

# Nursing Workflow- Long-Acting Injectable Medication

Individual is discharged from hospital, transfers clinics, or Psychiatrist adds long acting injectable to medication.

Prescriber orders medication. Writes order in the EMR. Nurse is made aware of the order by prescriber.

RN made aware of order:

- Completes new consumer face sheet for partner pharmacy
- Ensures e-prescription sent to correct partner pharmacy.
- Provides appointment to individual for Long acting injection.

Has the individual come for the injection appointment?

No

**Nurse attempts to schedule another appointment according to Prescriber's order, notifies treatment team, returns medication to Partner Pharmacy within 2 weeks of delivery.**

Yes

Nurse checks VS, monitors for adverse effects or EPS (completes AIMS If applicable) and checks order. RN provides injection on scheduled date, if safe to do so, after verifying 2 identifiers and completing safety checks. If any issues with prescription, side effects or vital signs are found notify prescriber.

Nurse provides next scheduled appointment according to Prescriber's order for injection. Then Documents injections given within 24 hours.

Repeat this process as ordered/clinically necessary.

**AIMS must be completed once per quarter. If not completed by provider this should be completed by a nurse.**