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Foto-novelas are effective patient education tools

MEDICATION ADHERENCE – IMPROVING HEALTH OUTCOMES

A Resource from the American College of Preventive Medicine

A Guide for Patients



FOTO-NOVELA

Low Literacy

Patient Education

Medication Adherence

Prescription medicines can work wonders...



...IF YOU FOLLOW DIRECTIONS

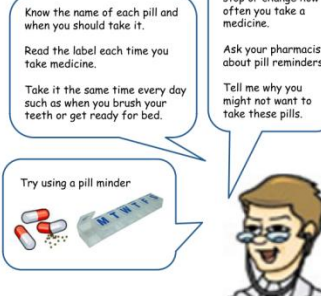
QUIZ: Do You Take Your Medicine As Directed?

Put a check in the box

- Checklist of medication adherence questions



Here are some tips to help you remember when and why you are taking medicine



Not taking your medicine or taking too much can be harmful. You may get sicker. It might cost more to make you feel better. You may end up in the hospital. You may die.

My responsibilities were:

Worked with sponsors and non-profit to develop 3 related educational pieces

Researched material for "Novela" for low literacy audience

Wrote: - Clinical reference - Executive summary - Patient companion piece

For complete text please visit the American College of Preventative Medicine http://acpm.org/timetools/adherence/AdherencePatientGuide.pdf