

Back pain
husband brought to emergency

Emergency on Thursday
has been daughter son
house (Brooklyn)

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NEW YORK UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF NURSING
NURSE-UN.1245 Leadership and Management in Nursing

NURSING CARE PLAN

STUDENT'S NAME: Yaq

CLINICAL INSTRUCTOR: _____

DATE OF PATIENT CARE: 9/23/2021

DEMOGRAPHIC DATA:

Patient Assignment #: 55 Age: F Gender: _____ Date of Admission 9/20/2021 Advance Directives CPIR
Rm 29 (Indicate if DNR/DNI or Full Code)

HISTORY OF PRESENT ILLNESS: Patient was admitted & taken to OR same day for procedure

REASON FOR SEEKING HEALTHCARE ("What brought you to the hospital?" – must include "What happened, where, when, how long PTA"): chief complaint Spinal stenosis, lumbar region neurogenic claudication. lower back & bilateral leg pain
left leg worsening, right leg started 4 months ago. Bilateral buttock & lateral thigh thigh & lateral thigh
& dorsum of foot, left worse than right, with numbness & tingling

ADMITTING MEDICAL DIAGNOSIS (DIAGNOSES): Acute midline low back pain without radicular
Standard precaution SP: Transforaminal Lumbar interbody fusion spine single level. L4-L5

ALLERGIES: No known

REACTION: N/A

I. PAST MEDICAL HISTORY (Include date condition was diagnosed, if known):
hyperlipidemia, hypertension, lower back pain (with left sided sciatica)

II. PAST PSYCHIATRIC HISTORY: NO
Describe & include history of treatment:

Current Mood: ☐ Depressed ☐ Anxious ☐ Withdrawn NO

Communication: ☒ Verbal ☐ Non-verbal ☐ Cues/behaviors (specify) _____

Other: _____

Gen Surgery / Neuro or the spine

A&O x4

JP drains

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III. PAST SURGICAL HISTORY (Include dates of surgery, if known):

Colonoscopy 2018

Tubal ligation

Lumbar Fusion

Bilateral 09/20/2021

Transforaminal lumbar interbody fusion spine single level open L4-5

IV. PSYCHOSOCIAL HISTORY:Spiritual/ Cultural Assessment: Religion CatholicCultural/ethnic background SpanishMarital status married

Smoking: [] Yes (Specify # cigarettes/ packs per day) [X] No

Smoking Cessation Teaching: [] Yes [X] No

Substance Abuse: [] Yes (Specify Substance)

Treatment

[X] No history

V. VACCINE HISTORY:

Influenza Vaccination - [] Yes (Date:) [X] No

Pneumovax [] Yes (Date:) [X] No

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If No, Specify Reason

Other:

VI. LAB VALUES (Include Date of Results, Specific Value with Unit of Measure, & if High or Low)

Hemoglobin - 10.2 ↓ 11.2-15.7 Na - 138 N

BUN - 19 N

Albumin - N/A

Hematocrit - 29.9 ↓ 34-45% K - 4.1 N

Creatinine - 0.73 N

PT -

WBC - 11.4 ↑ 4.0-10.0 CO₂ - 23 N

Glucose - 133 H

INR -

Platelets - 258 N 150-400 CL - 104 N

Fingerstick -

PTT -

RBC - 3.46 ↓ 3.90-5.20

Calcium 10.5

Calcium 8.8

AST 24

ALT 30

VII. VITAL SIGNS and PAIN ASSESSMENT

no pain

BP 122/80 Apical HR (rate/ rhythm)

Radial (rate/rhythm)

RR 18

Temp. 98.6

Pulse Oximetry

Pain 0/10

Height 5'1"

Weight 166

BMI 31.49

Indicate if: [X] Normal [] Overweight [] Obese [] Underweight

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Time	Location of Pain	Scale (Pre)	Interventions	Scale (Post)	Comments
10:00am	lower Back	No pain (4)	medication: oxycodone	No pain	

Surgical Pain

VIII. INTAKE & OUTPUT (During your shift – indicate amount in ml.):

INTAKE		OUTPUT	
Type	Amount	Type	Amount
P.O. (water, juice, soup, meds)		URINE	
INTRAVENOUS (IV)		OSTOMY	
FEEDING		DRAINAGE	10cc Serostan
OTHER (specify)		OTHER (specify)	
TOTAL		TOTAL	

IX. PERIPHERAL & CENTRAL INTRAVENOUS LINES

Type _____ Date Inserted _____ Site _____ Describe Site Appearance Dry No drainage

X. PHYSICAL ASSESSMENT / SYSTEMS REVIEW

1. Neurological System:

Subjective Data: _____

LOC: ☒ Alert ☐ Confused ☐ Lethargic ☐ Restless ☐ Aphasic Orientation: ☐ Time ☐ Place ☐ Person

Pupils: ☒ Equal ☐ Unequal ☐ Brisk ☐ Sluggish ☐ Nonreactive ☐ Irregular ☐ Opaque Aids: ☐ Glasses ☐ Hearing Aid

Other: _____

Describe abnormal findings: _____

2. Neuromuscular System:

Subjective Data: _____

Motor & Sensory Function: ☒ Intact Weakness: ☐ Right ☐ Left Paralysis: ☐ Right ☐ Left

Gait: ☒ Steady ☐ Unsteady Use of Assistive device: ☐ Cane ☒ Walker ☐ Wheelchair

Other: _____

Describe abnormal findings: _____

3. Cardiovascular:

Subjective Data: _____

☐ Chest Pain (Describe) No Pain ☐ Palpitations (Describe) _____

Peripheral Pulses (Specify 0 – 3+): Radial: ☐ Right ☐ Left Brachial: ☐ Right ☐ Left Femoral: ☐ Right ☐ Left

Dorsalis Pedis: ☐ Right ☐ Left Posterior Tibialis ☐ Right ☐ Left

Diagnostic Result: CT Scan
CT Lumbar Spine without IV contrast (9/9/2021)
Alignment: Preserved Lumbar Lordosis. Red 9:32
redemonstrated grade 1 anterolisthesis @ L4-5
minimal Lumbar dextrocurvature.
Disc: mild L4-5 disc space narrowing. Small multilevel
endplate osteophytes.

L4-5: Grade 1 anterolisthesis with uncovering of small circumferential
disc bulge, Severe bilateral facet arthrosis. Mild central
canal stenosis. Mild bilateral neuroforaminal stenosis
L5-S1: Small circumferential disc bulge with minimal osteophytic
ridging. Severe bilateral facet arthrosis. No central canal
stenosis. Mild/moderate left & mild right neuroforaminal
stenosis

Pt took antibiotics.

Consult to Pain mgmt consultation 9/21/2021

1. Atorvastatin tablet 40mg oral daily
(Lipitor) Antilipemic
Used to lower bad cholesterol Y
2. Cyclobenzaprine tab 5mg, oral TID 3 times Daily
Skeletal muscle relaxant / Muscle Spasm Y
3. enoxaparin (Lovenox): Anticoagulant
Injection 40mg Subcutaneous every 24hrs
4. hydrochlorothiazide tablet 25mg oral daily
Antihypertensive; Diuretic, Thiazide.
Used for Edema's etc Y
5. pregabalin (Lyrica) capsule 50mg
Anticonvulsant, GABA Analog / anxiety
general pain,
6. oxycodone (Roxicodone)
Analgesic / opioid Pain mgt. Y

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