



**ADULT MEDICATION GUIDELINE**

**Noradrenaline (Norepinephrine)**

<b>Scope (Staff):</b>	All WNHS Staff
<b>Scope (Area):</b>	Obstetrics and Gynaecology

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**Medication Class**

Sympathomimetics (cardiovascular)

**Presentation**

**Ampoule:** 4mg/4mL (1:1000)

**Storage**

Store below 25°C. Protect from light.

**Dose**

Refer to Clinical Guideline: [Gynaecology \(Non-oncological\)](#)

**Administration**

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**Monitoring**

Continuous cardiac monitoring is required  
 Extravasation can cause tissue necrosis.

## Pregnancy

**1<sup>st</sup> Trimester:** Safe to use

**2<sup>nd</sup> Trimester:** Safe to use

**3<sup>rd</sup> Trimester:** Safe to use

## Breastfeeding

Safe to use

## Related Policies, Procedures & Guidelines

### WNHS Clinical Practice Guidelines:

[Gynaecology \(Non-oncological\)](#)









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