

Beebe Healthcare
Margaret H. Rollins School of Nursing
Nursing 202 – Advanced Concepts of Nursing

Unit 1 Part 1 – Day 1 Class Preparation Assignment

Watch the 2 Sepsis videos below and answer the following questions. Please submit to Mrs. Helsel's Dropbox by **Tuesday 2/6/24 @ 0830**.

“It's Sepsis and You Know It”

<https://youtu.be/cGZcJ-z7GbA>

1. What symptoms brought the client to the emergency room?
Tachypnea, warm dry skin, darkened orange urine, LOC
2. Name 2 medications mentioned in the video that are used to treat sepsis.
Zosyn, Levophed
3. List 5 assessments mentioned in the video that suggest poor tissue perfusion.
Low O2 levels, low CVP, low BP, low UO, tachycardia
4. Name 2 reasons why a central line would be indicated to treat this patient.
Collect cultures, administer meds

“Sepsy Back”

<https://youtu.be/2WPnP1YBCD8>

5. Fill in the blank: According to the video, “early identification and treatment of sepsis will save lives”
6. What symptoms did the patient have that met SIRS criteria?
Breathing but blue, temp. 102, tachycardia, left shift voodoo
7. Name 3 common sources of sepsis and the corresponding diagnostic studies that were ordered
Bacteremia- blood cultures x2, pneumonia- chest Xray, bacteriuria- check UA
8. In the video, how much IV fluid was given before pressors were started?
4 L bolus
9. What is “Vosyn” and why is it used to treat sepsis?
Zosyn and vancomycin are broad spectrum antibiotics used to stop the growth of bacteria