

Clinical assignment to cover Labor Day holiday

This will be available October 7th^h at 12 am and due to drop box December 7th 11:59 pm

- Review Chapter 31 Angina and Myocardial Infarction in ATI
- Review Chapter 82 and 83 Diabetes and Complication of Diabetes in ATI
- ~~Do Swift river Clinical make-up assignment (this will be under the learning tab) Patient: Donald Lyles. Need 77% and be done completely. I will receive a report if modules are completely done so please make sure they are done in entirety (screenshot when completed and put in drop box)~~
- ~~As you listen to patient report fill out swift river report sheet (provided) (screenshot when completed and put in drop box)~~
- ~~As you are completing this module Fill out active learning templates (Provided) (screenshot when completed and put in drop box)~~
 - ~~System Disorder~~
 - ~~Therapeutic Procedure~~
 - ~~Medication~~
- Fill out active learning template (Provided) for these Medications: (screenshot when completed and put in drop box)
 - ~~Insulin lispro (Humalog) and clopidogrel~~
- In learn tab, go to Health Assessment Module and complete these modules: (screenshot when completed and put in drop box)
 - ~~Cardiovascular~~
 - ~~General Survey~~
 - ~~Health History~~
- In learn tab, go to Skill Modules and complete these modules: (Screenshot and put in drop box)
 - ~~Diabetes Mellitus Management~~
 - ~~Comprehensive Physical Assessment of an Adult~~
- Go to pharmacology made easy and do these modules: (Screenshot and put in drop box)
 - ~~Endocrine System~~
 - ~~Cardiovascular System~~

Go to Dosage Calculation and Safe Med administration and do this module: (Screenshot and put in drop box)

~~Oral Medication~~

Go to Video Case Studies RN 3.0 and do this module: (Screenshot and put in drop box)

~~Teaching and Learning/Patient Education: Medication Interactions~~

You will submit all screen shots to Swift River drop box

ATI assignments and Swift River have to be done entirely to receive credit for clinical

All of the Questions below must be answered completely (if you use outside sources please reference the sources)

Submit answers in a document into the Swift River Drop Box

Discussion Questions

Is the setting appropriate to care for this client? Why or why not?

I believe the setting is appropriate to care for the pt because the correct safety measures were taken and there is access to emergency equipment if needed.

- What considerations (culture, literacy, religious, diet, economic, education, pronouns, gender identity, etc.) should you address when caring for this client?

The nurse should be mindful of the patient's cardiac and diabetic issues especially during mealtimes.

- What resources or supplies will you need when caring for this client?

Cardiac monitoring is essential for this patient. The nurse will also want to have supplies to assess his blood glucose. The need for an EKG machine may arise depending on the situation with the client.

Clinical Judgement Questions

Questions must be answered completely (if you use outside sources please reference the sources)

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Recognize Cues (Assessment)

- Was the report effective for you to care for this client? I thought the report was decent and I was able to fill out and SBAR sheet with the information provided. I do think a little more information could have been substantial, but this may have been something I could have looked in the chart for.
- What information is missing from the scenario and is needed to effectively care for the client? I did not see where the allergies were stated on the report. Otherwise, I felt the report was sufficient enough in including the pertinent patient information.
- What information was relevant to the client's condition? The relevant information was what brought the patient in and his HgA1C level as well as his blood glucose level. It was also important to know he had recent history of an MI. Including the patient was non-compliant with DM treatment as well as cardiac rehabilitation was important to know.
- What subtle changes did you recognize in the client's condition? What condition

were the subtle changes in the client's health status related to? The patient developed heart burn and heat flashes as well as an increase in heart rate. These changes could have developed due to an MI.

Analyze Cues (Analysis)

- Compare the client findings to the evidence-based resources and standards of care.

An EKG was ordered as well as a cardiac cath to determine if the client is experiencing an MI.

- What are the specific needs of this client?

The client needs to be educated on the complications of not keeping up with treatment for DM and his cardiac issues. The client needs to be monitored to ensure his blood glucose levels are controlled and his cardiac status is stable.

- What are the potential complications this client may experience?

The client has a risk of developing issues from uncontrolled DM such as DKA, infection, sepsis, arterial disease, stroke, nerve damage, and kidney disease.

- What findings are of immediate concern for this client?

The onset of heart burn, increased heart rate, and heat flashes is an immediate concern and should be investigated further due to his recent MI and non-compliance with cardiac rehabilitation.

Prioritize Hypotheses (Analysis)

- Identify and rank the top three problems for this client. Provide a rationale for your decision on the rank order.

1. Heart burn, heat flash, and increased HR: prioritized because this appears as S/S of an MI.
2. Blood glucose control: pt has elevated HgA1C and needs to keep his levels under control.
3. Compliance with treatment plan: pt was non-compliant and needs to maintain a healthy diet and rehabilitation.

Generate Solutions (Planning)

- What interprofessional health care team member will need to be included in establishing a plan of care?

An endocrinologist, cardiologist, pharmacist, nutritionist, and case manager need to be included when establishing a plan of care for this client.

Take Actions (Implementation)

- Identify the nursing actions that should be taken based on the prioritized client problems.

The nurse should alert the physician of the client's new symptoms as well as get an EKG on the patient.

- Identify the potential impact the nursing action has on the client outcomes.

Performing these nursing interventions quickly can potentially save the client's life if he is experiencing an MI.

Evaluate Outcomes (Evaluation)

- What responses by the client would indicate that the nursing actions were effective?

The client reports relief with his symptoms of heart burn and heat flashes.

- What are the safety concerns you identified caring for the client(s)?

The client is at risk for developing complications due to his history and current medical diagnosis. The nurse should be monitoring and assessing the client frequently to determine any new onset of symptoms.

Reflection Questions

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Evaluate your ability to care for the client(s). What did you do well, and what could have been improved?

- Discuss what information you would need to know prior to caring for this client if you could do this over.

I would like to know more history about the client including their social history. I would also like to know the medication regime the client was prescribed and if he were compliant with any. I would like to know the client's current treatment plan that way we can base a new plan off of that one in hopes he would be compliant.

- What do you know now that you did not know prior to completing this case?

I brushed up on my knowledge of symptoms of MI, the client did not report chest pain but that does not mean he wasn't at risk for an MI.

- How will this experience change the way you care for clients in the future?

This experience will encourage me to be thorough in all assessments. The client was at the hospital for uncontrolled DM but may have developed an MI during the stay. Assessing cardio-respiratory status is essential no matter what the patient is admitted for.

- Describe what you learned and how you will learn from this experience.

I learned more about the issues with diabetic non-compliance. I also learned the importance of maintaining cardiac health such as diet, medications, and therapy.

****Last part of assignment****

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