

## NUR 215 Surgical Simulation

David Moore

52 year old Caucasian male (DOB 6/2/XX)

Ht: 72" Wt: 118 Kg

C/O "bloating", N/V, diarrhea and abdominal pain for three days prior to admission

Pt was admitted five days ago with bowel obstruction. CT on arrival showed a blockage in the transverse colon. MRI three days ago confirmed colon cancer.

NGT was placed on admission to low intermittent suction. It has drained an average of 300mL per shift, green fluid. Foley catheter, also placed on admission, drained an average of 600mL per shift, clear yellow urine. Triple lumen CVC line placed Right subclavian three days ago. TPN infused at 100mL per hr and Lipids 10%, 500mL at 50mL/hr daily.

**Past Medical History:** NIDDM, A Fib, Hypertension

Married, three living/healthy children, Long distance Truck driver, smoker (smokes 1 pack per day for 34 years), drinks one case of beer every weekend

**Home Meds:** Glyburide 5 mg PO daily, Lantus 36 units q hs, Coumadin 5 mg PO daily, Multi vitamin daily, ASA 325 mg daily

**Current Meds:** Vancomycin 1 GM q 12 hrs IV, Glyburide 5 mg PO daily, Lantus insulin 36 units q hs, Coumadin 5 mg PO daily, Multi vitamin daily, ASA 325 mg daily, Accu check q6h with Lispro sliding scale coverage

**At 0600,** TPN D/C'd and 0.9% NSS hung at 100mL/Hr. Foley emptied. NGT clamped. Accu check 154. Pt taken to OR.

**In OR/PACU (0600 – 1700)** EBL 1000mL. Received two units of Packed Cells and 5000 mL 0.9% NSS in OR. UOP 350 mL. Returned to floor at 1700.

**Post-op orders:** Transfuse 2 units packed cells. PCA pump with Morphine, basal dose 2 mg/hr, bolus 1 mg q 8 mins. PCA protocol. NGT to low intermittent suction. Foley to straight drainage. Bedrest today. BRPs starting tomorrow. Resume previous medications. Ostomy Nurse to follow.

**\*\*\*It is now 1900. You are working 1900 – 0700 and receiving shift report which includes:**

Pt is alert/oriented. Abdomen soft. No bowel sounds. Abdominal dressing C/D. NGT draining small amount green drainage. Colostomy bag has small amount of dark red drainage. Foley has small amount of dk amber urine. Pt is using PCA pump and denies pain at this time. Second unit of Packed Cells infused. 0.9% NSS open to flush after packed cells.

(Groups of 4 RN, LPN, Charge Nurse on unit, CNA)

## Equipment Checklist

Equipment that should be readily available for the scenario

### Personal

<input type="checkbox"/> PPE ( googles, gloves, etc)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stethoscope	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Penlight	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Reference Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Diagnostic

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BP cuff on monitor	<input type="checkbox"/> Medical Records	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Thermometer	<input type="checkbox"/> Physician Orders	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SPO <sub>2</sub> monitor and probe	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ECG monitor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Lab reports	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Therapy

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oxygen source	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NGT to wall suction	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oxygen delivery adjunct	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> colostomy bag on abdomen	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NGT Suction	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> foley catheter indwelling	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> IV Start Kit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Crash Cart	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Medications & IV Fluids

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IV Lactated Ringers at KVO	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IV NSS with empty bag packed RBCs	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PCA pump	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medication Cart	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Blood sugar monitor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Preparation of the Simulator

**NGT to low suction. Colostomy bag on patient. Abdominal Dressing with sm amount red blood. IV of LR with PCA attached. Foley catheter with sm amount of dk amber "urine"**


## Number and Roles of Participants

One Instructor
Four or five students nurses

**Scenario 1** (MI due to low H&H) Pt states “I’m having some chest pain”.

Initial V.S.: Temp 97.0 F, Pulse 110, Resp 20, B/P 162/88, O2 sat 97%

Student should:

