



**“MEDICATION ROUTES AND FORMS”**

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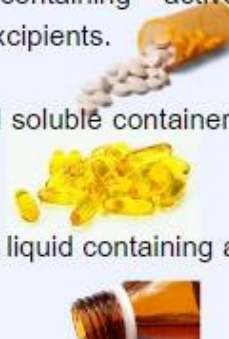
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## ENTERAL

### ORAL:

- tablets: solid pharmaceutical form containing active ingredients with therapeutic activity and excipients.
- capsules: contain the medicine in a small soluble container, usually made of gelatin.
- syrup: is a medicine in the form of a thick liquid containing a sugar solution.



### RECTAL

- suppository: a dosage form used to deliver medications by insertion into a body orifice rectal



## PARENTERAL

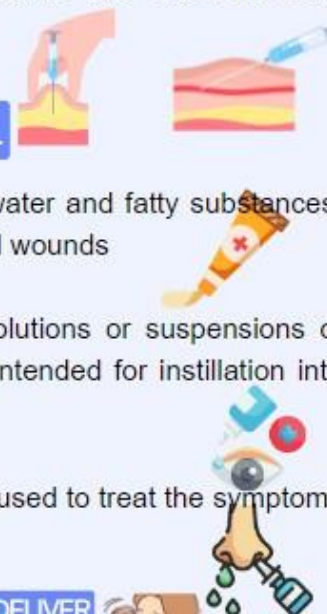
### intravenous:

- IVdrip: is a way of delivering high concentrations of vitamins and minerals directly into the bloodstream
- injection: the introduction of medication or biological products through pressure puncture into different body tissues



## TOPICAL

- ointment: drug with mixtures of water and fatty substances used on the skin to soothe or heal wounds
- drops: sterile aqueous or oily solutions or suspensions of one or more active ingredients, intended for instillation into the eye
- spray: nasal spray suspension is used to treat the symptoms of allergic rhinitis



**INHALER: MEDICAL DEVICE USED TO DELIVER MEDICATION IN THE FORM OF DUST PARTICLES TO THE BODY THROUGH THE LUNGS.**



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