

Suicide Risk Screening Tool

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Noticing	Interpreting	Responding	Reflecting
<p>Why did you choose this additional assessment? What did you notice during your additional assessment of the client? Were there any assessments that were abnormal or that stood out to you?</p> <p>I chose this because my pt was admitted for suicide risk & self-harm risk. I noticed that she was open with her answers; she didn't beat around the bush, dodge, or evade any of the questions.</p> <p>Some of her phrasing/verbiage such as "I slashed my wrists real good". This stood out because it's rather harsh words about a serious issue that was so very nonchalantly like it wasn't a big deal.</p>	<p>If something stood out to you or it was abnormal, explain its potential cause or patterns that you noticed. Describe any similar situations you have experienced / as well as the similarities or differences between the experiences. Is your interpretation of the situation links to pathophysiology at all, if so - briefly explain.</p> <p>What stood out was her reaction ^{response} when she spoke about harming herself & her suicide attempts. She was open about shaving her hair because she was very bored & non-chalant like something so serious wasn't worth her feelings or was a waste of time to dwell on.</p>	<p>What additional assessment information do you need based upon your interpretation? What can you do as a nursing student? What did you do? What could you do as a nurse?</p> <p>I would need to know more about how she feels about her attempts to and better understand why she answered the way she did.</p>	<p>What is something that you learned? What is something that you might do differently in the future? What is something that you did well? What additional knowledge or skills do you need to help you with future situations like this. Describe any changes in your values or feelings based on this interaction.</p> <p>I learned that some people are very good at hiding their true thoughts/ emotions. They may come across as open & direct but in all actuality you have no idea what they may really be feeling.</p>