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CASE STUDY TOPICS

FUNDAMENTAL: Skills

- COVID-19 (part I)
Isolation Precautions
- Blood Transfusion/Fluid Overload
- PO/SQ/IV Med Administration
- NG Tube Insertion/SBO
- Urinary Catheterization/
Urinary Retention

FUNDAMENTAL: Nursing Assessment

- GI Assessment: Pancreatitis
- Integumentary Assessment:
Cellulitis
- Respiratory System Assessment:
Asthma
- Cardiac System Assessment:
Heart Failure
- Neuro System Assessment:
Brain Tumor
- GU System Assessment:
Renal Calculi

FUNDAMENTAL: Holistic Care

- Pain Control — Post-op
- Pain Control or Drug-Seeking
Behavior?
- Intimate Partner Violence
(Domestic Abuse)
- Elder Abuse
- Human Trafficking
- Anxiety or Spiritual Distress?
- Disrespectful Family Member
- Depressed Patient/Loss of Hope

INCIVILITY/STUDENT SUCCESS

- Student Burnout
- Student-to-Faculty Incivility
- Nurse-to-Student Incivility
- Incivility Essentials —
Four Practiced Based Scenarios

PHARMACOLOGY

- Cardiac Meds: Hypotension
- Cardiac meds: Bradycardia/
Prolonged QT
- Opioids: Narcotic Overdose

FLUIDS & ELECTROLYTES

- Anorexia Nervosa
- Diabetic Ketoacidosis (DKA)
- Gastroenteritis

CARDIAC

- Hypertension
- Acute Coronary Syndrome/MI
- Heart Failure/Acute Renal Failure
(med/surg)
- Heart Failure/Home Health Setting
- Peripheral Vascular Disease (PVD)
- Atrial Fibrillation/Heart Failure

RESP

- Pneumonia/COPD
- Asthma (adolescent)
- Cystic Fibrosis (peds)
- Respiratory Distress/
Rapid Response
- COVID-19

NEURO

- Stroke
- Parkinson's disease
- Acute Delirium
- Delirium or ETOH Withdrawal?
- ETOH Withdrawal — Pneumonia
- Alzheimer's/Dementia
- Managing Physically Aggressive Pt/
Dementia
- Brain Tumor
- Altered Mental Status —
Vasovagal Syncope

GI/GU

- Appendicitis
- Cirrhosis
- GI Bleed
- Ileus/NG Tube Insertion
- Small Bowel Obstruction (SBO)
- Pancreatitis
- Urinary Retention/
Urinary Catheterization
- Renal Calculi
- UTI/Urosepsis

- C. difficile Colitis
- Practice Dilemma:
Dialysis or Hospice

SURGICAL

- Surgical Pain Management (1/2)
- Over Sedation/Cardiac Arrest (2/2)
- TKA/Sepsis
- Appendicitis (adolescent)
- Cellulitis/Osteomyelitis (post-op)

ADVANCED MED/SURG

- Sepsis/Septic Shock
- COVID-19/ARDS (ventilator)
- SBO/Perforated Bowel/Sepsis/ICU
- GI Bleed — Hypovolemic Shock
- Respiratory/Cardiac Arrest
- Heart Failure — Critical Care/
Vasoactive gtts

MEDICAL ETHICS/ PRACTICE DILEMMAS

- Aggressive Medical Treatment
(LVAD) or Hospice
- Code Status vs. Patient Autonomy
- Dealing with Death
- Medical Futility
- Remain Intubated or
Withdraw Life Support
- Resuscitation Dilemma
- Chemotherapy/End of Life
- Surgery or Palliative Medical
Management
- Transitioning to Comfort Care

COMMUNITY HEALTH

- COVID-19
- Heart Failure: Home Health
First Visit (1/2)
- Heart Failure: Home Health
First Visit (2/2)
- Day in the Life of a Camp Nurse:
Priority Setting Activity
- Homelessness/Hypertension

Case Study Topics continued

MISC.

- Breast Cancer/Sepsis
- HIV/AIDS

PEDIATRICS

- Diabetes-Type I/DKA
- Gastroenteritis (GE)
- Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)
- Asthma (adolescent)
- Sick Cell Anemia (adolescent)
- Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL)
- Failure to Thrive (FTT)
- Cystic Fibrosis
- Hyperbilirubinemia
- Congenital Heart Defect
- Appendicitis (adolescent)

OB-INFANT

- Antepartum Care (1/4)
- Labor/Vaginal Delivery (2/4)
- Postpartum Care/Vaginal Delivery (3/4)
- Infant-normal (4/4)
- Post-partum Affective Disorder
- Fetal Monitoring Strip Interpretation Bundle
- Ectopic Pregnancy
- Post-partum Hemorrhage
- Preeclampsia
- Placental Abruptio
- Fetal Distress/C-section
- Breastfeeding Infant
- Hyperbilirubinemia

MENTAL HEALTH

- Bi-polar Depression (manic)
- Depression/overdose/psychosis
- Anorexia nervosa
- Major Depressive Disorder
- PTSD — war veteran
- Borderline Personality Disorder
- Schizophrenia
- Depression — Older Adult
- Physical Aggression/Dementia
- Suicide and Non-Suicidal Self-Injury/Transgender
- Practice Dilemma — Anxiety or Spiritual Distress?
- Practice Dilemma — Depressed Patient/Loss of Hope

NextGen NCLEX

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NextGen NCLEX Tools

- Create NextGen Test Questions Worksheet
- Medical Record Template for Test Questions
- Questions to Develop Clinical Reasoning Worksheet

Classroom Tools

- Understanding Pathophysiology Worksheet
- Lab Planning Worksheet
- Meds to Master Worksheet
- Eliminate Lecture Infobesity Worksheet
- Reverse Case Study Template

Clinical Tools

- Clinical Judgment Clinical Paperwork
- Practice-Based Framework of Clinical Reasoning Worksheet
- Clinical Reasoning Questions that Develop Clinical Judgment
- Clinical Reasoning Competencies (skills) to Develop Clinical Judgment
- Understanding Pathophysiology Worksheet
- Lab Planning Worksheet
- Meds to Master Worksheet
- Alternative Clinical Assignment
- ...and many more!

Faculty Development Webinars w/CE

Categories of webinars include:

- Clinical Judgment/NextGen NCLEX
- Clinical Judgment Course
- Classroom Teaching
- Clinical Teaching
- Professionalism/Art of Nursing



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