

# COHESIVE HEALTHCARE MANAGEMENT & CONSULTING MANGUM REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

TITLE		POLICY		
Medication Administration			NUR-017	
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Nursing	02/2020			
DEPARTMENT	REFERENCE	REFERENCE		
Nursing				

#### **SCOPE**

This policy applies to all Registered Nurses (RN's) and Licensed Practical Nurses (LPN's) at Mangum Regional Medical Center.

## **PURPOSE**

To safely administer medication ordered for the patients by the medical provider.

## **DEFINITIONS**

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### **POLICY**

It is the policy of the hospital to administer medication in a safe and acceptable manner and record that administration of medication in order that the patient is protected as well as an accurate and timely record is kept.

#### **PROCEDURE**

- 1. RN's and LPN's may administer medications under the guidance of medical provider order.
- 2. RN's may administer all classes of medications.
- 3. LPN's may administer medications as defined by their scope of practice and/or facility policy.
- 4. Training shall be provided as part of staff's initial assessment of competency upon hire and annually.

#### REFERENCES

Lippincott Nursing Center https://www.nursingcenter.com/ncblog/may-2011/8-rights-of-medication-administration

# **ATTACHMENTS**

NA

# **REVISIONS/UPDATES**

Date	Brief Description of Revision/Change