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 L&D/OB-GYN

(Patient Identification)

**SCP-LAPAROTOMY: CARE OF THE PATIENT ADMITTED TO OB-GYN**

RN	Signature		

A progress note must be written for each change in a patient problem. Date/initial when starting or resolving each problem and intervention.		Started		Resolved	
PATIENT CARE PROBLEM: Complication Risk: Post Laparotomy		DT	RN	DT	RN
DESIRED PATIENT OUTCOMES	NURSING INTERVENTIONS	DT	RN	DT	RN
1. Patient will be free of or demonstrate minimal signs of infection/post operative complications during hospitalization. 2. Patient will verbalize decreased discomfort. 3. Patient will verbalize understanding of physiologic changes related to surgery. 4. Patient will verbalize and/or demonstrate appropriate care of self.	<b>L&amp;D/OB-GYN Unit Practice Manual:</b>  Protocol for: Admission, Nursing Responsibilities for the Patient Admitted to OB-GYN  Protocol for: Laparotomy: Care of the Patient Admitted to OB-GYN  Teaching Plan for: Laparotomy; Post: Self-Care Educational Needs Flowsheet				
PATIENT CARE PROBLEM: Discharge Planning Needs		DT	RN	DT	RN
DESIRED PATIENT OUTCOMES	NURSING INTERVENTIONS	DT	RN	DT	RN
1. Patient and/or family will be able to assume self care, comply with discharge regimen and know available resources at time of discharge	<b>Nursing Practice Manual:</b>  Protocol for: Discharge Planning				

**NOTE:** All outcomes/goals are general parameters which will be modified by physician and/or nurse based on patient's need or condition.