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Postoperative Medication

Aspirin- used to prevent blood clots; **must take this twice daily** unless specified to take a different blood thinner

Following medications are prescribed as needed for the following reasons:

- Colace- used to prevent constipation
- Gabapentin- help control nerve related pain
- Cyclobenzaprine- used to control muscle spasms
- Ranitidine- used to treat heart burn
- Zofran- used to treat nausea
- Celebrex / Meloxicam- used to treat pain and inflammation
- ES Tylenol- used to treat pain

Narcotic medication will be prescribed the day of your surgery

- If you are already on a narcotic, a pain management specialist will manage this medication after your surgery.
- If you need a pain management specialist, we will help facilitate a consult

The antibiotic Ancef may be prescribed for 24 hours following surgery

- DS Bactrim or Doxycycline will be used for 2 weeks if undergoing a revision surgery.