Before modifying a care plan to meet a patient's changing needs, the nurse's first action should be to:

- A. re-do the entire care plan
- B. focus only on the nursing diagnoses with moderate priority
- C. assess/reassess the patient's responses to interventions

D. add more nursing interventions from a standardized plan of care Answer $\sqrt{-C}$. assess/reassess the patient's responses to interventions

True or False: Actual or potential health problems that can be prevented or resolved by dependent nursing intervention are termed nursing diagnoses. Answer $\sqrt{\sqrt{-1}}$ True

Objective data is usually recorded:

- A. by body systems.
- B. after the assessment and plan.
- C. before the health history.
- D. in the problem list. Answer $\checkmark \checkmark$ A. by body systems

The examiner's evaluation of a patient's mental status belongs in the:

- A. history of present illness.
- B. review of systems.
- C. physical examination.
- D. patient education. Answer $\sqrt{\sqrt{-}}$ C. physical examination.

Which following component is not related to the format of nursing diagnosis?

A. Problem