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**Abbreviations - Medication Names:**

ACE - angiotensin converting enzyme

ACTH - adrenocorticotrophic hormone

ASA - aspirin

**AZT\*** - Zidovudine (Retrovir®)

D5NS - 5% dextrose in normal saline

D5W - 5% dextrose in water

D10NS -10% dextrose in normal saline

D10W -10% dextrose in water

DSS - dioctyl sodium sulfosuccinate

EC - enteric-coated

ETOH - ethanol/alcohol

FA - folic acid

FeSO<sub>4</sub> - ferrous sulfate

FFP - fresh frozen plasma

5-FU - 5-fluorouracil

H<sub>2</sub>blocker - histamine-2 receptor antagonist

HC- hydrocortisone

**HCl\*** - hydrochloric acid

**HCT\*** - hydrocortisone

**HCTZ\*** - hydrochlorothiazide

KCl - potassium chloride

MOM - milk of magnesia

MVI - multiple vitamin

**MgSO<sub>4</sub>\*** - magnesium sulfate

**MSO<sub>4</sub>\*** - morphine sulfate

**MTX\*** - methotrexate

NPH - Neutral Protamine Hagedorn

(insulin)

NS - normal saline

NSAID - non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs

OTC - over-the-counter

PCN - penicillin

PPD - purified protein derivative

PTU - propylthiouracil

PZI - protamine zinc insulin

RAI - radioactive iodine

SMX-TMP - sulfamethoxazole and trimethoprim

SSKI - saturated solution of potassium iodide

**SSRI\*** - selective serotonin reuptake inhibitor; sliding scale

regular insulin

**TAC\*** - triamcinolone

**ZnSO<sub>4</sub>\*** - zinc sulfate