Integrated National Medication Error Reporting System (INMERS)

Medication Error Summary Report (January 01 - June 30, 2025)

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#	Report Date	Medication Error Date	Error Type	Patient Sex			Exact Prescription	Incident Description	Workplace Environment	Immediate Actions	Corrective Actions	Preventive Actions	Medicine Details	
1	May.	Apr. 26,	Incorrect	female	12.70	N/A	Co-amoxiclav	Patient (12.7kg) was	Moderately	Co-amoxiclav was	Drug was put	Double	Generic Medicine	Route
	08,	2025	Dispensing				457mg/5mL, 6mL PO every 12 hours	prescribed with Co- amoxiclav 457mg/5mL, 2mL every 8 hours (40mkday). Since this is a 7:1 formulation, POD	busy	put on hold and later shifted to Amoxicillin 250mg/5mL, 4mL	on hold	checking with other co- pharmacists	Co-Amoxiclav (amoxicillin + potassium clavulanate)	Oral
								referred the dose to 40mkday every 12		every 8 hours (50mkday).				
								hours at 1:18 AM of April 26. At 4:47 AM, ROD revised the AOF						
								to 3mL every 12 hours; however, order on pink						
								form was 6mL every 12 hours (40mkdose). POD received the pink						
								form, prescription, and AOF then dispensed 1 bottle of Co-amoxiclav						
								457mg/5mL suspension. However,						
								POD failed to notice the discrepancy between the doses written on						
								AOF and pink form. AMS POD (morning						
								shift) noticed that PIDS name was not written on AOF (Watch Group						
								of Antibiotic requires PIDS approval). AMS						
								POD went to ward to check if PIDS approved the use of antibiotic.						

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					While reviewing the					
					chart, POD noticed the					
					discrepancy and					
					immediately notified the					
					ROD and NOD since					
					initail was already					
					administered at 9AM of					
					that day. ROD informed					
					PIDS and Gastro					
					service of the incident.					
					PIDS replied that dose					
					ordered was still within					
					the recommended					
					range of 80-90mkday					
					for pneumonia;					
					however, PIDS					
					preferred the use of					
					either Cefuroxime or					
					Amoxicillin for patient's					
					case.					

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2 May. 08,	Apr. 25, 2025	Incorrect Dispensing	male	20.30	N/A	Piperacillin tazobactam	On April 26, AMS POD noticed that ordered	Moderately busy	The succeeding doses were	Drug was revised to	Double checking	Generic Medicine	Route
2025						2030 mg IV q 6 h	dose of Piperacillin tazobactam was different from Pharmacy's record. Based on physician's order, patient was prescribed with Piperacillin Tazobactam 2030mg IV q 6 h. However on Pharmacy's record, patient was prescribed with 1030mg IV q 6 h. AMS POD checked the medication sheet to ensure that dose transcribed was 2030mg IV q 6 h and not 1030mg IV q 6 h. As the dose prescribed in pink form corresponds to the dose on medication sheet, AMS POD counterchecked whether doses dispensed by Pharmacy was the same to dose ordered by ROD. Unfortunately, the dispensed doses for patient was labelled as Piperacillin tazobactam		corrected starting on 3PM dose. New prescription was also forwarded to Pharmacy.	appropriate prescribed dose	with other co-pharmacist	Piperacillin + Tazobactam (as sodium salt)	Injection into vein (Intravenous)

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						1030mg instead of					
						2030mg. POD					
						confiscated the dose					
						intended for 3PM dose.					
						NOD was also informed					
						of the incident. Patient					
						received a total of 3					
						insufficient doses of					
						Piperacillin Tazobactam					
						on April 25 9PM and					
						April 26 3AM and 9AM.					
						PIDS was also informed					
						of the incident Upon					
						investigating this					
						incident, on April 25					
						around 2PM, Night					
						POD received the order					
						(Piperacillin					
						Tazobactam 2030mg IV					
						q 6 h) for patient as an					
						outpatient order since					
						patient was not					
						admitted. POD					
						dispensed 4 vials to					
						patient's watcher. At					
						around 2:30 PM, ER					
						NOD called Pharmacy if					
						it was possible for POD					
						to compound the dose					
						even if watcher already					
						bought 4 vials of					
						antibiotic. POD replied					
						that they could					
						compound the antibiotic					

