Urologic Nursing

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CASE STUDY TEMPLATE

Introduction:

- Description of why individual has been referred or was a patient under your care
- Pertinent clinical history
 - Past medical history
 - Includes pregnancy history for women
 - Past surgical history
 - o Current medications
 - Social history
 - o Family history
- Other *relevant*, pertinent referral information; sign and symptoms at presentation

Clinical Interaction:

- Physical examination
- Testing and summary of findings
- Attempted procedures or interventions
- Prescribed medical and nursing care

Results of Clinical Interaction

Clinical Implications:

- Medical considerations: effects of surgery, drugs,
- Nursing considerations: behavioral, prescribed
- Patient lifestyle, cultural issues
- Significant/other involvement, social support
- Socioeconomic issues that may impact care, e.g., uninsured, homelessness

Discussion: brief discussion related to final diagnosis

Implications for Practice: How this experience changed or improved your practice Conclusion