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Today's Issue:

QMA Insulin Administration Education Module

Qualified Medication Aide - Insulin Administration Education Module

Effective 12/31/2019 the Indiana State Department of Health(ISDH) – Division of Long Term Care is announcing the release of the Qualified Medication Aide (QMA) – Insulin Administration Education Module. This education module is approved to train current and future QMAs in the administration of insulin to residents in Indiana licensed healthcare facilities. The Insulin Administration Education Module must be conducted through an Indiana approved Qualified Medication Aide Training Program by an approved Program Director. The training must follow the approved curriculum.

The Insulin Administration Education Module is an OPTIONAL training for current and future QMAs. The training includes:

- 4-8 hours of classroom training following the state approved curriculum
- 2-4 hours of practical training with 1:1 supervision of licensed registered nurse
- Successful completion of skills competency checklist with 100% accuracy administered by the QMA training program approved Program Director
- Successful completion of written competence examination administered by the state approved testing entity.
- The approved QMA training program is responsible for maintaining a student file for each individual.

ISDH – QMA Insulin Administration Information

<u>ISDH – QMA Insulin Administration Education Module – Instructor Manual</u>

ISDH- QMA Insulin Administration Education Module – Student Manual

QMA – Insulin Administration website

*NOTE: The ISDH is currently working with the Nebraska Health Care Association (NHCA) for release of training photos/ pictures. The photos/ pictures will be

added to the education module upon approval. It will be the program directors responsibility to provide this information in the interim.

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