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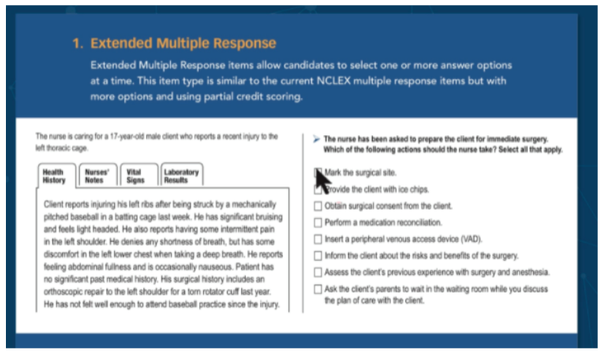

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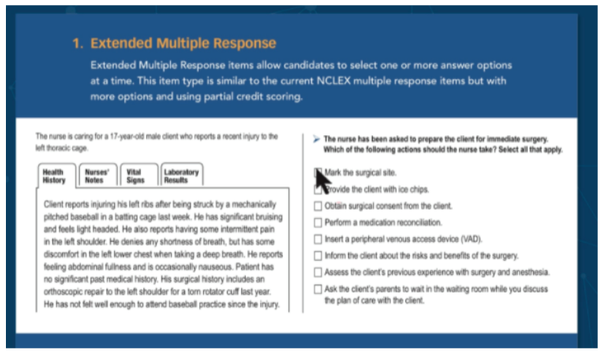

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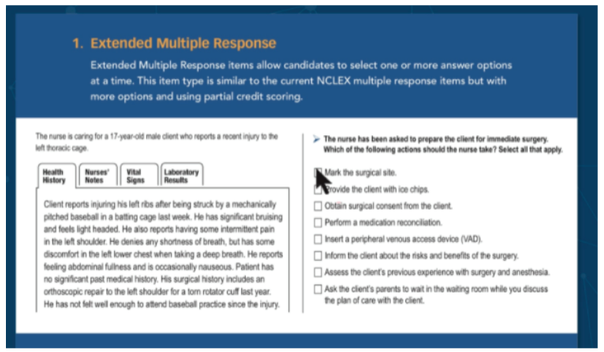

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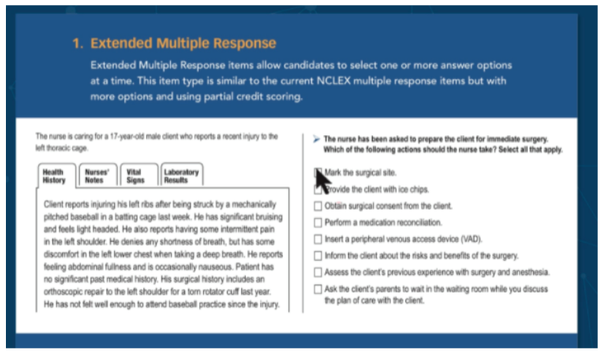

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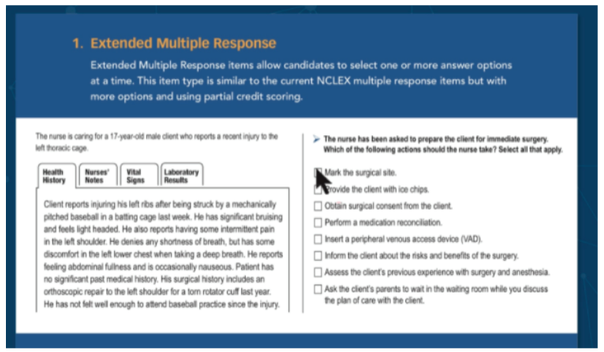

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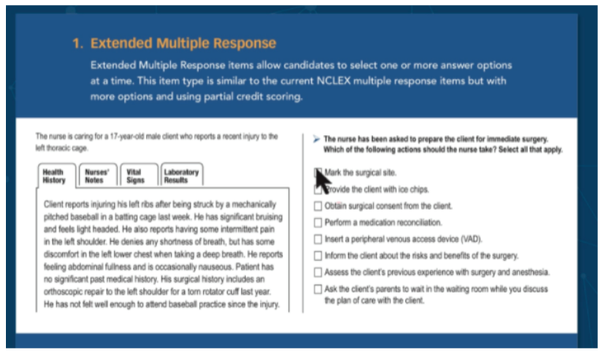

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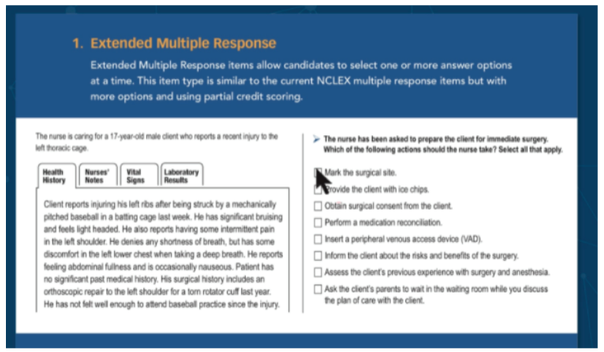

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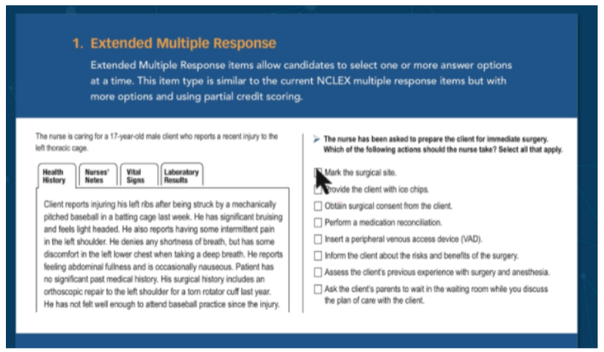