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							and to return the					
							purchased antibiotic to					
							avoid another charge of					
							antibiotic. The POD					
							informed the NOD to					
							send the pink form,					
							AOF, and prescription.					
							Around 2:40 am, the					
							pink form was sent to					
							the pharmacy indicating					
							the dose of 2030 mg IV					
							every 6 hours. The					
							POD on duty made 3					
							label stickers for the					
							2030 mg dose and					
							compounded the doses.					
							After 10 minutes, the					
							antibiotic was prepared					
							but wasn't released					
							because AOF and					
							prescription were still					
							not sent to the					
							pharmacy. After follow-					
							up calls, AOF and					
							prescription were finally					
							sent to the pharmacy.					
							POD attached the					
							prescription to the IV					
							card and didn't verify					
							the prescription since					
							POD already verified it					
							when the pink form was					
							sent; however, POD					
							didn't notice the					

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							incorrect dose of					
							antibiotic in the					
							prescription. Around					
							6:00 am, POD					
							compounded the					
							pending fluids					
							beforeencoding the					
							antibiotics started					
							during their duty. After					
							that the IV AMS arrived					
							at the pharmacy and					
							offered that they could					
							manage to encode the					
							to-start antibiotics since					
							Night POD still had					
							another work to					
							accomplish.					

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May. 08,	Apr. 24, 2025	Incorrect Dispensing	female	3.04	N/A	Paracetamol 300mg IV q 4 h	Patient (3 mos old, 2.9kg) was prescribed	Moderately busy	Patient's liver function was	Antidote was given	Double checking	Generic Medicine	Route
2025						for fever	with Paracetamol 300mg IV q 4 h for fever on April 24. Order was sent to Pharmacy and POD dispensed 5 ampules of Paracetamol. Around 1AM, ROD revised the dose to 37mg IV q 4 h for 24 hours. When NOD carried out the order, they noticed the large difference between ongoing and previous doses. NOD reported the incorrect dose to ROD, who also reported the incident to Consultant and referred the patient to Toxicology. Paracetamol 12.5mkdose every 4 hours RTC for 24 hours was continued while awaiting feedback from toxicology. Patient was noted with increasing trends of serum ALT and serum AST. Fortunately after 3 days, ALT and AST		monitored and Paracetamol was discontinued. Patient was also prescribed with N- acetylcysteine as antidote.		with other co-pharmacists	Paracetamol	Injection into vein (Intravenous)

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							were decreasing. This is also a prescribing and administration error.					

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May.	Apr. 18,	Incorrect	male	21.80	N/A	Ciprofloxacin	On April 23, AMS POD	Moderately	Dose was revised	Dose was	Double	Generic Medicine	Rou
08, 2025	2025	Dispensing				500mg tab, 1 tab divided into	noticed that weight used for patient was	busy	to Ciprofloxacin 500mg tab. divide	revised to recommended	checking the curret	Ciprofloxacin	Ora
2025						tab divided into 5 papers, give 1 paper q 12 h (40mkday)	used for patient was inconsistent for the two antibiotics prescribed to patient. For Azithromycin PO on April 12, weight used was 21.8 kg while for Ciprofloxacin PO on April 18, weight used was 4.8 kg. Due to the difference in weights, AMS POD asked NOD to reweigh the patient to confirm the correct weight. It was confirmed that the correct weight was 21.8kg. AMS POD asked NOD to refer the Ciprofloxacin dose for recomputation and to inform the ROD that previous doses administered to the patient were below the recommended dosing. Patient was prescribed Ciprofloxacin 500mg tablet, divide 1 tablet into 5 papers (100mg/paper), give 1		500mg tab, divide 7 tablets into 8 papers (437.5mg/paper), give 1 paper every 12 hours (40mkday).	recommended mkday	the curret weight used in antibiotics	Сіргопохасіп	Old

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							(40mkday) based on					
							4.8kg on April 18.					
							However, if based on					
							correct weight of					
							21.8kg, ordered dose					
							was only at 4.5mkdose					
							or 9mkday. A total of 10					
							doses were given to					
							patient since the					
							evening of April 18 until					
							the morning of April 23.					
							PIDS was also informed					
							regarding the incident.					
							This is also a					
							prescribing and					
							administration error.					

