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Test Bank - Chapter 01

Q: What accomplishment related to nursing is Clara Barton best known for?

A. Becoming the first black public health nurse
B. Establishing the Henry Street Settlement
C. Founding the American Red Cross (Correct)
D. Publicizing the inadequacies of hospital-based nursing schools

Q: What piece of legislation would the student nurse use as a reference when writing about the need among rural communities for greater access to acute care services post-World War 2?

A. Social Security Act
B. Hill-Burton Act (Correct)
C. Sheppard-Towner Act
D. U.S. Civil Service Act

Q: The practice of public health nursing and the Henry Street Settlement are credited to what nursing pioneer?

A. Mary Breckenridge.
B. Mary Seacole.
C. Clara Barton.
D. Lillian Wald. (Correct)

Q: A nurse would refer to which early nursing pioneer when researching the foundational beliefs similar of today's occupational health nursing?

A. Lillian Wald (Correct)
B. Florence Nightingale
C. Clara Barton
D. Mary Seacole

Q: What historical event *first* led to the recognition of the contribution of the Black community to nursing?

A. Florence Nightingale's acceptance of black nurses into the first nursing school
B. The contributions of black nurses at the Pennsylvania Hospital, the first hospital in America
C. Mary Williams and Frances Rose are listed as nurses in the *City of Baltimore Directory* (Correct)
D. The work done by wives of wealthy black nobles who carried food and medicine from house to house during the Middle Ages

Q: When preparing a presentation, the nurse would include what information about the contribution to the advancement of health care made by events associated with World War I?

A. The increase in the number of private care hospitals
B. The employment of a large number of civilians to provide care to returning soldiers through the Red Cross
C. The introduction of specialists in nursing such as nurse anesthetists (Correct)
D. Emphasizing the need to increase the number of community health nurses

Q: When providing a presentation what would the nurse discuss as one of the original purposes of the Social Security Act of 1935?

A. Increase research that focused on minority groups
B. Provide medical care for chemically impaired persons
C. Ensure health care for older adults through a national insurance system (Correct)
D. Decrease the public's financial burden by limiting services offered by local health departments

Q: When asked the nurse demonstrates an understanding of the Title XVIII amendment to the Social Security Act when providing what response?

A. It led to many hospital closings, along with a decrease in acute care hospital–based nursing care.
B. It provided medical insurance to those younger adults or children who were not eligible for private insurance because of catastrophic illnesses such as cancer.
C. It provided preventive care for women, infants, and children.
D. It ensured that individuals with end-stage renal disease had health care insurance. (Correct)

Q: A comparison of nursing in the 1980s to nursing in the 1990s reveals what factor contributes to health care as we know it today?

A. In the 1990s nursing experienced a significant reduction occurred in preventable diseases caused by unsafe/unhealthy lifestyles.
B. Tuberculosis was the primary concern for nursing in the 1980s, whereas the AIDS epidemic emerged and was its focus during the 1990s.
C. A decrease in ambulatory services in the 1980s prompted an increase in public health nurses in the 1990s.
D. The demand for advanced practice nurses increased in the 1980s and the 1990s because of the economy and concern about the health of the nation. (Correct)

Q: Which statement accurately describes the historical perspective of nursing practice?

A. Nursing has existed to meet the needs of populations, individuals, and aggregates by providing care that is determined by the needs and beliefs of society in different historical contexts. (Correct)
B. As men began to become interested in nursing, it changed into a respected profession based on scientific fact rather than superstition.
C. Nursing has historically accepted individuals from all social and ethnic backgrounds.
D. The United States has led the way throughout history to advance nursing and health care by providing the first hospital and medical school.

Q: The use of herbs, which has become a popular alternative to prescription drugs in today's health care milieu, had roots originating when?

A. Prehistoric times and the Middle Ages (Correct)
B. Civil War period and World War I
C. Renaissance and Reformation periods and the Colonial American period
D. Crimean War and Civil War periods

Q: A care provider sacrifices an animal and waves an herb-filled sack over a client who is reporting painful joints and chest pain with exertion. This ritual represents health care during what time period?

A. The prehistoric period (Correct)
B. Early civilization in Egypt
C. The European Renaissance
D. The Middle Ages in Asia and Africa

Q: A prospective nursing student who researches universities that offer a baccalaureate degree in nursing would want to ensure that the program is accredited by what agency?

A. American Nurses Association
B. Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (Correct)
C. National Institutes of Health
D. National Nursing Council

Q: What is an example of the health care focus of nursing in the 1990s?

A. Supporting men who leave nursing to enter the armed services
B. Polling practicing nurse for causes of nurse burnout and compassion fatigue
C. Teaching nursing students to identify health promotion interventions that focus on preventable diseases (Correct)
D. Establishing committees to explore ways to manage rising health care costs

Q: The hospital planning committee is using which component of the Institute of Medicine (IOM) 2011 message in its goal to improve information distribution?

A. Nurses should achieve higher levels of education to be effective members of an interdisciplinary team.
B. Nurses should have a minimum of a master's degree to sit on policy committees that affect an entire facility.
C. Pay for nurses should be consistent with that of physicians since the committee is interdisciplinary.
D. Policy is based on data, which provides the groundwork for decision making. (Correct)

Q: What was the stated goal of the Affordable Care Act of 2011?

A. Service a mentor of RN's working toward earning a bachelor's degree in nursing.
B. Working as a volunteer to help local uninsured persons enroll for federal health insurance. (Correct)
C. Serving on a committee working towards instituting a hospital policy to cap the amount the hospital can charge for procedures.
D. Developing a public educational presentation that explains the subsidizes needed to reduce health care costs for the chronically ill

Q: Which statement is true when comparing the nursing care provided in the Civil War (1861 to 1865) to that provided during the Crimean War?