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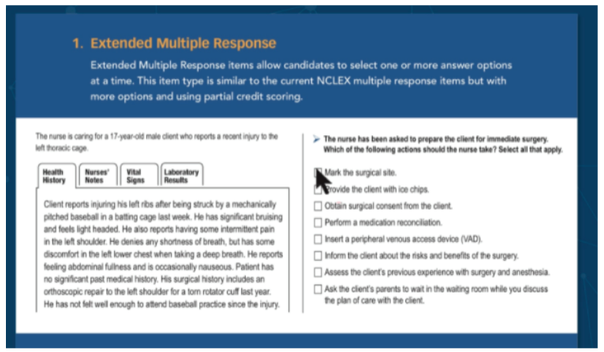

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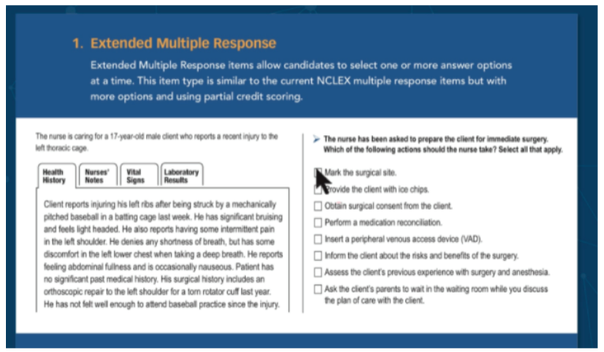

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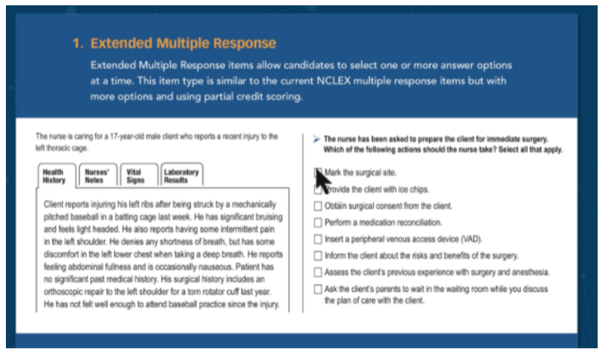

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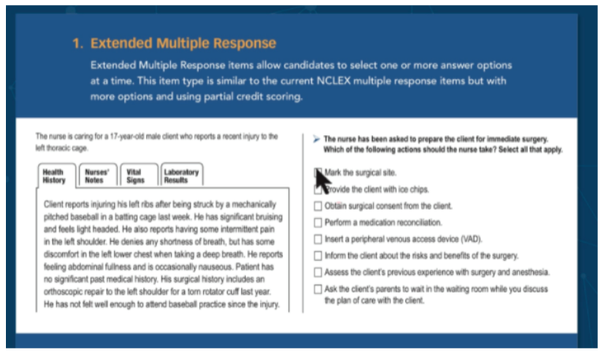

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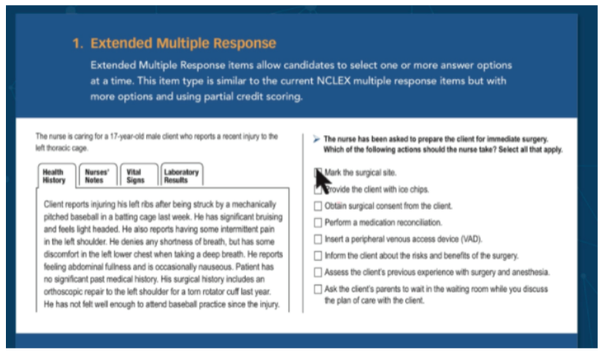

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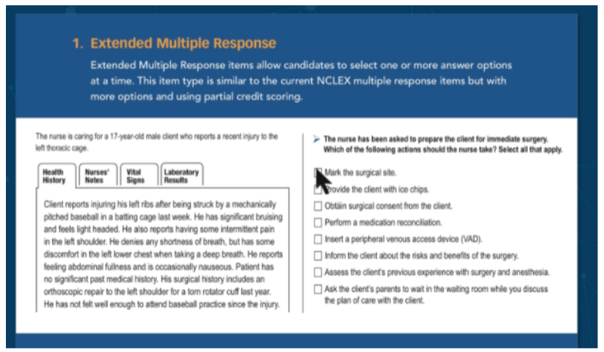

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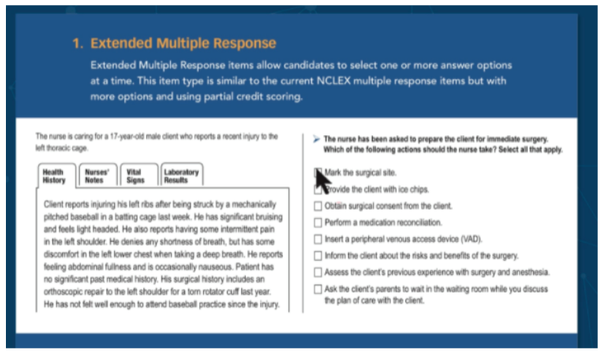

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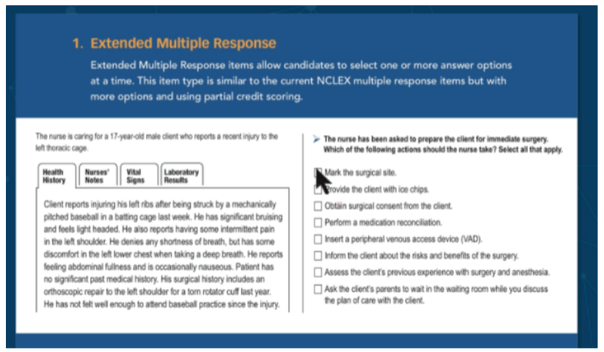

