

## NEW PROCESS: Scan PATIENT first, then MEDS

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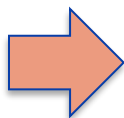
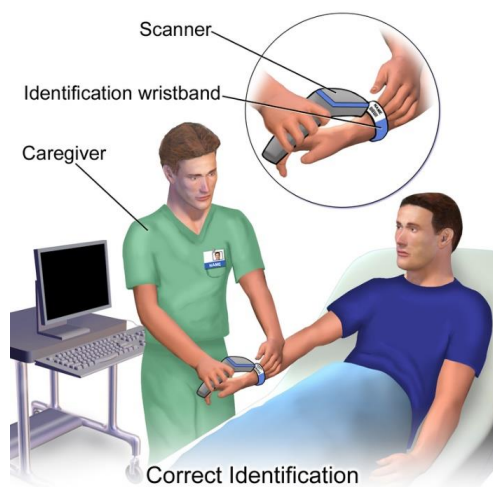
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### BACKGROUND/OBJECTIVE

- The “rights” of medication administration include right patient, right drug, right time, right route, and right dose
- EFD is now aligning our Barcoded Medication Administration (BCMA) process with the “rights of medication” AS WELL AS the corporate standard of scanning the patient PRIOR to medications being scanned
- **Mercy Hospital** and **St. Lucie Medical Center** will pilot these changes before they are shared with the rest of EFD

### WHAT TO EXPECT

- Beginning **November 2<sup>nd</sup>**, the scanning process in BCMA will be flipped
- You will now scan the **patient FIRST** in eMAR and then you are able to scan **meds SECOND**



- If the incorrect patient is scanned, you will NOT be allowed to continue to scan medications

