



DATE/ TIME	IRON DEXTRAN TOTAL DOSE INFUSION ORDERS
	<p>Patient Name: _____</p> <p>DOB: _____ Phone #: _____</p> <p>Pre-cert #: _____</p> <p>Primary Care Physician: _____</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Give Solumedrol 125mg IVPB and Benadryl 50mg PO prior to test dose. 2. Iron Dextran 25mg in Normal Saline 25ml IVPB over 30 minutes test dose. 3. Monitor patient for reaction or complications – use same precautions as when administering blood. 4. If patient experiences no reactions or problems within one hour of test dose – begin total dose infusion of Iron Dextran. 5. Pharmacy to calculate Iron Dextran dose using patient's current lean body weight (LBW) and H&H results. The following equation should be used: $[0.0476 \times \text{LBW} \times (\text{HbN} - \text{HbO})] + 1 \text{ ml per } 5 \text{ kg of LBW (maximum } 14 \text{ ml)} =$ Total Dose of Iron Dextran Injection in ml 6. Calculate dose for this patient = _____ mg. 7. Mix total dose in 500ml 0.9% Sodium Chloride and infuse over 6 hours at 83ml/hr. 8. May discharge home after infusion is completed.

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