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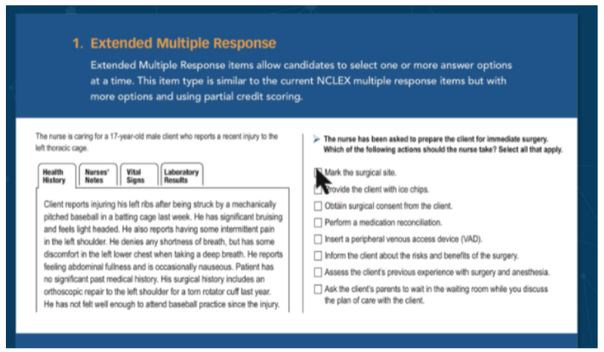

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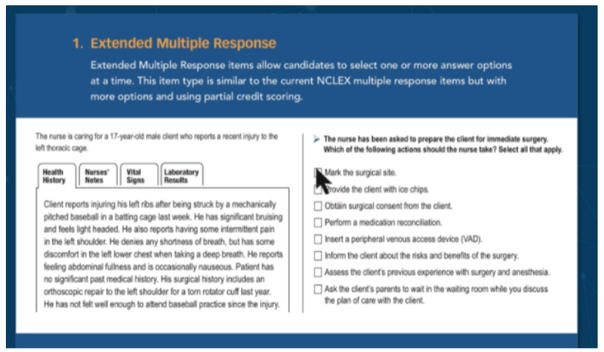

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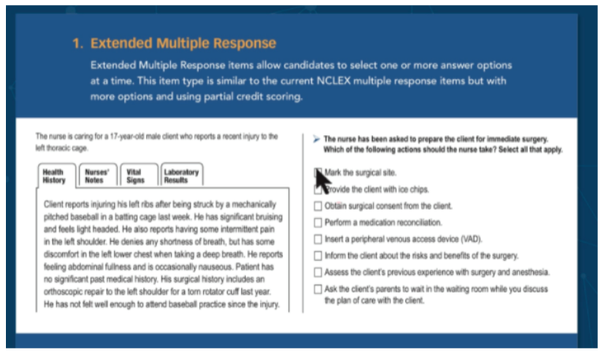

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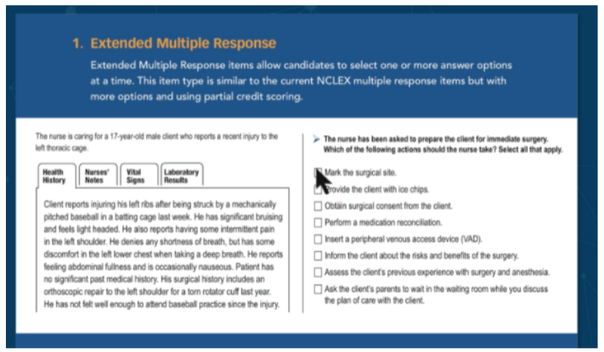

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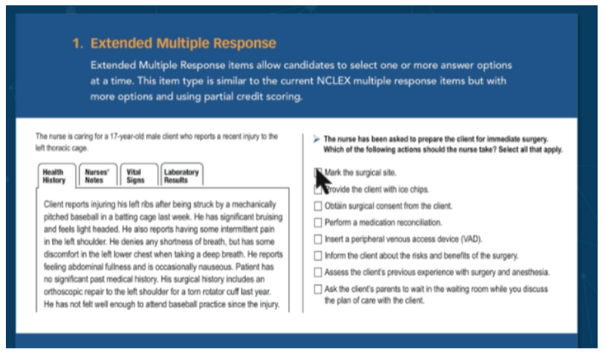

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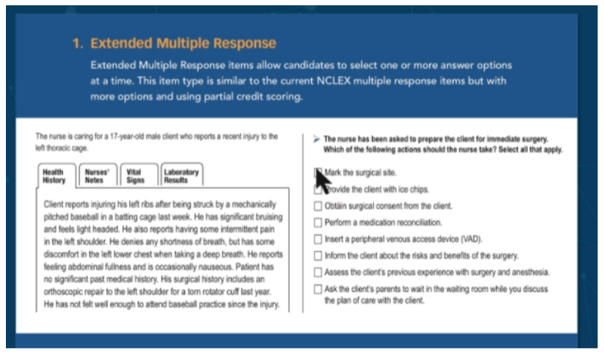

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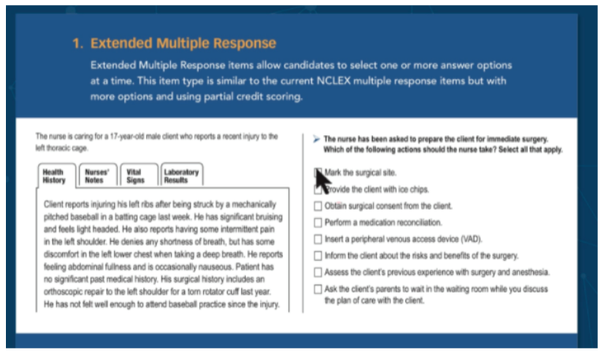

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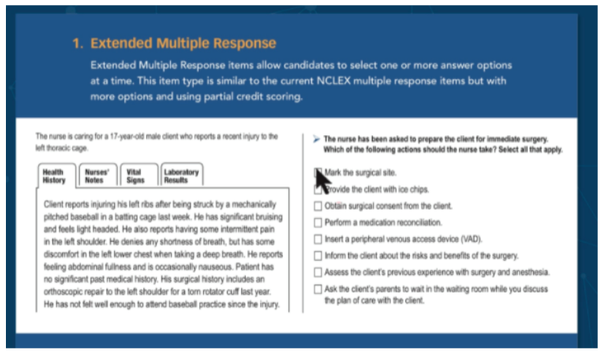

