

Morphine Sulfate

- Class:** Narcotic agonist
- Actions:** CNS depressant, causes peripheral vasodilation, decreases sensitivity to pain.
- Rx:** Severe pain, cardiac pain
- Contra:** Head injury, volume depletion, ↓ LOC, hypotension, acute abdomen, exacerbated COPD, hypersensitivity.
- SE:** Dizziness, altered LOC, respiratory depression.
- Dosage:** •Pain: 2 – 4 mg slow IV, may repeat up to 10 mg total.
- Peds:** •0.1 mg/kg slow IV.
- Notes:** Be aware of possible respiratory depression. Overdose may be reversed with naloxone.

Supplied in SVMCA Drug Box: 10 mg/10 ml syringe