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Pharmacology Essentials for Nurse Practitioners

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Objectives:

At the end of the presentation, participants will be able to:

- 1. Describe the basic pharmacology of antihypertensive medications.
- 2. Apply JNC-8 Guidelines to the patient with hypertension.
- 3. Evaluate appropriateness of antihypertensive regimens with different patient comorbidities.
- 4. Interpret culture results and identify host factors to consider when selecting appropriate antibiotics.
- 5. Utilize pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics when selecting appropriate antibiotic regimens.
- 6. Assess therapeutic drug levels for vancomycin and aminoglycosides.
- 7. Discuss pharmacology of antibiotic classes as it relates to specific clinical scenarios.
- 8. Discuss the clinically significant anticoagulation pathways.
- 9. Describe the mechanism of action and pharmacology of warfarin, heparins, and the novel anticoagulants.
- 10. Defend selection of different anticoagulants in standard risk and high risk thrombotic disorders.
- 11. Participate in Question & Answer sessions.

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<u>Location</u>: Beth Israel – Phillips Ambulatory Care Center 2nd Floor Conference Room

10 Union Square East (14th Street) New York, NY 10013

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