

## Moderate Symptoms

### Group B Dosing\*

Acetaminophen/Aspirin/Caffeine	Dosing
Excedrin/ Excedrin Migraine	2 caplets, once a day
Triptans*	Dosing
Almotriptan / Axert	tab; 12.5 mg
Eletriptan / Relpax	tab; 20 mg / 40 mg
Frovatriptan / Frova	tab; 2.5 mg
Naratriptan / Amerge	tab; 1 mg / 2.5 mg
Rizatriptan / Maxalt	tab; 5 mg / 10 mg
Maxalt MLT	melt; 5 mg / 10 mg
Sumatriptan / Imitrex	tab; 25 mg / 50 mg / 100 mg
w/ Naproxen / Treximet	tab; 85 mg / 500 mg
Zolmitriptan / Zomig	tab; 2.5 mg / 5 mg
	sc; 4 mg / 6 mg
	spray; 5 mg / 20 mg
Zomig MLT	melt; 5 mg

\*Recommended for moderate symptoms. If nauseated, add anti-nausea drugs. For more severe symptoms, add NSAID (use almotriptan or naratriptan for more sensitive patients)

Anti-Nausea Meds	Dosing
Phenergan (promethazine)	25-50 mg suppositories or pill q 6; 10 mg im
Compazine (prochlorperazine)	25 mg pills q 4, 5-10 mg iv/im (not in kids)
Reglan (metoclopramide)	10-20 mg pills q 4, 5-10 mg iv/im (max 30mg/d)
Zofran (ondansetron)	4-8 mg q 6-8, least side effects; no sedation
Chlorpromazine	12.5-37.5 mg iv, 25-75 mg im
Tigan (trimethobenzamide)	300 mg tabs every 6 to 8 hours (not commonly available) 200 mg im for adults Suppositories discontinued by FDA in 2007 Pediatric dosing 20 mg/kg/day PO divided q6-8hr Renal failure: reduce dose

\*Anti-emetic and anti-headache effects; increase effectiveness of triptans, side effects: akathisia and dystonia; recommended dosing is intended for adults

ERGOT	Dosing
Dihydroergotamine (D.H.E. 45, Migranal nasal)	1 spray each nostril, q 15 min, max: 4 sprays
Ergotamine (Ergomar, Cafergot, Migergot)	1 mg/caffeine 100 mg tablet (Cafergot), 1-2 tabs q 30 min - max 6 tabs 2 mg/caffeine 100 mg suppository, 1 sup PR q 1 hr - max 2 sups
Methylergonovine (Methergine)	

Acetaminophen/Isometheptene/Dichloralphenzone	Dosing
Midrin	2 caps, then 1 cap q 1 hr, max 5 per 12 hrs

Amidrine, Duradrin, Michlor and others. May or may not be available but not FDA approved.