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1. What characteristics of a professional nurse did Mandy demonstrate when asked to attend a hospital committee meeting on a day off?

Mandy demonstrated a commitment to her roles and to her clients with compassion.

- a. Would you be willing to come to work for a meeting on a day off? Why or why not?

Yes, I think adding your thoughts and opinions to a meeting can be very beneficial for the bettering of the facility and clients.

2. What is the purpose of the ANA Code of Ethics?

The ANA code of ethics holds nurses accountable and provides clients commitment to their rights and health.

3. What provisions within the Code of Ethics did Mandy demonstrate?

Mandy demonstrated safety, privacy, and avoiding conflict.

4. Why did Mandy talk with Richard (assistive personnel) about the vital signs not being within reference range for Ms. Kelly?

Mandy spoke with Richard about Ms. Kelly's VS because it is her responsibility as the nurse to ensure that Ms. Kelly is receiving the proper care. She is ultimately liable if something were to happen even though Richard may not have relayed the information.

- a. What elements of professionalism did Mandy demonstrate regarding the reevaluation of Ms. Kelly's vital signs?

Mandy demonstrated priority patient care, communication and patient advocacy.

5. What provisions within the Code of Ethics did Mandy demonstrate when communicating with Richard?

Mandy demonstrated professionalism and avoiding conflict with Richard.

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6. What behaviors are essential to demonstrate professionalism?

Behaviors that demonstrate professionalism are accountability, integrity, and respect.

7. What is the purpose of attending continuing education in nursing?

Attending continuing education allows nurses to have the proper and most up-to-date evidenced based knowledge to provide the best care possible.

8. Is it essential for a nurse to continually attend formal nursing education?

Yes, this will allow for proper and continuity of care.