

RN ATI PEDIATRIC PROCTORED EXAM 2023 WITH NGN

(Answer Key at the End)

QUESTION 1

A nurse is assessing a child who has bacterial pneumonia. Which of the following manifestations should the nurse expect?

- Drooling
- Malaise
- Tinnitus
- Rhinorrhea

QUESTION 2

A nurse is caring for a newborn.

Exhibit 1

Exhibit 2

Exhibit 3

Nurses' Notes

0640:

Weight 4200 gm (9 lb 4 oz), head circumference 35.5 cm (14 in)
Respiratory rate 68/min, with mild grunting.

0650:

Respiratory rate 72/min, with mild grunting





0700:

Respiratory rate 76/min, with moderate grunting and mild intercostal retractions.

Drag words from the choices below to fill in each blank in the following sentence.

The client is at risk for developing Target 1 and

Target 2.

Findings	
hypoglycemia	
bronchopulmonary dysplasia	
transient tachypnea of the newborn	
tachycardia	

QUESTION 3

A nurse is caring for an infant who has gastroenteritis. Which of the following assessment findings should the nurse report to the provider?

- Pale and a 24-hr fluid deficit of 30 mL
- Sunken fontanel and dry mucous membranes
- Decreased appetite and irritability
- Temperature 38° C (100.4° F) and pulse rate 124/min

QUESTION 4

A nurse is caring for a 2-year-old toddler. Which of the following food choices should the nurse recommend to promote independence in eating?

- Banana slices
- Grapes
- Hot dog
- Popcorn

QUESTION 5

A home health nurse is caring for a child who has Lyme disease. Which of the following is an appropriate action for the nurse to take?

- Ensure the state health department has been notified.
- Administer antitoxin.
- Educate the family to avoid sharing personal belongings.
- Assess for skin necrosis.

QUESTION 6

A nurse is caring for a newborn whose mother was taking methadone during her pregnancy. Which of the following findings indicates the newborn is experiencing withdrawal?

- Bulging fontanel
- Acrocyanosis
- Bradycardia
- Hypertonicity

QUESTION 7

A nurse is instructing a school-age child who has asthma about the use of a peak expiratory flow meter. Which of the following instructions should the nurse include in the teaching?



- Place tongue on the mouthpiece of the meter.
- Maintain a semi-Fowler's position during testing.
- Record the average of the readings.
- Blow into the meter as hard and quickly as possible.

QUESTION 8

A nurse is providing discharge teaching to the parents of a toddler who has cystic fibrosis. Which of the following instructions should the nurse include?



- "Perform chest percussion and postural drainage at least twice daily."
- "Restrict intake of foods that contain gluten."
- "Administer pancreatic enzymes on an empty stomach."
- "Use a nebulizer to administer a bronchodilator following airway clearance therapy."

QUESTION 9

A nurse is caring for a school-age child who is postoperative and received morphine via IV bolus for pain 10 min ago. Which of the following findings is the nurse's priority?



- Constipation
- Sedation
- Bradypnea
- Euphoria

QUESTION 10

A nurse is planning care for a school-age child who is 4 hr postoperative following appendicitis. Which of the following actions should the nurse include in the plan of care?



- Give cromolyn nebulized solution every 8 hr.
- Administer analgesics on a scheduled basis for the first 24 hr.
- Apply a warm compress to the operative site once daily.
- Offer small amounts of clear liquids 6 hr following surgery.

QUESTION 11

A nurse is caring for a school-age child who is 2 hr postoperative following a cardiac catheterization. The nurse observes blood on the child's dressing. Which of the following actions should the nurse take?



- Apply intermittent pressure 2.5 cm (1 in) below the percutaneous skin site.
- Apply continuous pressure 2.5 cm (1 in) above the percutaneous skin site.
- Apply continuous pressure 2.5 cm (1 in) below the percutaneous skin site.
- Apply intermittent pressure 2.5 cm (1 in) above the percutaneous skin site.



12. Your patient has just returned from the OR following an arterial septal defect repair. You are reviewing your orders and question the fluid rate ordered. Your patient is 6 years old and weighs 50 pounds. Select the appropriate hourly maintenance fluid rate for your patient.

- 1) 63 ml/hr
- 2) 64 ml/hr
- 3) 65 ml/hr
- 4) 107 ml/hr

13. Which is the correct positioning of a child experiencing epistaxis:

- 1) The child should be placed in a prone position