

Download Perioperative Pain Management

INTRODUCTION. The goals of perioperative pain management are to relieve suffering, achieve early mobilization after surgery, reduce length of hospital stay, and achieve patient satisfaction.[i] Sawyer DC, Rech RH, Durham RA, Adams T, Richter MA, Striler EL. Dose response to butorphanol administered subcutaneously to increase visceral nociceptive threshold in dogs. Am J Vet Res. 1991 Nov;52(11):1826-30. INTRODUCTION. At least 50 percent of patients undergoing surgery take medications on a regular basis []. Clinicians often must decide if chronic medications should be continued in the perioperative period. Personalized pain management plans. Our doctors coordinate your pain control before, during, and up to 90 days following your stay at Duke University Hospital. This allows us to create a personalized care plan that is broadly communicated to your doctors before and during your hospital stay, as well as after you go home.