

Nursing care of children vati /2023/2024- Assessment Nursing

Care of Children ASSESSMENT GRADED A+

A nurse is collecting data from an adolescent client. Which of the following represents the greatest risk for suicide? - ANSWER-Active psychiatric disorder

A nurse is caring for an 8-year-old child diagnosed with sickle cell anemia recovering from a vaso-occlusive crisis. Which of the following precautions should the nurse include in the discharge teaching? - ANSWER-Drink 8 to 10 glasses of fluid daily

A nurse is preparing a 4-year-old child for discharge following a bilateral myringotomy with tympanostomy tube placement. The mother asks what to do if the tubes fall out. The nurse should give the parent which of the following instructions? - ANSWER-- call the health care clinic to report that the tubes have fallen out

A nurse has accepted a position on a pediatric unit and is learning more about psychosocial development. Place Erikson's stages of psychosocial development in order from birth through age 18 yrs. - ANSWER-trust vs mistrust

autonomy vs shame and doubt

initiative vs guilt

industry vs inferiority

identity vs role confusion

A nurse is reviewing the serum laboratory results of four children. Which of the following values should the nurse report to the provider? - ANSWER-Iron 38 mcg/dL

A nurse is preparing to administer an IM injection to a preschool-age child. Which of the following actions should the nurse take? - ANSWER-Allow the child to hold a favorite toy.

nurse is caring for an infant after surgical repair of a cleft lip. The nurse should comfort the infant by - ANSWER-Rocking her with a favorite blanket

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A nurse is preparing to apply a eutectic mixture of local anesthetics (EMLA) cream prior to inserting an intravenous catheter on a preschool-age child. Which of the following actions should the nurse plan to take? (Select all that apply). - ANSWER-Cover the treated area with a transparent occlusive dressing.

Apply the medication one hour before the procedure begins.

Use a facial pain rating scale to evaluate effectiveness of the treatment.

R: Covering the area with an occlusive dressing increases absorption of the medication and prevents the inadvertent transfer of the cream to other areas of the body; EMLA cream should be applied 1 hr prior to procedures; most preschoolers are able to determine the degree of pain based on facial expressions depicted.

A nurse working at a clinic speaks on the telephone with a parent of a 2-month-old infant. The parent tells the nurse that the infant has projectile vomiting followed by hunger after meals. Which of the following responses by the nurse is appropriate? - ANSWER-"Bring your infant into the clinic today to be seen"

nurse is caring for a child who is having a seizure. Which of the following is an appropriate action by the nurse? (Select all that apply.) - ANSWER--place the bed in a low position

-assess the client's airway patency

nurse is caring for a 4-year-old child who refuses to take his medication. Which of the following strategies should the nurse use to elicit the child's cooperation? - ANSWER-Offer the child a choice of crushed pills or elixir

A nurse is collecting data from a 9-month-old infant. Which of the following findings would require further intervention? - ANSWER-Positive Moro reflex

It should disappear at 3to4 months

A nurse is caring for a preschool child who has croup. Which of the following findings should the nurse report to the provider? - ANSWER-Drooling of saliva

Indicate epiglottitis which requires immediate medical attention

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nurse is reinforcing teaching how to control a minor bleeding episode to a parent of a child with hemophilia. Which of the following statements by the parent indicates a need for further teaching? - ANSWER-I will apply heat

school nurse is screening an 11-year-old client for idiopathic scoliosis. Which of the following instructions should the nurse give the client for this examination? - ANSWER-Bend forward from the waist with your head and arms downward

It's called adams position , this posture will make any asymmetry of the ribs and flanks easier for the nurse to recognize

A nurse is reinforcing teaching with an adolescent who has type 1 diabetes mellitus. Which of the following statements by the client indicates an understanding of how to adjust his routine for sports activities? - ANSWER-I should skip basketball practice if my blood sugar is too high

A nurse is caring for a 3-year-old client who has persistent otitis media. To help identify contributing factors, the nurse should ask the parents which of the following questions? - ANSWER-- Does anyone smoke in the same house as your daughter?

nurse is assisting with the care of a 3-month-old infant following a surgical procedure. Which of the following pain scales should the nurse use to determine the infant's pain level? - ANSWER-FLACC

A nurse is caring for a child who reports being physically abused by a family member. Which of the following statements should the nurse make? - ANSWER-"It is not your fault that this happened."

A nurse is assisting with the discharge of a child who has a new prescription for an oral antibiotic. Which of the following should the nurse include in the discharge instructions? - ANSWER-Reason the child is taking the medication, written information about the medication, adverse effects of the medication

A nurse is caring for a child who has rheumatic fever. When obtaining the client's medical history from the parent, the nurse should recognize which of the following findings as significant? - ANSWER-A sibling had a sore throat 3 weeks ago.

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A nurse is planning care for a child who has juvenile rheumatoid arthritis. Which of the following is an appropriate action for the nurse to take? - ANSWER-Maintain night splints to the affected joint

A nurse is providing care to a group of adolescent clients. Which of the following client situations should be reported to the provider immediately? - ANSWER-A client's blood pressure changes from 112/60 mm Hg to 90/54 mm Hg when standing

This is considered orthostatic hypotension

A nurse is collecting data from a 10-month-old infant. Which of the following findings should the nurse report to the provider? - ANSWER-The infant does not sit steadily without support

The ability to sit steadily without support is a gross motor skill attained by 8 months of age. 10 months children should be able to change from prone sitting position to stand while holding furniture

A nurse is collecting data from 15-year-old adolescent client who has a new diagnosis of diabetes mellitus in order to assist with reinforcing teaching about self-management skills. The nurse should expect the client to be in which of the following phases of cognitive development?

- - ANSWER-formal operations phase

A parent expresses concern to the nurse about his 5-year-old child's stuttering. Which of the following statements is an appropriate nursing response? - ANSWER-Look directly at your child when they are speaking

A school-age child is brought to the emergency department with a 2-day history of nausea, vomiting, and report of severe right lower quadrant pain. The child's WBC is 17,000/mm so appendicitis is suspected. Which of the following statements made by the child is most concerning to the nurse? - ANSWER-My belly doesn't hurt anymore

The child is experiencing appendicitis. Sudden relief of pain is an early indicator of appendix rupture which would be a surgical emergency

An assistive personnel (AP) on a pediatric unit brings to the attention of the nurse several client measurements obtained with the morning vital signs. Which of the following clients should the nurse plan to visit first? - ANSWER-7-year-old client with diabetes insipidus and a urine specific gravity of 1.002