

Lakeview School of Nursing
N405 Leadership and Management
Weekly Clinical Journal

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Week 2

Journal of Observations Code Blue was alerted in the CCU department when an intubated COVID-19 patient underwent cardiac arrest.

What Leadership and Management skills were observed?

A nurse assigned roles to team members & confirmed the completion of tasks. The team members included a team leader, recorder, respiratory, chest compressors, IV meds RN, & Code cart RN.

Week 3 Date 9/10/20

Journal of Observations This student observed the intubation process at the CCU. The team communicated clearly & concisely and shared responsibilities during this airway emergency.

What Leadership and Management skills were observed?

I observed a dynamic team communicate the placement of monitors (pulse Ox, BP, & EKG); intubation; suction; use of the vent machine; verify airway clearance; administer meds; & the importance of potassium!

Week 4 Date 9/17/20

Journal of Observations This student spent the morning at the Cardiac Cath Lab and observed stent implantation. I watched one nurse assist the surgeon, while another nurse administered meds. Two other nurses closely monitored vital signs, O2 level, & telemetry in an adjacent room.

What Leadership and Management skills were observed?

I observed a democratic, participative leadership where everyone became involved in decisions regarding patient care delivery & cooperation.