



The Medical **Bulletin**

Drug Corner

- Drug interaction with frusemide spironolactone and ACEI OR ARBs
- The major side effect of spironolactone and ACEI IS Hyperkalemia which may further lead to cardiac toxicity
- So when indicated monitoring of serum potassium and creatinine should be done
- So the physicians should be vigilant about the drug history and the prescriptions
- Clopidogrel a platelet aggregation inhibitor acting vis P2Y12 ADP receptor is indicated in all CVS events
- CBC has to be monitored as bleeding and Neutropenia are major ADR
- omeprazole which is a CYP2C19 INHIBITOR reduces the antiplatelet activity
- So it is advisable to use other PPI or ranitidine in subjects who are on clopidogrel.

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