Safe Administration of medication full day training Questions

Trainee Name ………………………………………………………….. Date………………………..

1… A Medicine has a warning on it MUST be swallowed whole , what is the reason

a) It has a bad taste

b) Its too hard and may damage teeth

c) Its specially made for a sustained release

d) It will upset the stomach

2… If medication is only available from a prescription what letters will appear on the packaging

1. POM
2. GP
3. POS
4. DR

3..What is the brand name of medication

1. The internationally approved name
2. Active ingredient list
3. Manufacturers name
4. Company owners name

4..What is the best time to give sleeping tablets

1. 15 to 30
2. Only when lying down
3. In the afternoon
4. 2 hours before bedtime

5..Name three “routes” of Medication

1)

2)

3)

6..Name three of the 7 rights

1)

2)

3)

7.. Secondary dispensing is when medication is given to the client away from the person who administered it

1. True
2. False

8.. Which three things must you consider when administering medication covertly

1. The persons capacity
2. Can the medication route be changed (eg crushed)
3. How the family would like the drug administered
4. The person gets the full dose of medication.

9.. When should you wash your hands when administering medication to a client’ eyes

1. Only after administering the eye medication.
2. Only before administering the eye medication
3. Before and after administering the eye medication
4. Only if hands look or feel dirty.

10.. Name three of the most common reasons for medication errors.

1)

2)

3)

SCORE OUT OF 10 …….. 70% REQUIRED (7/10) Trainer Signature ………………………..