Tufts Medicine Care at Home

IV Medication Clinical Fact Sheet

**NOTE: THIS IS A PART B DRUG UNDER THE NEW HIT BENEFIT**

**Medicare patients may only be accepted under contract with New England Life Care and clinician must follow specific documentation instructions**

IV Medication: Med Class:

Morphine sulfate Pain - Narcotic analgesic

Risk Level: 2

Common Uses:

Labs to Monitor:

Instructions/Precautions:

First Dose Allowed: Central Line Only: IV Push:

Vesicant:

See Procedure Manual:

Pain management 0

SC or IV not for epidural. Orthostatic Hypotension, Respiratory depression, Somnolence, Observe when ambulating. Caution in Elderly. May use Basal rate only or with Boluses. Withdraw slowly.

IF IV

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Infusion Therapy: Patient-controlled Analgesia

Notes: Only drugs listed as First Dose Allowed may be given in the home as a first dose and are considered for a first dose on a case by case basis by the Manager

The Manager and/or Clinical Director must be consulted before a first dose referral is accepted

Risk Levels: n/a = Routinely given; Clinician must be approved to administer IV medications 1= Mgr or Clinical Director approval before referral is accepted 2= Mgr notification; Clinicians must review Special Instructions