Randall Children's Hospital

EXPECTATIONS for NURSING STUDENTS

Hello and welcome to Legacy Randall Children's Hospital! We want you to have the best education experience possible. To ensure that your time with us is beneficial, please keep the following guidelines in mind:

- 1. Your clinical instructor will make your patient care assignment. Do not interrupt the charge nurse when they are completing patient care assignments for their staff.
- Your first resource is your clinical instructor; call them whenever you need assistance with patient care. If your instructor is not available, contact the nurse assigned to your patient.
- 3. To promote optimal learning experiences remain on the unit as much as possible. Being readily available on the unit allows you the opportunity to observe various procedures or special care. If you are away from the unit you risk missing these opportunities.
- 4. Seek out learning opportunities. Examples: assist other nurses on the unit, hold babies, answer call lights and the telephone, and assist with patient discharges. You can also help keep our environment clutter-free by returning equipment to proper storage areas.
- 5. You may also help to ensure that a Safety Checklist is complete for each patient room. This includes, but is not limited to the following:
 - -Proper oxygen set-up
 - -Proper suction set-up
 - -Appropriate size ambu bag
 - -Appropriate tubing and canisters
 - -You may also practice room set up for a patient admission or procedure
- 6. Throughout the day update the nurse assigned to your patient with your plan of care.
- 7. At the end of your shift communicate your shift hand-off with your nurse and have them co-sign your charting.

Let us know if there is anything we can do to facilitate your learning experience.

Thank you,

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