MEDICATION JOURNAL – To be used during hospitalization.

Patient's Name_____ Date_____Day of Week (circle): M Tu W Th F S S *Page ___ of ___ pages*

Nurse on each shift: _____ _____ _____

Names of Medications (below)	7 a.m. to 3 p.m.	3 p.m. to 11 p.m.	11 p.m. to 7 a.m.
Example: Amoxicillin 500 mg – to give 3x/day po	*8/co*	*4:30/ta*	
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- When a medicine is given, find (or place) the name and dosage of the medicine on the left. Then put the time given in the appropriate column. For example, to put a dose of medicine given at 4:30 p.m., find the medicine name on left, then go to the 3 p.m. to 11 p.m. column and write in "4:30."
- Put your initials by each time notation. Also, to indicate how the medicine was/should be given, write: PO if by mouth; IV if in IV; IM if given by shot.
- When a medicine is discontinued, place a large "DC" in the first column, and write the name of the doctor that ordered that discontinued.