

ANNUAL DMA RECERTIFICATION TEST

1. List the six patient rights:

<u>Resident</u>	<u>Route</u>
<u>Documentation</u>	<u>Dosage</u>
<u>Medication</u>	<u>Time & Date</u>

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

Yes No Explain:

Poured at eye level setting flat surface

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

Yes No Explain:

Signed at the time medication is passed.

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

Yes No Explain:

Must have a crush order to crush
medication.

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

Yes No Explain:

Double locked

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

Yes No Explain:

All errors are to be reported immediately.

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

Yes No Explain:

Keys are to be handed off to the next shift
DMA.

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 can never use a medication from another
residents bubble pack.

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

Yes No Explain:

All insulin has parameters depending on what the glucose level is for the resident.

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

Yes No Explain:

These are all blood pressure medications.

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

Yes No Explain:

All medications are to be administered one hour before and one hour

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

Yes No Explain:

If refused they must be destroyed with a second verification.

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

Yes No Explain:

It gets recorded for every injection you give
and get a 2nd staff verification.

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:

If its still in allotted time frame, pass as
normal otherwise click resident refused. Call
medical for permission to pass outside of time frame.

15. OTC means other than called for?

Yes No Explain:

Over the counter

16. One Tablespoon is equal to 30ml?

Yes No Explain:

15ml

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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 got destroyed with a 2nd person verification.

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

Yes No Explain:

It is common with residents on psychotropic medications.

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

Yes No Explain:

It is one of the side effects of taking psychotropic medications.