## **DRUG CARD**

Lisinopril  Generic Name  Pharmacologic Class: • ACE Inhibitor		Prinivil  Trade Name  Therapeutic Class: • Antihypertensives			
			Action: block conversion of angiotensin I to angiotensin II, increases renin levels and decreases aldosterone leading to vasodilation		Indication: • Hypertension • Management of CHF
			Reason Given (Disease States):		
Nursing Process					
Pre-Administration Assessment:	Post Administration Evaluation:	<ul> <li>Nursing Considerations:</li> <li>Dry cough</li> <li>First dose hypotension</li> <li>Use cautiously with potassium supplements and potassium sparing diuretics.</li> <li>Use cautiously with diuretic therapy</li> <li>Administer 1 hour before meals</li> <li>Monitor blood pressure often</li> <li>Monitor weight and fluid status</li> <li>Monitor renal profile</li> <li>Monitor liver function tests</li> <li>May cause angioedema</li> </ul>			
Other:					

