Linking nursing efficiency and medication safety

Pyxis® ES Link

Nurses are constantly challenged with workflow interruptions, which impact their ability to focus on the patient. With so many patients to care for and medications to deliver, nurses take on extra work to navigate through these complex processes.

By connecting information across systems and devices, Pyxis® ES Link supports the medication administration process by enabling the pre-selection of medications for removal at the Pyxis MedStation® ES system. Furthermore, with the ability to remotely record and witness medication waste from any PC, clinicians can quickly and accurately document waste in accordance with hospital policy—without waiting in line.

Paving the way for increased functionality and productivity

Pyxis ES Link leverages the Pyxis Enterprise Server, the core of the Pyxis ES platform, so the software implementation process is minimal. Pharmacy can simply update user permissions to allow appropriate access, and IT can add web links to nursing computers. Once implemented, the Pyxis ES platform serves as a gateway for other Pyxis ES Link functionalities, such as the medication tracking module* and delivery module*, further streamlining new technology adoption.
Allowing more time for patient care

Constant interruptions, waiting in lines to access medications, searching for information from multiple systems—nurses face daily obstacles that distract them from time with patients. Pyxis ES Link helps nurses save time and improve patient care by allowing them to:

- Conduct clinical planning for their patients’ medication needs in any area
- Remotely build My Patients list
- Remotely queue medications from a patient’s profile
- Confirm medication availability at Pyxis MedStation ES stations within assigned nursing area
- Remove pre-selected medications from the Pyxis MedStation ES system
- Remotely document and witness all waste activities from any PC without making a trip back to the Pyxis MedStation ES system

Easily access key clinical information and streamline the medication administration process using Pyxis ES Link

Remotely queue medications from anywhere with ease

- Access through a web page shortcut or direct link from an electronic medical record (EMR) system
- Utilize the same username and password that is used for Pyxis ES system login
- Remotely queue medications from patient’s profile
- Confirm medication availability at a selected Pyxis MedStation ES system
- Remove queued meds using the My Patients list

Remotely document waste activities any place, any time

- Select from a patient’s previously removed medications to document waste
- Search all removed medications that have not been returned or wasted in full
- Document waste for all accessible medications
- Allow a witness for waste as needed, where needed

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