

Hypertonic Saline

Preparation: 2.7% saline 500ml polyfuser

Indication For use in management of raised ICP (usually after discussion with neurosurgeons)

Hyponatraemic seizures

Loading dose: Cerebral oedema: 3-5 ml/kg (given over 10-20 mins)

Hyponatraemic seizures use aliquots if 1ml/kg to raise Na to ≥ 125 mmol/L

Location

RAH Resus store cupboard. Trolley on back wall/lower right tray

IRH Grey cupboards: cupboard #12