

## **Medication Information Sheet**

This Medication Information Sheet provides basic information on commonly used Hospice medications that you or your loved one may receive during your care. This list is not exclusive, and additional information can be provided at your request.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding any medication, please contact Gulfside Hospice at 1-800-561-4883.

USES FOR	EXAMPLES OF MEDICATION - GENERIC (BRAND)	COMMON SIDE EFFECTS
PAIN	Morphine (Roxanol ®, MS Contin®, MS ER®) Tramadol (Ultram®) Hydrocodone/Acetaminophen (Vicodin®, Lortab®, Norco®) Hydromorphone (Dilaudid®) Fentanyl Methadone	Constipation Nausea/Vomiting Rash/Itching Drowsiness
NAUSEA/ VOMITING	Promethazine (Phenergan®) Ondansetron (Zofran®) Haloperidol (Haldol®) Prochlorperazine (Compazine®)	Constipation/Diarrhea Drowsiness Headache Dry Mouth
ANXIETY 000	Lorazepam (Ativan®) Diazepam (Valium®) Clonazepam (Klonipin®) Alprazolam (Xanax®) Temazepam (Restori®I) Buspirone (Buspar®)	Tiredness/Fatigue Dizziness Increased Heart Rate
AGITATION (	Haloperidol (Haldol®) Quetiapine (Seroquel®) Risperidone (Risperdal®) Olanzapine (Zyprexa®) Chlorpromazine (Thorazine®)	Tiredness/Fatigue Dry Mouth Dizziness
TROUBLE BREATHING	Morphine (Roxanol®) Albuterol/Ipratropium (Duoneb®) Prednisone	Tiredness/Fatigue Increased Heart Rate Dizziness Headache
SADNESS	Sertraline (Zoloft®) Fluoxetine (Prozac®) Citalopram (Celexa®) Escitalopram (Lexapro®) Paroxetine (Paxil®) Bupropion (Wellbutrin®)	Nausea Increase Appetite Weight Gain Fatigue Dry Mouth Constipation
CONSTIPA- TION	Senna S® Lactulose (Enulose®) Bisacodyl (Dulcolax®) Docusate (Colace®) Milk of Magnesia® Polyethylene Glycol (Miralax®)	Stomach Discomfort Nausea Bloating Gas

Please make sure you have provided all medications including over-the-counter medications, herbal supplements and vitamins to your Hospice Team. All medications have the potential to cause side effects, so it is important that you communicate with your team if you or your loved one are experiencing these or any side effects.