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Administration events

Icon	Name	Description
	Planned	Administration event planned in the future.
	Due	A blue icon turns yellow when it is time for the medication's administration (half an hour before and after the scheduled time).
	Administered	A yellow icon turns green when a nurse records the medication as given.
	Late	A yellow icon turns red if a medication was not administered at the scheduled time or the nurse has not recorded the administration.
	Defer	A medication was recorded as deferred.
	Not given	A medication was recorded as not given.
	Administered early	A medication's administration was completed before the planned time.
	Administered late	A medication's administration was completed after the planned time.

Administration events continued...

Icon	Name	Description
	Dose of administered medication differs from the prescribed dose, administered	A medication was administered on time, but the nurse changed the dose.
	Dose of administered medication differs from the prescribed dose, administered late	A medication was administered after the planned time, and the prescribed dose was changed.
	Dose of administered medication differs from the prescribed dose, administered early	A medication was administered before the planned time, and the prescribed dose was changed.
	Record PRN administration	A medication was prescribed as PRN (when needed).

Administration events - by doctor's order

Icon	Name	Description
	Administration requires doctor's confirmation before administration, planned	A medication was prescribed as "Administration approval needed", which means that a doctor must approve the medication's administration before the medication is administered.
	Administration requires doctor's confirmation before administration, due	A medication was prescribed as "Administration approval needed" for the current time (now), which means that a doctor must approve the medication's administration before the medication is administered.
	Administration requires doctor's confirmation before administration, late	Scheduled administration time for "Administration approval needed" prescription has passed, which means that a doctor didn't approve the medication's administration.
	Administration withheld by doctor	A doctor cancelled the administration of a medication which was prescribed as "Administration approval needed".

Administration events - infusions

Icon	Name	Description
	First: Planned Second: Stop therapy planned	Infusion with a defined duration (rate).
	Start: Administered Second: Stop therapy due	Infusion with a defined duration. The “start” has been completed; the “stop” administration event is due. <i>i If we have a continuous infusion, a yellow icon will appear if the therapy has been suspended. The tooltip for both is: Continuous infusion, stop therapy, due.</i>
	Start: Administered Stop therapy administered	Infusion with a defined duration. The administration was completed.
	Start: Completed Stop therapy, administered late	Infusion with a defined duration. The administration was completed late.
	Start: Completed Stop therapy, administered early	Infusion with a defined duration. The administration was completed early.
	Adjust infusion rate, planned	The rate for infusion with a variable rate is planned to be changed.

Administration events - infusions continued...

Icon	Name	Description
	Adjust infusion rate, due	The rate for infusion with a variable rate is due to be changed.
	Adjust infusion rate, administered	The rate for infusion with a variable rate was changed according to the prescription.
	Adjust infusion rate, administered early	The rate for infusion with a variable rate was changed before the scheduled time.
	Adjust infusion rate, administered late	The rate for infusion with a variable rate was changed after the scheduled time.
	Adjust infusion rate, changed rate, administered	The rate for infusion with a variable rate was changed but the dosage was different from the prescribed one.
	Adjust infusion rate, changed rate, administered early	The rate for infusion with a variable rate was changed before the scheduled time, and the dosage was changed.
	Adjust infusion rate, changed rate, administered late	The rate for infusion with a variable rate was changed before the scheduled time, and the dosage was changed.

Administration events - infusions continued...

Icon	Name	Description
	Adjust infusion rate, late	The rate of infusion was not changed at the scheduled time.
	Adjust infusion rate, failed	The rate of infusion with a variable rate was not changed according to the prescription.
	Continuous infusion, adjust infusion rate, administered	The rate of a continuous infusion was changed from lower to higher. This icon also appears when recording a variable rate for a continuous infusion (rate changed from a lower rate to a higher one).
	Continuous infusion, adjust infusion rate, administered	The rate of a continuous infusion was changed from higher to lower.
	Continuous infusion, adjust infusion rate, administered	The flow rate for continuous infusion is paused. The difference with the previous icons (where the rate was changed from higher to lower), is that the blue line above the icon will disappear, and the rate will be 0mL/h).
	Continuous infusion, adjust infusion rate, administered early	The rate of continuous infusion was changed before the scheduled time (from higher to lower rate).
	Continuous infusion, adjust infusion rate, administered late	The rate of continuous infusion was changed after the scheduled time (from higher to lower rate).

Administration events- infusions continued.

Icon	Name	Description
	Continuous infusion, adjust infusion rate, administered early	The rate of continuous infusion was changed before the scheduled time (from a lower rate to a higher one).
	Continuous infusion, adjust infusion rate, administered late	The rate of continuous infusion was changed after the scheduled time (from a lower rate to a higher one).
	Continuous infusion, adjust infusion rate, failed	This appears if a continuous infusion rate was not changed as prescribed (it was recorded as not given).
	Bolus administration administered	A bolus administration was recorded.
	Continuous infusion, infusion set change	An infusion set was changed.
	Continuous infusion, infusion syringe/bag change	An infusion syringe/bag was changed.
	Changed device	This icon is shown when changing the device type for oxygen prescriptions.