

# Heparin Protocol for Intra-aortic Balloon Pump (IABP) [4979]

## General

## Nursing

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Weigh patient	Routine, Once
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notify pharmacist	Routine, Until discontinued, Starting S, Contact pharmacist if a physician writes heparin orders. Heparin dose or infusion changes to be made by pharmacist only. Notify Pharmacist immediately if the patient transfers or has an off unit procedure.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Heparin instructions	Routine, Until discontinued, Starting S Do not interrupt heparin infusion unless ordered. Contact pharmacist regarding compatibility with other IV drugs if access is a concern. Contact pharmacist immediately if heparin infusion is stopped for any reason.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Do not draw blood from the arm that has heparin infusion or that has been flushed with heparin.	Routine, Until discontinued, Starting S If there is no other access, other than the heparin line for a PTT specimen draw, then stop the heparin, flush the line, and aspirate 20 ml of blood to waste prior to drawing a specimen.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notify pharmacist	Routine, Until discontinued, Starting S, Pharmacist regarding compatibility with other IV drugs if access is a concern.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Do not interrupt heparin infusion unless ordered	Routine, Until discontinued, Starting S
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Monitor for signs or symptoms of bleeding	Routine, Until discontinued, Starting S

## IV Fluids

## Medications

### Heparin Infusion

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HEParin 25,000 unit/500 mL (50 unit/mL)	intravenous Heparin Indication: IABP Therapeutic Monitoring Target: PTT - 60 - 80 sec
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## VTE

## Labs

### Labs-Initiation

<input type="checkbox"/> Partial thromboplastin time	STAT For 1 Occurrences Draw blood for PTT/ Anti Xa UFH from arm that does not have heparin infusion. If there is no other access than the heparin line, stop the heparin for 10 minutes, flush the line, aspirate 10 mL of blood to waste, obtain sample, and reflush the line after drawing specimen.
<input type="checkbox"/> Prothrombin time with INR	STAT For 1 Occurrences Do not draw blood from the arm that has heparin infusion. Do not draw from heparin flushed lines.
<input type="checkbox"/> CBC hemogram	STAT For 1 Occurrences Do not draw blood from the arm that has heparin infusion. Do not draw from heparin flushed lines.

### Labs-Continuing

<input type="checkbox"/> CBC hemogram	Now then every 24 hours For 3 Occurrences
<input type="checkbox"/> CBC hemogram	Conditional Frequency, Starting S+5 CBC every 2 days (for at least first week), then twice weekly
<input type="checkbox"/> Partial thromboplastin time	Conditional Frequency For 3 Occurrences Obtain PTT every 6 hours after ANY dose change
<input type="checkbox"/> Occult blood, stool	Daily For 3 Occurrences, Stool

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