Implementation Stage:	**Patient Identification**
❒ Baseline ❒ Early implementation ❒ Full implementation	
Patient Sample:	

INSTRUCTIONS:
- A clinical pharmacist or designate compiles the <u>Best Possible Medication History</u> (BPMH) based on patient interview, medication vial review, patient medication list, community pharmacist, family physician, etc. .
- Compare the BPMH to all prescription medication ordered (AMOs) for this patient within the first 24 hours of the index hospital stay. This includes new medications.
- To complete the BPMH Discrepancy columns for each medication, check the appropriate box. Type 0= NO discrepancy; Type 1= <u>Intentional</u> discrepancy; Type 2= <u>Undocumented Intentional</u> Discrepancy; Type 3= <u>Unintentional</u> Discrepancy and comment as applicable.
- Indicate for all Type 2 and Type 3 discrepancies whether they were resolved by placing a ✓ in the "Resolved" column.
- For all additional medications found during the BPMH process, and not captured on AMO, note '**ADDITIONAL' at the end of the list, record medications and score discrepancies appropriately.

Best Possible Medication History (BPMH) Medication name, dose, route & frequency (prescription meds only)				NO discrepancy	Intentional Discrepancy	Undocumented Intentional	Unintentional Discrepancy	Resolved ✓	**Discrepancy Comments**
Medication	**Dose**	**Route**	**Frequency**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**3**		*Clarification of discrepancies should be recorded in Patient Record*
BPMH Discrepancy Total									
BPMH Discrepancy Type				**0**	**1**	**2**	**3**		

Type 1= <u>**Intentional** discrepancy</u> - physician has made an intentional choice to add, change or discontinue a medication and is clearly documented.

Type 2= <u>**Undocumented Intentional** Discrepancy</u> - physician has made an intentional choice to add, change or discontinue a medication but this choice is not clearly documented.

Type 3= <u>**Unintentional** Discrepancy</u> - physician unintentionally changed, added or omitted a medication the patient was taking prior to admission.