



Medication Aide-Certified, Facility Recommendation

Student name _____ meets the following criteria to participate in the Non-Parenteral Medication Aide-Certified Course (6 hours Prepare to Care Core, 42 hours classroom, 10-20 hours supervised clinical at employer).

1. Long Term Care Facility Qualifications:

- A) Student has been employed in the same facility for six consecutive months.
- B) Student has an aptitude for reading, writing, and mathematics at minimum 8th grade level.
- C) Student is of good character and does not have a recent history of drug or alcohol abuse.
- D) Student is a Certified Nurse Aide
- E) Direct Care Worker ID Number (if employed in long term care)

- F) Facility agrees to provide RN supervised clinical 10 – 20 hours in medication administration duties.

2. Residential Care Facilities 15 beds and larger, Assisted Living and other levels of care:

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- B) Student is of good character and does not have a recent history of drug or alcohol abuse.
- C) Facility agrees to provide RN supervised clinical 10 -20 hours in medication administration duties.

3. All Facilities are required to identify the RN responsible for supervision of clinical hours:

Name of RN Clinical Supervisor _____

By signing this, the employing facility recommends the applicant for Medication Aide training.

Administrator: _____

Facility: _____

Administrator email _____ Phone _____

Please sign and return to Cheryl Little at Cheryl.Little@iavalley.edu or via fax 641-754-1445. If you have questions, please email or call Cheryl Little at 641-844-5623.