

# Medications:

## Status Epilepticus



### FIRST!

**Administer 50 mL bolus of D50% IV  
then 100mg of thiamine before  
anti-epileptics**

### NEXT!

*Benzodiazepines:* Lorazepam  
Monitor for: CNS depression  
and hypotension!

### IF BENZOS ARE INEFFECTIVE

*Hydantoins:* Fosphenytoin  
Monitor for: Cellular toxicity, bone  
marrow suppression  
(immunosuppression), avoid during  
pregnancy, liver function

### IF HYDANTOINS ARE INEFFECTIVE

*Barbiturates:* Phenobarbital  
Monitor for: Severe CNS  
depression/anesthesia,  
hypotension, s/s withdrawal,  
apnea