

DRUG CARD

Olanzapine

Zyprexa

Generic Name

Trade Name

Pharmacologic Class: • Thienobenzodiazepines

Therapeutic Class: • Antipsychotic
• Mood stabilizers

Action: Antagonizes dopamine and serotonin

Indication: • Schizophrenia
• Mania
• Depression
• Anorexia nervosa
• Nausea/vomiting related to chemotherapy

Reason Given (Disease States): _____

Nursing Process

Pre-Administration Assessment:

Post Administration Evaluation:

Nursing Considerations:

- Do not use while breastfeeding
- Can cause neuroleptic malignant syndrome, seizures, suicidal thoughts, insomnia, tardive dyskinesia, agranulocytosis, constipation, tremors
- Assess mental status
- Monitor hemodynamics
- Assess blood sugars
- Assess intake and output
- Monitor liver function tests

Other: _____

