**Unit 5—Calculating Adult Dosages: Oral and Parenteral Forms**

Objectives

Upon completing this unit, you should be able to:

* Define the terms listed in the vocabulary.
* Describe the oral and parenteral routes of drug administration.
* Name two measures used to determine the amount of medication to be administered and give an example of each measure.
* List six medications that are measured in units.
* Calculate adult dosages by the proportional or formula method.
* Work the practice problems and review problems correctly.
* Successfully complete the Self-Assessment.