

ANNUAL DMA RECERTIFICATION TEST

List the six patient rights:

<u>Medication</u>	<u>Person</u>
<u>Route</u>	<u>Time</u>
<u>Dose</u>	<u>Documentation</u>

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

Yes No Explain:

At Eye level on center.

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

Yes No Explain:

Yes After Shift when switching DMA's. Also signed
when passing controlled meds. Before and after shift
change. Whenever a DMA has to be changed over.

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

Yes No Explain:

Only if prescribed to do so

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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:

Medication errors should always be reported, and recorded.

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

Yes No Explain:

Always on the 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:

Can't take medication from other residents.

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

Yes No Explain:

You cant administer any insulin medication
UNLESS prescribed.

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

Yes No Explain:

These medications are used to treat hypertension.

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

Yes No Explain:

Between 7 and 9. A 2 hour window.

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

Yes No Explain:

If resident refuses then meds need to be
destroyed.

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

Yes No Explain:

Everything needs a prescription

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:

Has to be recorded as a Refusal and make a note that the resident refused to take it

15. OTC means other than called for?

Yes No Explain:

Over the counter

16. One Tablespoon is equal to 30ml?

~~Yes~~ No Explain:

15 ml

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17. NPO means nothing para oral?

Yes No Explain:

Nothing by mouth

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

Yes No Explain:

The nurse comes and destroys them with
second staff.

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

Yes No Explain:

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

Yes No Explain:

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