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5	May.	Apr. 05,	Incorrect	male	2.40	N/A	Loperamide	Patient was initially	Moderately	Loperamide was	Dose was	Double	Generic Medicine	Route
	08, 2025	2025	Dispensing				2mg/tab, 3mg per paper, give 1 paper every 6	prescribed with Loperamide 1mkDAY using Loperamide	busy	temporarily put on hold and revised to 0.5mkday every	revised to recommended mkday	checking with other co-	Loperamide (as hydrochloride)	Oral
							hours	5mg/5mL syrup for high		8 hours on April 9.		pharmacists		
								output ileostomy.		In addition, NOD				
								However, this preparation is not		was advised to monitor patient for				
								available in Philippine		delayed reaction				
								market so prescription		and to				
								was revised to		immediately notify				
								papertabs.		doctors if any				
								Unfortunately, dose		reaction occurs.				
								prescribed was at						
								1mkDOSE						
								(2.5mg/paper, 1 paper						
								every 6 hours). POD also referred to round						
								off the order to						
								3mg/paper. Revision						
								was received by Night						
								POD who also referred						
								the dose, however,						
								ROD insisted that						
								dosing was based on						
								ileostomy guidelines. POD did not ask for a						
								copy of the reference						
								and prepared the doses						
								as prescribed.						
								Loperamide was started						
								at 3AM on April 6 and						
								10 doses were						
								administered as of						

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						discovery of error.					
						Ostomy output					
						decreased with no					
						noticeable difference in					
						consistency. Doctors					
						and NODs were					
						immediately informed					
						and POD searched for					
						ileostomy guidelines.					
						Recommended is at					
						0.4-0.8mkday					
						(maximum 8mg per					
						day). Incident was only					
						discovered upon					
						informing ROD of					
						another incident					
						involving another					
						patient. ROD replied					
						that dose prescribed for					
						another patient was					
						based on order for this					
						patient. This is also a					
						prescribing and					
						administration error.					

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May. 08, 2025	Apr. 06, 2025	Near-miss	female	15.50	N/A	Pyrazinamide 250mg/5mL, 9.5mL orally once a day (30mkday)	On April 6 at 12:36PM, Pharmacy received order and AOF to start Ceftriaxone, Clindamycin, and anti-TB meds (Isoniazid 200mg/5mL, Rifampicin 200mg/5mL, Ethambutol 300mg tablet, Pyrazinamide 250mg/5mL). Ward was advised to register patient to TB-DOTS upon the following day (Monday) and to reorder Ethambutol to 400mg tablet. AOF was returned to ward for correction of stock dose and order. Around 2PM, Pharmacy received the corrected AOF, however, no pink form was forwarded. POD called the ward to ask for the pink form and NOD insisted that resident wanted the anti-TB meds to be immediately started. POD prepared the KidzKit III Forte (Isoniazid 200mg/5mL, Rifampicin 200mg/5mL, Rifampicin 200mg/5mL,	Moderately busy	NOD immediately notified the resident to revise the order. NOD notified Pharmacy about incident at 10:30AM.	The drug has been revised to the stock dose available at the pharmacy	Counter checking with other co-pharmacist	N/A

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							Pyrazinamide					
							500mg/5mL) and was					
							not able to check the					
							previously sent pink					
							form. Order for revised					
							order of Ethambutol					
							was forwarded at 8PM.					
							On April 7, anti-TB					
							meds were started. At					
							9AM while preparing					
							doses, NOD noticed					
							that Pyrazinamide stock					
							was 500mg/5mL. Order					
							on chart was					
							250mg/5mL.					

