

Firelands Regional Medical Center School of Nursing
Nursing Care Map

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Date: 9/21/2023

Noticing/Recognizing Cues:

Highlight all related/relevant data from the Noticing boxes that support the top priority problem

Assessment findings*:

1. Vital signs
2. Blood pressure 171/116
3. Epidural site
4. IV site
5. Foley
6. Nauseous
7. + 2 pitting edema in legs
8. Complete dilation

Lab findings/diagnostic tests*:

1. + GBS
2. AM – minimal variability in baby as labor progressed become more moderate
3. 9/19
 - a. UA clarity – A cloudy
 - b. Protein – A 2+
 - c. Blood – A 3+
4. 9/20
 - a. UA clarity – Clear
 - b. Protein – Negative
 - c. Blood – A 1+

Risk factors*:

1. Age 30
2. Hypertension
3. +GBS
4. Vet tech – Toxoplasmosis
5. Anxiety
6. Prolonged labor

Interpreting/Analyzing Cues/
Prioritizing Hypotheses/
Generating Solutions:

Nursing priorities*:
Highlight the top nursing priority problem

1. Risk for infection
2. Risk for hemorrhage
3. Risk for thrombosis

Potential complications for the top priority:

1. Urinary tract infection (UTI)
 - o Burning
 - o Little urine output with constant urge to urinate
 - o Cloudy urine
2. IV site infection
 - o Purulent drainage
 - o Redness, cool skin
 - o Burning at site
3. Epidural site infection
 - o Purulent drainage
 - o Back pain
 - o Fever, N/V, headache

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Responding/Taking Actions:

Nursing interventions for the top priority:

1. Assess vital signs
 - a. Q4h and prn to make sure they are all stable and there are no signs of infection.
2. Assess IV site
 - a. Q4h and prn to make sure there is no sign of infection.
3. Assess Epidural site
 - a. Q4h and prn to make sure there is no sign of infection.
4. Assess foley
 - a. Q4h and prn to make sure there is no sign of infection, note color of urine and if any odor when emptying foley bag.
5. If abnormal site of concern, culture the site and then administer meds per order from HCP.

Reflecting/Evaluate Outcomes:

Evaluation of the top priority:

- Epidural site – clean, dry, intact, no sign of infection present
- IV site – clean, dry, intact, no sign of infection present
- Foley – no sign of infection present, urine is light yellow
- +GBS – antibiotics are being administered per doctors order
- UA improved from 9/19 to 9/20
- Vet tech – she knew not to touch cat litter and avoided it all pregnancy

Myers, E. (n.d.). *RNotes®: Nurse's clinical pocket guide: Skyscape mobile app & web.*