Geriatric-LTC Exam Content Outline

Exam Objective: To measure the overall level of clinical knowledge for the Geriatric-Long Term Care Setting.

Knowledge Domains - Geriatric-LTC Exam

- Assessment: 21%
- Elder Abuse: 7%
- General Knowledge: 57%
- Patient Teaching: 4%
- Safety: 4%
- Tuberculosis: 7%

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I. Assessment
   A. Knowledge of performing a psychosocial assessment in the geriatric population.
   B. Knowledge of hypothermia in the geriatric population.
   C. Knowledge of genitourinary assessment in the geriatric population.
   D. Knowledge of integumentary assessment in the geriatric population.

II. Elder Abuse
   A. Knowledge of elder abuse.

III. General Knowledge
   A. Knowledge of effects related to mobility in the geriatric population.
   B. Knowledge of nutritional status in the geriatric population.
   C. Knowledge of nursing process.
   D. Knowledge of legal implications related to nursing care.
   E. Knowledge of chronic conditions commonly seen in the geriatric population.
   F. Knowledge of growth and development in the geriatric population.
   G. Knowledge of nursing interventions related to the integumentary system.
   H. Knowledge of rehabilitation in the geriatric population.
I. Knowledge of Dementia.
J. Knowledge of pharmacokinetics in the geriatric population.
K. Knowledge of electrolyte imbalance commonly to the geriatric population.

IV. Patient Teaching
A. Knowledge of patient education related to incontinence.
B. Knowledge of patient education as it relates to psychotropic medications.

V. Safety
A. Knowledge restraint-free environment.
B. Knowledge of risk factors common to the geriatric population.
C. Knowledge of anticoagulant therapy in the geriatric population.

VI. Tuberculosis
A. Knowledge of tuberculosis in the geriatric population.