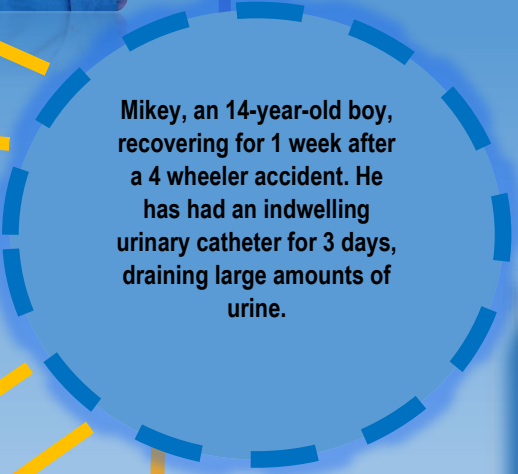


URINARY ELIMINATION



Successful Outcomes For

EVALUATION

The patient will...

- Reestablish normal voiding pattern post-catheter removal.
- State the S/S of a urinary tract infection.
- Have sufficient oral intake of fluids
- Demonstrate an understanding of interventions/rationales.

Determine if Interventions Are Successful



INTERVENTIONS

- Health promotion/patient teaching about UTIs, prevention of infection, voiding soon after catheter removal.
- Instruct about S/S of a UTI.
- Discontinue urinary catheter; send urine sample for C/S.
- Individualized patient-nurse interaction.
- Promote fluid intake.
- Use careful communication and positive encouragement.
- Monitor I/O
- Monitor patient for further S/S of infection.
- Implement symptom management.

Implement These Nursing Interventions to Promote Elimination

PLANNING/OUTCOMES

The patient will be able to:

- Demonstrate diurnal frequency no more than every two hours.
- Void within eight hours of urinary catheter removal.
- State absence of pain or urgency during urination.

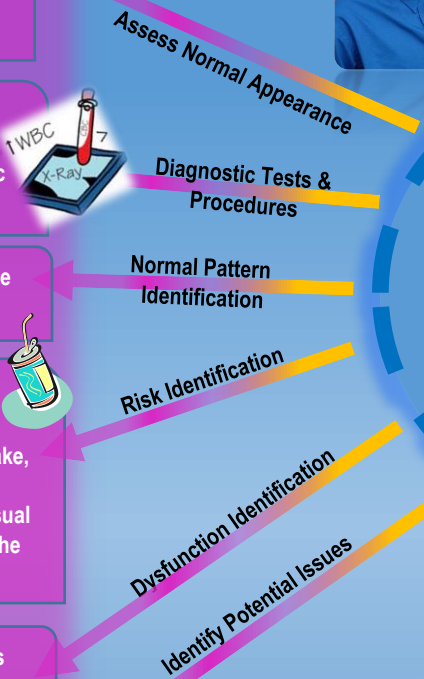
Determine Problems With

Patient Problem



Leads To

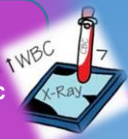
Impaired Urinary Elimination related to possible UTI as evidenced by cloudy urine, an increased temperature and an increased risk due to presence of indwelling catheter.



NORMAL ASSESSMENT FINDINGS

Urine assessment, intake and output volumes, inspection and palpation of abdomen for ladder distention flank tenderness

Bladder ultrasound, urine culture and analysis, BUN, and GFR, CT, cystoscopy, WBC, and urodynamic studies.



"Do you wake up at night and have to urinate?"



Previous renal or urinary tract problems, recent changes in daily routines including I/O, caffeine intake, medications, indwelling catheter, motor or cognitive dysfunction, visual impairment that effects getting to the bathroom on time



"Have you noticed any problems voiding lately?"

Living/social situation.

Assessed Findings Include

Assessment Findings Data Indicate

- History of an indwelling catheter for 3 days.
- Cloudy urine
- Increased temperature of 37.8°C