A. Epidemics such as smallpox and typhoid were the primary emphasis of nursing care in both wars. (Correct)
B. Soldiers were housed in substandard conditions, but due to Nightingale's push for sanitary conditions, in the Civil War soldiers were housed in aseptic conditions.
C. Black nurses were widely accepted by society and the profession, receiving equal compensation during the Civil War due in large part to the efforts of Mary Seacole during the Crimean War.

D. Both Nightingale (Crimean War) and Dix (Civil War) completed nursing training before accepting positions as nurses in the wars.

Q: What group in early civilization would the nurse credit for developing a resource related to today's pharmacological therapies?

A. Egyptians (Correct)
B. Greeks
C. Hebrews
D. Chinese

Q: Which patient represents a 21st century issue that challenges today's professional nurse? (*Select all that apply.*)
(Select all that apply.)

A. A 98-year-old patient being treated for congested heart failure (Correct)
B. A patient assignment that includes three first day post-surgical patients on telemetry (Correct)
C. A newly immigrated adolescent requiring surgery but lacks health insurance (Correct)
D. A client on dialysis while awaiting a kidney transplant (Correct)
E. A client who doesn't speak English and only understands it at a basic level. (Correct)

Q: A newly licensed nurse's mentor states, "Prevention was the focus of nursing when I graduated. We stressed preventive health measures such as smoking cessation education to reduce preventable diseases and prevention to reduce the spread of infectious disease such as AIDS." The mentor asks, "What do you think the challenges will be for nurses graduating now?" (*Select all that apply.*)
(Select all that apply.)

A. Coordinating care for a more diverse aging population who have complex health values (Correct)
B. Managing care provided by nurses who are technologically advanced and skilled at interprofessional collaboration (Correct)
C. Providing care to well-informed consumers who are younger with narrow health values
D. Redesigning nursing care delivery models to streamline care based on fewer generational differences
E. Focusing on care from a systems perspective (Correct)

Q: What historical events helped advanced the practice of surgical nursing? (*Select all that apply.*)
(Select all that apply.)

A. The Ancient Egyptians were the first to use anesthesia in the operating room.
B. The "Barbers" of the Middle Ages used sterile techniques to reduce wound infections.
C. The Indian culture from 274 to 236 BC had hospitals staffed with female nurses who practiced much like today's nurses.
D. During the Renaissance, advances in healthcare, including surgery, were emerging. (Correct)
E. In the Korean War, nurses practiced in mobile army surgical hospitals, where medical and surgical techniques were further refined. (Correct)

Student Review Questions - Chapter 01

Q: The Mosaic Code is one of the oldest sources of what type of health promotion?

A. Use of medications
B. Personal and public hygiene (Correct)
C. Documentation of health records
D. Use of trained midwives

Q: What event in American history influenced the role black nurses have played in the nursing profession?

A. The creation of the U.S. Marine Hospital Service in 1798.
B. The Civil War, beginning in 1861. (Correct)
C. The Army Nurse Corps, established in 1901.
D. The North Carolina Nurse Practice Act of 1903.

Q: In the Middle Ages (467 BCE to AD 1450), what was the basis for women delivering food, medicine, and care to the community's ill?

A. Christian concepts of charity and the sanctity of human life. (Correct)
B. The need to make offerings to the gods in exchange for good health.
C. Emphasis being placed on the patient-centered approach to health care.
D. Emerging understanding of the importance of hygiene and sanitation.

Q: Which intervention best demonstrates that a nursing administrator understands the challenges currently facing the professional nurse regarding patient safety?

A. Supporting nursing interventions directed toward providing holistic care to both the client and his or her support system.
B. Requiring representation of the nursing staff in any discussion related to the redesign of patient care environments.
C. Requiring that staffing and schedules accommodate the attendance at mandatory in-services focusing on interprofessional care collaboration. (Correct)
D. Supporting the right of the registered nurse to appropriately act as an advocate when a family disagrees with a client's wishes to limit visitors.

Q: Which behavior provides evidence addressing the ability of nursing as a profession to provide high-quality, effective care as patient-centered needs intensify?

A. Enrolling in a Master of Nursing Education graduate program. (Correct)
B. Volunteering to provide community health screening at a senior citizen center.
C. Becoming politically active regarding the delivery of health care on the national level.
D. Regularly speaking to groups of high school students regarding the profession of nursing.

Q: The American Red Cross is established by what nursing pioneer?

A. Clara Burton (Correct)
B. Dorthea Dix
C. Florence Nightingale
D. Lillian Wald

Q: Where in the United States was the first diploma nursing program for African Americans established?

A. Atlanta, Georgia (Correct)
B. New York, New York
C. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
D. Boston, Massachusetts

Q: Which action demonstrates institutional awareness to manage 21 century challenges to practicing nurses identified by the COVID-19 Two Year Impact Assessment Survey? (*Select all that apply.*)
(Select all that apply.)

A. Enacting policies to address work related violence. (Correct)
B. Increased classroom space for associate and baccalaureate nursing programs.
C. Providing strict enforcement of anti-bullying policies. (Correct)
D. The establishment of retention programs focused on existing nursing faculty. (Correct)
E. Providing counseling for nursing experiencing violence in their personal lives.

Q: Which factor is cited as contributing to the inability of America's schools of nursing to meet the expected demand for professional nurses? (*Select all that apply.*)
(Select all that apply.)

A. Insufficient budget to update the school's simulation lab. (Correct)
B. Failed searches to fill faculty positions. (Correct)
C. Recruitment of clinical preceptors falls short of goal. (Correct)
D. Clinical experiences affected by insufficient clinical practice sites. (Correct)
E. Third year that class sizes are dramatically smaller due to student applicants.