Drowsiness

Edema

Dryness and itchiness of the skin

Hypertension

Inadequate growth

Poor nutritional intake

Nursing Diagnosis

Risk for electrolyte imbalance

Risk for ineffective renal perfusion

Risk for poor growth

Risk for anemia

Risk for cardiovascular complications

Risk for renal bone disease

Knowledge deficit regarding chronic kidney disease (CKD) and treatments

Nursing Interventions

What are the most appropriate nursing interventions for a child with CKD?

Nursing Interventions	Rationale
Close monitoring of the patient's status. Follow	To identify changes in kidney status which
clinical and laboratory findings. Blood studies	require additional treatment
included complete blood count (CBC),	-
electrolyte and kidney status.	
Observe for evidence of accumulated waste	To ensure prompt treatment
products.	• •
Provide dietary instructions for foods that	To encourage appropriate diet, which can
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