

HESI MEDICAL SURGICAL EXAM- UPDATED WITH 2023-2024 QUESTIONS AND CORRECT ANSWERS

1- A client with pheochromocytoma reports the onset of a severe headache. The nurse observes that the client is very diaphoretic. Which assessment data should the nurse obtain first?

Blood pressure

2- The drainage in the chest tube of a client with emphysema has changed from clear watery fluid. What action would be best for the nurse to take/

Maintain the current IV antibiotic schedule

3- A client is admitted with a sudden onset of right sided the nurse complete first?

Observe for peripheral edema

4- When planning care for a client newly diagnose with open angle glaucoma, the nurse identifies a priority nursing diagnosis of " Visual sensory/perceptual alterations". This diagnosis is based on which etiology?

Decreased peripheral vision

5- A client in the operating room received succinylcholine. The client is experiencing muscle rigidity and has an extremely high temperature. What action should the nurse implement?

Call the PACU nurse to prepare for prolonged ventilatory support

Also know that PACU is BP, Respiration and Pulse

6- A client who is receiving packed red blood cells develops nausea and vomiting. What action should the nurse take first?

Stop the infusion of blood

Te lo pueden poner como hemodialysis y tambien es STOP transfusion

7- A client with type 2 diabetes mellitus is admitted to the hospital for uncontrolled DM. Insulin therapy is initiated with initial dose of Humulin insulin at 8:00 at 16:00 the client complains of diaphoresis, rapid heart beat, and feeling shaky. What should the nurse do first?

Determine the client current glucose level

8- After suctioning the patient with an endotracheal tube, which assessment finding indicates to the nurse that the intervention was effective?

Increase in breath sounds

9- The nurse observes an increase number of blood clots in the drainage tubing of a client with continuous bladder irrigation following a transurethral resection of the prostate (TURP). What is the best initial nursing action?

Provide additional oral fluid intake

Also with TURP you must know that 3l of water a day is needed

10- Which nursing diagnosis should be selected for a client who is receiving thrombolytic infusions for treatment of an acute myocardial infarction?

Risk for injury related to effects of thrombolysis

11- The nurse is assessing a client who has returned from surgery following a thoracotomy. Which finding indicates the client is experiencing adequate gas exchange?

The client demonstrates effective coughing and deep breathing exercises

12- When caring for a client with nephrotic syndrome which assessment is most important for the nurse to obtain?

Daily Weight

13- A client who had a biliopancreatic diversion procedure (BOP) 3 months ago is admitted with severe dehydration. Which assessment finding warrants immediate intervention by the nurse?

Gastrocult positive emesis