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ALLERGY/INTOLERANCE STATUS FORM (PHC-PH047)

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CARDIAC SURGERY PRE-OPERATIVE ORDERS

[see corresponding Medication Administration Record PH255-MA (R. Jul 23-15)]

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MOST RESPONSIBLE CARDIAC SURGEON: Dr. _____

ADMISSION INSTRUCTIONS:

Cardiac Surgery Clinical Pathway Ejection Fraction: _____ %
Estimated Length of Stay: CSICU: _____ days Total: _____ days
Scheduled Surgery: Date: _____ Time: _____
Old Charts

CODE STATUS: Full code or ☐ refer to completed Options for Care and Resuscitation / DNAR Orders (PHC-PH254)

DIET: ☐ Healthy Heart ☐ Diabetic
☐ Fluid restriction (all patients with heart failure; EF less than 40%) _____ L/day
☐ if AM case: NPO after 24:00 ☐ if PM case: NPO after 05:00

ACTIVITY: Activity as tolerated
chlorhexidine shower and wipes evening pre-op, wipes morning of surgery

CONSULTS: Psychiatry as per criteria on back of this page Monday-Friday 0900-1700 pager # 34391
Addiction Consult Team as per criteria on back of this page
Other: _____

MONITORING: Height on admission
Daily weights
☐ No telemetry
☐ Telemetry: may suspend for shower/transport off unit (Class II)
☐ Telemetry; monitor **at all times**, including transport off unit (requires nursing escort) (Class I)

LABORATORY: Renal profile, CBC and diff, PTT, INR, albumin, HB A1C and urinalysis on admission to
PAC/Ward (unless done and available within 48 hours of admission)
☐ ALT, AST, LDH, GGT, ALK phos, total bilirubin on admission to PAC/Ward (unless done and available
within 48 hours of admission)
☐ HIV - Done only with patient permission. Documentation to be completed by physician
Type and screen. Cross match 2 units RBC
If patient is diabetic, capillary blood glucose checks QID

DIAGNOSTICS: PA and left lateral Chest X-ray (not necessary if done and available within 48 hours for inter-hospital
transfers or within 6 weeks for elective patients)
☐ Echocardiogram (physician to complete requisition EK009)
☐ Carotid doppler studies (physician to complete requisition)
12-lead ECG (unless done and available within 48 hours of admission)

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PSYCHIATRY CONSULT CRITERIA

- 1) Past history of **delirium**
- 2) Active psychiatric illness (including depression)
- 3) Dementia and/or other neurological illness
- 4) Patient is on 2 or more psychiatric medications
- 5) Reported history of current excessive alcohol intake or if answered YES to ANY questions on the CAGE questionnaire in the Nursing Admission Assessment
- 6) History of CNS event

ADDICTION CONSULT TEAM REFERRAL CRITERIA

- 1) Patients scheduled for **valve surgery** who report a history (past or present) of; Illicit drug use, prescribed drug use or alcohol use that is negatively affecting health, patients currently on a methadone program and complex addictions and addiction-related pain



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MEDICATIONS:

Discontinue ASA ☐ day or surgery ***OR*** ☐ 3 days pre-op

Discontinue P2Y12 Inhibitors (e.g. clopidogrel, prasugrel or ticagrelor) Specify: _____

☐ 48 hours pre-op ***OR*** ☐ 7 days pre-op

Discontinue warfarin 5 days pre-op

If INR is equal to or above 1.3, give Vitamin K 1mg PO once 24h pre-op. Repeat INR in AM or
STAT INR in Surgical Day Care

Discontinue dabigatran

☐ 3 days pre-op (for CrCl greater than 50 mL/min)

☐ 5 days pre-op (for CrCl 30 to 50 mL/min)

☐ 7 days pre-op (for CrCl less than 30 mL/min)

Discontinue Factor Xa Inhibitor (e.g. rivaroxaban or apixaban) Specify: _____

☐ 48 hours pre-op ***OR*** ☐ 72 hours pre-op

Discontinue low molecular weight heparin Specify: _____

☐ 24 hours pre-op (e.g. enoxaparin) ***OR*** ☐ 36 hours pre-op (e.g. dalteparin)

Discontinue IV heparin on call to OR

Discontinue ACE inhibitors / ARB (e.g. ramipril, candesartan) 48 hours pre-op

Specify: _____

Beta blocker (specify) _____ mg PO morning of surgery

Calcium channel blocker (specify) _____ mg PO morning of surgery

Discontinue diuretics morning of surgery (e.g. furosemide, hydrochlorothiazide, metolazone)

Specify: _____

Discontinue oral hypoglycemics (e.g. glyburide, metformin) and insulin on day of surgery

Specify: _____

mupirocin 2% ointment – apply to both nares BID x 48 hours pre-op

chlorhexidine gluconate 0.12% oral rinse 15 mL swish for 30 seconds and spit QID x 48 hours pre-op

ranitidine 150 mg PO 2 hours pre-op

Thromboprophylaxis: as per completed VTE Risk Assessment and Prophylaxis Orders (Form PHC-PH408)

Anti-infectives:

Antibiotic infusion must be completed within 60 minutes before skin incision.
Patients known to be colonized with MRSA should receive both ceFAZolin and vancomycin.
For penicillin allergic patients, refer to PHC Penicillin Allergy Guidelines on reverse to determine
if ceFAZolin can be safely administered.

