

Pharmacology lecture prep

Key

- warning — classification / MDR
- use / additional use — administration directions

Classes

Antibiotics

- Gentamicin — kill gram(-) bacteria
can be renal toxic
- Clindamycin
- Amoxicillin
- Enrofloxacin (Baytril) — DNA gyrase inhibitor → DNA coil so it gets broken down
blindness in cats
cartilage defects dogs
- Cephalexin 1st gen. cephalosporin
- Cefpodoxime 3rd gen cephalosporin
- Ceftiofur (convenia)
- Trimethoprim-Sulfa (TMS) — dry eye

- Doxycycline — tetracycline * use water chaser
- Metronidazole ~ giardia

Corticosteroids
/ glycocorticoids / mineralocorticoids

Corticosteroids

- Prednisone
- Prednisolone
- Triamcinolone
- Methylprednisolone

Analgesics Opioids

- Fentanyl
- Morphine
- Hydromorphone
- Buprenorphine
- Butorphanol — can be an antitussive ↘ cough
- Tramadol

inhibit action of bacterial 70S ribosomal unit

bone marrow suppression
target 50S subunit

- Non-Steroid Anti-Inflammatories**
Risk of GI ulceration + liver/kidney damage
- Carprofen (Rimadyl) ✓ Bloodwork often COX-2 inhibitor
 - Meloxicam (Metacam) mostly COX-2 inhibitor
 - Ketoprofen Fever reduces

- Fibrocoxib (Previcox) COX-2 inhibitor
- Diclofenac (Voltaren) COX-2 inhibitor
- Flunixin Meglumine (Banamine)
- Phenylbutazone

Anesthetics / Tranquilizers

- Inj
- ketamine muscle rigidity
 - Tiletamine
 - Valium
 - Propofol apnea + hypertension Local anesthetic Voltage-gated Na⁺ channel blockers
 - Lidocaine / Bupivacaine
 - Dexmedetomidine α₂ agonist
 - Xylazine K₂ agonist
 - Apomorphine Can be used as an emetic
 - Thiopental

antihypertensives

Cardiac / Blood Pressure

- Furosemide (Lasix) loop diuretic

- Enalapril ACE-inhibitor

- Pimobendan inodilator

- Spironolactone

- Amlodipine

- Atropine anticholinergic ↑ HR

Inhalants hypotension

· Isoflurane

· Sevoflurane

· Halothane

Anti-Parasitics

general antihelminthic

· Fenbendazole (Panacur)
↓ coccidia

· Sulfadimethoxine (Albon)

· Pyrantel
↓ Tapeworm

· Praziquantel

· Selamectin (Revolution)

· Ivermectin (Heartguard)

· Milbemycin (Interceptor)

Gastrointestinal

· Famotidine (Pepcid AC) H₂ receptor blocker

· Cisapride (Gastropexate) gastroprotector

· Metoclopramide

↓ Neurokinin Receptor Antagonist

· Maropitant (Cerenia) antiemetic

· Lisapride Used to treat megacolon

· Omeprazole (Prilosec) proton pump inhibitor

· Misoprostol Prevent gastric ulceration

Miscellaneous

· Methocarbamol muscle relaxant

· Fluconazole anti-fungal treatment "wshings"

· Triamcinolone hyperadrenocorticism

· Levothyroxine hypothyroidism

· Methimazole

· Diphenhydramine anti-histamine

· Epinephrine

· Gvafenisen LA anesthetic

· Pentobarbital Euthanasia

· Phenobarbital anti-seizure

· Mirazepine appetite stimulant

Mechanism of Action

Cephalosporins: Inhibition of bacterial cell wall synthesis by inhibition of penicillin-sensitive enzymes (carboxypeptidases)

Corticosteroids-glycocorticoids: Suppress cell-mediated immunity by inhibiting genes that code for cytokines

Opioids: mu agonists acts on G-protein coupled receptors and inhibits Adenylate cyclase

promotes opening of K⁺ channels + inhibits opening of Ca²⁺ channels. ↓ neuronal excitability ↑ K⁺ conductance causing hyperpolarization + relieves pain

Penicillins are part of the beta lactams

Naloxone: reverses Opioids. mu antagonist

Non-Steroid Anti-Inflammatory: COX Inhibitor. Cyclooxygenase is required to convert arachidonic acid into thromboxanes, prostaglandins, and prostacyclins. The relief from NSAIDs is due to the lack of eicosanoids.

*Some Anesthetics: α_2 agonist - stimulate presynaptic α_2 receptors in CNS, activating inhibitory neurons leading to a reduction in sympathetic output via neg. feedback mechanism

Cardiac: Pimobendan: Inodilator w/ positive inotropic and vasodilator effects.

\downarrow (-) chronotropism

\downarrow Heart rate. Inotropic effects occur via inhibition of phosphodiesterase III by increasing intracellular calcium sensitivity in the cardiac contractility apparatus. Cardiac contractility is enhanced without an increase in myocardial oxygen consumption, as pimobendan does not increase intracellular calcium levels.

- Cillin beta lactam

beta lactamase \rightarrow clavulanic acid prevents destruction of beta lactams by beta lactamase

Penicillins target gram- anaerobes

MRSA: meth- resist. S aureus

Aminoglycosides: kill gram(+) bacteria

bacteriostatic: limits / halts spread

bactericidal: kills bacteria

Pigeon Fever: have to drain + irrigate abscess, no antimicrobials used

Caused by *Corynebacterium pseudotuberculosis*

