



BEACON
Specialized Living

Medication Administration In-Service and Evaluation

Name of Facility/Home: Anchor Pointe

Employee Receiving In-Service: Melanie Bryant

Date of 1st In-Service*: 4/25/20 Time: 12:00 am/pm pm Trainer: Theresa Lawton

*This is done by a regional nurse

Date of 2nd In-Service: 4/25/20 Time: 2:00 am/pm pm Trainer: Theresa Lawton

Date of 3rd In-Service: 4/25/20 Time: 4:00 am/pm pm Trainer: Theresa Lawton

Date of 4th In-Service: 4/25/20 Time: 5:00 am/pm pm Trainer: Theresa Lawton

Date of 5th In-Service: 4/25/20 Time: 8:00 am/pm pm Trainer: Theresa Lawton

Date of 6th In-Service: 5/1/20 Time: 4:00 am/pm pm Trainer: Theresa Lawton

Date of Final Evaluation: 5/1/20 Time: 5:00 am/pm pm Trainer: Theresa Lawton

All staff must complete all three (6) In-Services and Final Evaluation

Instructions: Check (✓) the appropriate box after Employee has been in-serviced.

In-Service #	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	Eval	Comments
1 Medication Area	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
a. Location of ample supplies prior to administration	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
b. Area is clean and organized	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
c. Area is always locked	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
d. Location of all medication: Internal, External, Refrigerated, Controlled Drugs (narcotics)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
2 DMA washes hands prior to administering medications and between each Resident	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
3 Medication keys are retained by DMA	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
4 Resident is identified per facility policy and procedure prior	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
5 Vital signs are taken per facility policy prior to administering medications (if applicable), always on cardiac and BP medications	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
a. If Pulse and BP are required, hands and equipment are washed per facility policy	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
b. If Apical Pulse is required, privacy is provided	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
6 Medications Administration per facility policy and procedure: to include review of the '6 Rights'	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
a. Medications are properly removed from container/blister pack and (.) dot is placed in appropriate box on MAR	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
b. Liquid medication is poured at eye level, with palm covering label of stock bottle	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	



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6	c. DMA verifies medication and strength with order as transcribed on medication record per facility policy and procedure	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	d. Observe Resident to ensure medication is swallowed	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	e. Offer adequate and appropriate fluid with medication	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	f. Medication record is signed immediately after administration of same	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	g. Controlled substance record is signed immediately after administration of same	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	h. Correct dose is administered	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	i. Medication is administered at correct time	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	j. Verify no additional MAR pages have been added	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
7	Infection control technique is reviewed	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
8	Medication via gastric tube administered per facility policy and procedure (if applicable)	X	X	X	X	X	X	
	a. Resident is properly positioned, at a 45° sitting angle	X	X	X	X	X	X	
	b. Tube is checked for placement and patency	X	X	X	X	X	X	
	c. Tube is flushed before, between and after medications are administered	X	X	X	X	X	X	
9	Injections are administered by the Resident or a DMA if there is a doctor's order present, per facility policy and procedure	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	a. Syringes and needles are disposed of in sharps container, by person giving the injection without recapping	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	b. Proper glucometer testing is observed. Determination of competence re: accurately perform and read glucometer testing results	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
10	DMA crushes medication according to facility policy and procedure ONLY with physician's orders.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
11	DMA administers eye and ear medication according to facility policies and procedures	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
12	Side effects of psychoactive medication are noted (lethargy, hallucinations) and reported.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
13	Medication administration should not interrupted. DO NOT RUSH	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
14	Controlled drugs are stored (Double Locked) according to facility policy and procedure	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
15	Residents' rights are observed	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
16	Location, Procedures and Documenting for administering PRN	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
17	Designated Medication Administrator follows facility policy and procedure for medications refused or withheld. (MER & IR written)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
18	Medications are administered within time frame per facility policy	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	



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19	Medication errors are reported to Home Manager and RN teaching medication classes	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
20	Medication area is cleaned and locked after completion of medication administration	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
21	Designated Medication Administrator can identify action and common side effects of medications administered	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
22	Approved Abbreviations List is reviewed	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
23	Seizure precautions and documentation	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
24	After hour procedures, procedures for found/spilled medication, location of Epocrates link on staff computer	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
25	2nd Staff Verification, what it is, when it is needed, and how to document it	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
26	Refusal of Medication procedures (prompt 3 times, then write appropriate documentation)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

FOLLOW UP CONCERNS

Specify time frame for completion: _____ ☐ N/A

I have received the above In-service and have read the Organizations **Medical Policies**. I understand what is expected of me as a Designated Medication Administrator. I also understand that any immediate medical questions or concerns should be directed to the Coordinator of Care at my Site during open office hours and to the On-Call person after hours.

Marie Rupert
Employee Signature

5-1-2020
Date

[Signature]
Home Manager Signature

5-2-2020
Date