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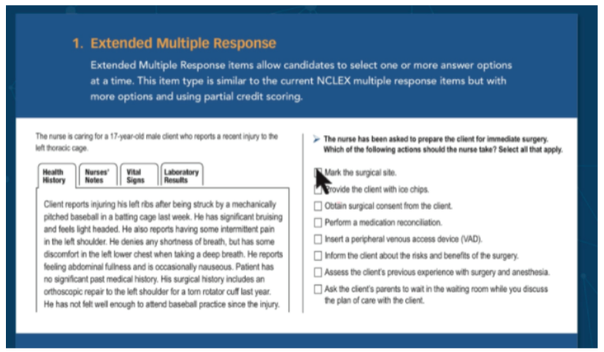

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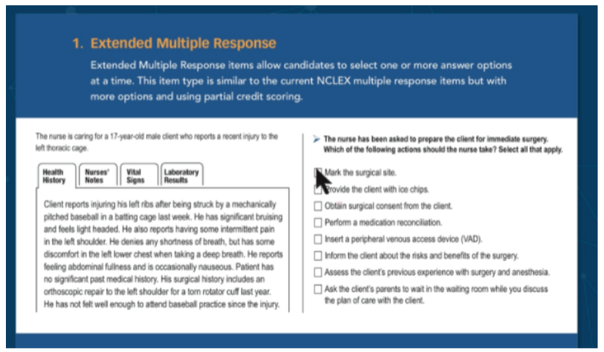

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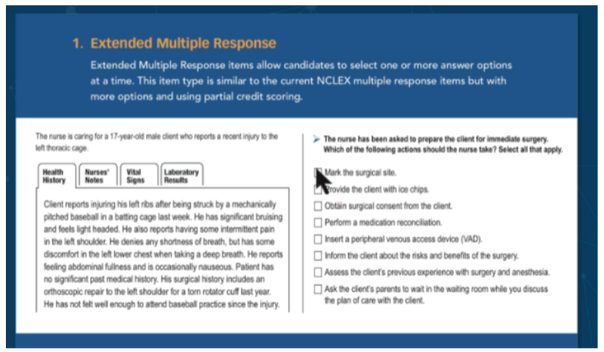

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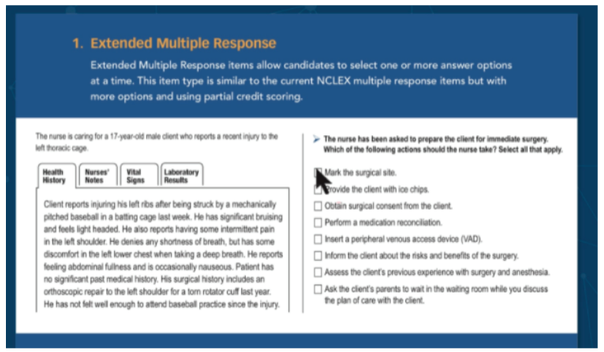

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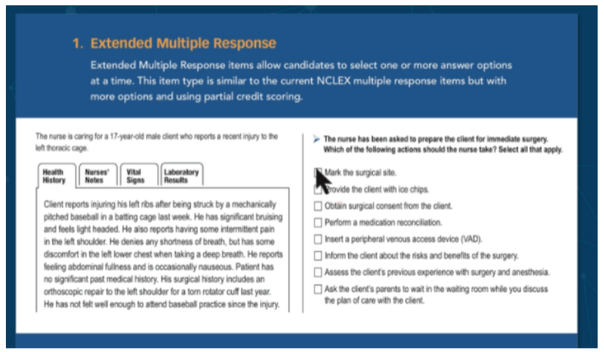

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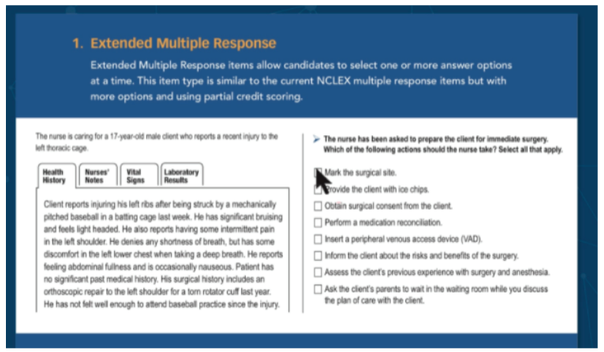

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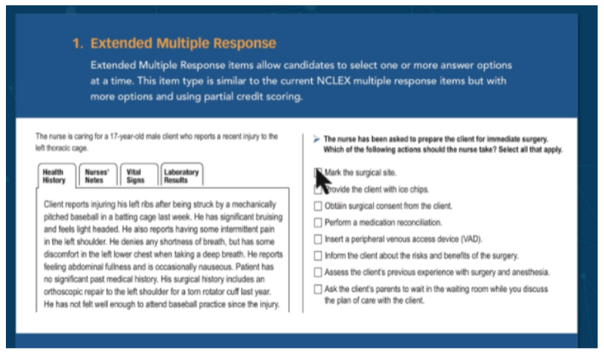

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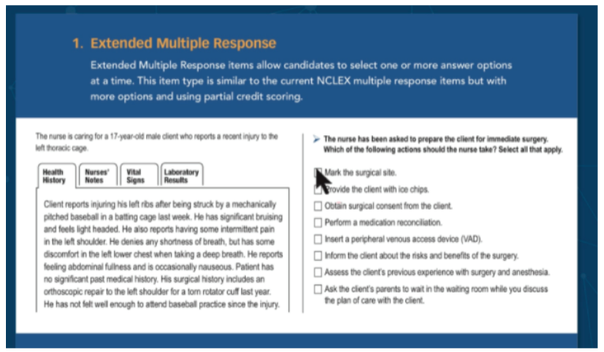

