



Carrington Court

Medication Storage Policy

Requirements for Medication distributed by Carrington Court:

- All medications located in a central storage location are secured in a med cart and locked to prevent unauthorized access.
- Medications are available for timely administration to indicated residents
- Any medication that requires storage in separate location will be secured and locked, only accessible to authorized individuals.
- All narcotics are to be stored behind two locks.

Medication Disposal Policy

Carrington Court shall dispose of unused, outdated, or recalled medications in accordance with the following procedure:

Unused Medications:

- a. Carrington Court shall return a resident's medication to the resident or to the resident's responsible person upon discharge.
- b. If a resident's medication cannot be returned to the resident or to the resident's responsible person upon discharge it will be disposed of by placing it in an infectious waste container under the direction of the facility Nurse.

Recalled Medications:

- c. Carrington Court shall return a resident's medication to the resident or to the resident's responsible person.
- d. If a resident's recalled medication cannot be returned to the resident or to the resident's responsible person Carrington Court shall return the recalled medications to the pharmacy that dispensed the medications.
- e. If a resident's recalled medication cannot be returned to the resident, the resident's responsible person, or the dispensing pharmacy it will be disposed of by placing it in an infectious waste container under the direction of the facility Nurse.

Outdated Medications:

- f. All outdated medications will be disposed of by placing it in an infectious waste container under the direction of the facility Nurse.