Medication Schedule

Night Before Surgery:

Take 600mg (2 tabs) of Gabapentin/ Neurontin at bedtime

Day of Surgery:

Prior to Operation

- 2 hours prior to surgery
 - o Take 1500mg of liquid Tylenol/ Acetaminophen
 - o Take 300mg Gabapentin/ Neurontin
- 20 minutes prior to surgery
 - o Take 400mg Celebrex/ Celecoxib

Post Operation

- 6 hours after morning does
 - Take 1000mg of Tylenol/ Acetaminophen tablets (every 6 hours for total of 3 doses)
- 12 hours after the morning dose
 - o Take 300mg Gabapentin/ Neurontin
 - o Take 200mg Celebrex/ Celecoxib
- As needed for breakthrough pain
 - o Take 5 mg oxycodone every 4 hours as needed
- For constipation prevention
 - o Take 100mg Colace twice a day as needed
- As needed for nausea
 - o Take 8 mg of Zofran sublingual (under tongue) every 8 hours as needed

Post Operation Day One and Beyond:

- 200mg Celebrex/ Celecoxib 3 times a day for 14 days
- 1000mg of Tylenol/ Acetaminophen tablets every 6 hours for 14 days
- 300mg Gabapentin/ Neurontin
 - If < 65 years of age take 3 times a day for 14 days
 - o If > 65 years of age take 2 times a day for 14 days
- As needed for breakthrough pain
 - o Take 5 mg oxycodone every 4 hours as needed
- For constipation prevention
 - Take 100mg Colace twice a day as needed
- As needed for nausea
 - o Take 8 mg of Zofran sublingual (under tongue) every 8 hours as needed

Additional Information and Medications for Migraine Surgery

- Medrol dose pack- take as directed on package on post op day 1
- Bacitracin (Ophthalmic) apply 0.25 inch to both eyes as needed
- Nasal saline- 1 spray per nostril every 2 hours as needed (only if nasal work performed)
- IF YOU DID NOT RECEIVE PRINTED SCRIPTS IN THE OFFICE, YOU WILL NEEED TO GET THE OXYCODONE SCRIPT THE DAY OF SURGERY DURING PRE-OP
- There is a pharmacy on the ground level of OSU East by the cafeteria so you will not have to leave the hospital to fill the script