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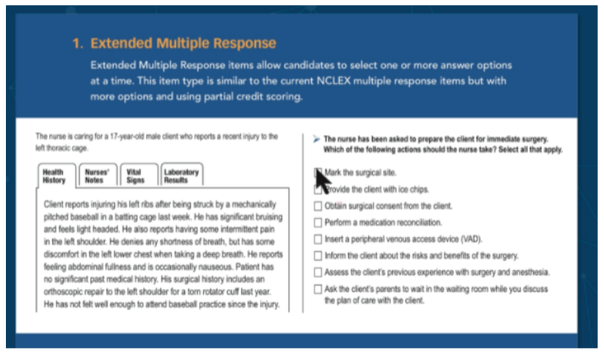

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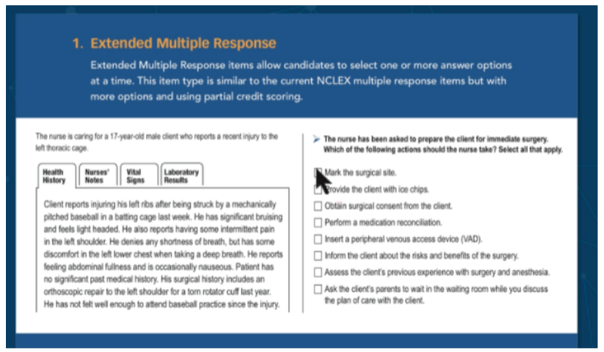

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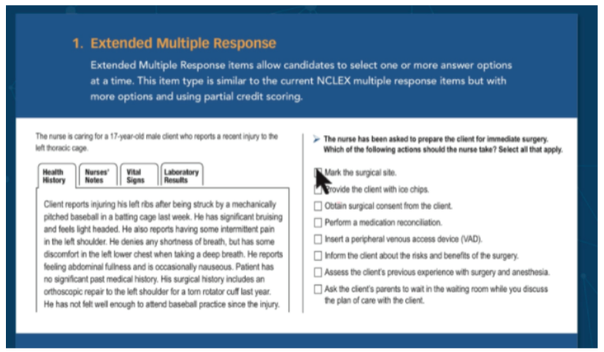

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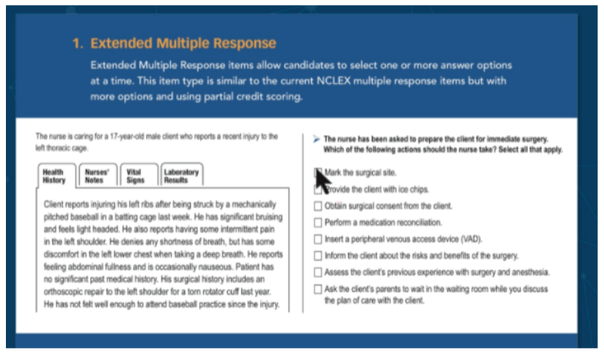

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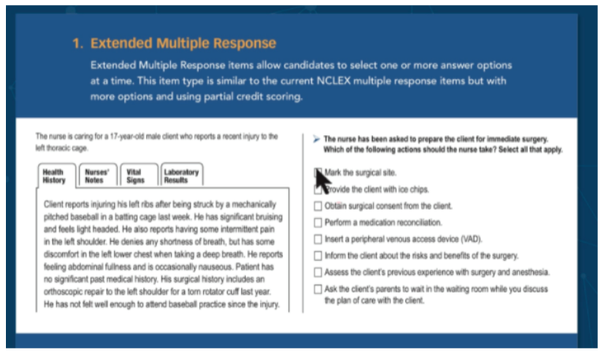

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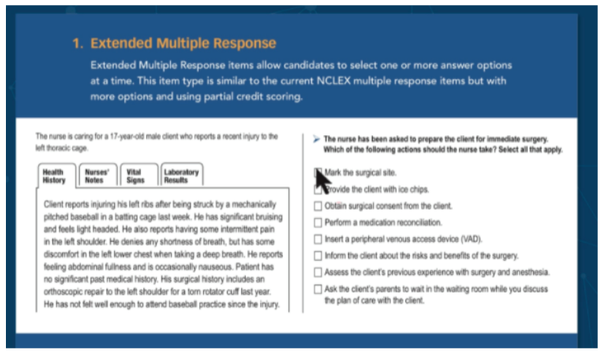

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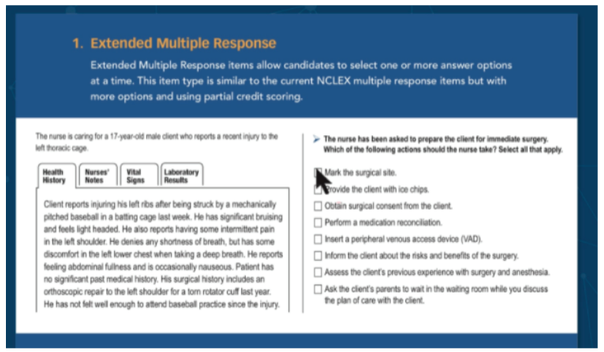

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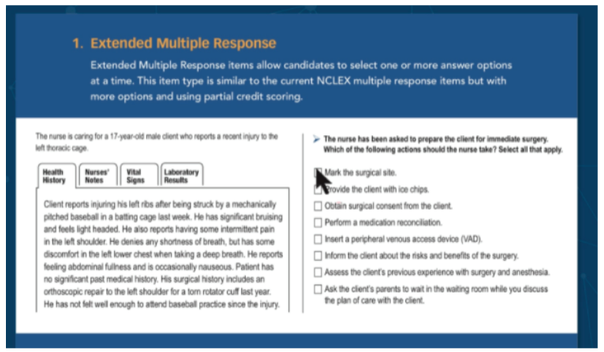

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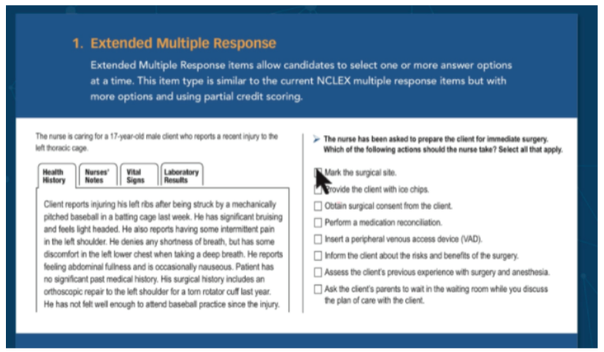