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7	May. 08,	Apr. 02, 2025	Incorrect Dispensing	female	70.00	N/A	Piperacillin tazobactam	At around 3PM of April 3, PM POD was asked	Moderately busy	POD relayed that only 1 vial will be	The dose was revised to	Double checking	Generic Medicine	Route
	2025						4.5g IV q 6 h	about the 3PM dose of Piperacillin Tazobactam of the patioent. Upon checking the profile, patient was prescribed Piperacillin Tazobactam 4.5g IV q 6 h. Recommended dosing is 4g per dose only (Piperacillin-based). Upon asking how the antibiotic was administered, NOD relayed that they diluted 1 vial of Piperacillin Tazobactam equivalent to 4 grams and another vial to get the equivalent of 500mg. Available stock dose is Piperacillin Tazobactam 4g/500mg vial. Dosing must be based on Piperacillin content only. 4.5g of Piperacillin Tazobactam was given to the patient on 9PM of April 2, 3AM and 9AM of April 3. This is also a prescribing and administration error.		given for the 3PM dose and a revised order was needed for the succeeding doses.	maximum recommended dosage	with other co-pharmacist	Piperacillin + Tazobactam (as sodium salt)	Injection into vein (Intravenous)

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May. 08,	Apr. 01, 2025	Incorrect Dispensing	female	3.70	N/A	Hydrocortisone 36mg IV q 6 h	Upon ward rounds on April 2 at around 4PM,	Moderately busy	Since drug was a corticosteriod,	Incident was referred to	Double checking	Generic Medicine	Route
2025						(10mkday)	Clinical POD noted that there was a revision order of Hydrocortisone last April 1 at 9 PM. Upon checking the previous orders, POD noticed that admitting order to PICU was Hydrocortisone 63mg IV q 6 h (10mkday). Patient weighed 2.5kg and upon recomputation, ordered dose was at 25mkdose. Patient was given 63mg per dose for 3 doses (3AM, 9AM, 3PM). Dose should be 6.3mg IV q 6 h (10mkday, 2.5kg) only. This is also a prescribing and administration error. Upon monitoring, patient had no hyperglycemic or hypertensive episodes.		Hydrocortisone can't be discontinued abruptly. Continuous monitoring was ordered for patient due to possible ADR.	FOD and Consultant.	with other co-pharmacists	Hydrocortisone	Injection into vein (Intravenous)

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9	May. 07,	Mar. 28, 2025	Incorrect Dispensing	male	1.00	N/A	Gentamicin 5mg IV q 48 h	On March 25, patient was prescribed with	Heavy workload and	Patient was monitored for	Double checking	Double checking	Generic Medicine	Route
	2025	2023	Disperising				Sing IV q 40 II	Gentamicin 5mg IV q 48 h. First dose was given at 2PM of March 25 then second dose on March 27 12NN. However on March 27, POD dispensed 1 ampule upon ward rounds when next dose should be on March 29. NOD failed to check the schedule so 1 dose was	time pressure		correct due dates	with the NOD the correct due date of medicines	Gentamicin (as sulfate)	Injection into vein (Intravenous)
								administered on 12NN of March 28. Another dose was also given on March 29. Incident was discovered by Clinical POD and reported to the Head Nurse, ROD, and FOD.						

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Мау.	Mar. 21,	Incorrect	male	28.20	N/A	Aqueous	On March 20, patient	Busy with	Dose was revised	Dose was	Double	Generic Medicine	Route
07, 2025	2025	Dispensing				Penicillin G 4 000 000 units IV q 6 h	was prescribed Aqueous Penicillin G 2 820 000 units IV q 6 h (28.2kg; 100 000 units/kg/dose), however, no AOF was forwarded to pharmacy. Around 12:30 AM of March 21, ROD revised the dose to Penicillin G (Aqueous) 6 000 000 units IV q 6 h with side noted of 'max dose: 24 000 000 units/24hours'. POD referred that maximum units per dose was 4 million units only, hence, ROD revised the order to 4 million units IV q 6 h. First dose was dispensed at 2:40 AM. At around 8AM, AMS POD noticed the discrepancy and referred the dose to ROD. Two doses (3AM and 9AM) were already administered to patient. POD failed to check the desired dose based on patient's weight.	non stop incoming doctor's orders	back to 100 000 units/kg/dose equivalent to 2 820 000 units IV q 6 h. Senior ROD also made a verbal order that 3PM dose must not be given.	revised to desired dose based on patients weight	checking with other co-pharmacists	Penicillin G Crystalline (benyzylpenicillin) (as sodium salt)	Injection into vein (Intravenous)

