Ordering Outpatient IV Hydration for CT scans with contrast

When ordering a CT with IV Contrast, you will have a the ability to indicate the patient needs hydration and easily select which orders the patient should have using the Hydration BPA.

Order Question

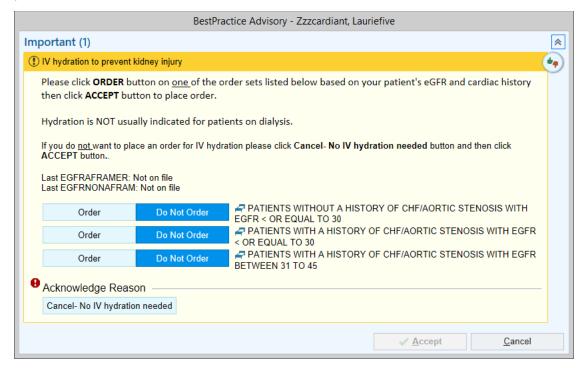
On the CT with contrast orders, there is a new order question with recommendations on when a patient would benefit from Hydration. If the patient meets the indications and hydration is desired click **Yes** button.

Does this patient have eGFR < 30 or eGFR of 31- 45 with history of CHF or Aortic Stenosis? Click Yes button if you want to order the optional outpatient IV hydration order set available for these patients (offered at Greenwich, Bridgeport and Yale Only)

Yes No

BPA

After clicking **Yes** sign the CT order like normal. A BPA will subsequently appear with the three available hydration order sets. Click **Order** next to the appropriate choice based on clinical history and eGFR value and than hit Accept button to place orders.



If you decide not to order hydration at this point, Click Cancel- No Hydration needed button and than hit Accept.

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Scheduling

Out-patient hydration is only available during certain times/days of the week at Yale-New Haven Hospital (York street and SRC campuses), Bridgeport Hospital, and Greenwich Hospital.

A YNHHS scheduling associate will contact your patient to schedule the exam if you clicked the "Yes" button for hydration when ordering the CT and signed an order for one of the three order sets.