- Wash Hands, Introduce self, Identify the Patient
- Raise HOB
- Place O2
- Do V.S. including O2 Sat
- Pain assessment
- check for routine cardiac orders
- call for 12 Lead
- Call MD
  - Request cardiac orders (NTG, MS04, lab work (serial cardiac labs), transfer to monitored unit
- Stay with patient and provide support (Offer to call family, Pastor)

**Scenario 2** (PE due to stasis of position in OR) Pt states “I just got this really sharp pain in my chest and I am having problems breathing”

Initial V.S.: Temp 99.0 F, Pulse 110, Resp 28, B/P 162/88, O2 sat 84%

Student should:

- Wash Hands, Introduce self, Identify the Patient
- Raise HOB
- Place O2
- Do V.S. including O2 Sat
- Pain assessment
- call for 12 Lead
- Recognize the PT and INR are within normal limits (Pt. on Coumadin)
- Call MD
  - Request ABG’s, CT Scan, transfer to monitored unit
- Stay with patient and provide support (Offer to call family, Pastor)

**Scenario 3** (Hypoxic due to low H&H) Pt states “I’m really short of breath”

Initial V.S.: Temp 97.0 F, Pulse 110, Resp 28, B/P 162/88, O2 sat 90%

Student should:

- Wash Hands, Introduce self, Identify the Patient
- Raise HOB
- Place O2
- Do V.S. including O2 Sat
- Respiratory Assessment
- Call MD
  - Request ABG’s, Increase in O2, CXR, Repeat H&H, transfusion
- Stay with patient and provide support (Offer to call family, Pastor)

**Scenario 4** (Peritonitis due to leaking bowel) Pt states “My stomach hurts”

Initial V.S.: Temp 102.6 F, Pulse 110, Resp 28, B/P 162/88, O2 sat 96%

Student should:

- Wash Hands, Introduce self, Identify the Patient
- Do V.S. including O2 Sat
- Pain assessment
- Check wound site (dressing), abdomen (rigid), NGT for patency and drainage
- Call MD
  - Request CT scan, labs (CBC with diff)
  - Prepare for return to OR
- Stay with patient and provide support (Offer to call family, Pastor)

**Scenario 5** (Neuro status change due to over sedation (PCA), or hypoglycemic due to diabetic medication, D/C TPN, and NPO)

Initial V.S.: Temp 97.0 F, Pulse 60, Resp 8, B/P 102/58, O2 sat 90%

Student should:

- Wash Hands, Introduce self, Identify the Patient
- Place O2
- Do V.S. including O2 Sat
- Turn off PCA
- Do accu check
  - If low and responsive, give oral dextrose paste (NPO/NGT)
  - If low and unresponsive, call for D50 IV
  - Repeat blood sugar
- Rapid neuro assessment
- If blood sugar not the cause, administer Narcan per routine PCA orders
- Call MD
  - Request change in appropriate orders (PCA or insulin)
- Stay with patient and provide support (Offer to call family, Pastor)

Additional Potential Scenarios/Issues: Dehydration, Electrolyte imbalance, Kidney problems due to low H&H and low output during surgery, pneumonia due to smoking, stasis of secretions, and immobility during 12 hour surgery, DVT or lower extremity ulcer due to immobility during 12 hour surgery and diabetes, Psychosocial issues (colostomy, ?insurance, etc), \_\_\_\_\_

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Medication Administration Record

LIST ALLERGIES: none

Medication Freq	Start/Stop	Dose	Route	0701- 1500	1501- 2300	2301- 0700
Vancomycin 1 GM IV q 12 hrs						
Glyburide 5 mg PO daily						
Lantus insulin 36 units q hs						
Coumadin 5 mg PO daily @ 1800						
Multi vitamin daily						
ASA 325 mg daily						
Accu check q6h with Humalog sliding scale coverage 141-180 2 units      261-300 8 units 181-220 4 units      301-350 10 units 221-260 6 units      351-400 12 units >400 Give 12 units and call MD						
PCA pump with Morphine, basal dose 2 mg/hr, bolus 1 mg q 8 mins. PCA protocol						

