

Learner Feedback Questions #317

- Improper pain relief can result in:**
 - reduced oxygen consumption
 - increased muscle tension
 - accelerated gastrointestinal motility
 - bleeding tendencies
- To comply with Joint Commission standards related to pain management, facilities must:**
 - develop assessment protocols based on a similar assessment tool
 - perform retrospective pain management audits quarterly
 - have all patients with unrelieved pain seen by a pain management consultant
 - publish their pain management protocols in the patient handbook
- Which statement is true about acute pain?**
 - It is usually linked to a specific cause.
 - The onset is gradual in nature.
 - Less autonomic changes are present.
 - Depression and irritability occur quite frequently.
- According to the World Health Organization's three-step pain management approach, mild-to-severe pain should be treated with:**
 - non-opioids
 - opioid and a non-opioid
 - opioid with or without a non-opioid
 - a non-opioid with adjuvant therapy
- The number of patients who develop addiction after receiving pain medication is:**
 - less than 3 percent
 - less than 10 percent
 - 10-15 percent
 - no clear statistics available
- Which of the following assessment scales provide nurses with psychosocial parameters?**
 - visual analog scale (VAS)
 - Wong-Baker FACES scale
 - 1-10 numerical scale
 - McGill-Melzack scale
- To decrease opioid withdrawal symptoms, which intervention is indicated?**
 - administer PRN meds as soon as possible
 - taper opioids by 25-50 percent every 48 hours when indicated
 - add an anti-anxiety agent and lower the opioid dose
 - stop the opioid and administer a NSAID
- The drug of choice for patients with postoperative pain during the first 24 hours is:**
 - meperidine
 - sublimaze
 - morphine
 - codeine
- Back rubs or massages to decrease pain:**
 - are strictly comfort measures
 - close the gate to the passage of pain impulses
 - are contraindicated with patients with chronic pain
 - should be given prior to pain meds
- The drug of choice for neuropathic pain is:**
 - morphine
 - oxycodone
 - ibuprofen
 - ametryptilene

Evaluation

- I can develop strategies for pain management based on pharmacodynamics and nursing implications for selected drugs.**
 - strongly agree
 - agree
 - neutral
 - disagree
 - strongly disagree
- I can utilize Joint Commission standards for assessment, implementation and documentation of pain management.**
 - strongly agree
 - agree
 - neutral
 - disagree
 - strongly disagree
- I can compare and contrast uses, mechanism of action, onset and duration of selected drugs.**
 - strongly agree
 - agree
 - neutral
 - disagree
 - strongly disagree
- I can discuss pain management in the substance abuser.**
 - strongly agree
 - agree
 - neutral
 - disagree
 - strongly disagree
- The objectives relate to the overall goal of the article.**
 - strongly agree
 - agree
 - neutral
 - disagree
 - strongly disagree
- The article is well-written and logically organized, and defines terms adequately.**
 - strongly agree
 - agree
 - neutral
 - disagree
 - strongly disagree

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