

IM6 Critical Thinking Worksheet

Student Name: Amaya Jones	Nursing Intervention #1: Inspect the incision site for redness, swelling, or purulent discharge.	Date: 11/12/25
Priority Nursing Problem: At risk of developing an infection	<i>Evidence Based Practice:</i> Systemic assessment for signs of potential complication.	Patient Teaching (specific to Nursing Diagnosis): 1. Report if experiencing severe abdominal pain, chills, redness or swelling around incision, and heavy bleeding with large clots. 2. Keep the incision clean and dry after a sponge bath. Do not take showers or baths unless cleared by provider. 3. Wear loose fitting clothing to avoid causing irritation to the incision site.
Related to (r/t): C-Section As Evidenced by (aeb): Twin Pregnancy High Postpartum Hemorrhage risk Quantitative Blood Loss	<i>Evidence Based Practice:</i> Establishing baseline and assessing trends.	
Desired Patient Outcome (SMART goal): Monitor VS every Q4hrs and keep temperature below 99F. If temperature reaches 99F, intervene with wet cloth to	Nursing Intervention #2: Monitor temperature, heart rate, and blood pressure.	
	<i>Evidence Based Practice:</i> Monitoring subjective and objective signs of infection.	Discharge Planning/Community Resources: 1. Education on restricting activity level. 2. Inform that staples will need be

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<p>Background: Patient Age: <u>25</u> y/o Gravida: <u>2</u> Para: <u>2</u> Living: <u>3</u> Gestational Age: <u>36</u> weeks Hemorrhage Risk: Low Medium High</p> <p>Prenatal Risk Factors/Complications: Dichorionic Diamniotic Twin Pregnancy, Pre-Eclampsia _____ _____ _____</p> <p>NB Complications: _____ Baby B in Breech position _____ _____ _____</p>	<p>Maternal Lab Values: Blood Type & Rh <u>A+</u> Rhogam @ 28 wks: Yes No Rubella: Immune Non-immune RPR: R / NR HbSAG: + / - HIV: + / - GBS: + / - (Unknown) Treated: _____ X H&H on admission: <u>10.6</u> hgb / <u>29.9</u> hct</p> <p>Newborn Lab Values: Blood Type & Rh _____ POC Glucose: _____ Coombs: + / - Q12hr Q24hr AC A Glucose: 49_ _69_ _69_ _65_ _ AC B Glucose: <u>61</u> <u>61</u> <u>65</u> <u>70</u> _ _</p> <p>Bilirubin (Tcb/Tsb): CCHD O2 Sat: Pre-ductal _____% Post-ductal _____% Other Labs:</p>	<p>Vaccines/Procedures: Maternal: MMR consent _____ Date given: _____ Tdap: Date given _____ Refused Rhogam given PP: Yes No</p> <p>Newborn: Hearing Screen: Pass Retest Refer Circumcision: Procedure Date _____ Plastibell _____ Gomco _____ Voided: Y / N Bath: Yes Refused</p>
<p>Assessment (Bubblehep): Neuro: WNL Headache Blurred Vision Respiratory: WNL Clear Crackles</p>	<p>Breast: Engorgement Flat/Inverted Nipple Uterus: Fundal Ht 2U 1U</p>	<p>Episiotomy/Laceration: WNL Swelling Ecchymosis Incision: WNL Drainage: Y / N Dressing type:</p>

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<p>RR __16__ bpm</p> <p>Cardiac: WNL Murmur B/P 122__ / __84__</p> <p>Pulse __97__ bpm</p> <p>Cap. Refill: <= 3 sec >3 sec</p> <p>Psychosocial: Edinburgh Score _____</p>	<p>UU U1 U2 U3 Midline Left Right</p> <p>Lochia: Heavy Mod Light Scant None</p> <p>Odor: Y / N</p> <p>Bladder: Voiding QS Catheter DTV</p> <p>Bowel: Date of Last BM __11/12/25__</p> <p>Passing Gas: Y / N</p> <p>Bowel sounds: WNL</p> <p>Hypoactive</p>	<p>Staples Dermabond Steri- strips</p> <p>Hemorrhoids: Yes No</p> <p>Ice Packs Tucks Proctofoam</p> <p>Dermaplast</p> <p>Bonding: Responds to infant cues</p> <p>Needs encouragement</p>
<p>Treatments/Procedures: Incentive Spirometry: Y / N</p> <p>PP H&H: _9.3__ hgb __26.6__ hct</p> <p>HTN Orders: Call > 160/110 VSQ4hr</p> <p>Hydralazine protocol Labetolol BID/TID</p>	<p>IV Fluids: Oxytocin LR NS</p> <p>Rate: ____ / Hour</p> <p>IV Site: ____ gauge Location: _____</p> <p>Magnesium given: Y / N</p> <p>Dc'd: _____ @ _____ am/ pm</p>	<p>Antibiotics: Frequency:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p><u>Recommendation:</u></p> <p>Assess legs for edema and sensation every two hours.</p> <p>Encourage ambulation once patient regains sensation.</p> <p>Consult with lactation to assist with breastfeeding.</p>		

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