

IMPORTANT Butler NR509 Week3 Prep Email

Happy Sunday & Welcome to Week3!

Before completing & submitting your Week 3 iHuman assignment, **please wait to review my feedback on your Week2 iHuman assignment.** I will provide valuable information to improve on the assignments. **It is expected that you will make changes/improvements on your Week3 iHuman so there are no loss of points.** Instructors have until Friday night to complete iHuman grading. I try my best to have the Week2 grade posted by Wednesday

Week3 is another HEENT Focused Encounter (sore throat/pharyngitis/tonsillitis) commonly seen in primary care. **Be sure to review the Week3 grading rubric as it is DIFFERENT from Week2. You have only ONE attempt for the Week3 case. The grading is more stringent.**

Your submitted Week3 iHuman Assignment goes through Turnitin (TII), a plagiarism detection and originality checking tool, that compares submitted writing against a large database of sources to identify potential plagiarism. Be cognizant of this so that your TII report does not flag (red or orange) a high percent score of similarity to previously submitted work or from something on the internet as this may result in an Academic Integrity Inquiry. Instructors disregard the iHuman template similarities but review the information entered by the student. This includes the Key Findings, the Problem Statement, the Management Plan, & the EHR documentation: Histories, Review of Systems, & Physical Examinations. Your written Reflection also goes through TII.

Review the provided peer-reviewed scholarly articles & the EBP CPG before you attempt the case. They discuss information for the: Hx, ROS, PE, diagnosis, & treatment. They contain the rationales needed for: diagnostic tests, pharmacologic treatment, referral, patient education/nonpharmacologic treatment, & follow-up. Use these for your Management Plan.

Complete all sections of your EHR documentation in iHuman so it will be on your Performance Overview Report (POR) PDF that is submitted for grading. Please remember that iHuman does not automatically populate/enter what you do.

Identify & list in priority **at least 8 Key Findings**. Write your Problem Statement in an organized fashion including **only pertinent information**.

With this case, include all regular medical history questions, the reason for the encounter, & construct the HPI following OLDCARTS.

The ROS for this sore throat case should include questions about symptoms for General/Constitutional, Skin, HEENT/Neck, CV, Resp, GI, GU, MS, Neuro, & Psych. **Strep can cause symptoms in several systems.**

The examinations for this sore throat case should include General Survey (**add VS here for me so that I know you reviewed them**), Skin, HEENT/Neck (**thorough**), CV, Resp/Chest, Abd, & Psych. If the ROS reveals positives in other systems, include an examination of those systems. For example, if the patient reports joint pain, examine the MS system & document findings. As we progress through the iHuman cases, you will see that certain body system examinations will need to be more thoroughly performed & documented.

Write your Management Plan in the grading rubric format using the six headings. **DO NOT WRITE A SOAP NOTE.**

1. List **all** diagnostic tests that iHuman provides. Include the rationale(s) & reference(s) for the testing

Of special note in this case, we have a point of care test (POCT), a quick strep test, that yields a Negative result, but the patient has the history & physical exam findings to support the diagnosis of strep throat. This frequently happens in real life clinic encounters. This demonstrates that these tests do not have 100% accuracy. Here we **apply the Centor Criteria** mentioned in the provided articles for the patient's diagnosis. The patient's symptoms & exam