

Anticoagulant Reversal Quick Guide

Major bleeding on common anticoagulants

Hematology

PHYSICIAN REFERENCE

Warfarin

- Vitamin K plus 4-factor PCC is commonly preferred for life-threatening bleeding.

Dabigatran

- Idarucizumab is specific reversal where available; dialysis can remove dabigatran in selected situations.

Factor Xa inhibitors

- Andexanet alfa where appropriate/available or PCC-based strategy per local protocol.

General

- Stop drug, resuscitate, control source, determine last dose/renal function and involve specialty support.

Clinical safety note

Use this as a memory aid, not a prescription. Verify current guidelines, local protocols, contraindications, renal/hepatic dosing, pregnancy status, interactions and patient-specific factors before treatment.