

**Home Health VNA
IV Medication Clinical Fact Sheet**

IV Medication: Filgrastim/G-CSF, Neupogen, Neulasta Risk Level: n/a
Med Class: Antineutropenic Colony Stimulating Factor

Common Uses: Febrile Neutropenia

Labs to Monitor: CBC ÷ diff. + Plts

Instructions/Precautions: Do Not give within 24° of Chemo. Hypersensitivity reaction, Bone pain. Upper abdominal or shoulder tip pain may indicate enlarged spleen or splenic rupture.

First Dose Allowed:

N

Central Line Only:

N

Vesicant:

N

See Procedure Manual: Filgrastim, Administration of

Notes: Only drugs listed as First Dose Allowed may be given in the home as a first dose and are considered for a first dose on a case by case basis by the IV Program Manager
The IV Manager and/or Clinical Director must be consulted before a first dose referral is accepted

Risk Levels: n/a = Routinely given; Clinician must be approved to administer IV medications
1= IV Program Mgr or Clinical Director approval before referral is accepted
2= IV Program Mgr notification; Clinicians must review Special Instructions