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### IRON INFUSION (v. 4/2/2026)

Diagnosis/Indication: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Medications:

- .. Medicare patients **without** chronic kidney disease: Monoferic (Ferric Derisomaltose) 1 g in 250 mL of normal saline over 20 minutes IV x 1 dose
- .. Medicare patients **with** chronic kidney disease: Iron sucrose 200 mg in 100 mL of normal saline over 30 minutes IV x 5 doses within 14 days
- .. Commercial/ Medicaid patients (can be used in pregnancy): Iron sucrose 200 mg in 100 mL of normal saline over 30 minutes IV x 5 doses within 14 days
- .. Commercial patients (can be used in 2nd & 3rd trimester pregnancy): Monoferic (Ferric Derisomaltose) 1 g in 250 mL of normal saline over 20 minutes IV x 1 dose. **\*\* Requires prior authorization with iron infusion order \*\***
- .. Pregnant patients (any insurance): Iron sucrose 300 mg in 250 mL of normal saline over 1.5 hours IV on day 1 and 8 then 400 mg in 250 mL of normal saline over 2.5 hours IV on day 15
- \*Maximum iron sucrose dose 1000 mg in 14 day period
  
- .. Methylprednisolone 125 mg IV x 1 dose (pre-iron infusion- optional)
- .. Sodium chloride 0.9% at 100 mL/hr, use smallest volume bag possible. Run concurrent with iron infusions as needed for vein discomfort (optional)

#### Nursing communications:

- Vital signs: Initial and as needed
- Monitor patient for signs and symptoms of hypersensitivity (anaphylaxis, flushing, dyspnea, tachycardia, increased blood pressure)
- Slow rate 50% for rate-related reactions like chest discomfort

#### Access:

- .. Insert peripheral IV
  - Every visit, remove after IV administration complete
- .. Access & Use Central Line/ CVAD
  - Initiate Central Line (Non-PICC) Maintenance Protocol
  - Heparin, porcine (PF) 100 unit/mL flush 5 mL as needed for Port-a-Cath line care
  - Alteplase (Cathflo) 2 mg as needed for occluded catheter. For clearing central line catheter- retain in catheter for 30 minutes to 2 hours, instill a 2nd dose if occluded
- .. Access & Use PICC
  - Initiate PICC Maintenance Protocol
  - Normal saline flush 3 mL as needed for PICC/ Hickman line care
  - Alteplase (Cathflo) 2 mg as needed for occluded catheter. For clearing central line catheter- retain in catheter for 30 minutes to 2 hours, instill a 2nd dose if occluded

#### Emergency Medications:

- MethylPREDNISolone sodium succinate (Solu-MEDROL) 125 mg IV once as needed for shortness of breath, continued symptoms of mild to moderate drug reaction (flushing, dizziness, headaches, diaphoresis, fever, palpitations, chest discomfort, blood pressure changes ( $\geq$  20 points in SBP), nausea, urticaria, chills, pruritic). Contact provider if given.
- Epinephrine 0.3 mg IM once for anaphylaxis. If reaction does not resolve in 3 minutes may repeat 0.3 mg IM dose for a total of 0.6 mg. Avoid use of hand, foot, leg veins in elderly patient and those with occlusive vascular disease. Contact provider if given.
- Famotidine (PEPCID) 20 mg IV once as needed for infusion/ allergic reaction.

Patient name \_\_\_\_\_

Provider printed name: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Provider signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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## **Iron infusion at the PeaceHealth Riverbend Regional Infusion Center (v. 4/2/26)**

### **Venofer (Iron sucrose):**

- Use if Medicare patient who has chronic renal failure + iron deficiency, Commercial or Medicaid patients
  
- Medicare: <https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Transmittals/downloads/R1708b3.pdf>
  
- For Medicare patients: need to include ICD-10 code for both conditions:
  - o Chronic renal failure (primary diagnosis)- N18.3, N18.4, N18.5, N18.6
  - o Iron deficiency anemia (secondary diagnosis)- D50.0, D50.1, D50.9, D63.1
  
- Medicaid: [Iron Sucrose \(Venofer\) HCPCS code J1756: Billing Guidelines | NC Medicaid](#)
  
- For Commercial or Medicaid patients
  - o D50. 0, D50.1, D50.8, D50.9, D63.0, D64.81, D50.8, D50.9, O46.0 as primary diagnosis
  - o Add secondary diagnosis as indicated (cancer, chemotherapy, pregnancy, comorbid heart failure, GI blood loss, disorder of iron metabolism, intravascular hemolysis, etc)

### **Monoferric (Ferric Derisomaltose):**

- [Monoferric Provider Billing and Coding Flashcard.pdf](#)
  
- Use for Medicare patients in other conditions
  
- Use ICD-10 code:
  - o D50. 0, D50.1, D50.8, D50.9 as primary diagnosis
  - o If D63.0, D63.8 are used then need to code neoplasm or underlying disease first