Alcohol Withdrawal Syndrome: Is It An Issue?

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PURPOSE: This presentation is specifically designed to discuss what caregivers need to look for and do with alcohol withdrawal syndrome in the acute care setting.

1. OBJECTIVES:

At the conclusion, participants should be able to:

- 1. Explain the pathophysiology of Alcohol Withdrawal Syndrome.
- 2. Describe signs and symptoms of patients in Alcohol Withdrawal Syndrome.
- 3. Identify nursing interventions and supportive therapies that are associated with the patient experiencing Alcohol Withdrawal Syndrome.
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