



Division of Science, Health Professions, and Nursing Nursing Education Program

Medication Calculation Exam

Purpose: To ensure that students have the requisite medication calculations skills to safely administer medications

Procedure:

1. All clinical courses will administer a medication calculation examination to students within the first two weeks of the beginning of clinical.
2. The medication calculation will be assigned course weight of 5% or less of total course grade.
3. The medication calculation examination will consist of 20 fill-in-the-blank questions.
4. Students will be given 60 minutes to complete the medication calculation exam.
5. Students who do not score 100% on the medication calculation exam will be given a second attempt at a different version of the exam.
6. Students may review their incorrect answers on their first attempt at the medication calculation exam.
7. The score on the medication calculation exam will not be used to determine clinical assignments or duties.
8. Students should reference the medication calculation guidelines for guidance in answering exam questions.

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Approved by:

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