

Student Name: _____

Date: _____

IM1 Patient Physical Assessment Narrative

Gastrointestinal (bowel habits, appearance of abdomen, bowel sounds, tenderness to palpation) patient uses diaper, and appearance of abdomen free of wounds and bruising. Bowel sounds hyperactive on all 4 quadrants and soft to touch. patient has fair appetite.

Last BM 3/27

Genitourinary-Reproductive (frequency, urgency, continence, color, clarity, odor, vaginal bleeding, discharge) patient incontinent and uses diaper. Unable to assess color, clarity or odor due to patient confusion and no presence of urine at time of assessment or shift.

NA Urine output (last 24 hrs) NA LMP (if applicable) N/A

Musculoskeletal (alignment, posture, mobility, gait, movement in extremities, deformities) patient is bedridden, unable to assess alignment, posture, mobility, and gait. Patient weak on all extremities, but significant left upper weakness. No deformities presented.

Skin (skin color, temp, texture, turgor, integrity)

skin color appropriate for race. Temperature cool to touch, and dry to touch. Skin turgor slowly snaps back to place. Edema and 2+ pitting presented on lower extremities and left hand.

Wounds/Dressings

patient has skin tear on right buttock. patient also has right craniotomy surgical incision open to air without erythema, edema, or drainage present.

Other

N/A