

Visual Aid #2 – Medication Action Plan Mockup

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MEDICATION ACTION PLAN FOR Mr. John Smith, DOB: 07/04/1940

This action plan will help you get the best results from your medications if you:

1. Read “What we talked about.”
2. Take the steps listed in the “What I need to do” boxes.
3. Fill in “What I did and when I did it.”
4. Fill in “My follow-up plan” and “Questions I want to ask.”

Have this action plan with you when you talk with your doctors, pharmacists, and other healthcare providers in your care team. Share this with your family or caregivers too.

DATE PREPARED: 01/14/2013

What we talked about:

- High Cholesterol

What I need to do:

- Monitor diet; eat fewer high cholesterol foods (see dietary handout for healthier options).
- Get your cholesterol checked.

What I did and when I did it:

What we talked about:

- High Blood Pressure - at visit on 1/14/2013 it was 154/92 mmHg

What I need to do:

- Check blood pressure at least 3 times a week and record on log.
- Maintain blood pressure less than 130/80 mmHg.
- Monitor salt in my diet and increase daily exercise.
- Make an appointment with physician to have blood pressure rechecked and share log.

What I did and when I did it:

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What we talked about:

- Diabetes

What I need to do:

- Continue to check blood sugar once a day.
- Maintain fasting blood sugar less than 120 and greater than 70.
- Make an appointment to see the podiatrist within one month.

What I did and when I did it:**What we talked about:**

- How to use your Metered Dose Inhaler - Albuterol

What I need to do:

- Refer to the attached handout on proper inhaler technique.
- Always use spacer with inhaler.
- Keep this medication with me at all times – “rescue inhaler”.

What I did and when I did it:**My follow-up plan** (add notes about next steps):**Questions I want to ask** (include topics about medications or therapy):

If you have any questions about your action plan, call Dr. Jane Doe at 1-800-222-3333 between the hours of 9am and 5pm, Monday through Friday.