Signature	Init	Signature	Init	Signature	Init

**REMINDER: ALL MEDICATION ORDERS REQUIRE DOSE, ROUTE, FREQUENCY AND INDICATION  
DO NOT USE ABBREVIATIONS**

DOCTORS ORDERS INTRAVENOUS PATIENT CONTROLLED ANALGESIA (PCA) ORDERS		CHECK OFF/ INITIALS
Narcotic infusion type: (50ml cassette in 0.9% Sodium Chloride injection)		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Morphine PCA 2mg/ml <input type="checkbox"/> Meperidine (Demerol®) PCA 10mg/ml <input type="checkbox"/> Hydromorphone (Dilaudid®) PCA 1mg/ml		
1. Basal/continuous infusion rate:	2 mg/hour	
2. PCA/demand dose:	1 mg	
3. Lockout interval:	8 minute(s)	
4. Maximum doses/hour:		
5. Keep Intravenous open with Lactated Ringers at	100 mL/hour if no other Intravenous fluids running.	
6. Ampule of Naloxone (Narcan®) 0.4 mg/mL and 3 mL syringe readily available.		
7. Use patient analgesia monitoring sheet, if applicable.		
8. Check respiratory rate, blood pressure, level of sedation and analgesia, document every 15 minutes times four, every 30 minutes times two, every one hour times six, then every two hours until discontinued. If rate of administration is changed, observe patient, document findings as appropriate until patient is stable. Then resume every two hours. <u>If respiratory rate less than or equal to 10/minute, or patient not easily awakened, give Naloxone (Narcan®) 0.2 mg intravenous. If no response in two minutes, may give second dose of 0.2mg Naloxone (Narcan®) intravenous and call Anesthesia.</u>		
9. For Itching:		
a. Diphenhydramine (Benadryl®) 25 mg Intravenous every four hours as needed.		
b. If itching persists after 2 doses of Diphenhydramine (Benadryl®), give Nalbuphine (Nubain®) 2.5mg subcutaneous every six hours as needed.		
c. If itching continues after 2 doses of Nalbuphine (Nubain®), give Naloxone (Narcan®) 0.08 mg (1 mL) intravenous, (dilute 0.4 mg Naloxone (Narcan®) with 4 mL 0.9% Sodium Chloride in 5 mL syringe). May repeat once in 5 minutes.		
10. For Nausea:		
a. Ondansetron (Zofran®) 4 mg intravenous slowly, if no response, may repeat once in 30 minutes.		
b. If nausea persists after 2 doses of Ondansetron (Zofran®), give Metoclopramide (Reglan®) 10 mg intravenous slowly over 2 minutes, if no response, may repeat once in 3 hours.		
c. If nausea continues after 2 doses of Metoclopramide (Reglan®), give Prochlorperazine (Compazine®) 5 mg intravenous every four hours as needed.		
11. Do not give other narcotics or sedatives while patient is receiving this narcotic infusion.		
12. If there is a technical problem with PCA pump, call Intravenous Therapy.		
13. If patient complains of inadequate analgesia:		
a. Check intravenous site.		
b. Review PCA use with patient and make sure PCA working properly.		
c. Notify CRNA or anesthesiologist on call by beeper.		
14. 24 hours after PCA discontinued, discontinue all orders for Naloxone (Narcan®), Ondansetron (Zofran®), Prochlorperazine (Compazine®), Nalbuphine (Nubain®), Diphenhydramine (Benadryl®), and Metoclopramide (Reglan®). Call primary physician for further pain medication orders.		
<b>Physician/Date/Time:</b>	<b>Nurse/Date/Time:</b>	<b>Secretary/Date/Time:</b>