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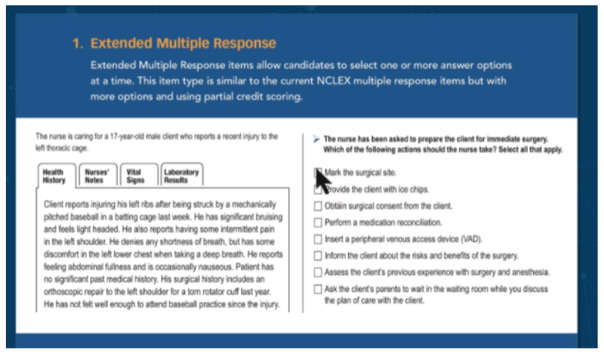

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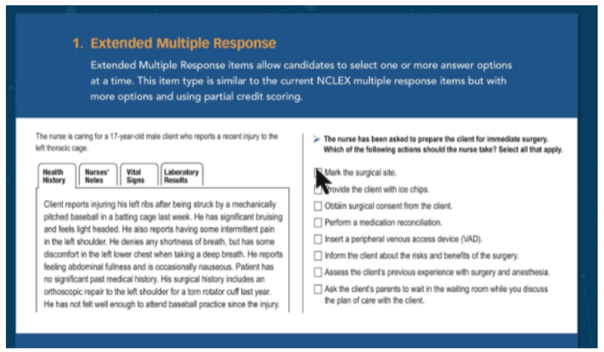

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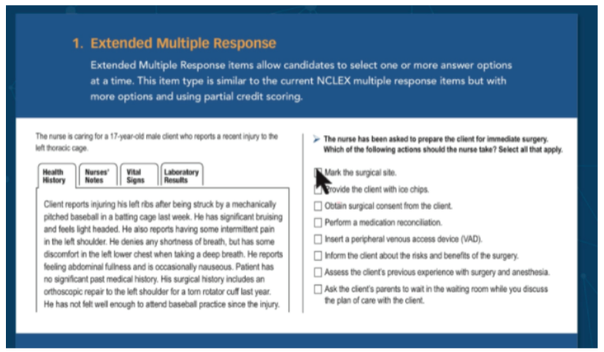

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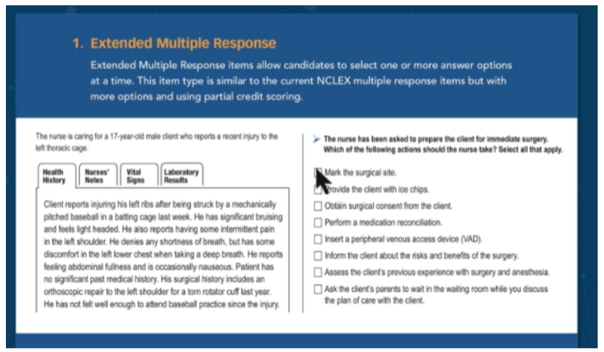

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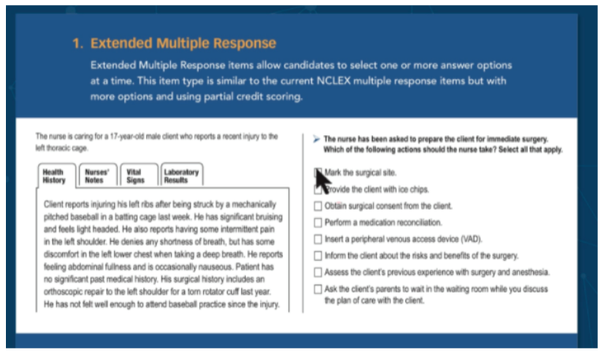

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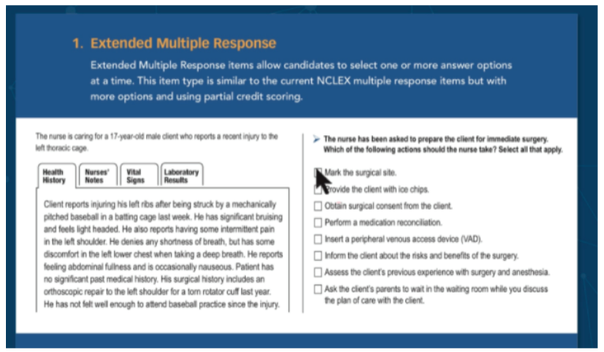

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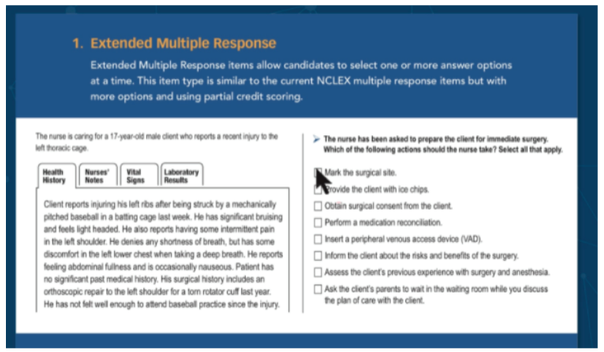

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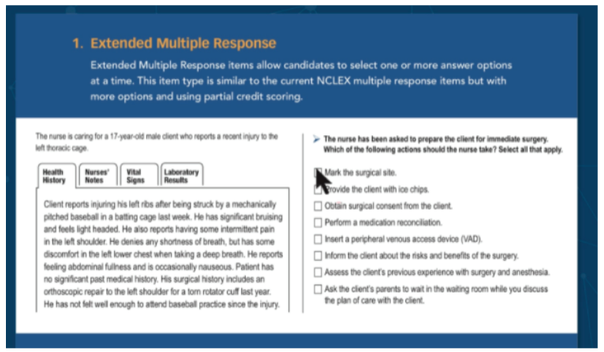

