

Administrator Alert

*Policy updates & rule clarifications
for Nursing Facilities*

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DHS 12 Weeks to a Safer Medication System: Week One

OREGON DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

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Take A Stand

Support Medication Safety

Medication administration training is critical to assure staff is prepared to administer medications appropriately.

This weeks activity:

- Review your training policy for:
 - ❖ New hires;
 - ❖ On-going training; and
 - ❖ Training efforts after an incident.
- Talk with staff about the importance of on-going training and review expectations.
- Post the DHS - OLRO website and encourage staff to use as a resource.

For more information on the Six Rights and Three Checks go to:
<http://www.oregon.gov/dhs/licensing/Pages/safe-med-administration.aspx> 2/13

It Matters – Take Control of Medication Administration

