

Cheap Nursing CEUs

Peritoneal Dialysis (PD)

1. What is a peritoneal dialysis exchange?

- A. The cleansing fluid that draws toxins from the blood.
 - B. The process of filling the abdomen with a cleansing fluid to draw toxins from the blood.
 - C. The time that the cleansing fluid must remain in the abdomen.
 - D. The type of renal replacement therapy that removes toxins through the peritoneum.
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2. What is a complication of end stage renal disease?

- A. Anemia
 - B. Diabetes
 - C. Genetic disease
 - D. Respiratory distress
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3. A nurse is caring for a patient who recently started peritoneal dialysis. The patient asks what side effects could be caused by the treatment. What is the best response from the nurse?

- A. "There are no side effects of peritoneal dialysis."
 - B. "Peritoneal dialysis requires frequent needle sticks."
 - C. "Peritoneal dialysis requires many diet restrictions."
 - D. "You may gain weight during peritoneal dialysis."
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4. What is the most common cause of peritoneal dialysis failure?

- A. Weight gain
 - B. Catheter malfunctions
 - C. Infection
 - D. Hernias
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5. A nurse is providing education to a patient new to peritoneal dialysis. What statement by the nurse best educates the patient on the symptoms of peritonitis?

- A. Abdominal pain
 - B. Clear peritoneal fluid
 - C. Bradycardia
 - D. Fluid overload
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6. What does cloudy peritoneal fluid indicate?

- A. Effective peritoneal dialysis exchanges
 - B. Peritonitis
 - C. Hernia
 - D. End stage renal disease
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7. What type of dialysis uses a machine to cycle through multiple exchanges overnight?

- A. Continuous ambulatory peritoneal dialysis
 - B. Hemodialysis
 - C. Continuous cycling peritoneal dialysis
 - D. Peritoneal dialysis
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8. A nurse is assisting a patient with end-stage renal disease in exploring treatment options. The patient asks about the benefits of peritoneal dialysis. Which response from the nurse is most accurate?

- A. You will need to go to a dialysis clinic for treatment.
 - B. There are no diet restrictions.
 - C. Peritoneal dialysis is a short-term treatment option.
 - D. No needles are needed for administration.
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9. How long does a peritoneal dialysis dwell time usually last?

- A. 1-2 hours
 - B. 4-6 hours
 - C. 10-12 hours
 - D. 24 hours
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10. How is the efficacy of peritoneal dialysis treatment measured?

- A. Using a peritoneal equilibrium test
 - B. Evaluating patient symptoms after treatment
 - C. Checking for cloudy peritoneal fluid
 - D. Using the glomerular filtration rate score
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