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State Approved Medication Training for Caregivers Program # 052307-70

This is a class covering:

- Regulations for assisting with medication administration for Residential Care Facilities/ Group Homes/ Assisted Living Facilities
- Nevada law, how it evolved and the provider's responsibility
- Proper techniques and documentation for medication administration
- Compliance forms, documents and responsibilities
- How to read a label
- Physician orders and the responsibility of the facility to comply
- Proper methods of assisting with medications: cutting crushing, etc.
- Preparing and charting on a Medication Administration Record (MAR)
- Proper receipt, storage and handling of medications in the RCF setting
- How a pill "knows where to go" and basic physiology of medication administration
- The "six rights" of medication administration
- Medication action, purpose and side effects
- When to call 911 vs. calling the physician
- The caregiver regulations and responsibilities as a medication assistant
- The importance of proper medication administration

