

Motion Sickness, Movement Related or Positional N/V, Vertigo, Meniere's Disease

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| 1) | <u>Meclizine (Antivert®)</u> OR
<u>Scopolamine (Transderm Scop®)</u>
<i>...if not effective, discontinue the above and initiate...</i> | 12.5-25mg PO q8-12h PRN
Behind ear q3d (1.5mg) | Drowsiness
Dry Mouth, Drowsiness, Blurred Vision, Nightmares |
| 2) | <u>Dimenhydrinate (Dramamine®)</u>
<i>...if not effective, discontinue the above and initiate...</i> | 25-50mg PO q4-6h PRN | Drowsiness, Dry Mouth |
| 3) | <u>Promethazine (Phenergan®)</u> OR
<u>Prochlorperazine (Compazine®)</u>
<i>...if not effective, discontinue the above and initiate...</i> | 6.25-25mg IV/PO q4-6h PRN
5-10mg IV/PO q6h PRN | Drowsiness, EPS
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| 4) | <u>Haloperidol (Haldol®)</u>
<i>...if not effective, discontinue the above and initiate...</i> | 0.5-1.0mg PO/IV q6h PRN | Drowsiness, potential EPS |
| 5) | <u>Lorazepam (Ativan®)</u> + <u>Haldol or Phenergan</u> | 0.5-2.0mg PO/IV q6h PRN | Drowsiness, Retrograde Amnesia |

WARNING: Avoid any combinations of Haldol, Phenergan, and Compazine!

If history of EPS consider adding benztropine (Cogentin®) 0.5 mg BID or diphenhydramine 12.5 mg BID with antiemetics and use lowest antiemetic dose

Diabetes Mellitus/ Gastroparesis/Postprandial N/V

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| 1) | <u>Metoclopramide (Reglan®)</u>
<i>...if not effective add...</i> | 20-30mg PO/IV qid AC & HS | EPS with high doses |
| 2) | <u>Tegaserod (Zelnorm®)</u>
<i>...if not effective add...</i> | 6mg PO bid | Headache, Diarrhea |
| 3) | <u>Erythromycin</u> | 125-250mg IV/SUS bid | Abdominal Pain, Stomach Upset |

POST-OPERATIVE NAUSEA & VOMITING (PONV)

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| 1) | <u>Promethazine (Phenergan®)</u> or | 6.25-12.5 mg IV/PO q4-6h PRN | Drowsiness, EPS |
| 2) | <u>Prochlorperazine (Compazine®)</u>
<i>...if not effective, discontinue the above and/or add...</i> | 5-10mg IV/PO q6h PRN | Drowsiness, Dry Mouth |
| 3) | <u>Ondansetron (Zofran®)</u>
<i>...if not effective, discontinue the above and/or add...</i> | 4mg IV q12h PRN (over 24h post-op) | Headache, Constipation |
| 4) | <u>Dronabinol/THC (Marinol®)</u> | 5-10mg PO q4h PRN | Confusion, Drowsiness, Dysphoria |

Drug Induced N/V: Narcotic, NSAIDS, SSRI, Chloroquine, Antibiotics (Cipro, Imipenem, Metronidazole, Erythromycin), Colchicine, Timolol Eye drops