Patients with uncomplicated hyperemesis gravidarum who can not tolerate fluids will be managed by the OB service on the seventh floor of Building #1 after a brief evaluation in the ED. The ED evaluation and management should include each of the following:

1. History and physical exam
   a. Patients with fever, diarrhea, abdominal tenderness, or other findings suggesting a diagnosis other than uncomplicated hyperemesis gravidarum should remain in the ED for a full evaluation.
2. Confirmation of pregnancy by one of the following:
   a. Urine hCG
   b. Serum hCG
   c. Ultrasound
3. Baseline lab tests sent (results not required in ED):
   a. CBC
   b. Metabolic panel
   c. Urine ketones
4. IV with crystalloid infusion established
   a. Patient is to receive IV fluids during ED evaluation
   b. ED evaluation does NOT require a minimum volume challenge before transfer to OB

If, upon completion of the history, physical exam, and confirmation of the pregnancy, the diagnosis appears to be uncomplicated hyperemesis gravidarum and the patient remains symptomatic, the patient should be presented to the OB service for transfer to the 7th floor for further management.