

The first part of clinicals that i want to mention is how amazing my patient was. She was so willing to do everything I needed from her. There were times the nurse had to take control of situations because she was in pain and wasn't in the mood to do certain activities, which is understandable. But as soon as she was feeling better, she would ask what I needed but not in an annoyed way. She seemed very comfortable with me, which is how every nurse wants their patient to feel. She always told me about any inconveniences she was having without hesitation. She has epilepsy. Even though she didn't have a seizure during the hours I was there, she was very fidgety. And was very prone to pain. The nurse tried to flush her IV, and it took the nurse 3 tries to actually get it done. I was able to do my head to toe assessment and take her vital signs. My patient was mainly on neuro watch, So the nurse was willing to show me other actions that nurses have to do even though it wasn't my patient. I was able to see the process of giving a patient blood, we learned the steps in class, but now I got to see it in real life. The two nurses in charge of that intervention did everything by the book. Seeing the blood go through the tube into the patient's body was very interesting to me. A bio-ethical issue that I witnessed was one the beds in a patient's room stopped working, the nurse couldn't adjust the bed the way the patient wanted. She had to call in people to fix it or get the patient a new bed. Changing the mechanical aspect of the bed positions is very important. "My son, do not forget my teaching, but let your heart keep my commandments, for length of days and years of life and peace they will add to you. Let not steadfast love and faithfulness forsake you; bind them around your neck; write them on the tablet of your heart. So you will find favor and good success in the sight of God and man. Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding." Proverbs 3: 1-5; This quote is the key to God giving you success. Have faith in him and make sure you understand it's not by your own might that you have gotten this far. Never forget who is with you in all aspects of life.