Documenting Student eMAR Administration

The following information has been compiled to clarify expectations regarding medication administration by student nurses.

The RN academic instructor or Huntington RN assigned to a student will accompany the student during the administration of all medications to ensure the 6 rights are followed each and every time. If an RN is not available to directly supervise the administration, then the student will not be allowed to administer medications. There are no exceptions to this. Our policy does not allow unsupervised medication administration by unlicensed individuals.

- Use of the eMAR at the PYXIS or in the medication room
- Use of the eMAR at the patient’s bedside- verifying the 2 patient identifiers
- Real time documentation of medication administration on the eMAR

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<td>A. No drugs shall be administered except by licensed personnel authorized to administer drugs and upon the order of a person lawfully authorized to prescribe.</td>
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<td>B. All medications shall be administered by or under the supervision of appropriately licensed personnel in accordance with the laws and governmental rules and regulations governing such acts and in accordance with approved medical staff rules and regulations.</td>
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<td>C. The following practitioners may legally administer medications consistent with their professional rules and regulations, requirements of respective jobs and specified policies or protocols.</td>
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The following screen prints outline the process for documenting supervision of student nurse medication administration in the eMAR.
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2. Once the student has signed/documentated on the medication, it will display as “Pending Validation” on the MAR.

3. The Preceptor RN or Clinical Instructor will then need to navigate to the MAW/MAR under their own log-in to authenticate the validation – simply click on the Pending Validation administration box and sign with the green check mark to authenticate the student’s documentation.
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Student Acknowledgement

As a student participating in clinical training at Huntington Hospital through my academic institution, I understand that the RN academic instructor assigned to my group or the Huntington RN assigned to the patient will be required to accompany me as the student during the administration of all medications to ensure the 6 rights are followed each and every time.

I understand that an RN co-signature must accompany each administration in the eMAR.

If an RN is not available to directly supervise a medication administration, then as a student, I will not be permitted to administer medications.

I understand there are no exceptions to this.

I understand that Huntington Hospital policy does not allow unsupervised medication administration by any unlicensed individuals, including students.

When supervised, I understand and agree to consistently practice safe medication administration; this will include:

- Use of the eMAR at the PYXIS and/or in the Medication Room
- Use of the eMAR at the patient’s bedside – verifying the 2 patient identifiers with each drug
- Real time documentation of medication administration on the eMAR

If I encounter any unsafe medication administration practices during the course of my student experience, or if the RN assigned as my preceptor asks me to not comply with any safe medication administration practices, I will notify the clinical instructor immediately.

Additionally, completion of an occurrence report in the Bee Safe (Peminic) system is acceptable and encouraged.

If I have any questions I understand I can contact Workforce Development, x5055

Student Name (Print)__________________________________________

Student Signature____________________________________________

Academic Institution________________________________________Date____________________

Name of Clinical Instructor________________________________________________