

Beebe Healthcare
Margaret H. Rollins School of Nursing
Nursing 101 - Foundations of Nursing
Day 1 Class Prep Assignment

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1. According to the Beebe Healthcare's Hand Hygiene policy, identify a situation in which a healthcare worker should use only soap and water to clean their hands. Then identify a situation where a healthcare worker could use waterless hand rub.
 - a. Soap and water only: When hands are visibly soiled and dirty to remove organic matter
 - b. Waterless hand rub: Before putting on and after removing gloves (sterile or non-sterile)

2. Go to the ATI Module for Infection Control/Isolation found under "Foundational Concepts of Nursing Practice" in Engage Fundamentals 2.0. Find the "Types of Precautions" lesson and watch the Video called "Transmission-Based Precautions." Why was the patient in the video on contact precautions?
 - a. The patient was on contact precautions because he had an infection on his leg. The infection could directly or indirectly spread to others. Anyone, before entering the room, needs to have on at least a gown and gloves on to prevent spread of the infection.

3. While reviewing the Basic Skills videos, you should notice similarities between the nurse/patient interactions in each video. Based on your observations, what are two (2) things you should do **before** providing any care to your patient?
 - a. Knocking on the patient's door and asking permission to enter the room, while also introducing yourself
 - b. Checking the patient's name and date of birth to make sure it is the correct patient before providing care

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4. Fill in the correct medical abbreviations for the following terms:

Bedtime	HS
Four times a day	QID
Dx	Diagnosis
BR	Bedrest
CXR	Chest x-ray
Head of bed	HOB
IVF	Intravenous Fluids

5. Go to the ATI Module for Nutrition found under “Physiological Concepts for Nursing Practice” in Engage Fundamentals 2.0. Find the lesson – Nursing Interventions – and answer the following question.

Medical conditions that put a client at an increased risk for aspiration include? **Select all that apply.**

- a. Stroke
- b. Hypertension
- c. Flu
- d. Acid Reflux
- e. Mouth Sores
- f. Dental Issues
- g. Common cold

a, d, e, f