MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION – ORAL GLUCOSE

Student Name _____ Date _____

EXAMINATION STEPS AND PROCEDURES	Points Possible	Points Earned
Takes or verbalizes body substance isolation precautions	1	
Medication Administration:		
Check medication: a) Correct medication b) Expiration date c) Clarity (if able) d) Correct dose e) Integrity of container	 1 1 1 1 1	
Determine level of consciousness. Discontinue if unable to follow directions.	1	
Check patient's ability to swallow, gag reflex, and maintain an airway.	1	
Assist patient with the administration of glucose solution by mouth and sip slowly - OR - Assist patient to open mouth and dispense glucose paste between gum and cheek surface	1	
Once medication has been consumed or absorbed, reassess patient and vital signs	1	
Transport:		
Document medication, dosage, route and time of administration	1	
Document any change (+ / -) in patient's status	1	
TOTAL	12	

Minimum Points: 9

CRITICAL CRITERIA

_____ Did not take or verbalize body substance isolation precautions
_____ Did not follow the steps properly to check medication prior to administration
_____ Did not assess patient's level of consciousness
_____ Did not document medication, dosage, route, time of administration, and any change in the patient's status

_____ PASS _____ FAIL Instructor _____