SEVERE NAUSEA/VOMITING
ALWAYS USE STANDARD PRECAUTIONS

INDICATION
- Severe nausea
- Intractable vomiting
- Patients ≥ 4 years of age
- Motion sickness

CRITICAL INFORMATION
- Contraindicated in patients with known sensitivity to Ondansetron or other 5-HT3 antagonists:
  - Granisetron (Kytril)
  - Dolasetron (Anzemet)
  - Palonosetron (Aloxi)

TREATMENT
- ALS RMC
- **Ondansetron** (Zofran ®) 4 mg ODT/IM or slow IV over 30 seconds; MR x 1 in 10 min
- If nausea due to motion sickness, may also consider **Benadryl** 1mg/kg IM/IV to maximum dose of 50 mg; maximum IV rate is 25 mg/minute

DOCUMENTATION- ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS
- Need for antiemetic therapy