APPE Institutional PRCT 554 Drug Overdose Exercise

Directions: Identify what happens if a patient reports or calls with an accidental drug overdose at your institution. After discussion with your preceptor complete the following:

If the patient or patient's representative calls the hospital and reports an accidental overdose, which of the following procedures occur at your rotation practice site: (Question 1 of 4 - Mandatory)

Selection Option
- The caller is automatically referred to the Emergency Department of this institution
- The caller is automatically referred to another Emergency Department at another institution
- The caller is automatically referred to a poison control center
- The pharmacy department takes down all of the information provided and counsels the caller on appropriate actions
- The pharmacy department does not receive calls of this nature

What is the most common type of drug overdose seen at this institution? (Question 2 of 4 - Mandatory)

What are methods used to treat opioid-induced drug overdoses? How do these methods compare to acetaminophen-induced drug overdoses? (Question 3 of 4 - Mandatory)

Are drug overdose cases considered "reportable" to the health department in the state of Mississippi compared with other states? Do you think that all overdose cases should be reported? Why or why not? (Question 4 of 4 - Mandatory)

Review your answers in this evaluation. If you are satisfied with the evaluation, click the SUBMIT button below. Once submitted, evaluations are no longer available for you to make further changes.