

Practicum Reflection Assignment # 2*: Plan of Care

The purpose of this assignment is for the student to interview a patient with a compromised health state and develop a plan of care and based on current evidence. Select a disease process similar to the disease process in the memoir you are reading.

Use the interview data obtained in Reflection 1 to analyze the literature and develop a plan of care for this person.

This practicum assignment will meet the following Course Measurable Student Learning Outcomes:

- Plan nursing care for adults with compromised health states within the framework of the nursing process and report outcomes of interventions.
- Develop a plan of care using evidence-based standards of care and integrating findings from structured and unstructured data collection tools for patients with compromised health states.
- Demonstrate the ability to prioritize patient centered care for patients with compromised health states and adjust priorities in emergent situations by recognizing signs and symptoms of decompensation.

	Content	Possible Points	Points Earned
1.	Use the interview data obtained in Reflection 1. Discuss a priority problem associated with the person's compromised health state that you will research.	10	
2.	Analyze research literature/evidence-based practice appropriate for the care of this person's problem associated with the compromised health state. Is the literature consistent or does it conflict? (At least 2 references from peer-reviewed nursing journals from the last 3-5 years.)	35	
3.	Develop a measurable goal for this person based off of a need identified in the interview which uses current evidence-based practice. (Reference)	15	
4.	How will you determine if the goal is met? List 3 specific and measurable criteria. (Reference)	15	
5.	Develop three nursing interventions for the goal which are evidence-based. (Reference)	15	
6.	APA Style (grammar, punctuation, references, in text citation, logical flow of content). Limited to two pages excluding title and reference pages.	10	
	TOTAL	100	

**This course has a practicum component with expected practicum outcomes and requires 32 hours of practicum time to be successful. The student must achieve a total of 75% on each Practicum Assignment and submit a satisfactory practicum log in order to receive a passing course grade. A score below 75% on any of the practicum assignments will result in an additional assignment which will facilitate attaining practicum course measurable student learning outcomes. Inability to meet course measurable student learning outcomes will result in course failure.*