

## MISC TOXICOLOGY NOTES Cheat Sheet

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COMMON SYMPTOMATIC TREATMENT	
AGITATION	Sedatives (ex. BZDs)
BRADYCARDIA	Atropine Inotropes
SEIZURE	BZDs
HYPERTENSION	IV vasodilator
HYPOGLYCEMIA	Dextrose
HYPOTENSION	IV fluids Vasopressors
QRS WIDENING	Sodium bicarbonate
SEDATION	Intubation - protects airway

CHOLINERGIC OVERDOSE	
S	Salivation
L	Lacrimation
U	Urination
D	Diarrhea
G	GI distress
E	Emesis

ANTICHOLINERGIC OVERDOSE	
RED AS A BEET	Flushing
DRY AS A BONE	Dry skin an mucous membranes
BLIND AS A BAT	Mydriasis with double or blurry vision
MAD AS A HATTER	Altered mental status
HOT AS A HARE	Fever

BITES AND STINGS	
ANIMAL BITES	Rabies vaccine with  - RabAvert  - Imovax Rabies  Human rabies immune globulin  - HyperRAB  - Imograb Rabies HT
BLACK WIDOW SPIDER BITES	Antivenin - For Latrodectus mactans  Opioids - tx pain BZDs - tx muscle spasms
SCORPION STINGS	Supportive care  Antivenin immune FAB centruroides  (Anascorp)
COPPERHEAD AND RATTLESNAKE BITES	Crotalidae polyvalent immune FAB (CroFab)
CORAL SNAKE BITES	Antivenin Micrurus fulvius
RATTLESNAKE BITES	Crotalidae Immune F(ab')2 (Anavip)
RABIES VACCINE: Give vaccine and HRIG	

Give vaccine: 1 ml IM or deltoid or thigh on days 0, 3, 7, 14

Give HRIG: 20 units/kg on day 0

HRIG is not useful after day 7 of vaccine or if they had it before

Clean wound with soap and water

Tetanus shot required if it has been at least 10 yrs since booster

## **SNAKE BITES:**

Do not cut venom

Do not suck out venue

Do not ice

Transport to healthcare facility



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