

REQUIRED COMPONENTS OF A MEDICATION ORDER

When a medication order is written by a physician it must contain the following seven important parts or it is considered invalid or incomplete.

- (1) Student's full name
- (2) Date the order was written
- (3) Name of the medication
- (4) Dosage of the medication
- (5) Route of administration
- (6) Frequency of administration
- (7) Signature of the person writing the order