

Medication Error Prevention Power Point Test (Answers in Bold)

**Part 2: High-Risk Medications, Medication Error Prevention Process,
Documentation and Reporting Requirements**

1. According to the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) a medication error is also known as an Adverse Drug Event (ADE). **True** or False
2. The six (6) Rs of medication administration include: the right medication, the right dose, the right time, the right route, the right training, to the right person. True or **False**
3. Medication errors only have consequences for the patient. True or **False**
4. High risk medications categories can be remembered using “A-PINCH”. Which drug categories are included in this abbreviation?
 - A. Antacids, Potassium, Inert ingredients, Narcotics, Chemicals, Haldol
 - B. Anti-infectives, Potassium & electrolytes, Insulin, Narcotics & sedatives, Chemotherapy agents, Heparin & other blood thinners**
 - C. Anti-hypertensives, Protons, Inhibitors, Neurological, Codeine, Histamine inhibitors
5. Caregivers in an adult family home can decide when to:
 - A. Hold a medication
 - B. Increase or decrease a medication dose
 - C. Give a medication at different time that is not prescribed
 - D. All of the above
 - E. None of the above**
6. The four controllable factors that contribute to medication errors are:
 - A. Factors associated with where you work, how long you’ve worked, med pass times.
 - B. Factors associated with co-workers, patients/clients, supervisor, med cart.
 - C. Factors associated with medicines, processes/systems, health care workers, work environments**
 - D. Factors associated with pills, liquids, medicine containers, refrigerators
7. What type of insulin requires a meal or significant snack within 20 minutes of insulin being given?
 - A. Intermediate-acting (NPH)
 - B. Short-acting (Regular)
 - C. Rapid-acting (Novolog or Humalog)**
8. Medication errors need to be reported to the Lakeland Care, Care Management team assigned to the member within three (3) business days. True or **False**
9. If someone refuses to take medication prescribed, a caregiver can crush it in applesauce and give it that way without telling that person. True or **False**
10. If you think you have an idea to help prevent medication errors, you should inform your supervisor. **True** or False