



ADULT MEDICATION GUIDELINE

Celecoxib

Scope (Staff): All WNHS Staff

Scope (Area): Obstetrics and Gynaecology

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Medication Class

Non-steroidal anti-inflammatory (NSAID)

Presentation

Form: Capsule: 100mg

Storage

Store at room temperature, below 25°C

Dose

Pain (postoperative, musculoskeletal or soft tissue), Period pain

Oral: 200mg once or twice daily if needed. Maximum 5 days treatment.

Ankylosing spondylitis, osteoarthritis, rheumatoid arthritis

Oral: 100mg twice daily, may increase to 200mg twice daily (short term)

Risk of cardiovascular adverse events is dose related; do not use >200mg daily long term

Monitoring

Renal: Contraindicated in CrCl <30 mL/min

Hepatic: Contraindicated in severe impairment

Pregnancy

1st Trimester: Consider alternative

2nd Trimester: Consider alternative

3rd Trimester: Consider alternative

For more information, please contact [KEMH Obstetric Medicines Information Service](#).

Breastfeeding

Considered safe to use

Comments

Regular oral NSAIDs may be commenced as soon as 1 hour after IV parecoxib or 2 hours after rectal diclofenac.

Related Policies, Procedures & Guidelines

WNHS Clinical Practice Guidelines:

[Perineal care and repair: Protection, Assessment, and Management \(includes episiotomy, infiltration, suturing, third/fourth degree tears\)](#)

[Labour and Post-operative Analgesia](#)

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WNHS Pharmaceutical and Medicines Management Guidelines:

[WNHS Medication Management Guideline "Return and Disposal of Medications"](#)

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




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