

Melphalan, Prednisone

For Multiple Myeloma

Reference: San Miguel et al, N Engl J Med 2008; 359:906-917

Patient details

Height	cm
Weight	kg
Body Surface Area	m ²

Treatment cycle frequency: 42 days

Intended No of Cycles:

Medication	Route	Starting Dose	Frequency
Melphalan 9 mg/m ²	PO		Daily on days 1 – 4 of treatment cycle
Prednisone 60 mg/m ²	PO		Daily on days 1 – 4 of treatment cycle

Starting dose modified Reason: _____

Supportive Care (delete any not applicable)

Antiemetics:

- Ondansetron 8mg 1 hour prior to melphalan and up to twice daily as required
- Domperidone 10mg FOUR times a day as required
- _____
- _____

Antimicrobial Prophylaxis:

- Aciclovir 400mg twice daily
- _____
- _____

Clinician: _____

Date: _____

Further general information for health professionals is available via the HealthPathways website.

NOTE: This information leaflet is not a prescription. It aims to communicate the starting point of treatment. Future doses or duration of treatment may be altered to account for toxicity. Please contact the clinician name on this document if you have any concerns.