

NR 509 WEEK 5 QUIZ

1. Monique is a 33-year-old administrative assistant who has had intermittent lower abdominal pain approximately one week a month for the past year. It is not related to her menses. She notes relief with defecation, and a change in form and frequency of her bowel movements with these episodes. Which of the following is most likely?

Irritable bowel syndrome

2. Jim is a 60-year-old man who presents with vomiting. He denies any blood in his emesis, which has been present for 2 days. He does note a dark granular substance resembling the coffee left in the filter after brewing. What should the nurse suspect?

Bleeding from a peptic ulcer.

3. A 19-year-old African American female presents to the clinic with moderate to severe right lower quadrant abdominal pain for the last 2 days. She has been experiencing nausea and vomiting but unsure if she has had fever. Which of the following is a possible differential diagnosis?

A. Appendicitis

B. Small Bowel Obstruction

C. Peritonitis

D. Diverticulitis

4. Dawn is a 55-year-old woman who comes in today for her yearly wellness examination. You carefully perform the rectal examination in the lithotomy position and feel a mass against the bowel wall which is firm and immobile. Which of the following is most likely?

A) Colon cancer

B) Hemorrhoid