2295 MEDICAL SUPPLIES (PREPARATION FOR DAILY PROCEDURES/TREATMENTS)

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In order to expedite the delivery of health care at the SYSC, medical supplies shall be set up daily and made available for performing procedures/treatments.

Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to establish the SYSC medical supply procedure.

Procedure

I. Nurse Review

A. At the beginning of each shift, the night nurse shall review all notebooks for orders of procedures/treatments for the residents within the next 24-hour period.

II. Preparation of Medical Supplies

A. The night-shift nurse shall prepare the necessary medical supplies for all procedures and/or treatments that will be performed within the next 24-hour period.

III. Restocking Supplies

- A. Nurses shall restock medical supplies in the following manner:
 - 1. Based on the medications and treatments ordered, the nurse shall restock the supplies needed to perform the procedures/treatments in the appropriate rooms (examination room, medication preparation room, and so on).
 - 2. Restocking is based on pre-established stock items as well as those needed to perform the specified procedures/treatments. These are placed on the appropriate shelves, drawers, refrigerators, and so on.
 - 3. The nurse shall notify the Nursing Coordinator of items that are missing or low in stock.