Nitroglycerin Drip Order Update
June 1st 2021

Rationale: To enhance patient safety, patient outcomes, and streamline the ordering process Nitroglycerin IV (Chest Pain) and Nitroglycerin IV (Hypertensive Crisis) drip orders are updated.

New:

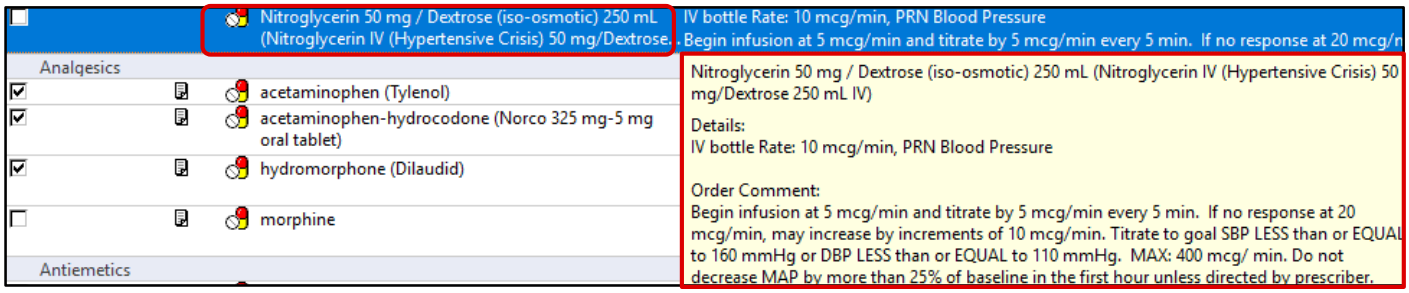
- ✓ The PowerPlans and orders are updated from Nitroglycerin 50 mg/250 mL to Nitroglycerin 50mg / Dextrose (iso-osmotic) 250mL **(Nitroglycerin IV (Hypertensive Crisis)** 50mg/Dextrose 250mL IV) and Nitroglycerin 50mg / Dextrose (iso-osmotic) 250mL **(Nitroglycerin IV (Chest Pain)** 50mg/Dextrose 250mL IV).
- ✓ The medication and order comments are updated in PowerPlans and stand alone orders.
- ✓ The medication comments are updated with Hypertensive Crisis or Chest Pain remarks respectively.

PowerPlans Updated with Nitroglycerin IV (Hypertensive Crisis):

CARD Post Percutaneous Catheter Invention (PCI)

CVSURG Cardiac Surgery Post-Op – ERAS

CARD TAVR



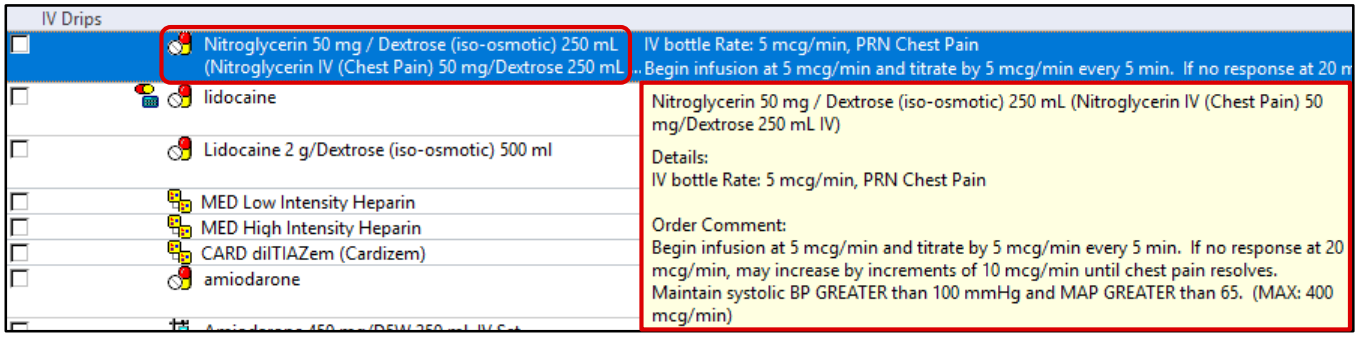
PowerPlans Updated with Nitroglycerin IV (Chest Pain):

CARD Cardiac Admit

ED Chest Pain STEMI

CARD Coronary Care/Progressive Care Admit

SUB CARD Post Procedure Inpatient



NOTE: Providers wanting the above PowerPlan saved as a favorite must update their favorites to see the new changes.

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