**Full page of orders requires only one physician, one nurse and one clerical signature**

Original to Patient's Chart

Fax to Pharmacy



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**Lab Values**

Date/ Time	Lab Test	Normal Value	Patient Results	Date/ Time	Lab Test	Normal Value	Patient Results
	CBC				Lytes		
<b>Day of Surgery</b>	<b>WBC</b>	<b>4.8-10.8</b>	<b>18.4</b>	<b>Day of Surgery</b>	<b>Na</b>	<b>136-144</b>	<b>148</b>
<b>1700</b>	<b>RBC</b>	<b>4.2-5.4</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>1700</b>	<b>K</b>	<b>3.5-5.1</b>	<b>2.9</b>
	<b>HGB</b>	<b>12.0-16.0</b>	<b>9.6</b>		<b>CL</b>	<b>101-111</b>	<b>111</b>
	<b>HCT</b>	<b>37.0-47.0</b>	<b>28.8</b>		<b>CO2</b>	<b>23 -32</b>	<b>31</b>
	<b>Platelet</b>	<b>150-450</b>	<b>156</b>		<b>Glucose</b>	<b>70-110</b>	<b>68</b>
	<b>Diff</b>				<b>BUN</b>	<b>6- 20</b>	<b>20</b>
	<b>Bands</b>	<b>5-15</b>	<b>6.0</b>		<b>Creat</b>	<b>0.6 -1.2</b>	<b>1.3</b>
	<b>Segs</b>	<b>46-80</b>	<b>108</b>		<b>CA</b>	<b>8.6 10.3</b>	<b>8.6</b>
	<b>Mono</b>	<b>1-10</b>	<b>2</b>		<b>Phos</b>	<b>2.4 -4.7</b>	<b>3.0</b>
	<b>Lymphs</b>	<b>16-47</b>	<b>22</b>		<b>Alk Phos</b>	<b>38 - 126</b>	<b>42</b>
					<b>Total Protein</b>	<b>6.1 -7.9</b>	<b>5.8</b>
	<b>APTT</b>	<b>24.5-38.1</b>	<b>36.3</b>		<b>Albumin</b>	<b>3.5 -4.8</b>	<b>3.3</b>
	<b>PT</b>	<b>11.0-13.2</b>	<b>12.2</b>		<b>Tot Bilirubin</b>	<b>0.2 -1.0</b>	<b>0.5</b>
	<b>INR</b>	<b>1.0- 2.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>		<b>Direct Bilirubin</b>	<b>0 - 0.3</b>	<b>0.1</b>
					<b>AST</b>	<b>15 - 41</b>	<b>40</b>
	<b>Hgb A<sub>1c</sub></b>	<b>2.2-4.8</b>	<b>6.8</b>		<b>ALT</b>	<b>10 - 54</b>	<b>52</b>
					<b>LD</b>	<b>98 - 192</b>	<b>143</b>
	<b>Sputum Cx</b>	<b>Negative</b>			<b>Sed Rate</b>	<b>0 - 20</b>	<b>11</b>

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Physician Order Sheet

LIST ALLERGIES: None

Transfuse 2 units packed cells

PCA pump with Morphine, basal dose 2 mg/hr, bolus 1 mg q 8 mins

PCA protocol

NGT to low intermittent suction

Foley to straight drainage

Bedrest today. BRPs starting tomorrow

Resume previous medications

Ostomy Nurse to follow

Only one set of orders per page please. Once you sign, date and time, please cross through remaining line

# Post-op- colostomy

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## **Scenario Overview:**

**Estimated Scenario time:** 20 – 30 minutes

**Guided Reflection time:** 30 minutes

**Target Group:** NUR 215

## **Brief Summary:**

This case presents a client with colon cancer who undergoes surgery for removal of cancer and creation of a colostomy. He was in surgery for 12 hours and had an estimated blood loss of 1000mL. He received 2 units of packed cells during surgery. He has been transferred back to a Medical/Surgical floor for post-op care. The student is expected to recognize patient issues and complaints and respond accordingly.