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11	May. 07,	Mar. 18, 2025	Incorrect Dispensing	female	2.79	N/A	Furosemide 7.8mL + D5W	On March 18, patient was prescribed	Moderately busy	Discrepancy was noticed by Clinical	Drug was revised with	Double checking	Generic Medicine	Route
	2025						12.2mL to make 20mL IV at 0.2mL/hour (BW: 3.1kg; 2mkday)	Furosemide IV drip 7.8mL + D5W 12.2mL to make total volume of 20mL at a rate of 0.2mL/hour. Desired dose for patient was 2mkday (Birth weight: 3.1kg). However, dose prescribed was at 6mkday which was 3 times more than desired dose. This is also a prescribing and administration error.		POD and referral was made. Dose was revised to Furosemide IV drip 2.5mL + 17.5mL D5W to make 20mL at a rate of 0.2mL/hr (2mkday).	the correct prescribed dose	with other co-pharmacists	Furosemide	Injection into vein (Intravenous)

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.2 N	1ay.	Mar. 17,	Near-miss	female	28.00	N/A	Lactulose	On March 17 at around	The unit was	Drug was returned	Drug was	Double	N/A
0	7,	2025					3.3g/5mL,	9AM, POD received a	busy with in	and replaced by	replaced with	checking	
2	025						10mL PO BID	request for Lactulose of	coming	POD.	the correct	with other	
								patient. POD checked	doctor's		prescribed	CO-	
								the patient's profile to	orders		medication by	pharmacists	
								check if patient already			the POD.		
								had an order of					
								Lactulose. Afterwards,					
								POD dispensed the					
								medicine to the NA. At					
								around 9:30 AM, POD					
								received a phone call					
								from NOD informing					
								that they received					
								Aluminum Magnesium					
								hydroxide suspension					
								instead of Lactulose					
								suspension. POD					
								realized that she must					
								have switched the					
								medication from an					
								order from another					
								ward.					

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13	May.	Mar. 17,	Incorrect	female	14.00	N/A	Cotrimoxazole	On March 17 at	Moderately	AMS POD	Dosing for	Double	Generic Medicine	Route
	07, 2025	2025	Dispensing				480mg/5mL, 1.3mL PO every 8 hours (4 mkday)	9:45AM, Inpatient POD received an order of Cotrimoxazole 400mg/80mg/5mL, give 1.3mL PO q 6 h for UTI	busy	referred the dosing to PIDS to base the computation on TMP component.	Cotrimoxazole was computed based on Trimethoprim	with other co- pharmacist	Cotrimoxazole (sulfamethoxazole + trimethoprim)	Oral
								(20mkday). POD called NOD to verify the		AMS POD also referred the dose	(TMP)			
								weight of patient to		to Neuro FOD.	component			
								check if the order was		Dose was revised				
								correct. NOD confirmed		to Cotrimoxazole				
								that patient's weight is		400mg/80mg/5mL,				
								15.7kg. POD checked		give 6.5mL PO q 8				
								the order in which the		h.				
								POD confirmed that dose was at 4mkday						
								only. POD referred the						
								dose to 8-12mkday q						
								12 h based on						
								Lexicomp. Around						
								10:30AM, POD						
								received the revised						
								AOF and order of the						
								medication. POD inquired with the ward if						
								FOD was still at the						
								ward to confirm if dose						
								was revised to 1.3mL						
								PO q 8 h which was						
								previously q 6 h. After						
								confirming the dose,						
								POD dispensed the						
								medication. Only 1						
								dose of 1.3mL was						

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						administered to the					
						patient. Around 2PM,					
						AMS POD noticed the					
						discrepancy in the					
						Cotrimoxazole order.					
						Dosing for					
						Cotrimoxazole should					
						be computed based on					
						Trimethoprim (TMP)					
						component; however,					
						dose was based on					
						Sulfamethoxazole					
						(SMX) component.					
						Inpatient POD also					
						failed to notice that					
						intended dosing of FOD					
						for patient is 20mkday					
						divided q 6 - 8 h.					

