**NAMES OF MEDICATION & PURPOSE**

**ORAL MEDICATIONS**

___ **DOXYCYCLINE**  
Antibiotic used to prevent infection from a procedure or minor surgery.  
Unless otherwise prescribed 1 Tab twice daily.

___ **BABY ASPIRIN**  
To increase blood supply to the uterus and or ovary. Help prevent blood clotting.  
1 Tab per day

___ **ESTRACE**  
Used to thicken the lining of the uterus for transfer of embryos.  1 or more Tabs per day

___ **PREDNISONE**  
Steroid – Suppresses male hormones produced by adrenals and also suppresses immune function, which at times is needed.  
((10-60-10) You will start on 10 mg a day.  The day after you are told to do HCG injection you are to increase dose to 60 mg for 4 days, then decrease to 1 Tab daily. (10mg) again until told otherwise

___ **PROVERA**  
Used to induce menses from 2 days-2 weeks.  1 tab two times a day for 5 days

___ **SEROPHENE**  
(CLOMID) Enhances quality and quantity of ovulation to ensure proper timing of intercourse or artificial insemination.  Used on Days 5-9 of cycle in dosage of 1-3 Tabs (50-150 mg) daily

**PROGESTRONE MEDICATIONS**

___ **CRINONE GEL**  
Used to thicken the lining of the uterus.  Vaginally inserted.  Amount varies.

___ **PROMETRINIUM**  
Used to thicken the lining of the uterus.  
Vaginally inserted 2 tabs three times a day – rest 10-15 min. after insertion.

___ **PROGESTRONE IN OIL**  
Used to thicken the lining of the uterus.  Intramuscular injection.  Amount varies.

**SUBCUTANEOUS INJECTIONS (S.C.)**

___ **ANTAGON**  
Prevents early ovulation (Starts on Day 6 of stimulation if follicles are 12-13mm).  
Is given S.C.

___ **LUPRON**  
Suppresses your hormones (body is in menopausal state) and prevents early ovulation.  
Usually starts day 2/3 or 21/22 of menstrual cycle.  Is given S.C. 

___ **HEPARIN**  
Used to prevent recurrent pregnancy losses with antiphospholipid antibodies.  (Blood thinner)  
also used in hyperstimulation syndrome.  Is given S.C., usually at a dosage of 5000 U twice daily.

___ **FOLLISTIM**  
Used for stimulation of follicular growth and ovulation.  Given S.C. in varying dosage.

___ **GONAL-F**  
Used for stimulation of follicular growth and ovulation.  Given S.C. in varying dosage.

**INTRAMUSCULAR INJECTIONS (I.M.)**

___ **REPRONEX**  
Used for stimulation of follicular growth and ovulation.  Usually given I.M. in varying dosages.  Can, however, also be given S.C.

___ **PERGONAL**  
Used for stimulation of follicular growth and ovulation.  Usually given I.M. in varying dosages.

___ **PROFASI**  
(HCG) Triggers ovulation within 36 hours after injection.  Given I.M. in dosage of 5000 or 10,000 IV.

___ **PREGNYL**  
(HCG) Triggers ovulation within 36 hours after injection.  Given I.M. in dosages of 5000 or 10,000 IV.