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| BLOOD LEVELS MONITORING | | | | NO. 102 | |
| PURPOSE: To provide a standard for monitoring of therapeutic blood levels of certain medications listed below:  ROUTINE UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED  LAB WORK PER PHYSICIAN’S STANDING ORDERS OR AS OTHERWISE DIRECTED   1. Anti-spasmodic: SGPT / SGOT q 6 months 2. Anti-convulsants: Blood level and CBS q 6 months 3. Diuretics: K-level q 6 months 4. Lithium Preparations: Lithium level and CBC q 6 months, BMP q 3 months, TSH, T4 q 3 months 5. Digitalis Preparations: Serum lanoxin q 6 months 6. Chronulac: Electrolytes q 6 months 7. Anti-coagulant:  * Coumadin PT/INR as ordered by M.D. or q month * Heparin PTT q month  1. Risperdol, Seroquel, Zyprexa: Lipid Profile and FBS q 6 months 2. Depakote: VPA q 6 months, CBC, LFT q 6 months 3. Synthroid, Levothyroid: TSH q year 4. Lipitor, Zocor: Lipid Profile q 6 months, LFT q 3 months X 1 year then q 6 months 5. Potassium Chloride: K+ level q 6 months 6. FeSo4: CBC q 6 months 7. Glucophage: CMP q 6 months; hold for condition change and notify M.D. 8. Lipid Profile: Male 35-65 q year; Female 45-65 q year 9. TSH for females 50 years older or older upon admission | | | | | |
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