

# REMO

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## **Advisory 2007-01: Ondansetron and Protocol Updates**

**The 2007 REMO Protocol update will be released in April. However, there are regional hospitals that are no longer restocking promethazine (Phenergan) because of concerns for its use intravenously.**

**The Medical Advisory Committee is authorizing the use of the 2007 Protocol Updates for Nausea and/or Vomiting and a new medication, Ondansetron (Zofran), by agencies that have personnel who have received in-service training approved by their Medical Directors. Only personnel that have received appropriate training may use these protocols.**

### **Attachment:**

**2007 Regional Protocols**

**General: Nausea and/or Vomiting**

**Pediatric: Nausea and/or Vomiting**

## General: Nausea and/or Vomiting (2007 Update)

### EMT

- ABC and vital signs
- Airway management with high concentration oxygen

### EMT STOP

### INTERMEDIATE

- Vascular access, with bloods drawn
- Normal Saline 250 ml bolus IV

### INTERMEDIATE STOP

### CCT

### PARAMEDIC

- Cardiac Monitor
- Consider 12 Lead EKG
- Ondansetron (Zofran) 4 mg IV or IM, may repeat x 1 in 10 minutes

### CCT AND PARAMEDIC STOP

### PHYSICIAN OPTIONS

- Midazolam (Versed) .05 mg/kg IV or IM

### Key Points/Considerations

- Consult REMO physician if patient has any of the following: systolic BP less than 90, allergies to medications other than antibiotics, pregnancy or head trauma

# Pediatric: Nausea and/or Vomiting (2007 Update)

## EMT

### INTERMEDIATE

- ABC and vital signs
- Airway management with high concentration oxygen

 **EMT AND INTERMEDIATE STOP**

## CCT

- Cardiac Monitor

 **CCT STOP**

## PARAMEDIC

- Vascular access
- Normal Saline 20 ml/kg IV bolus

 **PARAMEDIC STOP**

## PHYSICIAN OPTIONS

- Ondansetron (Zofran) 0.1 mg/kg IV or IM

## Key Points/Considerations