DESCHUTES COUNTY ADJULT JAIL

L. Shane Nelson, Sheriff **Facility Physician:**

SO-502 Standing Order February 10, 2016

STANDING ORDER

ACID INDIGESTION/GAS

I. ASSESSMENT

- A. Obtain medical history to rule out cardiac disease or history of ulcers.
- B. Assess for subjective complaints of indigestion, heartburn and gas.
- C. Obtain history from inmate regarding prior prescription or OTC medication use.

II. MANAGEMENT

- A. Patient may request liquid antacid or antacid tablets during A.M. and P.M. medication pass.
- B. Report any excess use or requests to Facility Provider at next facility visit.
- C. Patient may also access Antacid tablets through commissary.

III. EVALUATION

A. Instruct inmate to notify Facility Nurse if reassessment is needed to determine if consultation with the Facility Provider is indicated.

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