**Physician Orders ADULT**

**Order Set: Diarrhea Orders**

[R] = will be ordered  
T= Today; N = Now (date and time ordered)

Height: ___________ cm  
Weight: __________ kg

### Allergies:

[ ] No known allergies

[ ] Medication allergy(s): 

[ ] Latex allergy  
[ ] Other: 

### Admission/Transfer/Discharge

### Vital Signs

### Activity

### Food/Nutrition

- [ ] NPO  
  Start at: T;N
- [ ] NPO  
  Start at: T;N, Instructions: NPO except for medications
- [ ] Clear Liquid Diet  
  Start at: T;N
- [ ] Advance Diet As Tolerated  
  T;N

### Patient Care

- [ ] Nursing Communication  
  T;N, Perform perianal skin care q-shift, PRN

### Respiratory Care

### Continuous Infusions

- [ ] Dextrose 5% with 0.9% NaCl  
  1,000 mL, IV, Routine, T;N, 75 mL/hr
- [ ] Potassium chloride (D5NS KCl 20 mEq)  
  1,000 mL, IV, Routine, T;N, 75 mL/hr
- [ ] Dextrose 5% with 0.45% NaCl  
  1,000 mL, IV, Routine, T;N, 75 mL/hr
- [ ] Potassium chloride (D51/2 NS KCl 10 mEq)  
  1,000 mL, IV, Routine, T;N, 75 mL/hr
- [ ] Sodium Chloride 0.9% (NS)  
  1,000 mL, IV, Routine, T;N, 75 mL/hr
- [ ] Potassium chloride (NS KCl 20 mEq...)  
  1,000 mL, IV, Routine, T;N, 75 mL/hr
- [ ] Sodium Chloride 0.45% (1/2NS)  
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- [ ] Sodium Chloride 0.45% with KCl 20 mEq  
  1,000 mL, IV, Routine, T;N, 75 mL/hr

### Medications

- [ ] Loperamide  
  2 mg, Cap, PO, PRN Loose Stool, Routine
- [ ] Atropine-diphenoxylate  
  1 tab, Tab, PO, qid, Routine
- [ ] Aluminum hydroxide  
  30 mL, Oral Susp, PO, q6h, PRN Diarrhea, Routine, T;N
- [ ] Cholestyramine  
  4 g, Powder, PO, bid, Routine, T;N
- [ ] Cholestyramine  
  4 g, Powder, PO, qid, Routine, T;N
- [ ] Hyoscyamine  
  0.125 mg, Tab, PO, q4h, PRN Diarrhea, T;N

### Laboratory

- [ ] CBC  
  T;N, Routine, once, Type: Blood
- [ ] Comprehensive Metabolic Panel (CMP)  
  T;N, Routine, once, Type: Blood
- [ ] Clostridium Difficile Toxin Assay A&B  
  T;N, Routine, once, Type: Stool, Nurse Collect
- [ ] Stool Culture  
  T;N, Routine, Specimen Source: Stool, Nurse Collect
- [ ] WBC Stool - Ped (Stool WBC - Ped)  
  T;N, Routine, once, Type: Stool, Nurse Collect
- [ ] Ova & Parasites, Stool Concentrate & Permanent Smear  
  T;N, Routine, Specimen Source: Stool, Nurse Collect
**Laboratory continued**

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