

Dr. Gupta's Hip Medication Instructions

1. Pain Medication:

- Norco 10/325mg- take every 6 hours as needed for pain
This is a narcotic pain medication. Do NOT take with alcohol or while operating a motor vehicle. Do NOT combine with Tylenol or anything containing acetaminophen
- Other: _____

2. Blood Thinners- Anticoagulation:

- ASA 325mg- take 1 tablet twice a day for 30 days. Finish this medication
This is NOT to be taken in patients under 18 years of age
- Other: _____

3. Anti-inflammatory- Heterotopic ossification prevention:

- EC-Naprosyn 500mg- take 1 tablet twice a day for 30 days. Finish this medication
Do NOT combine with other anti-inflammatory medications
- Other: _____

4. Digestive Medications:

- Protonix 40mg- take 1 tablet once a day as needed for acid reflux
- Colace 100mg- take 1 tablet up to three times per day as needed for post-operative digestion and constipation
- Zofran 4mg- take as needed for nausea and vomiting every 4-6 hours
- Other: _____

5. Antibiotic (only needed if outpatient total hip replacement):

- Keflex 500mg- take 1 tablet every 6 hours. Start day after surgery. Finish this medication
- Other: _____