

## **Documenting Home Medications upon Admission** for Nurses

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## **Documenting Home Medications upon Admission**

- 1. Select Nurse View on the dark blue Menu.
- 2. Select Adult or Pediatric Intake – Nursing.
- 3. Select Home Medications.
- 4. Click Complete History.

Note: See separate education for instructions regarding the medication topics below.

- Reviewing medications previously entered
- Medications that are Not Found/Not Known/NonFormulary

Adding Medications: Enter the medication name and dose as the patient states to prevent reconciliation discrepancies.

- 1. Select Add.
- 2. Enter the medication and dose in the search window.
- 3. Select the dose, route, and frequency.
- **NOTE:** The order sentence selected can be modified if something does not match. Disregard the tablet #; this is for providers ordering prescriptions.
- 4. Complete order Details:

a. Dose.

- b. Route of Administration.
- c. Frequency.
- 5. Enter Special Instructions if needed to add a comment.
- 6. Select the **Compliance** tab and enter: a. Status.
  - b. Information Source.
  - c. Last dose date/time.

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▼ Details for furosemide (furosemide 40 mg oral tablet)											
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	Dose a	Route of Administ	ration Frequency c	Duration Dispense	Refill						
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Do not use the Order Comments tab as the Provider is unable to view information without hovering here when completing the

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Status a b	Last dose date/time												
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Status

\*Comment

Still taking, not as prescribed

"I only take it when my feet swell".

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Last dose date/time

12/04/2022

Document History

Information source

Patient

- 7. When a medication status is Still taking, not as prescribed, a Comment is required to document how the patient is taking the medication.
- 8. When all home medications have been entered:
  - a. Remove the check mark from the Leave Med History Incomplete box.
  - b. Select Document History.
- The green checkmark indicates Meds History status is complete. The date, time, and completing clinician name displays.
- Adult Intake Nursing +• Q 0 Home Medications (1) All Visits ∽ = Chief Complaint 9 Status: VMeds History Admission | Transfer | View Details Admission PowerForms Medication  $\sim$ Compliance Suppl Responsible Provider Patient Information Histories furosemide (furosemide 20 mg oral tablet) 14 Still taking, as prescribed 1 Tab, Oral, Daily, 30 Tab, 0 Refill(s) Home Medications (1) Allergies (1) Document History: Completed by EDURN, 22 on DEC 23, 2022 at 15:45
- If unable to finish medication entry, do not remove the check mark.
  Select Document History to save all information added.
- Meds History will display a blue exclamation point, and Document History is Incomplete.
- 12. When able to finish Home Medication documentation, select Complete History.



🔽 Leave Med History Incomplete - Finish Later



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Cancel