

Connecticut Department of Developmental Services Medication Administration Training & Certification Program

Attached you will find the documents to make your employee a practice med packet so they can practice how to give meds. Please remember for them to advance to the Initial Exam they must perform a lab practicum without error.

There is a demonstration in the course and plenty of times where the student is advised to stop and practice. This packet is made up of only oral medications. Please make sure your employee knows they will pass three different meds on their lab practicum; they will not all be oral meds. They are responsible for knowing different routes as outlined in the course.

They should practice giving 4pm meds at first until they are comfortable. There is only one 4pm med. Once they have practiced with that a couple of times, then they can move to 8am and they will give two medications at one time. Once they have practiced giving the 8am meds a couple of times, they can give 8pm meds- which are three different meds at one time. Please note this is just a suggestion, the goal is for the employee to feel comfortable with giving meds while demonstrating the correct process.