

Student Name: Kansas Ritchie

Date: 11-3-2021

Patient Physical Assessment Narrative

PHYSICAL ASSESSMENT NARRATIVE BY SYSTEMS: (Complete using assessment check list and reminders below).

GENERAL INFORMATION (Time of assessment, admit diagnosis, general appearance)

pt assessed @ 1055, admit dx "MVA", pt appears well kept & relatively comfortable

Neurological-sensory (LOC, sensation, strength, coordination, speech, pupil assessment)

pt is alert & oriented x4, w/ some stated sensation impairment in RU & LU, strong bilateral grasps & pushes, able to coordinate hand-eye movements & responds appropriately to speech, both eyes are reactive to light & pupils are 3mm

Comfort level: Pain rates at 5/10 (0-10 scale) **Location:** Back & chest

Psychological/Social (affect, interaction with family, friends, staff)

pt affect is pleasant & he interacts appropriately w/ staff & visitors @ bedside

HEENT (symmetry, drainage of eyes, ears, nose, throat, mouth, including dentition, nodes, and swallowing)

HEENT symmetrical, no HEENT or oral drainage, pt swallows w/o difficulty, has no nodules upon palpation, & is w/o difficult dentition

Respiratory (chest configuration, breath sounds, rate, rhythm, depth, pattern)

Chest symmetrical, breathing unlabored, breath sounds in L lower lobe ~~are~~ contain crackles, RR is 20 rpm, breathing deep, able to TCDB w/ pain, over pattern noted

Cardiovascular (heart sounds, apical and radial rate, rhythm, radial and pedal pulse, pattern)

apical / radial HR is 81, radial pulse on RUL is 24 (unable to assess LUL due to casting), pedal pulses 24, heart sounds are even pattern & rhythm w/ strong beat, capillary refill < 3 seconds in all extremities

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Gastrointestinal (bowel habits, appearance of abdomen, bowel sounds, tenderness to palpation) pt has bowel movements daily, last BM 11-21, abd is round & soft w/ active bowel sounds in 4 quadrants, pt had c/o tenderness he attributes to rib injury, pt is continent of BM there is a ~~long~~ vertical incision from surgery Last BM 11-21

Genitourinary-Reproductive (frequency, urgency, continence, color, clarity, odor, vaginal bleeding, discharge) pt has no discharge, urine yellow & clear w/ foul odor, pt continent of urine & micturates @ desired frequency, pt ~~does not~~ has no c/o urgency, pt is male

Urine output (last 24 hrs) not documented LMP (if applicable) n/a

Musculoskeletal (alignment, posture, mobility, gait, movement in extremities, deformities) alignment symmetrical, posture upright, full ROM in RUL & RLL, limited ROM in LUL & LLU, LUL has a soft cast, LLU has been plated surgically, no visible deformities noted

Skin (skin color, temp, texture, turgor, integrity) skin is warm, dry, fair normal color to pt's race, intact

Skin on several sites @ Left side of body, midsagittal incision above umbilicus, turgor elastic

Wounds/Dressings SU dressings intact & dry, all other dressings intact & dry, midsagittal abd wound is stapled & OPA

Other Left chest tube & SP drain were removed yesterday.