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Importance: High

Due to continued supply chain disruptions, further IV fluid conservation measures are required at Upstate. Beginning today, orders for IV fluids in EPIC will be limited to a 48-hour maximum duration. This maximum duration will not impact Therapy Plans or Hematology-Oncology Beacon Treatment Plans.

Thank you for your understanding and continued vigilance in evaluating patient fluid needs.

Best,
Amy

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Order Validation Warning

IV Fluid Orders



EPIC SYSTEM UPDATE

Overview of Feature / Changes

Effective Immediately: due to a natural disaster, IV fluid supplies are in short supply. An **Order Validation warning** appears when the duration of the **orders exceeds 2 days**.

Note: The 2-day (48-hour) maximum duration does not apply to fluids associated with Therapy Plans and Hematology-Oncology Beacon Treatment Plans.

All clinical users must exit Epic, then re-launch and log in to adopt this update.

Updated Content

At this warning, return to the order to modify the **Ending Date/ Time**.

