## Pain Management

## Alternating Tylenol and Motrin (Ibuprofen) for Pain

If you are experiencing any kind of severe pain, alternating Tylenol and Motrin can provide more relief than taking either medication alone.

- When alternating these medications, start by taking 600 mg of Motrin, and after 4 hours, take 500 mg of Tylenol.
- If this does not completely relieve the pain, repeat this cycle up to the maximum dose of each medicine per day.
- If you get absolutely no relief from this method, be sure to contact our office.

Warnings:

- Motrin should not be taken more than 4 times a day.
- Tylenol should not be taken more than 4 times a day.
- If a patient has a fever over 101, please contact our office immediately.