Skilled Nursing Note

Caregiver signature/title: ___



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HOME HEALTH CARE [] Initial Assessment [] Follow up visit [] Supervisory visit Date: Vital Signs __ Pulse: A/R: __ __[] Regular [] Irregular __ B/P: _____ [] Lying [] Sitting [] Standing [] Right [] Left Nursing assessment and observation of signs/symptoms (Mark all applicable with an "X" or circle item(s) separated by "/" RESPIRATORY PAIN SKIN CARDIOVASCULAR []WNL []WNL [] None [] WNL [] Cellulitis [] Pressure sore [] Edema (Specify) [] Dyspnea/SOB [] Location: [] Rash [] Skin tear [] Wound [] Incision []RUE[]LUE[]RLE[]LLE [] Cough/Sputum Severity (0-10): 1/2/3/4+ [] Pitting [] Non-pitting [] Other: [] Other: Width GENITOURINARY Depth HWNL. DIGESTIVE Drainage **EMOTIONAL STATUS** [] Incontinence Tunneling []WNL []WNL [] Catheter/Size Odor [] Disoriented [] Nausea/Vomiting [1] Heostomy Sur tissue [] Forgetful [] Difficulty Swallowing [] Other: [] Diarrhea/Constipation Wound bed [] Depressed [] Other: [] Colostomy Stoma: [] Incontinence MUSCULOSKELETAL [] Last BM [] Steri-strips [] Sutures [] Staples []WNL NEUROSENSORY [] JP drain [] IV line Type: HROM: []WNL RUE LUE RLE LLE SAFETY CONCERNS: [] Clear pathways/safe ambulation [] Fall precautions [] Home safety [] Syncope/Vertigo [] Unsteady gait [] Visual Impairment [] Medication management [] IV safety [] Sharps disposal [] Oxygen safety [] Bleeding precautions [] Generalized weakness [] Other: [] Infection control [] Other: [] Other: SUPERVISORY VISIT: Follows Std Precautions [] Yes [] No Follows Plan of Care [] Yes [] No Performs Care Properly [] Yes [] No Patient satisfied [] Yes [] No HHA Present [] Yes [] No Functional Needs (Circle): Bathing Grooming Dressing Eating Transferring [] Patient/client independent in ADL's / IADL's Reason for Visit: [] Assessment [] Teaching/training [] Wound care [] IV Therapy [] Lab draw [] HHA/Companion services [] PT/OT/ST/MSW services [] Medication management [] Other: Recent history pertinent to reason for visit: [] Patient is homebound Why? Interventions/Instructions: Teaching/training re: [] Medication regimen, actions, side effects [] Disease process [] Bleeding precautions [] Wound/incision care [] IV therapy [] Infection control measures [] Complications to report [] Physician follow up [] Home safety [] Oxygen safety [] Diet [] Elevating legs to decrease edema [] Off loading techniques [] Sharps disposal [] Plan of care review [] Medication management [] Inability to void post foley removal [] Discharge instructions Wound Care Performed: [] Aseptic technique [] Sterile technique [] Cleansed with NS [] Cleansed with: _ Product applied: Covered with: [] Gauze [] ABD pad [] Telfa [] Packed: __ __ [] Wet to dry-NS [] Secured with tape/ace wrap/stockinette [] Wound vac applied with [] Black [] White [] Silver foam [] Canister changed [] Constant suction [] Intermittent suction [] Pressure: ___ Approx. drainage in canister: ____ ____mls Color: ___ n: (name) _____ (dose) ____ (via) ____ (o ____ mls [] Before [] After meds/blood draw [] Final flush with Heparin ____ u/cc __ _ (via) ____ **IV Therapy:** Drug given: (name) __ minutes Flushed line: [] NS ___ inserted (site): _____ using (catheter): _____ Site prepped with [] alcohol [] betadine [] choloraprep line dressing changed on using sterile technique [] 3 alcohol swabs [] 3 provodine swabs [] chloraprep swab [] antimicrobial patch Peripheral IV inserted (site): Applied [] Occlusive dressing [] Gauze dressing [] Extension set [] Injection site [] Site free of complications [] Flushes easily [] Good blood return [] Line removed (type) _____ [] Length _____ cm [] Tip intact [] Pressure dressing applied [] Lab draw of: _____ Taken _ Taken to (Lab name): _ [] IM [] SQ Site: _____[] Pt/CG taught to administer: _ [] Administered: **Bowel Bladder:** [] Foley catheter inserted _____ Fr ____ cc balloon using sterile technique with ____ return Connected to [] Leg bag [] Bedside drainage bag [] Foley removed without incident [] Instructions given regarding complications to report Bowel program performed [] Suppository used ____ _____ [] Digital stimulation Results: _ [] Written instructions given re: Other: [] See communication sheet for addendum notes Patient/Caregiver Response: [] Patient tolerated interventions well [] Patient /CG verbalized/demonstrated understanding of instructions provided Patient/Caregiver independent with: [] Wound care [] IV therapy [] Medication management [] Wound/incision healing without complications [] Tolerating medications without side effects or adverse reactions [] Patient will follow with physician as instructed Discharge/no other nursing visits needed/ordered Other: Patient/Caregiver unable to be independent in care due to: [] Physical limitations [] Learning limitations [] Refuses to learn [] N/A Pt/CG are independent Patient/Designee: I certify that the Matrix Home Care Employee listed on this note worked the times indicated and the work was performed in a satisfactory manner. I agree to the times regarding this slip. Time in: ______ [] am [] pm Time out: _____ [] am [] pm