

ATI Real Life THA Virtual Clinical Reflection Questions

- 1) What was Dale's fall risk score? Is that score considered low, medium, or high risk? What interventions in Dale's care should you be implementing?
(Use your resources from class and clinical Fall Risk Score Interventions)
 - a. 45
 - b. High risk fall
 - c. Bed in lowest position, bed alarm on, call bell within reach, maintain 3 bedside rails, non-slip socks on.
- 2) From the pre-op exercises teaching scenario, pick one that Dale demonstrated incorrectly and explain how you would teach the correct technique.
 - a. Use of the IS it should be a slow inhale not exhale.
- 3) Dale receives morphine sulfate for his hip pain. The morphine order is for 2-4mg IV Q 3-4 hours for severe or breakthrough pain. What is wrong with this order?
 - a. Should be more specific of the dose.
 - b. Morphine is dispensed in 2mg/ml concentration. If Merryll gave 4 mg, how many ml's of morphine did she administer? 2ml
- 4) Dale is assessed for skin integrity on his heel. What are some interventions the nurse could implement to protect his skin? What are the concerns if no interventions are implemented?
 - a. Turn q2h, topical medications
 - b. Pressure injury
- 5) Identify three ways that the nursing team demonstrated the promotion of patient safety?
 - a. Teaching and make sure return demonstrate.
 - b. Apply compression stocking
 - c. Address VS not WNL
- 6) Do you feel the nurse and medical team utilized therapeutic communication techniques when interacting with individuals, families, and health team members of all cultural backgrounds?
 - a. If **yes**, describe:
The nurse describe everything that they did. Answer pt questions. Address any problem that are not WNL.
 - b. If **no**, describe:

Reflection

- 1) Go back to your Preconference Form:
 - a. Indicate (**circle, star, highlight**) the components of your preconference form that you saw applied to the care of this virtual patient.
- 2) Review your Nursing Problem Worksheet: Did you select a correct priority nursing problem?

- a. If **yes**, write it here: Risk for fall, impaired skin integrity.
- b. If **no**, write what you now understand the priority nursing problem to be:

3) Review your Nursing Problem Worksheet: Did you see many of your anticipated nursing assessments and interventions used?

- a. Indicate (**circle, star, highlight**) the ones you saw utilized during the scenario.
- b. Were there interventions you included that *were not* used in the scenario that could help this patient?
 - i. If **yes**, describe: Ambulation, assess surrounding environment.
 - ii. If **no**, describe:

4) Often patient care will take a different direction than we anticipated at the beginning of our shift. Did that happen here? No

- a. How did that impact the nursing care delivered?

- b. What new, additional priority nursing problem (diagnosis) did you identify? (Refer to your NANDA list)
 - i. Write it here: Chronic pain

What was your biggest “take-away” from participating in the care of this patient? How did this impact your nursing practice:

This helps me improve my nursing problems and interventions for my pt in the future who experienced THA. I can improve my care for better outcomes for the pt.