

BLOOD THINNERS

Protocol for TXOSS

Anti-Platelet Meds

Aspirin 325mg †

Persantine/Dipyrimdole †

Plavix/Clopidogrel†

Aggrenox /ASA + Dipyridamole ‡

Pletal/Cilostazon ‡

Effient/Prasugrel ‡

Ticlid / Ticlopidine ‡

Brilanta / Ticagrelor ‡

Anti-Coagulant Meds

Coumadin/Warfarin *

Lovenox/Enoxaparin *

Pradaxa/Dabigatran **

Eliquis/Apixaban **

Xarelto/Rivaroxaban **

Savaysa/Edoxaban **

Arixtra/Fondaparinux **

Oral Surgery Protocol: *Always Seek/Follow Prescribing Physician Recommendations prior to Treatment.*

➤DO NOT discontinue any blood thinners if patient has had Drug Eluding Stent (DES) within past 2 years.

General Considerations: Always consider Primary Closure. Extreme Caution if on dual therapy, consider discontinuation of one anticoagulant*

Antiplatelet Meds : † Generally of little consequence with Dentoalveolar Surgery if on only one of these antiplatelet agents. If on two antiplatelet medications, consider requesting from MD if patient may discontinue one. If needed, discontinue 5 days pre-op*

‡ Discontinue 5 days pre of if possible if on one of these antiplatelet meds.*

Anti-Coagulants:

* Coumadin proceed if INR < 3.0 pre-Op - or - Off 3 days pre-op and resume 1 day post-op*

* Lovenox: discontinue 12-48 hours pre op resume 12-24 hrs. post op*

** Other: Off 2-3 days pre-op if on one of these anti-coagulant meds and resume 1 day post-op*