

N321 Adult Health I

Clinical Reflection Form

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End of clinical Journal

1. Briefly write about your experience(s)

I enjoyed my time doing rotations. It was interesting to see how the emergency room and surgical departments are run. I also enjoyed being able to make correlations on med surg between the patients diagnosis and their signs and symptoms.

2. What are things you learned?

During my last clinical rotation I learned that patients with heart failure's labs can present with high neutrophils do in the inflammatory response and red blood cells will be low possibly due to the fluid volume overload associated with heart failure.

3. What are things you would do differently?

I wish I would have paid more attention to the drugs my patients were taking and made connections of which drugs might have had alternative uses.

4. What is your major "take home" from clinical experience(s)?

I really enjoyed having a better understanding of why the patients there and how their treatments correlated to their diagnosis. My take home from this is that next semester I need to do a little more critical thinking and make more connections. I am pretty sure Med-surg is not a department I would like to work on just because it somewhat monotonous and that is why I am leaving my current position. I really enjoyed ER and Surgery.

5. Is there anything else you would like to mention?