



interRAI LTCF — Medication Guidelines (N1)

Do include as medication in N1



- All different prescribed and over-the-counter medications that were taken in the last 3 days (**not** number of doses)
- Medications given by all routes
- All daily, PRN and STAT doses that were actually given
- Self-administered medications
- All medications given outside the facility
- Topicals, vitamins, eye drops, ointments, patches, creams used in wound care and herbal medications
- Fleet enemas, suppositories, mineral oil and bowel preps (GoLytely, Citro-Mag)
- All medications added to IV, TPN and CADD pump (such as KCL)
- Therapeutic doses of heparin
- Long-acting medications prescribed on a maintenance schedule (such as antipsychotic medications, vitamin B12 and chemotherapeutic agents) given outside of the 3-day observation period
- Vaccinations and antigens

Do not include as medication in N1



- Medications ordered but not given in the last 3 days (except long-acting medications)
- Nutritional supplements (such as Ensure, Boost, Sustacal and Resource 2.0)
- TPN solution, IV solution
- Same medication with a different trade name
- Oxygen, alcohol
- Heparin as part of a heparin lock system to keep the vein open
- Topical preparations used for preventive skin care (such as moisturizers, moisture barriers and disinfectants)
- Medicated dressings
- E-cigarettes