**10 KEYS FOR NCLEX SUCCESS**

1. **CRITICAL THINKING !**

The Nclex is testing your Judgment as a RN. Use your Knowledge and Select what make sense for you! Common sense is usually the good answer!

1. **YOU HAVE THE ORDER!**

If the answer is offering a drug or a skill that requires an order, assume you have the Order!

1. **PERFECT WORLD !**

Always assume you have the Time, the Staff, equipment and perfect Work conditions available! Nclex answers are based on Theory, Not Reality!

1. **SCOPE OF PRACTICE !**

Always think: “ Is this within my Scope of Practice as a RN?” Don’t go beyond!

1. **PATIENT COME FIRST !**

Always take care of the Patient First.

1. **MEMORIZE !**

Labs values, Normal Ranges, Most common medications (Heart, COPD, Alzheimer, Psych…), Drugs therapeutic levels…

1. **COMMUNICATE !**

Always report and document! Supervise your LPN/CNAs.

Listen to your Patient (Make him verbalize his feeling!)

1. **KNOW ABOUT DELEGATION !**

Who you can delegate to? Scope of Practice? Experience?

1. **PRIORITY !**

Most of situation (Emergency, trauma…) go with A,B,C,D !

1. **RELAX AND BREATH !**

If you passed Nursing School, then you are smart enough to get This Exam!!! Relax and be confident with Yourself! You will Rock It !