

## **Amiodarone**

### **Adult:**

#### **VF/Pulseless VT:**

300mg IV push over 30-60 seconds, may repeat with 150mg IV push

**(Draw from ampule with an 18ga needle or larger-Mix with 20-30mL of D5W-Use an extension set with a .2 micron filter low protein binding filter-supplied in the drug box).**

#### **Wide-Complex Tachycardia, Atrial Flutter, Atrial Fibrillation, SVT with cardioversion:**

150mg IV over 10 minutes **(Draw from ampule with an 18ga needle or larger-mix in 100mL bag of D5W)** may repeat every 10 minutes. **(Use a 60gtts set with an extension set with a .2 micron filter low protein binding filter-supplied in the drug box).**

#### **Maintenance Infusion:**

After successful defibrillation, follow with up to 1mg/min IV Infusion.

**Mix 450mg in 250mL of D5W (special polyolefin bag) (3 amps of 150mg/3mL) gives you 1.8mg/mL and run at 33.3mL/hr (33gtts/min-60gtts set with an extension set with a .2 micron filter low protein binding filter-supplied in the drug box)**