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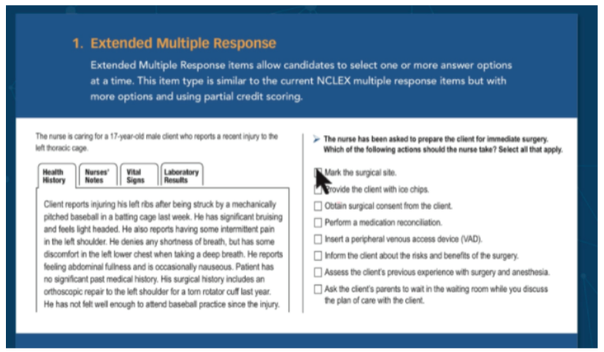

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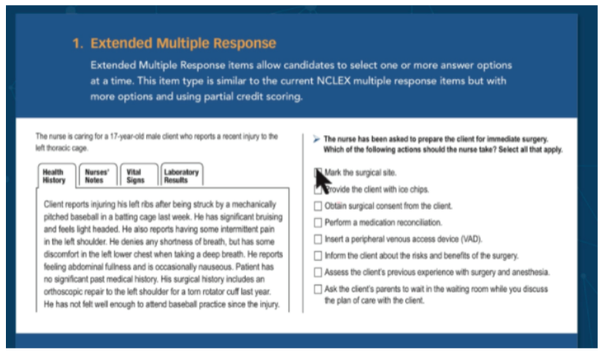

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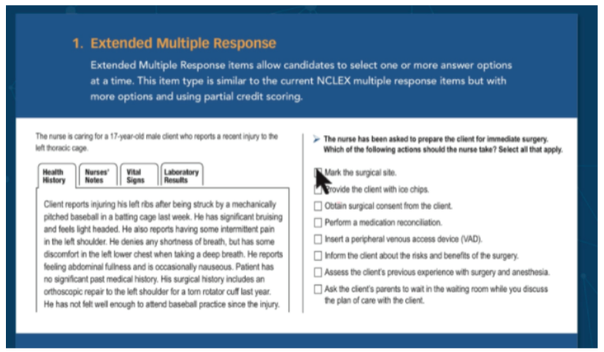

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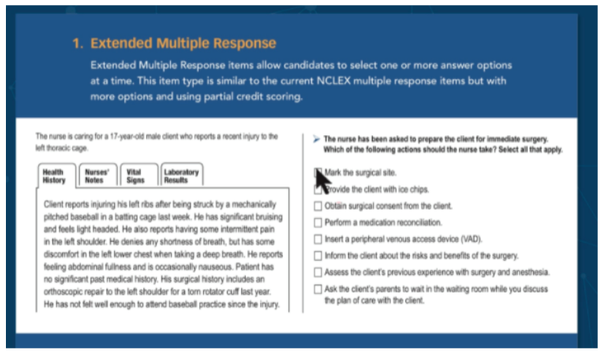

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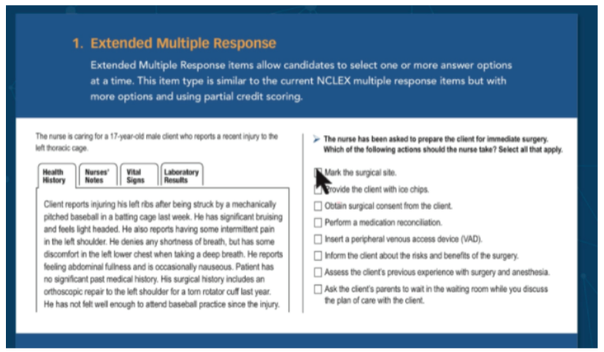

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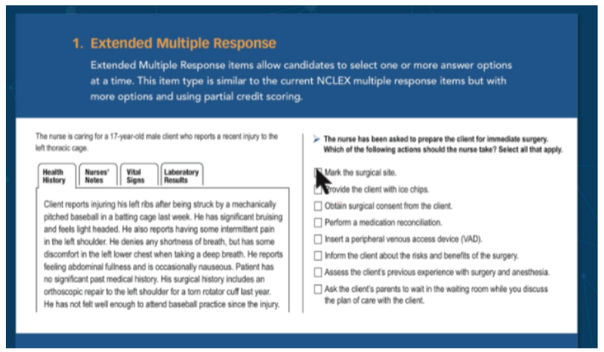

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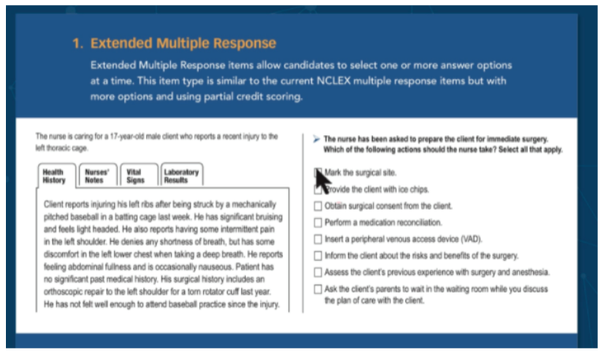

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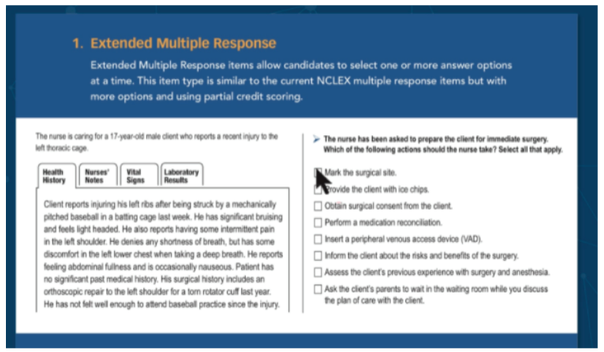

