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Medication Assistant Training Program Laboratory Supplies List

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Under R4-19-803(C)(2) Certified Medication Assistant Program Requirements

C. Clinical and classroom hour requirements and resources

2. A medication assistant program shall ensure that equipment and supplies are in functional condition and sufficient in number for each enrolled student to practice required skills in subsection (D)(3) and (D)(4). At a minimum, the program shall provide the following:

- a. A medication cart similar to one used in the clinical practice facility;
- b. Simulated medications and packaging consistent with resident medications;
- c. Pill crushers, pill splitters, medication cups and hand hygiene supplies;
- d. Medication administration record forms; and
- e. Current drug references, calculator and any other equipment used to administer medications safely.

The following list details expectations for the provision of supplies and equipment.

ITEM	STANDARD	OPTION/RECCOMENDATION
<input type="checkbox"/> Hospital Bed	Working brakes and ability to raise and lower	
<input type="checkbox"/> Over-bed table <input type="checkbox"/> Water Pitcher and disposable cups		
<input type="checkbox"/> Call Light		May be real or simulated, e.g. computer mouse cord
<input type="checkbox"/> Privacy Curtain		May be curtain on a full or half-track or privacy screen
<input type="checkbox"/> Box of Kleenex		For use with eye drops
<input type="checkbox"/> Stethoscopes (Including Teaching Stethoscopes)	Single stethoscope and a double teaching stethoscope is required	
<input type="checkbox"/> Aneroid Blood Pressure Cuff <input type="checkbox"/> Digital Blood pressure cuff		
<input type="checkbox"/> Sink for handwashing <input type="checkbox"/> Hand sanitizer	<input type="checkbox"/> Running water <input type="checkbox"/> Sink <input type="checkbox"/> Soap <input type="checkbox"/> Paper towels	Sink should be close to the testing area Hand sanitizer on the med cart

<input type="checkbox"/> Wheelchair	Working brakes	
<input type="checkbox"/> Medication Cart	Similar to one used in the clinical practice facility	Must be lockable
<input type="checkbox"/> ID Bands		
<input type="checkbox"/> Computer or Medication Book	EMAR with patient names and medications and dosages	
<input type="checkbox"/> MAR		May be paper (will be moving to electronic in June 2021)
<input type="checkbox"/> Pill Crusher		
<input type="checkbox"/> Pill Splitter		
<input type="checkbox"/> Medication Cups		
<input type="checkbox"/> Simulation Medications- oral	Packaging consistent with residents medications	Candy in medication bottles or medication blister packs
<input type="checkbox"/> Simulation Medications- oral liquid		Juice or water in a bottle labeled as the specific medication
<input type="checkbox"/> Simulation Medications-ear drops		Water or saline in drop bottle labeled as the specific medication
<input type="checkbox"/> Simulation Medications- eye drops		Saline labeled as the specific medication
<input type="checkbox"/> Simulation Medications- nasal spray		Saline spray bottle labeled as the specific medication
<input type="checkbox"/> Simulation Medications- topical ointment		Travel size lotion tube labeled as the specific medication
<input type="checkbox"/> Simulation Medications- topical spray		Spray bottle filled with water labeled as the specific medication
Other needed supplies	<input type="checkbox"/> Current drug references <input type="checkbox"/> Calculator	Any other equipment used to administer medications safely

