

# Pharmacist Noon Huddle Summary

## 1/25/21 to 1/29/21

### NEW!

- Miller West Yellow Road is back to pediatric patients. Miller West Red Road can still take adult patients but not planning to and the eventual plan is to change Red Road back to pediatric patients again.
- There are PICU patients in the MCH PACU (currently 4 beds – Beds 8, 9,10 and 11 - C3E BPA1S/8). The BPA Acudose has been filled with additional medications to accommodate needs of PICU patients, but not all. Thus, we will be delivering more medications to the Med Cart located near Bed 8 and 9. Also, please add to your verification filters and clinical list the MCHSurge PACU to view these patients.
- MBU (Mother Baby Unit) may overflow to C2W. More information to come.

### WORKFLOW

- 1ml syringes are backordered. Please read Okkyung's email on 1/26/21 and Robert's email on 1/22/21 for the workflow changes to conserve 1ml syringes.
- Correction to the PPROM order will go live February 3, 2021. These corrections will reduce the timing med errors from nursing when the 6 IV doses of cefazolin end and the first dose of Keflex is given. Please read Susan's email on 1/26/21.
- Update to the non-HD desensitization workflow:
  - C technician will make the non-HD desensitizations (rituximab) and blincyto due during the morning shift instead of S1. S2 will continue to make these during the evening.
  - Non-HD desensitizations will be made in the Cleanroom in the STAT hood and recorded on Medkeeper. PIV/PEIV will check the medication.
  - Please refer to previous emails about the correct tubing setup.
- Pentobarbital Drip Volume Update – We stock the 20ml Pentobarbital vial size. We do not carry the 50 ml vials and we should be verifying Pentobarb drips to multiples of 20 ml. Of course, for small rates, you can change to 20 mls, but please **do not** verify Pentobarb drips to 50 mls, as the drug is very expensive and this would waste ½ a vial! Please read Dan's email on 1/25/21.
- Minibags now print with the items on the IV Cart Fill. Unasyn 3 gm has been added to the list of products that can be verified as Minibag for **women's patients**. The antibiotics and doses that can be verified as MB are: Aztreonam 1gm, Cefepime 2gm, Cefoxitin 1gm, Ceftriaxone 1gm and 2gm, Ampicillin/Sulbactam 3gm **\*New\***
- Abacus has been upgrade to 3.3. It will ask you for a new password when you log in the first time, but everything in the program should be the same. Shortcuts for version 3.2 will not work. You need to add a new shortcut for Abacus version 3.3. Please contact Robert if you have any questions.
- Hem-Onc – Day Care – Do NOT pull/enter orders from patient's previous Progress Notes. The Clinic will enter the orders. Lisa Melton is the RN who will enter the orders. Her number is x38515 if you need to call her.

### REMINDERS:

- There is a Pharmacy HemOnc Team Zoom meeting on 2/8/21 from 1:45 PM to 3PM. Please see Zoom if you want to attend.
- Employee Health – TB Screening Update – CDC has provided some guidelines on timing for TB testing and COVID vaccination. Please read Dan's email on 1/26/21.
- Everbridge (Memorial Care Alert System) – On Friday, January 29<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m. MemorialCare will be conducting a test of the AlertMC (Everbridge) system. Please use this opportunity to update your employee information in M.E. to receive these messages in the priority you would prefer.
- Night Pharmacist Hung Tran will be retiring soon. If you want to contribute to Tran's retirement gift, please see Deana or Dan.

- Viennesa Franco, a LB Technician Coordinator, will be leaving her position on 2/5/21 to join the Outpatient/Ambulatory Pharmacy Team (Children's Village Pharmacy). Please wish her good luck in her new position.
- Want a tour of the new Children's Village? Click on the link to RSVP. Tentative open date of the Children's Village is 2/22/2021. <https://www.millerchildrenshospitallb.org/village-rsvp/employees>.
- Your W2 for tax year 2020 is now available on M.E. See email from Salemma on 1/29/21 for more information.
- The Infusion Center will be treating patients with High Risk Food Allergen Challenge. You may see some common oral medications (loratadine, prednisone or famotidine) to treat allergies in EPIC. You should not see IV medications though. Please contact Dan if you have any questions.
- January 2021 YouRXcellent Nominees – Andrew, Ashley, Cathy, Gina, Lang, Madonna, Maleny x2, Melody, Millie, Patrick x2, Rosette, Tiffany, Victor x2 and the **WINNER is Edmund x2.**

## IMAGE OF THE WEEK:

