

Case Study – Crohn’s

Susan a 48-year-old female admitted to the hospital with watery diarrhea eight times a day for the last several days. She also complains of cramping and abdominal tenderness in the lower abdomen. Her temperature has been 101 degrees Fahrenheit for the last 3 days. She hasn’t had an appetite, has lost 10 pounds in the last 2 weeks and feels “extremely tired”.

VS: BP 95/54, T: 101.5, P: 102, R: 22, Pain 5 on scale 0-10, O2 Sat 96% on room air.

Medications: none

Care Plan (nursing process)

Initial Assessment

Analysis/Problem

Desired Outcome

Interventions/Assessment

Evaluation