

Sorrentino: Mosby's Textbook for Nursing Assistants, 8th Edition

Chapter 01: Introduction to Health Care Agencies

Test Bank

MULTIPLE CHOICE

1. An acute illness is
 - A. A sudden illness from which a person is expected to recover
 - B. An ongoing illness for which there is no known cure
 - C. An illness that is slow or gradual in onset
 - D. An illness for which there is no reasonable expectation of recoveryANS: A
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2. An ongoing illness that is slow or gradual in on set and for which there is no known cure is
 - A. An acute illness
 - B. A chronic illness
 - C. A terminal illness
 - D. A physical illnessANS: B
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3. A nursing pattern that brings services from departments to the bedside is
 - A. Primary nursing
 - B. Team nursing
 - C. Patient-focused care
 - D. Case managementANS: C
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4. Functional nursing is
 - A. A nursing care pattern focusing on tasks and jobs
 - B. A nursing care pattern in which an RN is responsible for the person's total care
 - C. When a team of nursing staff is led by an RN who decides the amount and kind of care each person needs
 - D. When services are moved from departments to the bedsideANS: A
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5. An RN is responsible for the person's total care. This is
 - A. Team nursing
 - B. Primary nursing
 - C. Functional nursing

D. Patient-focused care

ANS: B

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6. Persons living in long-term care centers are called

A. Patients

B. Clients

C. Residents

D. Individuals

ANS: C

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7. RNs do all of the following *except*:

A. Follow doctor's orders

B. Delegate to LPNs/LVNs

C. Develop care plans for the person and family

D. Prescribe treatments for the person

ANS: D

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8. Which is *not* a purpose of health care?

A. Health promotion

B. Rehabilitation and restorative care

C. Detection and treatment of disease

D. Training nursing assistants and other students

ANS: D

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9. Who has the most authority in a nursing service department?

A. Nurse manager

B. Charge nurse

C. Staff nurse

D. Director of nursing

ANS: D

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10. An assisted living residence

A. Provides three meals a day and housekeeping and laundry services

B. Is for persons with terminal illnesses

C. Provides complex, ongoing rehabilitation

D. Is for persons with chronic mental illness

ANS: A

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11. Assisted living residences provide the following *except*

A. Housing

- B. Help with personal care
- C. Complex medical care
- D. Social activities

ANS: C

REF: p. 3

12. These individuals give basic nursing care under the supervision of a licensed nurse:

- A. Nurse practitioners
- B. Social workers
- C. Nursing assistants
- D. Medical technologists

ANS: C

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13. The director of nursing (DON) is a (n)_____

- A. LPN/LVN
- B. RN
- C. PT
- D. OT

ANS: B

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14. The nursing team involves the following *except*

- A. Doctors
- B. RNs
- C. LPNs
- D. Nursing assistants

ANS: A

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15. Nursing assistants may report to the following *except*

- A. An RN
- B. An LPN/LVN
- C. A nurse team leader
- D. Another nursing assistant

ANS: D

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16. Nursing assistants may report to the following *except*

- A. An RN
- B. The medical director
- C. An LPN/LVN
- D. A primary nurse

ANS: B

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17. Who assesses, makes nursing diagnoses, plans, implements, and evaluates nursing care?

- A. RNs
- B. LPNs
- C. Nursing assistants
- D. Case managers

ANS: A

REF: p. 7

18. Which member of the health team designs adaptive equipment for daily living?

- A. Occupational Therapist Registered
- B. Pharmacist
- C. Radiographer
- D. Homemaker

ANS: A

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19. You are a part of

- A. The nursing team
- B. The board of trustees
- C. The case management team
- D. The prospective payment system

ANS: A

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20. Who assesses and plans for the nutritional needs of patients and resident?

- A. The RN
- B. The dietitian
- C. The pharmacist
- D. The doctor

ANS: B

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21. LPNs/LVNs are supervised by

- A. Doctors, dentists, and RNs
- B. Physical therapists and occupational therapists
- C. Agency administrators
- D. Social workers, pharmacists and RNs

ANS: A

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22. Who is responsible for diagnosing and treating diseases and injuries?

- A. The doctor
- B. The nurse practitioner
- C. RNs
- D. Physician's assistant

ANS: A
REF: p. 6

23. Who helps patients, residents, and families with social, emotional, and environmental issues affecting illness and recovery?

- A. The speech-language pathologist
- B. The podiatrist
- C. The activities director
- D. The social worker

ANS: D
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24. Who makes policies for health care agencies?

- A. The board of trustees
- B. The health team
- C. The PPO
- D. Medicare and Medicaid

ANS: A
REF: p. 4

25. The goal of rehabilitation is

- A. To return persons to the highest possible level of physical and mental functioning
- B. To reduce the risk of illness
- C. To help the person make simple life-style changes
- D. To do as much as possible for the person

ANS: A
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26. Rehabilitation starts when the person is discharged from the hospital.

- A. True
- B. False

ANS: B
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27. A hospice is

- A. A skilled nursing facility
- B. A home health care agency
- C. A health care program for persons who present dangers to themselves or others
- D. A health care agency or program for persons who are dying

ANS: D
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28. A federal health insurance program for persons 65 years of age and older is

- A. Private insurance
- B. Group insurance
- C. An HMO

D. Medicare

ANS: D

REF: p. 8

29. Medicaid is

A. A preferred provider organization

B. A private insurance plan bought by individuals

C. A federal health insurance program for persons with disabilities

D. A health care payment program sponsored by the federal government and operated by the states

ANS: D

REF: p. 8

30. The goal of the health team is to

A. Provide quality care

B. Carry out the doctor's orders

C. Develop care plans for patients and residents

D. Follow agency policies and procedures

ANS: A

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31. What must an agency have to operate and provide care?

A. A certificate

B. Accreditation

C. Policies and procedures

D. A license

ANS: D

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32. Accreditation for health care agencies is

A. A voluntary process that signals quality and excellence

B. Required to receive Medicare and Medicaid funds

C. A federal requirement for a health care agency to operate

D. A process required by preferred providers

ANS: A

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33. You have an important role in meeting standards and in the survey process. You must do the following *except*

A. Provide quality care

B. Interview patients and families

C. Help keep the agency clean and safe

D. Follow agency policies and procedures

ANS: B

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34. Surveys are done to see if agencies meet set standards. Your role in the survey process involves the following except
- A. Having good work ethics
 - B. Answering surveyor questions honestly and completely
 - C. Conducting yourself in a professional manner
 - D. Reviewing the nursing department budget

ANS: D

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