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MEETING OF THERAPEUTIC AGENTS & PHARMACY REVIEW COMMITTEE VETERANS ADMINISTRATION HOSPITAL DES MOINES, ICHA

The Therapeutic Agents & Pharmacy Review Committee met at 1:00 p.m., Monday, March 20, 1972, in the Director's Conference Room. The following attended:

> Dr. William J. Ford, Chief of Staff Dr. D. J. Ialu, Surgical Service Dr. R. F. Geoh, Medical Service

Dr. F. M. Burgeson, Chief, Outpatient Service

Mrs. Catherine Sharp, Eursing Service

Mr. H. N. Osborne, Secretary

Mr. W. R. Morris, Pharmacy Service Mr. H. O. Goebel, Chief, Supply Division

Approved:

Absent

TRAVASE OINTMENT - This is used to dissolve necrotic tissue. Needs little mechanical debridement and is not painful to patient since wound remains moist. This was approved for a 90-day trial poriod.

Not approved:

RIMAGTANE 300 mg. capsule - This is an anti-mycobacterial agent of proven high potency. This was not approved for stocking, but a small amount will be obtained for emergency use. It will be dispensed by prescription only.

Sheets were passed out showing this month's continuing formulary review proposals. A copy is attached to these minutes. The Medical and Surgical Service representatives will take these back to their respective staff meetings for discussion.