

Kittitas County Prehospital EMS Protocols

SUBJECT: ONDANSETRON (ZOFTRAN) (off-line Medical Control)

ACTION:

Antiemetic

INDICATIONS:

Vomiting/Nausea

CONTRAINDICATIONS:

Patients known to have hypersensitivity to the drug.

PRECAUTIONS:

None

SIDE EFFECTS:

None

DOSAGE:

8 mg ODT (ALS & BLS)

8 mg IV / IO (ALS only)

ROUTE:

ALS & BLS - Orally Disintegrating Tablets, place on top of the tongue where it will dissolve in seconds, then swallow with saliva. Administration with liquid is not necessary.

ALS – IV or IO

PEDIATRIC DOSE:

4 through 11 years of age dosage is one 4 mg/IV, or ODT tablet.

12 years of age and older, the dosage is the same as for adults.

NOTE: Zofran (ODT only) is an optional medication to carry for BLS transport agencies in Kittitas County. EMTs affiliated with transport agencies that carry Zofran, must receive and maintain MPD approved ongoing training to administer this medication.