

WAC 246-826-200 Hospital or nursing home drug injection. (1)

Health care assistants certified in categories C, D, E or F and working in a hospital or nursing home may administer by injection the drugs listed in subsection (2) of this section if:

(a) Authorized and directed by a delegator; and

(b) It is within their scope of practice as identified in the table of WAC 246-826-100.

(2) Drugs authorized to be administered by injection include:

- Antihistamines
- Antiinfective agents
- Antineoplastic agents
- Autonomic drugs
- Blood derivatives
- Blood formation and coagulation
- Cardiovascular drugs
- CNS agents
- Diagnostic agents
- Electrolytic, caloric and water balance
- Enzymes
- Gastrointestinal drugs
- Gold compounds
- Heavy metal antagonists
- Hormones/synthetic substitutes
- Local anesthetics
- Oxytocics
- Radioactive agents
- Serums toxoids, vaccines
- Skin and mucous membrane agents
- Smooth muscle relaxants
- Vitamins
- Unclassified therapeutic agents

(3) The schedule of drugs in subsection (2) of this section shall not include the following unless the delegator is physically present in the immediate area where the drug is administered:

(a) Any controlled substances as defined in RCW 69.50.101 (1)(d);
or

(b) Any experimental drug; or

(c) Any cancer chemotherapy agent.

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