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NPE 2223 – Pediatrics in Nursing I - SEQ

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Answer all questions

1. Breast milk is the best diet for the newborn babies.

1.1 Briefly describe

1.1.1. Let down reflex   (15 marks)

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1.1.2. Good attachment   (15 marks)

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1. 1. 3. Discuss the advantages and the disadvantages of breastfeeding.   (20 marks)

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1.2.1. List the information that will be used by an obstetrician to estimate the gestational age.

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1.2.2 What is meant by appropriate for gestational age?   (10 marks)

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1.2.3 Write **four (04)** indicators to do screening for retinopathy of prematurity. (20 marks)

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1.2.4 When would you arrange the retinopathy of prematurity screening? (10 marks)

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2.1 List common physical characteristics of a new born baby.   (20 marks)

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2.2 Mention **five (05)** important nursing considerations of initial assessment of a new born baby just after the birth.   (20 marks)

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2.3 What is Apgar's score?   (05 marks)

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2.4 State relevant scores that can be given for each component of Apgar's score according to the baby's condition.   (15 marks)

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2.5 Mention three (03) factors that affect the baby's growth and development.   (15 marks)

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2.7 Discuss nurse's role for improving a child who has delayed developmental?   (25 marks)

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3.1 What is the most common type of anemia?   (05 marks)

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3.2 What is aplastic anemia in children?   (05 marks)

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3.3. What causes aplastic anemia in a child?   (20 marks)

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3.4 What are the symptoms of aplastic anemia in a child?   (20 marks)

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3.5 How can iron deficiency in children be prevented?   (25 marks)

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3.6 As a nurse what are the advices you are going to give for a patient who is on iron supplements.
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4.   A 18 months old child is admitted to the pediatric ward with asymmetrical movements, difficulty in feeding, excessive, high-pitched cry, poor weight gain and Poor head control. The child is diagnosed as suffering from cerebral palsy. You are assigned to care the child with Cerebral palsy.

4.1 Write five (05) prenatal factors causing cerebral palsy.   (10 marks)

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4.2 List five (05) common associated clinical manifestations with cerebral palsy.   (05 marks)

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4.3 Write five (05) nursing diagnoses for the child's condition.   (25marks)

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4.4. Write five (05) nursing interventions each for any three of the above mention nursing diagnoses.

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