)
 - (i) AVAILABILITY.....10 mg capsule
 - (ii) ACTION.....Anxiolytic/hypnotic; shortest t-1/2 of agents available
 - (iii) INDICATIONS.....Facilitate rest during non-operational periods in prolonged deployment/ transportation; minimum 4-hour block required for usage (6 hours preferred)
 - (iv) CONTRAINDICATIONSKnown hypersensitivity, unsecure location, lack of assured 4-hour non-operational period
 - (v) PRECAUTIONS.....May not drive/operate machinery/use weapons for minimum 4 hours post-administration; aL CC ^a-
 - (vi) OPERATIONAL STATUS?.....NON-OPERATIONAL (x 4 hours after administration)
 - (vii) SIDE EFFECTS.....Sedation

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- (viii) INTERACTIONS.....Alcohol/other sedatives
potentiate effect
- (ix) DOSAGE.....10–20 mg with assured 4-hour non-
operational block, as approved by
MD/DO and Team Commander
- (c) Modafinil (Provigil)
 - (i) AVAILABILITY200 mg tablet
 - (ii) ACTION.....Enhances alertness/concentration
 - (iii) INDICATIONS.....To facilitate functioning with limited
rest periods
 - (iv) CONTRAINDICATIONS.....Known hypersensitivity
 - (v) PRECAUTIONS.....aL CC ^a?
 - (vi) OPERATIONAL STATUS?.....Operational
 - (vii) SIDE EFFECTS.....Insomnia, mild blood pressure
elevation
 - (viii) INTERACTIONS.....
 - (ix) DOSAGE200 mg once daily
- (8) Wound Management
 - (a) Cyanoacrylate tissue adhesive (Dermabond)**
 - (i) AVAILABILITYSingle use ampoules
 - (ii) ACTION.....Tissue adhesive
 - (iii) INDICATIONS.....Minor trauma
 - (iv) CONTRAINDICATIONS.....Known hypersensitivity
 - (v) PRECAUTIONS.....Avoid near eyes
 - (vi) OPERATIONAL STATUS?.....Operational
 - (vii) SIDE EFFECTS.....Transient local discomfort
 - (viii) INTERACTIONSN/A
 - (ix) DOSAGEAs required for wound closure,
2–4 layered applications
 - (b) Topical hemostatic dressing**
 - (i) AVAILABILITYIndividual use packages
 - (ii) ACTION.....Promotes blood clotting
 - (iii) INDICATIONS.....Hemorrhage
 - (iv) CONTRAINDICATIONS.....Known hypersensitivity
 - (v) PRECAUTIONS.....Standard/universal precautions
for wound care
 - (vi) OPERATIONAL STATUS?.....NON-OPERATIONAL
 - (vii) SIDE EFFECTS.....N/A
 - (viii) INTERACTIONSN/A
 - (ix) DOSAGE.....Single or multiple dressings
applied to bleeding wound
 - (c) Steri-strips**
 - (i) AVAILABILITYIndividual use packages
 - (ii) ACTION.....Facilitates closure of wounds
 - (iii) INDICATIONS.....Superficial wounds
 - (iv) CONTRAINDICATIONS.....Known hypersensitivity to adhesive