

Nitroglycerin

ACTIVITY:

Dosage.

What is the required
critical performance??

Nitroglycerin

What are the 5 indications
for administering Nitro.

Nitroglycerin

ACTIVITY:

Administer Nitroglycerin.

What is the required
critical performance??

Nitroglycerin

ACTIVITY:

Reassess.

What is the required
critical performance??

Nitroglycerin

ACTIVITY:

Check expiration date of
Nitroglycerin.

What is the required
critical performance??

Nitroglycerin

ACTIVITY:

Question patient.

What is the required
critical performance??

Nitroglycerin

ACTIVITY:

Prepare to administer
Nitroglycerin.

What is the required
critical performance??

Nitroglycerin

ACTIVITY:

Assure right medication.

What is the required
critical performance??

<p>1. The patient complains of chest pain. 2. The patient has a history of cardiac problems. 3. The patient's physician has prescribed nitroglycerin(NTG).</p>	<p>One spray or tablet repeated every five minutes if no relief of pain, systolic blood pressure remains above 100 systolic, and if authorized by medical direction. Maximum of three doses</p>
<p>Reassess blood pressure within two minutes. Record activity time. Perform reassessment.</p>	<p>Ask patient to lift tongue. Place tablet or spray dose under tongue. May have patient place tablet or spray under tongue. Have patient keep mouth</p>
<p>Question patient about last dose administration, total doses administered and effects of administration.</p>	<p>Check expiration date.</p>
<p>EMT must assure right medication, patient, route and that patient is alert. Read medication at least two times prior to administering.</p>	<p>Perform focused assessment for cardiac patient. Take blood pressure-must be above 100mmHg systolic. Obtain order from medical direction either on-line or off-line.</p>

What 2 criteria must the patient meet prior to administration??

Prescribed Inhaler
ACTIVITY:
Prepare to administer inhaler.

What is the required critical performance??

Pre-Loaded Epinephrine
ACTIVITY:
Administer epinephrine auto-injector.

Pre-Loaded Epinephrine
ACTIVITY:
Record.

What is the required critical performance??

What is the required critical performance??

Pre-Loaded Epinephrine
ACTIVITY:
Prepare to administer pre-loaded epinephrine.

Pre-Loaded Epinephrine
ACTIVITY:
Obtain patient's prescribed auto-injector.

What is the required critical performance??

What is the required critical performance??

Nitroglycerin

What are the 4 contraindications of administering Nitro.

Pre-Loaded Epinephrine
ACTIVITY:
Body Substance Isolation

What is the required critical performance??

Obtain order from medical direction either on-line or off-line.

1. Medication is prescribed for this patient by a physician.
2. Medical direction authorized use for this patient.

Record activity and time.
Dispose of injector in biohazard container.

Remove safety cap from the auto-injector.
Place tip of auto-injector against the patient's thigh.
Lateral portion of the thigh midway between the waist and the knee.

Ensure:
Prescription is written for the patient experiencing allergic reactions.
Expiration date has not passed.
Medication is not discolored(if able to see).

Obtain order from medical direction either on-line or off-line.

Eye protection as required.
Gloves as required.
Gown as required.
Mask as required.

1. The patient has hypotension, or a systolic blood pressure below 100.
2. The patient has a head injury.
3. The patient is an infant or child.
4. The patient has already

Oral Glucose
ACTIVITY:
Prepare to administer
oral glucose.

What is the required
critical performance??

Oral Glucose
ACTIVITY:
Question patient or
bystanders.

What is the required
critical performance??

Prescribed Inhaler

What are the 3 indications
to administer the
prescribed inhaler???

Prescribed Inhaler

What are the 4
contraindications to
administering the
prescribed inhaler??

Prescribed Inhaler
ACTIVITY:
Assess and record.

What is the required
critical performance??

Prescribed Inhaler
Dose???

Prescribed Inhaler
ACTIVITY:
Obtain patient's
prescribed inhaler.

What is the required
critical performance??

Prescribed Inhaler
ACTIVITY:
Administer inhaler.

What is the required
critical performance??

Assure signs and symptoms of altered mental status with a known history of diabetes.

Obtain order from medical control either on-line or off-line.

1. Patient is unable to use device(e.g., not alert).
2. Inhaler is not prescribed for patient.
3. No permission has been given by medical direction.
4. Patient has already taken maximum

1. Patient exhibits signs and symptoms of respiratory emergency.
2. Patient has physician-prescribed hand-held inhaler.
3. Medical direction gives specific authorization to

Based on medical direction's order or physician's order.

Record activity and time.
Assess patient's response and respiratory status.

Check connection of inhaler to container.
Ensure the inhaler is at room temperature or warmer.
Shake the inhaler vigorously several times.
Have patient place lips

Ensure:
Prescription is written for the patient.
Expiration date has not passed.
Medication is not discolored or cloudy(if able to see).

<p>Oral Glucose ACTIVITY: Administer oral glucose.</p> <p>What is the required critical performance??</p>	<p>Oral Glucose ACTIVITY: Assess and record.</p> <p>What is the required critical performance??</p>

Record activity and time. Assess the patient's level of consciousness, respiratory status, and response.	Assure patient is conscious and can swallow and protect their airway. Place glucose on tongue depressor between cheek and gum