

Identify Important factors regarding Medications for Diabetes

Instructions: Please complete the following tasks. You have 30 minutes to work on this.

1. **Question:** What are the key differences in medication management for patients with Type 1 diabetes compared to those with Type 2 diabetes? Write your answer in a few sentences.
2. **Case Study:** Read the following scenario: A patient with Type 2 diabetes is newly prescribed metformin but has a history of kidney disease. What considerations should be considered when managing their medication and how would you monitor their kidney function? List two important points you would discuss with the patient regarding this medication.
3. **Critical Thinking:** Why is it essential for patients with diabetes to understand their medication regimen and what are the potential consequences of poor medication adherence in diabetic patients? Write two to three sentences explaining your reasoning.
4. **NCLEX Question:** Write 3 NCLEX questions pertaining to the importance of nursing patient education regarding medications for diabetes. The question needs to be a multiple-choice question with one correct answer and several distractors. Please be prepared to have a detailed rationale for each answer, explaining why it is correct and why the other options are incorrect. Email me your questions so we can display them in class.

Reminder: Be ready to share your answers with a partner once you finish!