

PATTON – FULLER COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

Incident Report Form

Patient Name: Ronny Pecoraino

Employee Name: Joan Hudspeth, R.N.

Date: 05/10/2010

Time: 9:30 – 23:53

Incident Description: Maximum dose of heparin was given 3 times in one day. The order was written to titrate the dose based on patient lab levels. Lab levels came back and showed that the patient should have received the minimum dose the second time and no dose the third time.

Patient Response: Ronny started to bleed from his wound. The hospitalist arrived to try to control bleeding, but was not able to stop it. Mr. Pecoraino died at 23:53.

Clinical Response: Hospitalist intervened, but was unable to save the patient.