

Push Dose Epi Pressor

Epinephrine

Has Alpha and Beta 1 and Beta 2 effects.

Do not give 1 mg Epinephrine (Cardiac dose) to a patient with a pulse.

Dose:

Adult: **0.5 - 2ml every 2-5 minutes** of Epi 1:100,000 (10mcg/ml) Titrate to blood pressure

Pediatric: **0.1 - 2ml every 2-5 minutes** of Epi 1:100,000 (10mcg/ml) Titrate to blood pressure

Onset: 1 minute

Duration: 5 -10 minutes

Mixing instructions for Epi 1:100,000

1. Acquire a 10ml syringe with 9 ml of NS
2. Draw into this syringe 1 ml(0.1mg) of epi 1:10,000 (Cardiac Epi)
3. You have 10mcg/ml in the syringe
4. Label the syringe with the medication information and concentration.