

Case 1

1. Noun
2. Adjective
3. Verb Present Ends In S
4. Proper Noun
5. Verb Base Form
6. Noun
7. Adjective
8. Adjective
9. Noun
10. Noun
11. Noun

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Situation. A pharmacist verifies a medication order for vancomycin 1,500 mg for a Noun admitted to the intensive care unit from the emergency department. Verification included checking the order against Adjective laboratory values, patient weight, and indication. The pharmacist failed to check the emergency department medication record, where a dose of 1,500 mg of vancomycin had been administered. The pharmacist Verb Present ends in S , prepares, and dispenses the 1,500 mg vancomycin dose, with the Proper Noun administering the dose. Several days later, the patient's serum creatinine begins to Verb Base Form and a diagnosis of acute kidney Noun secondary to vancomycin is made with Adjective hospital stay and interventions (eg, dialysis). This mistaken repeat of the vancomycin dose resulting from the pharmacists' failure to check the emergency department medication administration record was determined to be the root cause of the error. The pharmacist is a Adjective employee who is well respected by Noun and is seen as a Noun Noun for ICU pharmacy care.