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## CPE Reflection

<p>Step 1 Description</p> <p>My patient was confused due to an infection, but was still able to cooperate with me and answered all prompts. I played the role of the nurse and administered medications to my patient. He tolerated the medication really well and I left him in safe positioning with his belongings.</p>	<p>Step 4 Analysis</p> <p>I can apply all the steps it takes for med admin by following the NII. I was able to safely administer PO meds and an IVPB without error, while applying all of the necessary prompts and documentation. All I know about one other person's experience is that she did good and passed.</p>
<p>Step 2 Feelings</p> <p>At the beginning I was very anxious and scared that I would forget something, even though I role played many times prior to the CPE. Nerves always get the best of me during situations like that, but I just try to breathe through it.</p>	<p>Step 5 Conclusion</p> <p>I don't think there was anything I could have done to make the situation better other than not being as anxious, but then again those are feelings that will always be there in stressful situations. What I have learned from this event is that when I hang an IVPB, there is no need to clamp the primary because it's not going to leak when hanging the IVPB.</p>
<p>Step 3 Evaluation</p> <p>I wouldn't say anything was bad about CPE. It was pretty easy and according to the instructor, I did very well. I didn't have to repeat anything. It was easier than I had anticipated.</p>	<p>Step 6 Action Plan</p> <p>Moving forward, I just wouldn't clamp the primary when hanging a secondary, because it's not going to leak. This would also be good because the pump would automatically switch to primary and wouldn't beep at me, causing me to go over there to unclamp it and switch it back to the primary fluids. It was a good little learning tip that I will apply to my future care.</p>