

ANNUAL DMA RECERTIFICATION TEST

1. List the six patient rights:

Right medication

Right Route

Right client

Right time

Right Dosage

Right documentation

2. Liquid medication is poured at eye level holding the cup with your hand?

Yes No Explain:

cup on flat ~~ground~~ surface; eye level

3. Controlled substance log is signed after the shift is over?

Yes No Explain:

Controlled substance's log is signed log is signed
as you give said substance to the correct resident.

4. The DMA may crush tablets if resident does not want to swallow whole?

Yes No Explain:

the Route must state that is to be crushed in
order to crush

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5. Controlled substances are stored (single locked) according to policy and procedures?

Yes No Explain:

controlled substances are to be double locked.

6. Medication errors only need to be reported if the error causes harm?

Yes No Explain:

Any medication error must be reported immediately to manager and on call nurse as well as an er must be filed

7. The medication room keys are left hanging on a special hook in the office area?

Yes No Explain:

the medication room key's must be on the DMA at all times!

8. If a resident runs out of a psychotropic medication and another bubble pack is not in the house, you can use one from another resident?

Yes No Explain:

You must not give a Resident another residents medication @ ANY time.

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9. Always give Lantus insulin irregardless of the glucose level?

Yes No Explain:

all insulin has parameters depending on the
glucose for the resident.

10. Blood pressure readings are used to monitor the treatment results of Lisinopril, Tenormin, or Norvasc?

Yes No Explain:

High Blood Pressure Medications

11. Eight o'clock medication may be given at 8:00, 9:00, or 10:00?

Yes No Explain:

8 o'clock medications can be taken between
7:00 and 9:00.

12. Medications that have been popped and then the resident refuses are put back in the bubble packs?

Yes No Explain:

they must be disposed of properly.

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13. Orders do not have to be on record for insulin injections?

Yes No Explain:

All orders must be on Record.

14. When a resident gets up late for a medication pass, just enter in the quickMAR, resident not in house for the med pass, and give the medication whenever they get up?

Yes No Explain:

MUST call on call nurse and verify if you can pass when they get up (if refused).

15. OTC means other than called for?

Yes No Explain:

OVER
THE
COUNTER

16. One Tablespoon is equal to 30ml?

Yes No Explain:

1tbl spoon = 14.78 mL / 15 mL

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17. NPO means para oral?

Yes No Explain:

Nothing

By

Mouth

18. All controlled substances are returned to the pharmacy to be repackaged?

Yes No Explain:

they are sent to medical to be destroyed properly.

19. Choking and aspiration is a rare problem among residents on psychotropic medications?

Yes No Explain:

Choking and aspiration occurs frequently amongst residents who has psychotropic medications.

20. Constipation is never a side effect of psychotropic medications?

Yes No Explain:

Constipation is often a side effect of psychotropic medications.