

Clinical Experience Summary

This report will be a minimum of 2 pages in APA format. Each question needs to have a minimum of one paragraph response. In-text citations should be utilized. Use your textbook, the internet, and other scholarly resources to assist with in-text citations.

1. What is the priority nursing diagnosis for your patient? Why did you choose this diagnosis? **(5 points)**

Acute pain related to vaginal birth as evidenced by facial grimacing. I chose this diagnosis because my patient was in pain from her delivery. She received an episiotomy during this birth, which she explained to be painful, even though she had an epidural. An episiotomy can be defined as a cut made down the perineum in order to make more space for the baby to exit the mother's vagina (Durham et al., 2023). This specific patient's experience would be considered a mediolateral episiotomy. The mediolateral episiotomies are considered a second-degree tear where muscle fibers are sliced through, which can result in increased bleeding (Choudhari et al., 2022).

2. Identify 3 nursing interventions supporting the nursing diagnosis? Explain what these interventions are and why they should be completed. **(15 points)**

Apply ice to the perineum (Choudhari et al., 2022). Ice can be applied to the perineum area to reduce the swelling and help with pain and discomfort.

Give pain meds as needed. Pain meds are to be given as needed to reduce pain for the patient.

Assess pain levels (Durham et al., 2023). Assessing the pain scale will help the nurse understand if the pain is well controlled.

3. What was the evaluation of each of the previously identified nursing interventions? **(10 points)**

The patient said that the ice was very helpful and relieved some of her pain. She also requested tucks pads on the ice pack. We listened to her request, and got that ready for her.

The patient requested tylenol for her pain, and we asked the doctor if that was okay. He said it was fine, so we gave her some.

After the tylenol she stated that her pain had gone down from a 7 to a 4/10.

Immediately after the episiotomy, her pain was an 8/10. After the tylenol her pain was a 4/10.

4. Describe this patient culture and identify a minimum of 2 patient preferences relating to their culture. **(10 points)**

This patient is already a mother to two other children at home. The father of her baby is her boyfriend, who is also the father to her youngest (5 years old). This patient requested delayed cord clamping (2-3 min) and to take home their placenta. She explained that she was going to turn the placenta into capsules and take them during her postpartum period.

5. Reflection of clinical experience. **(5 points)**

- a. What was one thing that put you outside your comfort zone?
 - i. One thing that put me outside of my comfort zone was asking my nurse what the point of a certain antibiotic was for an expecting mother. The mother was GBS positive and was being given penicillin q4h. I did not know that penicillin was the gold standard antibiotic for GBS mothers.
- b. In what way did you see coordination between the health care team to provide appropriate care to the patient?
 - i. When the shoulder dystocia was happening, the Dr instructed the nurses to call the pediatrician and another provider for help while all of the nurses were trying to assist as well. Two nurses were holding legs, one nurse was pushing on the belly, one nurse was waiting to get the baby from the doctor, one nurse was writing down times, and one nurse was calling out for help.

References

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Durham, R., Chapman, L., & Miller, C. (2023). *Davis advantage for maternal-newborn nursing: Critical components of nursing care* (4th ed.). F.A. Davis.

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