

## Medical Tasks

ASSIGNED STAFF						
	MD or PMHNP	Nurse	Support Staff	Counselor &/or Casemanager	Peer specialist &/or Consumer Organization	
<b>Services in support of prescriber:</b>						
Collect list of current medications from all prescribers						
Manage pharmacy samples and dispense as requested with rx		RN, LPN, CMA				
Facilitate med-assist applications						
Call prescriptions to pharmacies						
Track due dates for lab tests						
Obtain lab tests: create orders for prescriber signature & fax orders, or obtain results from PCP						
Administer lab screening on-site**						
Maintain medical section of clinical record						
Obtain ROI and assist with communication with PCP offices						
Administer injections		RN, LPN				
Fill pill minders		RN, LPN, CMA				
<b>Health status monitoring</b>						
Obtain health history						
Obtain baseline health status measures: weight/BMI or waist measurement, blood pressure			If trained	If trained		
Teach/assist consumer to self monitor and track			If trained	If trained	If trained	
Repeat health status measures as needed, based on specific medication risks			If trained	If trained		
Review lab results for significant abnormal findings		RN				
Monitor side effects, including Barnes and AIMS scales every 6 months for individuals taking anti-psychotic medications		RN				
Administer urine drug screens and pregnancy tests as needed						
<b>Wellness supports</b>						
Teach medication management skills, including use of pill minders		'Hands on'		'Hands off' unless operating under formal nurse delegation		
Teach skills for self-advocacy with medical providers, including coaching and rehearsal prior to visits with psychiatrist and other medical professionals						
Provide education on nutrition, physical activity, smoking cessation, birth control and other health topics						
Offer proactive coaching for youth and families on measures to prevent medication-related weight gain						
Link with community wellness resources						

\*Marion-Polk Medical Society will provide MedAssist help at your site

\*\*Or partner with lab which will come to your clinic to administer tests