

ATI RN ADULT MEDICAL SURGICAL PROCTORED RETAKE EXAM NEWEST COMPLETE 120 QUESTIONS AND CORRECT DETAILED ANSWERS WITH RATIONALES (VERIFIED ANSWERS) | ALREADY GRADED A+

Endotracheal tube extubate what would you report immediately? - --ANSWER----stridor

Why is stridor bad? - --ANSWER----it means that there is an obstruction or edema in airway

What is heart rate like in someone who has a low fluid volume? - --ANSWER----higher than usual like 110

What is normal urine gravity? - --ANSWER----1.000 - 1.030

What is positive pressure doing? - --ANSWER----promote lung expansion and stabilize chest

Would you recommend exercise for a patient who has been discharged with heart failure? - --ANSWER----yes

How often should exercise be in heart failure patient? - --ANSWER----regular routine

Should you consume milk with iron supplements? - --ANSWER----no, can cause gastro disturbances

Would you take iron with antacids? - --ANSWER----no, gastro disturbances

Would you tell the patient to lower red meat intake with iron deficiency? - --ANSWER----no, because they would need to increase

What is a common side effect with iron pills? - --ANSWER----constipation

What would you tell them to eat when taking iron pills? - --ANSWER----high fiber diet

When does pain worsen with compartment syndrome? - --ANSWER----when passive movement occurs

What does warmth under cast indicate? - --ANSWER----infection

Should patient decrease complex carbs for atherosclerosis? - --ANSWER----no

What carb should a client with atherosclerosis decrease? - --ANSWER----simple sugars

Is MRSA airborne or contact? - --ANSWER----contact

What does phenytoin do to hepatic enzymes [seizure med]? - --ANSWER----it decreases effectiveness

What should you tell the client not to take with ciprofloxacin? - --ANSWER----magnesium containing antacids

Why wouldn't you take magnesium containing antacids with cipro? - --ANSWER----calcium can decrease absorption of med

What is a common side effect of rifampin? - --ANSWER----color of pee

Can you take ciprofloxacin with alcohol? - --ANSWER----yes

After a para-thyroidectomy what would be a priority for the nurse to do? - --ANSWER----to put trach tray by bedside [think AIRWAY]

What meds increase osteoporosis? - --ANSWER----Fludrocortisone

With enoxaparin what is the main thing the nurse should do? - --ANSWER----give dosage same time every day

Is restlessness common in hyperthyroidism? - --ANSWER----yes

What would be urgent for hyperthyroidism? - --ANSWER----high blood pressure

If a client has a weird heart sound what would be the first thing you do? - --ANSWER----listen to it again but on the left side [always want least invasive]

Why would gentamicin be withheld from a patient? - --ANSWER----creatinine levels are too high

What is normal creatinine? - --ANSWER----0.6 - 1.2

What is one of the first vital signs of a hemorrhage? - --ANSWER----increased heart rate

What med would you give for a febrile reaction? - --ANSWER----Tylenol [reduces fever]

How long does a drain stay in place for a radical mastectomy? - --ANSWER----1 to 3 weeks

What drainage amount is needed to get rid of drainage tube for mastectomy? - --ANSWER----less than 25 ml

What is the first thing to ask if a client reports dyspnea and shortness of breath when put on O2? - --ANSWER----if they have COPD

Why would it be bad for you to put O2 on a COPD patient? - --ANSWER----It can worsen hypercarbia

Leukemia client; would their hemoglobin be increased or decreased? - --ANSWER----decreased

What would be a big sign that a client's nephrostomy tube has popped? - --ANSWER----back pain

What is max amount of flexing for total hip replacement? - --ANSWER----no more than 90 degrees

Why would you place a pillow between a patient's legs for hip athroplasty? - --ANSWER----so hips don't get dislodged

What is a holter monitor used for? - --ANSWER----if you have an irregular heart rate it can detect it

What can a pacemaker do to a patient's heart? - --ANSWER----regulate the heart rate

What is an echo used for? - --ANSWER----detecting valve dysfunction

What do PPI's do for gastric ulcers? - --ANSWER----it suppresses gastric acid production

What is good about high fowlers postion? - --ANSWER----increases lung expansion and improves ventilation

What med would you discontinue before going in for allergy testing? - --ANSWER----prednisone

If a client were to state their vision went blurry before a car accident what would you do first? - --ANSWER----monitor neuro

What would be the first thing to do if bowel is protruding from stomach? - --ANSWER----CALL FOR HELP