☐ weight below 80 kg: ceFAZolin 1 g IV on induction and Q4H throughout surgery

☐ weight 80 to 120 kg: ceFAZolin 2 g IV on induction and Q4H throughout surgery

☐ weight above 120 kg: ceFAZolin 3 g IV on induction and Q4H throughout surgery

Penicillin allergic and/or known MRSA colonization:

☐ weight below 80 kg: vancomycin 1 g in 250 mL IV over 60 minutes pre-op via infusion pump

☐ weight above 80 kg: vancomycin 1.5 g in 500 mL IV over 90 minutes pre-op via infusion pump

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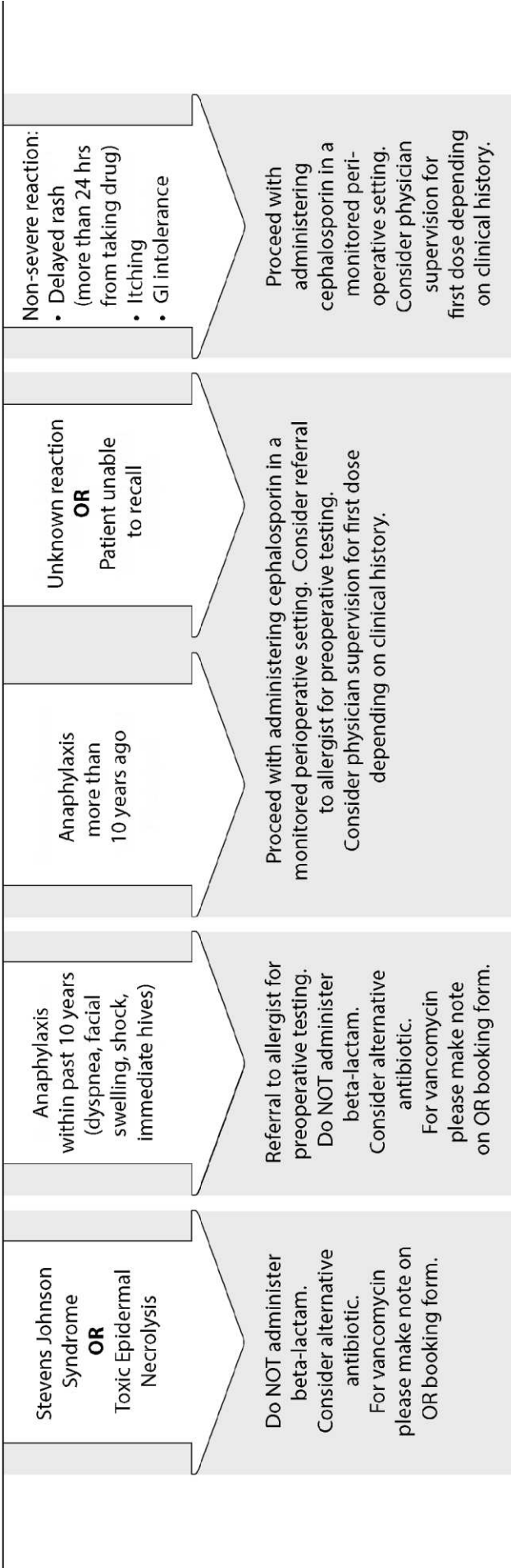
Suspected Penicillin Allergy in Patients Undergoing Surgery

This algorithm is meant to help surgeons, anesthesiologists, nurses, and pharmacists clarify reported penicillin allergy in the context of peri-operative antibiotic prophylaxis.

KEY MESSAGES

- Cephalosporins may be prescribed to patients with reported penicillin allergy if physicians use the clinical decision support algorithm below.
- If the reaction to penicillin occurred more than 10 years ago, the likelihood of a reaction to cephalosporin is low due to diminished IgE levels.¹
- Only 10% of all patients who report a penicillin allergy are diagnosed as skin-test positive.² Of those who are skin-test positive, there is only a 2% cross-reactivity rate with cephalosporins for patients who have a true penicillin allergy³ (i.e. 0.2% of all patients reporting allergy).
- Overall there is less than a 1 in 100,000 risk of anaphylaxis with a cephalosporin in patients reporting a penicillin allergy.³

ASSESS THE TYPE OF REACTION TO PENICILLIN



References

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- For Inpatients:** ☐ quetiapine 12.5 to 25 mg PO HS PRN insomnia
OR
☐ zopiclone 3.75 mg PO HS PRN insomnia; may repeat once
docusate 200 mg PO BID
☐ if no BM in last 24 hours, MICROLAX enema rectally the evening prior to surgery
☐ if no BM in last 24 hours, magnesium citrate 15 g (1 bottle) PO the evening prior to surgery

If patient is diabetic, HOLD oral hypoglycemic and scheduled insulin on day of surgery and start insulin regular human subcutaneous sliding scale with capillary blood glucose check Q4H while patient is NPO (start in surgical day care and ward):

Capillary Blood Glucose (mmol/L)	Insulin Regular Human (subcutaneous)
4 or less	Start Hypoglycemia Protocol
4.1 to 8	0 units
8.1 to 12	2 units
12.1 to 14	4 units
14.1 to 16	7 units
16.1 to 20	10 units
Over 20	12 units and call prescriber

If OR cancelled: stop above orders and fax cancellation to Pharmacy

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