Clinical clerk ICU selective learning objectives

Goals, objectives, and expectations for final-year medical students at the end of a 1-month critical care medicine elective:

- Interpret, integrate, and apply data from the clinical evaluation, blood gas reports, electrocardiograms, and imaging examinations
- Present differential diagnoses and justify these diagnoses from the data
- Select appropriate tests based on previously obtained data
- Recommend therapy, justified by data
- Evaluate patient response to therapy
- Respond appropriately to rapidly changing data
- Present patient's admitting workup, diagnosis, and course in a complete and well organized manner
- Explain the ethical issues and offer solutions to the ethical problems involving patients in the ICU

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