

NURSING CARE PLAN No 32
CHEMOTHERAPY ADMINISTRATION
Use careplan in conjunction with careplan 1

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Care Plan No 32 Problem		Chemotherapy Administration Goals		Issue Date: April 2020	
..... is receiving chemotherapy		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Administer Chemotherapy safely. Detect and treat side effects promptly. 		Review Date: April 2023	
No	NURSING INTERVENTION	Commencement, Date, Signature, Time, Grade	Discontinued, Date, time, Signature, Grade		
1	Medication Safety				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Administer chemotherapy as per Medication Policy - Safe Practice with Cytotoxic drugs (OLCHC), and Intravenous Guidelines (OLCHC). Wear appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) as per OLCHC Safety statement 				
2	Administration				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain Chemotherapy regime and possible side effects to and parents. Administer anti-emetics as prescribed. Two chemotherapy competent registered nurses check chemotherapy Patient identity is confirmed Chemotherapy is prescribed by Consultant - protocol and consent are signed Chemotherapy Checklist has been reviewed and all appropriate tests and investigations have been reviewed by medical staff Patient is designated fit for chemotherapy by medical staff Observations to be recorded before during and after chemotherapy to be detailed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Temperature, Pulse, Respirations, Blood pressure, Oxygen saturations and frequency?? Chemotherapy dose is correct, drug label is correct with patient name, medical healthcare record number, date of birth, drug, dose, volume, rate, expiry date detailed Chemotherapy is clear with no precipitation within the syringe/bag Chemotherapy giving set is primed with appropriate fluid compatible with chemotherapy Monitor for specific side effects as per protocol detail Correct infusion rate is set on pump. 				
3	PPE and Waste management				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wear PPE when handling excreta (urine, stool, vomit) for 7 days post chemotherapy administration. Discard nappies in Clinical Waste Bags / Bin as per Waste Management policy (OLCHC ...) Wear PPE, when handling chemotherapy infusion bags and giving sets on completion of infusions. Discard in appropriate Cytotoxic sharps bin (Purple). (Waste Management policy (OLCHC ...) 				
4	Other detail				

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