All "pre-checked" orders will be enacted unless a specific order is written to the contrary. Any additional orders must be "checked" to activate.

*Patient's need for telemetry shall be evaluated every 24 hours per policy MS-10.
✓ Initiate Telemetry Monitoring
☑ Charge Telemetry Monitoring
☑ EKG PRN, Place order when completed
☐ Telemetry may be temporarily suspended for patient to have MRI or to shower
*Select Criteria for Utilization of Telemetry by Checking a Box Below:
☐ Chest pain, r/o MI
☐ Post Acute MI's
☐ Pre—and post—implantation of temporary/permanent pacemaker
☐ Pre—and post—cardioversion
☐ Arrhythmias
☐ Toxic drug levels
☐ Electrolyte imbalances
☐ Congestive heart failure
☐ Syncope
☐ Chest trauma
*If patient is a DNR, indicate telemetry treatment by choosing one of the following:
☐ Treat Atrial Arrhythmias (If DNR)
☐ If DNR—Indicate Telemetry Treatment (specify):
□ Notify Physician if VT greater than 8 beats
□ Notify Physician if VT greater than 10 beats
□ Notify Physician if VT greater than 12 beats
□ Notify Physician for electrical cardiac pause greater than 2 seconds
Notify Physician for electrical cardiac pause greater than 4 seconds
Notify Physician for electrical cardiac pause greater than 6 seconds
☐ Notify Physician (specify):
Physician Signature Date / Time

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