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Patient Last Name, First Name

Date of Birth

PRESCRIPTION & ORDERS

Medication Allergies

- Ask Patient whether Ace inhibitor taken within the last 72 hours
- Ask Patient whether there is a Heparin or Lidocaine Allergy
- Look at Patient bottle of medications on initial treatment and if any changes

Apheresis Treatment

- 1.5 plasma volume apheresis treatment protocol
- I.V. Heparin 30 units/kg bolus and 30 units/kg/hour continuous infusion
- Fluid infusion per protocol

Pre-Apheresis Laboratory Assays

- Initial treatment Infection Panel I: (ALT, HBSAG, HIV ab, HTLV I/II ab, Hepatitis C ab)
- Infectious Panel II: (ALT, HBSAG, Hepatitis C ab) every six months
- Lipid Panel
- Protime
- Prothrombin Time
- CBC
- Complete Metabolic Panel with Calcium
- LDL-C Direct when triglyceride level is greater than 400 mg/dl

Post-Apheresis Laboratory Assays

- Lipid Panel

Medications

- Benadryl 25-50 mg P.O. or I.V. push PRN allergy may repeat x3
- Valium 5 mg P.O. or I.V. push PRN anxiety may repeat x1
- Lidocaine skin injection over venous access sites PRN pain prevention

Other Orders

- Have patient bring in all bottles of medications for next treatment if any changes
- Schedule next apheresis treatment
- Set Heparin pump to zero thirty minutes before end of treatment

Physician Signature

Date