

Quiz #8

Question 1

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It is important to approach each clinical experience with an open mind and positive attitude?



True



False

NP students should keep an open mind and positive attitude throughout the clinical rotation. The clinical site might not be your preferred environment; but you can still make the most out of the experience.

Question 2

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If I arrive at my clinical site and my preceptor who was approved by the Chamberlain Practicum Coordination Team is not working, it is acceptable for me to work with an alternate provider for the day, even if the provider was not approved by my practicum coordinator?



True



False

Begin each clinical rotation with the end in mind with regard to completing your clinical hours. Preceptors and students get sick. This might require unanticipated time away from the clinical site to recover. Have a back-up plan for your back-up plan. It is a good idea to take the necessary steps for a second preceptor to be credentialed through the practicum coordination team. If your initial preceptor is unexpectedly absent, you are only permitted to count clinical hours with a preceptor who is officially approved and credentialed by Chamberlain.

Question 3

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Communicating openly with the preceptor on the first day of your clinical rotation will help you establish a mutually comfortable understanding where you are best able to learn and they are best able to teach.



True



False

NP students should be very deliberate about their clinical education, and set learning objectives with their preceptor at the outset of each rotation. These objectives may change slightly over the course of the rotation, but it is important for students to have a clear idea of the skills, experience, and insights they hope to obtain.

Question 4

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Which of the following is essential to carry with you to the first day of your clinical rotation? (Select all that apply)



Directions to the clinical site



Stethoscope



Lab Coat



Notebook

Arrive prepared for clinical rotations. Email your practicum coordinator (PC) and perhaps your preceptor two weeks before your clinical rotation begins to confirm logistics such as location, hours, and professional attire. Bring your lab coat, student ID,

and stethoscope with you on the first day. Wear comfortable and appropriate shoes. Keep a journal or notebook of your experiences to catalog your medical firsts and remember each situation.

Question 5

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Which of the following actions or behaviors demonstrate a professional demeanor?
(Select all that apply)



Arguing with a preceptor about a medical diagnosis



Being respectful of office and clinical staff



Compliance with office policies



Arriving late

Health care institutions expect individuals that exhibit a great work ethic and professionalism throughout their job. You must also agree to abide by all requirements, policies and procedures of the practicum site. A positive, open, professional communication style, willingness and eagerness to learn, and the ability to accept and act on constructive feedback in clinical sites are paramount to a successful practicum learning experience. Learning the names of your peers, dressing appropriately and showing respect for everyone will go a long way. It's important to remember that health care institutions have strict rules on conduct and behavior. You are a guest at the clinical site, not an employee.