

Pediatric Asynchronous Assignments

1. How did you feel throughout the time that you were watching the video?

During the video I felt happy and motivated.

2. Give a description of Claire's condition and identify the main problems that you identified?

Claire had CF. The main issues I identified were her issues oxygenating her body and her thick mucus.

3. Based on your observations, what were her clinical manifestations and how would you explain these clinical manifestations?

She had thick secretions that made it hard for her to perfuse O₂. CF causes thick secretions and clogs the lungs.

4. What specific nursing interventions would you want to take into consideration to provide for this patient's unique care needs?

A specific nursing intervention I would take into consideration would be ample amounts of fluid. I would also keep in mind that precautions to back would be helpful.

5. What other members of the care team should you consider important to achieving good care outcomes?

I would consider respiratory therapists to be an important part to the patient's health and outcome.

6. What financial challenges did this family face because of Claire's condition?

This family faced financial challenges due to medical bills.

7. What did you learn from this experience?

I learned that sick people do not like being seen as sick or incapable. I've learned that people with short life expectancies can live life to the fullest.

8. How will you apply what you learned by watching this video to your clinical practice?

I will try to treat sick people like everyone else and not feel sorry for the situation they are in.

9. Are there other significant words that Claire or her mother shared that impacted or inspired you?

Claire states "being healthy doesn't matter it's what you do with the health" I think that is a very great way of looking at life.

10. Is there anything else you would like to include in your reflection of this experience?

She was a very inspiring person and makes me want to do more with my health