

Medication Reconciliation Checklist

“The process of comparing a resident’s medication orders to all of the medications that the resident is taking.” – Joint Commission

Sources of information:

- Pharmacy fill history
- Medication profile from physician office/hospital
- Resident or resident representative interview

Medication Appropriateness		
Questions to Ask About Each Individual Medication		Y/N
1	Is there an indication for the medication?	
2	Is the medication effective for the condition?	
3	Is the dosage correct?	
4	Are the directions correct?	
5	Are the directions practical?	
6	Are there clinically significant drug-drug interactions?	
7	Are there clinically significant drug-disease/condition interactions?	
8	Is there unnecessary duplication with other medication(s)?	
9	Is the duration of the therapy appropriate?	
10	Is this medication the least expensive alternative compared to others of equal utility?	

Comments:
