



At random select 9 medications from patient MAR sheets, 4 you are familiar with and 5 you are not. Then answer the below questions.

Q1. Define the terms Prescribing and Describing.

Q2. What are the main cautions for these drugs?

1.	4.	7.
2.	5.	8.
3.	6.	9.

Q3. What are the main side effects of these drugs?

1.	4.	7.
2.	5.	8.
3.	6.	9.

Q4. Define the term Bioavailability.

Q5. What are the main side contraindications for these drugs?

1.	4.	7.
2.	5.	8.
3.	6.	9.

Q6. What should be considered when prescribing in the elderly?

Q7. Who are the main governing bodies who oversee medications and how does this effect nursing staff?

1.

2.

3.

4.

Q8. Define the term Pharmacodynamics

Q9. Define the term Pharmacokinetics

Q10. Drug calculation questions

Convert the following:

a) 0.05 g to mg

c) 1575 micrograms to mg

b) 0.025 Litre to mLs

d) 750 mg to grams

To administer heparin 3500 units, how many mLs is required?

(Stock = heparin 5000 units in 1 mL)

A patient is prescribed prednisolone 40 mg once daily in the morning for 5 days.

a) How many tablets should you give the patient every morning?

b) What is the total number of 5 mg tablets required to complete the course?

(Stock = prednisolone 5 mg tablets)

A patient is prescribed insulin 22 units subcutaneously, how many mLs should you give?

(Stock = 10 mL vial of 100 units in 1 mL)

To administer 400 micrograms of folic acid syrup orally, how many mLs should you give?

(Stock = folic acid 2.5 mg in 5 mLs)