

N433 Concept Map: Items to Include

I. Demographic Data

- a. Date of admission
- b. Admission Diagnosis/Chief Complaint
- c. Age
- d. Gender
- e. Allergies
- f. Weight in kg
- g. Psychosocial Developmental Stage
- h. Cognitive Developmental Stage

II. Medical history

- a. Previous medical history (if none, put N/A)
- b. Prior hospitalizations (if none, put N/A)
- c. Past surgical history (if none, put N/A)
- d. Social needs (if none, put N/A)

III. Admission history

- a. Discuss why the client sought care
- b. What brought them to the hospital
- c. How were symptoms managed prior to being admitted (or put N/A if it doesn't apply, i.e., trauma)

IV. Pathophysiology of chief complaint or primary medical diagnosis

- a. Disease process is thoroughly discussed from the cellular level, examines how the disease process influences affected body systems
- b. Signs/symptoms of disease
- c. Diagnosis of disease
- d. Treatment of disease
- e. All pertinent information to your patient

V. Lab Data

- a. All abnormal labs discussed and related to diagnosis or chronic health condition
- b. Includes normal lab values for all abnormal labs
- c. Reviews diagnostic imaging completed and relates it to diagnosis
- d. If no labs/imaging, put N/A

VI. Current medications

- a. All **pertinent** medications are listed
- b. Pharmacological and therapeutic classification of each medication included
- c. Why the client is taking the medication
- d. Key nursing assessment(s) prior to administration

VII. Physical Exam

- a. Relate pertinent assessment findings to diagnosis
- b. Includes assessment of any body system affected by diagnosis
- c. Assesses VS

- d. Pain assessment
- e. Highlight all abnormal physical exam, vital signs, and pain assessment findings
- VIII. Orders**
 - a. All active orders for treatment
 - b. Relate why it is relevant for diagnosis
- IX. Nursing Diagnoses**
 - a. 3 Nursing diagnoses prioritized appropriately
 - b. Identify rationale for why this nursing diagnosis was chosen
 - c. Provide 2 interventions per nursing diagnosis to address deficit
 - d. Evaluation of interventions
- X. Presentation**
 - a. Concept map is organized, legible, and used colors/fonts that are easy to read
- XI. Narration**
 - a. Concepts presented on concept map are explained and related using recorded narration or are presented in post-conference
- XII. References**
 - a. 3 scholarly references
 - b. Less than 5 years old
 - c. APA format