

VTE Prophylaxis Orders and Flow Sheet

Date: _____ Patient Name: _____ Age: _____ Weight: _____

Diagnosis: _____ Most recent chemotherapy date: _____

Regimen: _____ Surgery Date _____

JUSTIFICATION FOR USE:

<u>Hospitalization</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Patient is hospitalized and does not have contraindications for anticoagulation
<u>Perioperative</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Patient undergoing major surgery* for cancer and does not have contraindications for anticoagulation Site: <input type="checkbox"/> Abdominal <input type="checkbox"/> Pelvic <input type="checkbox"/> Gynecologic <input type="checkbox"/> Intracranial
<u>Ambulatory</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Patient has Multiple Myeloma and is receiving thalidomide or lenalidomide plus chemotherapy and/or dexamethasone and does not have contraindications for anticoagulation <input type="checkbox"/> thalidomide <input type="checkbox"/> lenalidomide <input type="checkbox"/> chemotherapy <input type="checkbox"/> dexamethasone <input type="checkbox"/> other corticosteroid

CONTRAINDICATIONS:

WARNING: If patient has contraindications to anticoagulation do not administer VTE prophylaxis or treatment or use only w/extreme caution		
<input type="checkbox"/> active, uncontrollable bleeding	<input type="checkbox"/> recent intracranial surgery	<input type="checkbox"/> preexisting thrombocytopenia
<input type="checkbox"/> active cerebrovascular hemorrhage	<input type="checkbox"/> active peptic or other GI ulceration	<input type="checkbox"/> preexisting coagulopathy
<input type="checkbox"/> dissecting or cerebral aneurysm	<input type="checkbox"/> severe, uncontrolled or malignant hypertension	<input type="checkbox"/> heparin-induced thrombocytopenia (heparin, LMWH)
<input type="checkbox"/> bacterial endocarditis	<input type="checkbox"/> severe head trauma	<input type="checkbox"/> epidural catheter placement
<input type="checkbox"/> pericarditis	<input type="checkbox"/> pregnancy (warfarin)	

PLAN FOR PROPHYLACTIC ANTICOAGULATION:

Anticoagulant	Dose and Modifications	Regimen	Route	Schedule							
Unfractionated Heparin (UFH)	5000 Units	Every 8 hours	Subcut								
Dalteparin	5000 Units	Daily	Subcut								
Enoxaparin	40 mg	Daily	Subcut								
Fondaparinux	2.5 mg	Daily	Subcut								

Dalteparin (Fragmin ®); Enoxaparin (Lovenox ®); Fondaparinux (Arixtra ®); Tinzaparin (Innohep ®)

Mechanical Method				Schedule

For patients receiving chemotherapy - Write dose to be given in appropriate box. After it is administered, write in site and your initials.

Cycle #	Day of cycle	Date to be given	Dose to be given	MD Initials	Dose given	Site	RN Initials

Notes: * Major surgery defined as laparotomy, laparoscopy, or thoracotomy lasting >30 minutes

Reviewed by _____ on _____

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