

**ALLERGIES:****HT:****WT:**

1. Admit to: ☐ Observation ☐ 19th Floor ☐ ICU ☐ 18th Floor ☐ Telemetry
2. Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Admission Physician: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Call Dr. \_\_\_\_\_ (resident) at either 257-1889 or \_\_\_\_\_ as first call.
5. Condition: ☐ Stable ☐ Fair ☐ Serious ☐ Critical
6. VITAL SIGNS: ☐ Every shift and PRN with BP and pulse taken lying and sitting  
☐ Notify MD if BP is less than 90/60 or greater than 170/110, Pulse is greater than 110 or less than 60, urine output is less than 25cc over 4 hour, altered mental status, Temp 101° or higher or 3° increase in one shift, RR greater than 24, O<sub>2</sub> sat less than 90% or H/H less than \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
☐ FULL CODE unless written order to contrary
7. ACTIVITY: ☐ Patient out of bed every shift with assistance ☐ Ambulate only with assistance  
☐ Out of bed for meals ☐ Bedridden patients to receive range of motion exercises 3 times daily nursing staff
8. NURSING: ☐ Weight on arrival and each AM ☐ Encourage Oral intake of fluids  
☐ Eucerin cream to body post each bath, bathe patient every other day  
☐ Turn every 2 hours ☐ Low Flow Air Mattress
9. DIET: ☐ Regular Diet ☐ ADA ☐ Renal Calories: \_\_\_\_\_
10. IV/FOLEY: ☐ Hep-Lock ☐ See Attached IV Orders  
☐ **No** Foley without approval from faculty physician
11. STANDING MEDICATIONS:  
☐ **No** Metformin and **No** Demerol without approval from faculty physician  
☐ Tylenol 500 mg x 2 PO every 4 hours PRN headache or pain  
☐ Lactulose 15cc PO every AM PRN constipation  
☐ Maalox 30cc PO 4 times per day PRN indigestion  
☐ Surfak 240 mg PO daily ☐ Sienna 1 PO BID  
☐ Compression Hose or ☐ SCD or ☐ Lovenox 40 mg SQ daily
12. IMMUNIZATIONS: ☐ Pneumovax ☐ Give Flu Vaccination
13. LABS: Complete the checked items if not done in ER or not attached  
☐ Complete Blood Count ☐ Complete Metabolic Profile  
☐ CXR (PA and Lat) ☐ Urinalysis and C&S (cath specimen)  
☐ KUB ☐ Blood cultures x 2 prior to antibiotics  
☐ ABG ☐ EKG (12 Lead)  
☐ Guaiac all stools

DO NOT USE ABBREVIATIONS

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| MS | MS04 | MGS04 | QD | QOD | U | IU | Zero after the decimal point | Lack of leading zero before decimal point |
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 **NIX Health Care System**  
Geriatric Admission Order

