HYPERBARIC MEDICAL CENTER

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N.B.: This is a list prepared for daily boats and not necessarily for individuals, although, we would suggest the same contents for the First Aid Box of any Divemaster. For individual use, just decrease the amounts!



FIRST AID BOX CONTENTS: DAILY BOATS

BEFORE DEPARTURE:

- Check that your First Aid Box is replenished and ready to go!!
- Include an *inventory list* to help you replenish what is needed.
- Check your OXYGEN KIT is complete!!

قبل المغادره:

تأكد من صندوق الأسعافات الأوليه كامل و لا يحتاج إلي إستعاضه نواقص!! (راجع القائمه!!) راجع اسطوانه و منظم و أقنعة الأوكسوجين!!

BEFORE DISPENSING ANY MEDICATION:

- Ask patient if she/he is allergic to any medication!
- If patient is a *female* between 15 years and 50 years of age, ask her if she could be *pregnant!*
- If you have a physician or nurse onboard, ask them if they could examine the patient.
- If in doubt regarding ANYTHING, contact us immediately at any time on 0122 212 42 92 (Dr. Adel), 0122 3331325 (Dr. Ahmed) or 069/3660 922//3 (between 10:30 and 18:00) for DENTAL emergencies: Sinai Clinic: 0693 666 850/1

We wish you all safe diving!

قبل صرف الدواء:

اسأل المريض إذا كان يعانى من اى حساسيه للدواء!

إذا كانت المريضه أنثي في سن الحمل (15 إلي 50 عاما) فيجب سؤالها عما إذا كان من الممكن ان تكون حاملا! إذا كان هناك ضمن المجموعه طبيب او ممرضه فيرجي أن تطلب منهم إجراء فحص مبدئي للمريض! إذا كان لديك اي شكوك بخصوص التصرف مع الحاله فيرجي الأتصال بنا فورا علي الأرقام التاليه: 01222124292

نتمنى للجميع غوصا آمنا...

INSTRUMENTS

- 1. Sharp scissors
- 2. Tweezers
- 3. Surgical gloves, sizes 7 & 8

BANDAGES & DISPOSABLES

- 1. 6 Sterile gauze pads (4" x 4 ")
- 2. 2 Combi dressing
- 3. 2 Crepe bandages
- 4. 2 Adhesive tape
- 5. 2 Triangular bandages

Useful for a multitude of banding and support of limbs techniques

6. 2 **Sufratulle (Vaseline) gauze**: To be used on burns and wounds to prevent dressing from sticking to the wound area, it also

contains an antibiotic ointment.

8. 1 Cotton roll (large)

MEDICATION & DISINFECTANTS

1. 1 **Betadine** solution

2. 1 **Betadine** ointment To be used as a skin and wound disinfectant, solution can be used without dilution and could

be diluted to rinse thoroughly deep or larger

wounds

3. **Dermazine** ointment

Used to cover burns preferably in 2nd degree burns, the bullae full of fluid should be carefully

removed or at least incised to drain the fluid.

4. Lucacorten or Betnovate or **Dermacort** ointment

For all kinds of allergic skin reactions.

5. **Vinegar**, 2 litres

The best non-surgical method to deal with sea

urchin stings! Put the affected limb in hot water for 5 minutes, then put in vinegar, completely covering the affected area, for 5 to 6 hours. Repeat if necessary and give antibiotic coverage

if needed.

6. **Polyderm** ointment Anti-allergic, anti-biotic and anti-fungal...ALL in

one!

9. 1 x Buscupan Plus tab:

or **Rowapraxin forte** tab.

1 tab. when needed or 3 to 4 tab daily. Taken after meals for abdominal colic and spasms.

10. 5 x **Rehydran** boxes: (50

sachets)

Essential electrolyte salts, give always to conscious patients of diving accidents together

with oxygen, to any case suspected of dehydration (diarrhoea / vomiting / sun stroke, alcohol the night before!...), as well as

headaches and muscular aches:

7 ½ sachets dissolved in 1 ½ litres of room temp. water – you can add lemon and cool it for

taste!!

11. 1 strip of **MOTILIUM** tab and

suppositories or **PLASIL** tab.

To control nausea, give in either form 15 to 20 minutes before meals. *DO NOT dive after*

taking them!

12. 1 VOLTAREN 50 tab: Potent anti-inflammatory, do not give with

gastric ulceration or hyperacidity!! 1 tab 3 X daily after or immediately before meals with a

glass of water.

14. 2 PARACETAMOL tab: Safe antipyretic, gets fever down, advice: if fever

orally above 38.5 Celsius, put patient under shower or in sea until the fever drops down to

38.5 then start the paracetamol or any other antipyretics.

15. 1 strip of **STUGERON tab**:

To treat motion- & sea sickness, 1 tab at least 1 hour before sailing initially, then up to 2 tab daily. **DO NOT use other "sea sickness" tablets if** patient intends to dive!

CHECK WITH YOUR DIVE GUESTS THAT NONE IS ON MEDICATION PRIOR TO DIVING...IF THEY ARE, CONTACT US FOR ADVICE BEFORE ALLOWING THEM INTO THE WATER...SAFE DIVING!!

تأكد من ان غطاسيك لا يتعاطون اي أدويه أو عقاقير قبل السماح لهم بالغوص...و إذا كان احدهم يتعاطي اي أدويه فيجب الأتصال بالمركز لمناقشه الحاله و الأدويه قبل السماح بالغوص...غوص سالم ا

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