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Date: _____

RE: _____

DOB: _____

Referring Physician: _____

Dear Doctor,

Please indicate if there are any contraindications to holding anticoagulation prior to the patient's procedure to minimize the possibility of unforeseen hematoma formation.

Please kindly reply via fax or phone at your earliest convenience. Thank you for your time.

You can fax this reply back to me (905) 237-4623: .

- Yes, it is ok to hold the anticoagulant as per table below.

- No, do NOT hold the anticoagulant. Due to: _____

- Other _____

Signature: _____

Pre-Treatment time to hold anticoagulant

- Enoxaparin(Lovenox)[24h]
- Apixaban(Eliquis) [3d]
- Rivaroxaban(Xarelto)[3d]
- Dabigatran(Pradaxa) [5d]
- Warfarin(Coumadin) [~3d]
- Ticlopidine(Ticlid) [7d]

- ASA 81mg [OK - no need to hold]
- ASA/Dypiridamol (Aggrenox)[7d]
- Clopidogrel (Plavix) [7d]
- Prasugrel (Effient) [7d]
- Ticagrelor (Brilinta) [7d]
- all NSAIDs(except Piroxicam)[7d]
- Abciximab (Reopro) [2d]

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