# ADVERSE DRUG EVENT (ADE) PREVENTION BUNDLE

#### ORDERING

- Medication Reconciliation
  - Perform medication reconciliation within 24 hours of admission
- Standard Order Sets
  - Use order sets for high risk medications and evidence based medicine guidelines
- Alert Fatigue Reduction
  - Monitor the number of alerts to reduce alert fatigue
- Dose Range Checking
  - Use customized dose range checking
- Ordering through Computerized Provider Order Entry
  - Use CPOE with computerized decision support direct to a pharmacy intervention database
- Pharmacist on Rounds
  - Include clinical pharmacists on inpatient rounds
- Pharmacy Intervention Data
  - Use pharmacists' intervention data
- Basic Alerts
  - Use alerting intended to avoid common medication ordering issues

### DISPENSING

- Independent Verification
  - Prepare and dispense all applicable medication doses using Epic Dispense Prep and Check technology
- Dispensing Cabinet/Overrides
  - Dispense medications from the Omnicell via the patient specific profile and not in override, with the exception of emergency situations





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#### ADMINISTRATION

- Barcode Assisted Medication Administration
  - Use bar coding technology to match the patient identification information (ID band) to the correct medication, confirmed prior to administration
- Smart Pump/Guard Rails
  - Use infusion pumps with a drug library and alert functionality
- Smart Pump Data Analysis
  - Analyze and take action on identified gaps from smart pump data to minimize use of basic mode and alert fatigue
- Standard Medication Hand Off Process at Shift Change
  - Perform a handoff process with oncoming and off-going staff to verify that the medications being administered are correct compared to the order
- 5 Rights of Administration
  - Perform the 5 rights on each patient and on each medication administered
- Independent Double Check for High Risk Medications
  - Perform an independent double check by two licensed providers for all high risk medications
  - Primary Nurse:
    - Verifies and confirms weight based dosing is accurate
    - Independently prepares medication for administration and/or verifies medication against order
    - Brief double check nurse with patient and medication information
  - Double Check Nurse:
    - Checks dose, medication concentration, and volume against order
    - For infusions:
      - Confirms smart pump technology (Guardrails) is utilized
      - Confirms smart pump technology is programmed correctly
      - Verifies infusion set up is attached to the correct location and clamps are open



