



(Female Reproductive)

Scenario – Female Reproductive

Instructions

Read aloud the following paragraph, paying close attention to the correct pronunciation of each medical term. Use the phonetic spelling provided with the term to guide you. At the conclusion of reading the paragraph and using this document, compose a list of the bolded medical terms and translate their correct meaning. Be sure to number each term in your list.

Scenario:

Clara, a 74-year-old female presents to her local hospital emergency department with fullness, swelling and increasing pain in her abdomen. During the initial examination, Clara explains it as a sharp stabbing pain across the lower quadrants of her abdomen. She rates her pain at 8/10.

Clara has a family of breast cancer. Her mother had a bilateral **mastectomy (mas-TEK-tō-mē)** at the age of 64. Her mother received chemotherapy and radiation and passed away at the age of 95.

Clara saw her **gynecologist (gin-ě-KOL-ō-jist)** in September and a **mammogram (MĀM-ō-grām)** was obtained. Clara's health history includes the onset of **menarche (mēn-ĀR-kē)** at the age of 12. Prior to having children, Clara often suffered from **metrorrhagia (mē-trō-RĀ-jă)** and **mastalgia (mas-TAL-jă)**. Clara has given birth to six children, which is indicated in her chart as being **multiparous (mūl-TĪP-ăr-ŭs)**. She suffered from **hyperemesis (hī-pěr-EM-ě-sis) gravida (GRĀV-ī-dă)** with her first two pregnancies. Having breast fed all of her children, she denied ever having been diagnosed with **mastitis (mas-TĪT-īs)**. Clara had a **hysterosalpingo-oophorectomy (hist-ě-rō-sal-ping-gō-ō-ō-fō-REK-tō-mē)** to treat a diagnosis of **endometriosis (en-dō-mē-trē-Ō-sis)** at the age of 62.

During Clara's exam, the doctor used a **colposcope (KŌL-pō-skōp)** to examine her cervix, vagina and vulva for signs of disease. The doctor noted an inflammation of the cervix or **cervicitis (sěr-vī-SĪ-tis)**. Thankfully, no treatment will be needed as Clara was having an allergic reaction to a feminine hygiene product she had recently switched to.