



**PERMANENT PACEMAKER
PHYSICIAN ORDERS**

DIRECTIONS: Complete dosage information and check boxes to activate orders.

Procedure Date: _____ **Time:** _____

Dx: _____ **Physician:** _____

- 1. Admit to Cardiac Outpatient Center as: Outpatient AM Admit
- 2. History and Physical Dictated # _____ Date _____ Faxed to Pre-op
- 3. Consent to read:
 - Insertion of Permanent Pacemaker Dependent – external pacer
 - Generator Replacement Not Dependent
 - Other _____
- 4. Drug allergies: _____
- 5. NPO after midnight NPO _____ hours before procedure.
- Take the following medication(s) _____ with a sip of water.
- Diagnostic tests/labs: Call M.D. if platelet ct <100, Hgb <10g/dl, K⁺ < 3.5mmol/L, Creatinine >2.0 and Protime >15 seconds, INR >1.6 . If INR >1.6 redraw STAT on admit Urine and labs within 72 hours
- CBC UA BMP PT EKG (within 30 days) Other _____
- PA chest X-ray, pre-op reading. 3-view if over age 60. No CXR if one done within 30 days
- Routine Vital signs
- Old charts
- Pre-Procedure orders
- Clip and Phisohex Left Right Both Neck and anterior shoulder area
- Start large bore IV in same arm as prep side with _____ @ _____ ml/hr.
- If diabetic, check fingerstick. Call physician if blood sugar is < 80 or > 250.
- Cefazolin (Ancef[®]) _____ Gm IVPB x 1 within one hour prior to skin incision
- Vancomycin _____ Gm IVPB x 1
 - Please check any that apply if ordering Vancomycin:**
 - Beta-lactam (penicillin or cephalosporin) allergy
 - Known prior infection or colonization with MRSA
 - High risk due to acute inpatient hospitalization within last year
 - High risk due to long-term care within the year prior to admit
 - Increased MRSA rate, operation-specific
 - Chronic wound care or dialysis
- Pre procedure medication on call
- Diphenhydramine (Benadryl[®]) _____ mg PO x 1
- Lorazepam (Ativan[®]) _____ mg PO x 1
- Alprazolam (Xanax[®]) _____ mg PO x 1
- Other _____

MD Signature _____ MD#: _____ Date/Time: _____

Noted by RN _____ Date/Time _____

Verify telephone / verbal orders written and read back by RN _____ initials _____