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14	May. 07,	Mar. 12, 2025	Incorrect Dispensing	female	10.00	N/A	Levetiracetam 200mg IV as	On March 12, POD received an order of	The unit was busy	Order was revised by ROD and	Double checking	Double checking	Generic Medicine	Route
	2025						loading dose then Levetiracetam 100mg IV + 10mL sterile water every 12 hours	Levetiracetam 200mg IV as loading dose then Levetiracetam 100mg IV + 10mL sterile water every 12 hours. POD dispensed 1 vial of Levetiracetam IV; however POD failed to ask another POD to countercheck the order of the medication. On March 13, the POD assigned on checking all the medicines to be delivered noticed that the diluent used for Levetiracetam IV was sterile water for injection. Recommended diluents according to package insert are: NSS, Lactated Ringer's Solution, and Dextrose 5% Water only. Unfortunately, the vial at the ward was already administered to the patient. This is also a prescribing, administration and		patient was observed for any adverse reactions.	appropriate diluents in references	with other co-pharmacists	Levetiracetam	Injection into vein (Intravenous)

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May. 07, 2025	Feb. 28, 2025	Near-miss	male	0.47	N/A	TPN total volume of 40mL	On February 28 at around 8:30PM, NOD reported thru Viber about the insufficient volume of TPN of patient. Based on the photos forwarded, it was seen that only approximately 34mL of TPN was aspirated contrary to the desired 40mL total volume of TPN. POD informed the TPN POD about the incident.	Moderately busy	TPN POD compounded another TPN for the patient. TPN POD asked another POD to countercheck the newly prepared TPN and it was observed to be approximately 34mL only. However, there was still some fluid left on the bottle and TPN POD was asked to aspirate the remaining fluid. After aspirating all the contents of the bottle, the resulting volume increased to approximately 40mL. The newly prepared TPN was dispensed to ward as replacement from previously compounded and dispensed TPN.	Aspirating all the contents of the bottle	Double checking prepared medication	N/A

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16	May. 07, 2025	Feb. 24, 2025	Near-miss	female	59.00	N/A	Ipratropium + Salbutamol	On February 23, a patient was prescribed Nicardipine and Ipratropium + Salbutamol. However, Budesonide neb was dispensed instead of Ipratropium + Salbutamol. Incident was discovered the next day since the medicines will be shipped to the province.	The unit was moderately busy	Correct drug was dispensed and delivered by the POD.	Correct drug was replaced	Double checking with other co- pharmacists	N/A

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17	May. 07,	Feb. 15, 2025	Incorrect Dispensing	male	8.60	N/A	Potassium 8mEqs + equal	On February 15 at 6:20AM, ROD ordered	The unit was moderately	Clinical POD noticed the	The dose was revised with	Double checking	Generic Medicine	Route
	2025	2025	Dispensing				amount diluent to run for 1 hour	Potassium chloride 8mEqs + equal amount of diluent to run for 1 hour to correct the patient's serum potassium to normal levels. Order was carried out by NOD at 7AM. Central line concentration for potassium chloride infusion has a maximum rate of 1mEq/kg/hour which is	busy	discrepancy and referred the dose for revision.	the appropriate concentration intended	with other co-pharmacists	Potassium Chloride	Injection into vein (Intravenous)
								appropriate for the patient while the maximum concentration should be 150-200mEqs/L, with some case reports up to 400mEqs/L. The final concentration of prescribed medication ordered by ROD is 1mEq/mL or 1000mEqs/L.						

