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**QUESTION 1**

The urinary catheter is kept securely in the bladder by:

- A. Taping the urinary catheter to the leg
- B. Securing catheter and collection bag connections
- C. Inflating the balloon of the catheter
- D. Anchoring the catheter bag to the bed

Correct Answer: C

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**QUESTION 2**

Extrapyramidal adverse effects and symptoms are most often associated with which of the following drug classes?

- A. Antidepressants
- B. Antipsychotics
- C. Antihypertensives
- D. Antidysrhythmics

Correct Answer: B

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**QUESTION 3**

What two behaviors are important when documenting the depth of the patient's depression?

- A. Orientation and appearance
- B. Helplessness and hopelessness
- C. Affect and thought processes
- D. Mood and impulse control

Correct Answer: B

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**QUESTION 4**

When caring for a patient with hepatic encephalopathy the nurse may carry out the following orders: give enemas, provide a low protein diet, and limit physical activities.

These measures are performed to:

- A. Minimize edema
- B. Decrease portal pressure
- C. Reduce hyperkalemia
- D. Decrease serum ammonia

Correct Answer: D

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#### QUESTION 5

The patient with liver cirrhosis receives 100 ml of 25% serum albumin intravenously. Which of the following findings would best indicate that the albumin is having its desired effect?

- A. Decreased blood pressure
- B. Increased serum albumin level
- C. Increased urine output
- D. Improved breathing pattern

Correct Answer: C

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#### QUESTION 6

When caring for a patient with acute pancreatitis, the patient is most likely to complain of pain which is:

- A. Severe and located in the left lower quadrant and radiating to the groin
- B. Burning and located in the epigastric area and radiating to the groin
- C. Severe and located in the epigastric area and radiating to the back
- D. Burning and located in the left lower quadrant and radiating to the back

Correct Answer: C

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#### QUESTION 7

A patient is ordered 75mg of pethidine which comes in an ampoule of 100mg/2ml. What would the nurse do with the remaining pethidine after drawing up the required dose?

- A. Lock up the remaining dose in the medication cupboard to use later
- B. Ask a fellow staff nurse to witness the disposal of the remaining drug
- C. Use the remaining dose within 2 hours for another patient
- D. Pour the remaining dose down the nearest sink

Correct Answer: B

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**QUESTION 8**

When checking the capillary refill time of a patient's extremity, the color returns in 7 seconds. The nurse recognizes this finding as indicative of:

- A. A normal response
- B. Thrombus formation in the veins
- C. Lymphatic obstruction of venous return
- D. Impaired arterial flow to the extremities

Correct Answer: D

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**QUESTION 9**

A patient with severe, protracted vomiting will often have what electrolyte abnormality?

- A. Decreased potassium and decreased chloride
- B. Increased sodium and decreased chloride
- C. Increased potassium and increased sodium
- D. Decreased sodium and increased chloride

Correct Answer: A

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**QUESTION 10**

After application of a cast in the upper extremity, the patient complains of severe pain in the affected site. Which of the following would the nurse initiate?

- A. Administer analgesics as ordered
- B. Assess neurovascular status
- C. Notify his physician
- D. Pad the edges of the cast

Correct Answer: B

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**QUESTION 11**

The nurse teaches a patient recovering from a total hip replacement that it is important to avoid:

- A. Putting a pillow between the legs while sleeping
- B. Sitting with the legs crossed
- C. Abduction exercises of the affected leg
- D. Bearing weight exercises on the affected leg for 6 weeks

Correct Answer: B

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#### **QUESTION 12**

The nurse is caring for a patient who is receiving dialysis. The patient has an arteriovenous (AV) fistula. Appropriate care for this patient would include which one of the following options?

- A. Infusing medications through the AV fistula
- B. Drawing blood samples from the AV fistula
- C. Massaging the AV fistula
- D. Palpating the AV fistula for a thrill

Correct Answer: D