

Final Preceptorship Reflection

HC5 is an amazing floor, I enjoyed my preceptorship with Gianna. What I really liked on this floor is their teamwork, work ethic and teachable attitude not only towards students but also to new nurses. I also loved how they always call me or knowing there is a student on floor they show us procedures and skills that we haven't done. It is such an enjoyable experience to have a teachable/student friendly floor especially transitioning to a new nurse. It is overwhelming to think that you're already handling patients on your own but, looking back on the first day when I started my preceptorship, I was nervous at first, but I took courage and confidence to take some patients from my preceptor. I was able to go throughout the day with my preceptor's guidance. And now, compared to my last week of clinicals, I was able to take all of her patients, and learned so much about time management especially how to critically think in difficult situations. Also being at bedside shows me the perfect image of holistic care that nurses give, not just focused to the patient goals but also collaborating with the family. Family or their loved ones is such a great impact to the patient, and I would really like to give credit to the nurse, Anthony Hernandez. Even though I only got a day of clinical with him, he showed great compassion to the patients and to their family, a big patient advocate, teachable spirit, and never afraid to ask questions or help when in doubt of something. Lastly, I would like to thank Mrs. Griffin for always checking in, although sometimes I apologize when you ask what's been going on, so often my head is not in the right place. My thoughts are just from something that I just gave or rethinking about the procedure I had done to the patient. Overall, it was an amazing and bittersweet experience knowing it will be my last clinical day in nursing school but, I'm excited to begin a new chapter of my life being a nurse.