## **Learning Objectives:**

- Evaluate patient assessment information including vital signs
- Identify variances from expected post-op outcomes
- Prioritize patient needs
- Implement therapeutic communication
- Implement direct communication and delegation skills with multidisciplinary team members

## **Assignment**

1. What do you think is happening with this patient?
2. What do you think is the cause of this problem?
3. What actions should the RN do?
4. What can be delegated to the LPN? CNA? Charge nurse?

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**Scenario 1 (MI)**

Student/Role: RN \_\_\_\_\_  
LPN \_\_\_\_\_  
CNA \_\_\_\_\_  
Charge Nurse \_\_\_\_\_

**Correct Treatment #1 (MI)**

- Wash Hands, Introduce self, Identify the Patient
- Raise HOB
- Place O2
- Do V.S. including O2 Sat
- Pain assessment
- check for routine cardiac orders
- call for 12 Lead
- Call MD
  - Request cardiac orders (NTG, MS04, lab work (serial cardiac labs), transfer to monitored unit
- Stay with patient and provide support (Offer to call family, Pastor)

Comments:

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**Scenario 2 (PE)**

Student/Role: RN \_\_\_\_\_  
LPN \_\_\_\_\_  
CNA \_\_\_\_\_  
Charge Nurse \_\_\_\_\_

**Correct Treatment #2 (PE)**

Student should:

- Wash Hands, Introduce self, Identify the Patient
- Raise HOB
- Place O2
- Do V.S. including O2 Sat
- Pain assessment
- call for 12 Lead
- Recognize the PT and INR are within normal limits (Pt. on Coumadin)
- Call MD
  - Request ABG's, CT Scan, transfer to monitored unit
- Stay with patient and provide support (Offer to call family, Pastor)

Comments:

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**Scenario 3 (Hypoxia)**

Student/Role: RN \_\_\_\_\_  
LPN \_\_\_\_\_  
CNA \_\_\_\_\_  
Charge Nurse \_\_\_\_\_

**Correct Treatment**

- Wash Hands, Introduce self, Identify the Patient
- Raise HOB
- Place O2
- Do V.S. including O2 Sat
- Respiratory Assessment
- Call MD
  - Request ABG's, Increase in O2, CXR, Repeat H&H, transfusion
- Stay with patient and provide support (Offer to call family, Pastor)

Comments:

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**Scenario 4 (Peritonitis)**

Student/Role: RN \_\_\_\_\_  
LPN \_\_\_\_\_  
CNA \_\_\_\_\_  
Charge Nurse \_\_\_\_\_

**Correct Treatment**

- Wash Hands, Introduce self, Identify the Patient
- Do V.S. including O2 Sat
- Pain assessment
- Check wound site (dressing), abdomen (rigid), NGT for patency and drainage
- Call MD
  - Request CT scan, labs (CBC with diff)
  - Prepare for return to OR
- Stay with patient and provide support (Offer to call family, Pastor)

**Comments:**

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### Scenario 5 (Change in LOC)

Student/Role: RN \_\_\_\_\_  
LPN \_\_\_\_\_  
CNA \_\_\_\_\_  
Charge Nurse \_\_\_\_\_

#### Correct Treatment

- Wash Hands, Introduce self, Identify the Patient
- Place O2
- Do V.S. including O2 Sat
- Turn off PCA
- Do accu check
  - If low and responsive, give oral dextrose paste (NPO/NGT)
  - If low and unresponsive, call for D50 IV
  - Repeat blood sugar
- Rapid neuro assessment
- If blood sugar not the cause, administer Narcan per routine PCA orders
- Call MD
  - Request change in appropriate orders (PCA or insulin)
- Stay with patient and provide support (Offer to call family, Pastor)

Comments: