

Memo

To: Inpatient Pharmacy, OR Staff

From:

Date: February 6, 2025

Re: Meperidine Injection Shortage

There is currently a shortage of meperidine injection, with less than a two-week supply remaining. Recovery is anticipated in March.

To preserve inventory for critical needs, please reserve meperidine injection exclusively for the treatment of post-operative shivering. It should not be used for shivering prophylaxis.