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## MICA Risk Management Tip of the Month

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Surgeons may be asked by patients at postoperative visits if the surgeon can refill the patient's thyroid, cholesterol, etc. medications, since the patient cannot drive for a certain period of time postoperatively. Risk wise, refill only medication applicable to the condition you are treating the patient for and redirect the patient to their PCP to obtain a refill for their monthly medications. If possible, your office could contact the PCP on the patient's behalf that the patient needs a refill for medication prescribed by the PCP.

