

Documentation Examples

Patient 1: Below NKF-K/DOQI™ range.* Document dose changes for titrating into NKF-K/DOQI™ range.

PATIENT CHART

Name: *Jim S.* DOB: *7/30/43* Weight: *80 kg*
Most recent Hb: *9.9 g/dL* Target Hb: *11.5 g/dL*
Date of last Hb reading: *11/25/02*
Current EPOGEN® dose: *10,000 U IV TIW* New EPOGEN® dose: *12,500 U IV TIW*
Rationale for target Hb: *Within NKF-K/DOQI range of 11 to 12 g/dL*
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RATIONALE FOR DOSE CHANGE AND PROGRESS NOTES

- Increased dose by 25% to bring Hb into NKF-K/DOQI range*
- Patient being treated for rheumatoid arthritis*
- Other causes of hyporesponse eliminated*

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Patient 2: Within NKF-K/DOQI™ range.* Document dose change for maintaining within NKF-K/DOQI™ range.

PATIENT CHART

Name: *Francis H.* DOB: *11/23/41* Weight: *80 kg*
Most recent Hb: *12 g/dL* Target Hb: *11.5 g/dL*
Date of last Hb reading: *11/25/02*
Current EPOGEN® dose: *8,000 U IV TIW* New EPOGEN® dose: *7,200 U IV TIW*
Rationale for target Hb: *Within NKF-K/DOQI range of 11 to 12 g/dL*
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RATIONALE FOR DOSE CHANGE AND PROGRESS NOTES

- Dose decreased by 10% to maintain Hb within NKF-K/DOQI range*

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Patient 3: Maintained above NKF-K/DOQI™ range.* Document medical justification for maintaining Hb above NKF-K/DOQI™ range.

PATIENT CHART

Name: *Amelia T.* DOB: *4/29/34* Weight: *90 kg*

Most recent Hb: *12.5 g/dL* Target Hb: *12.5 g/dL*

Date of last Hb reading: *11/25/02*

Current EPOGEN® dose: *7,000 U IV TIW* New EPOGEN® dose: *7,000 U IV TIW*

Rationale for target Hb: *Patient with symptomatic chronic obstructive pulmonary disease when Hb maintained below 12 g/dL*

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RATIONALE FOR DOSE CHANGE AND PROGRESS NOTES

- Current dose is adequate, no change to therapy

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