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18	May.	Feb. 04,	Incorrect	female	2.70	N/A	Cotrimoxazole	On February 7, Clinical	The unit was	Incorrect doses for	Dose was	Double	Generic Medicine	Route
	07, 2025	2025	Dispensing	spensing			0.2mL PO every 8 hours (5 mkdose)	POD checked the revision orders of patient's medication due to change in weight of patient. Patient's	moderately busy	were referred to PICU resident and	revised with correct mkdose desired	checking with other co- pharmacists	Cotrimoxazole (sulfamethoxazole + trimethoprim)	Oral
								weight was changed						
								from 1.97 kg to 2.4kg. On the Cotrimoxazole						
								order, ROD computed						
								the dose based on both						
								sulfamethoxazole						
								(400mg) and trimethoprim (80mg)						
								instead of trimethoprim						
								(80mg) only as stated						
								by dose guidelines.						
								Revised dose was						
								Cotrimoxazole 480mg/5mL, 0.8mL						
								every 8 hours. Upon						
								reviewing the previous						
								doses given, Clinical						
								POD noticed that patient was given						
								Cotrimoxazole						
								480mg/5mL, 0.2mL						
								every 8 hours (5mkday)						
								since February 4.						
								However, on February 4, doctor's notes stated						
								that dose must be						
								computed as 5mkdose						
								every 8 hours due to						

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						decreased renal					
						function. Cotrimoxazole					
						was prescribed to be					
						given for 14 days which					
						was until February 7 at					
						9AM. Cotrimoxazole					
						was extended for 3-4					
						more days. This is also					
						a prescribing and					
						administration error.					

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	May. 07, 2025	Feb. 05, 2025	Near-miss	female	36.00	N/A	Budesonie + Formoterol 160mcg/4.5mcg MDI Rapihaler, 1 puff BID	Patient was ordered with Budesonide + Formoterol 160mcg/4.5mcg MDI, 1 puff bid around 6:45 AM of February 5. The pharmacist on-duty asked to reorder the pink form since the doctor did not indicate the dosage form/preparation, if rapihaler or turbuhaler form. At 10:45 AM, the revised pink form was forwarded to Pharmacy. The pharmacist on-duty mistakenly dispensed Budesonide+Formoterol MDI Rapihaler 80mcg/4.5mcg. The patient was discharged at 11:20AM of February 6. The error was discovered around 5:00 PM of the same day when pharmacy made an inventory of the stocks. Pharmacy immediately contacted the guardian and informed her of the wrong dispensing.	The unit was moderately busy	Pharmacy replaced the drug with the correct dosage strength.	Pharmacist replaced the drug with the correct prescribed medication	Double checking with other co-pharmacist	N/A

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Jan. 27, 2025	Incorrect Preparation -	male	48.80	N/A	Colistin 2 440 000 IU IV q 8 h	Patient had standing order of Colistin 2 440	The unit was moderately	2PM dose was put on hold by PIDS.	_	_	Generic Medicine	Route
2020	Compounding errors					000 IU IV every 8 hours which was started on January 23 at 10PM. Each dose must be labeled as Colistin 40 000 IU/mL, 2 440 000 IU (1 vial + 11mL) based on the available stock of 2M IU Colistin. The file used in preparing the sticker labels had a discrepancy so the formulated label stated 2 400 000 IU (2 vials + 11mL) which was based on the previous available stock of 1M Colistin. However, from January 24 until January 27 (2PM), the PODs were able to manually correct the labels. Unfortunately, on January 27, the PODs failed to correct the label for the 10PM dose of January 28. Incident was discovered	busy		the labels was corrected	between pharmacists	Colistin	Injection into vein (Intravenous)
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21	May. 07, 2025	Jan. 22, 2025	Near-miss	male	25.00	N/A	Cetirizine 5mg/5ml syrup, give 5mL BID	Around 11:50AM, mother of patient Lawrence Labrinto called Pharmacy to inform that the drops form of Cetirizine (2.5mg/mL) was dispensed to her instead of the syrup form (5mg/5mL). She sent thru viber pictures of both the prescription and the Cetirizine 2.5mg/mL drops that was issued to her.	long waiting line at outpatient service	Watcher said she will go back to Pharmacy to have the medicine replaced.	Medicine was replaced with the correct medicine based on prescription.	Double-checking with another pharmacist.	N/A