
Call the doctor for...

1. Chest pain. **Call 911** and notify your doctor
2. Difficulty breathing or shortness of breath. **Call 911** if symptoms are severe and notify your doctor
3. Cold, upper respiratory tract infection, chest and/or sinus congestion, or flu-like symptoms
4. Fever over 100.4°F
5. Shaking chills with fever
6. Unable to eat or drink for more than 24 hours
7. More than 3 episodes of vomiting in a 24-hour period
8. Mouth sores, pain with swallowing, or very dry mouth
9. Problems taking medications (hard to swallow your pills, causes you to vomit, etc.)
10. No bowel movements in more than 3 days
11. More than 3 watery stools per day, especially if you also have stomach cramps
12. Black, tarry stools, persistent bleeding or bruising, nose bleeds, bleeding gums, or vomit that looks like coffee grounds
13. Problems urinating or unable to urinate, flank pain, burning, urinating more often, or blood in your urine
14. Swelling, redness, unusual warmth, or pain to feet or legs
15. Severe pain unrelieved by your pain medication or pain that gets worse, not better
16. Any redness, tenderness, or drainage from your wound, incision, or IV catheter site
17. Skin changes such as a rash, yellow skin, itching, bruising, or purple-red “freckles” (petechiae)
18. Hiccups for more than 24 hours
19. Any change in level of consciousness, awareness, disorientation, or confusion
20. Any unexpected symptoms
21. Extreme fatigue (feeling tired), lightheadedness, dizziness, fainting, or a recent fall
22. Changes in vision

When you call your doctor, please be ready to describe any or all of the symptoms you may be having.

Have your pharmacy phone number ready in case your doctor needs to call in a medicine for you.

Number to call: _____

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