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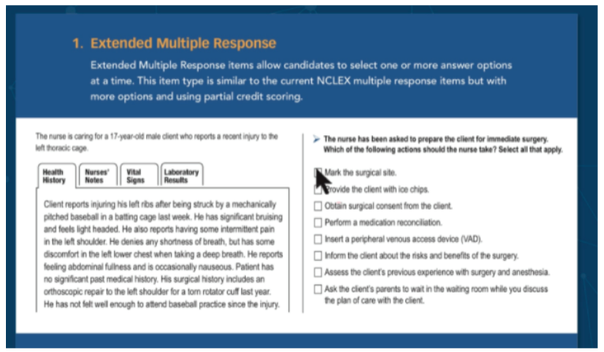

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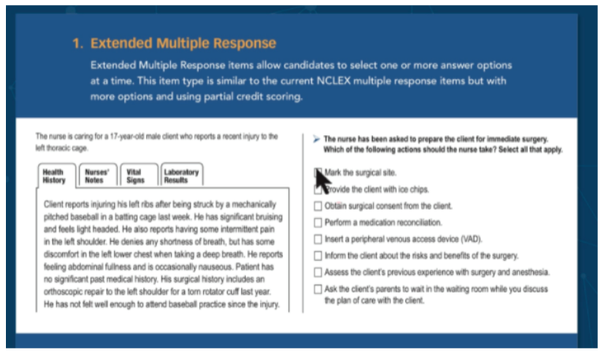

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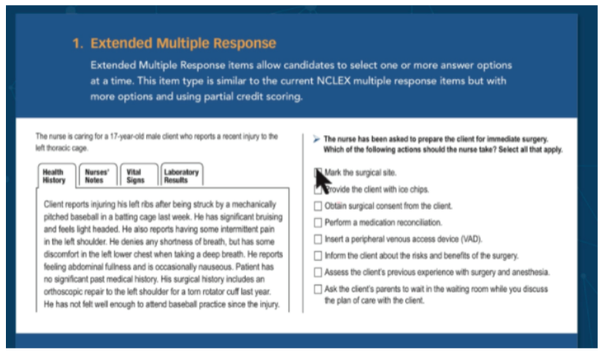

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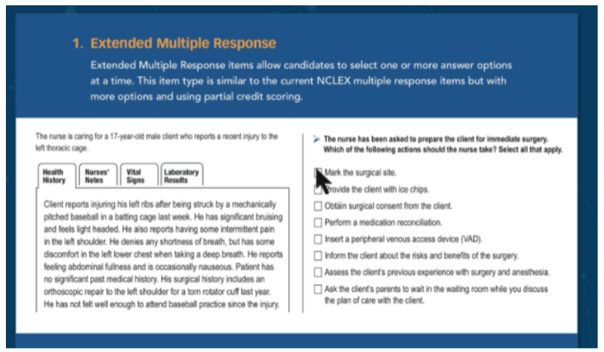

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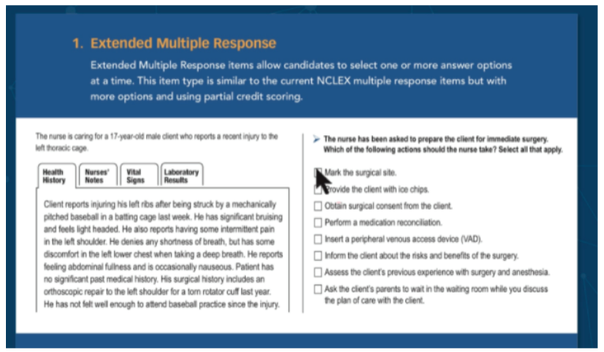

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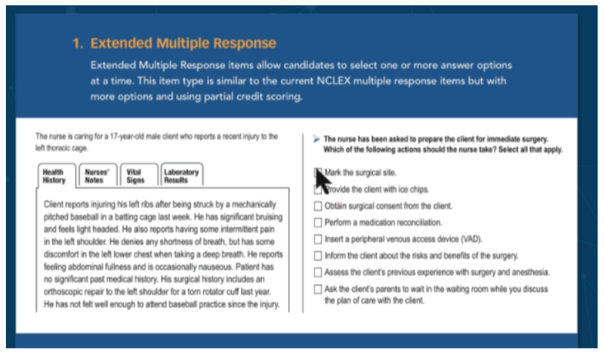

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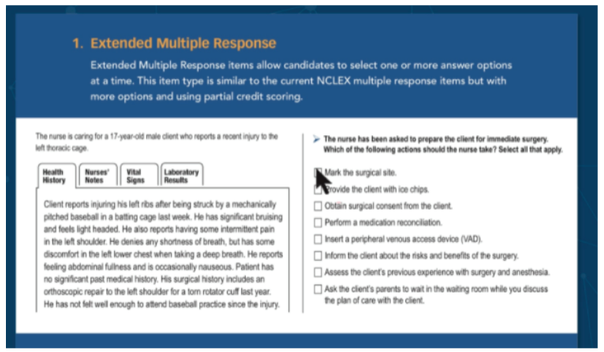

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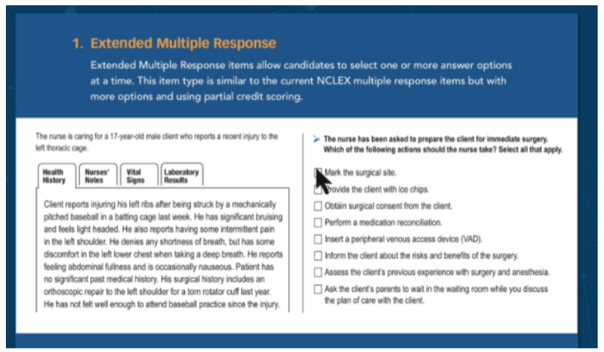

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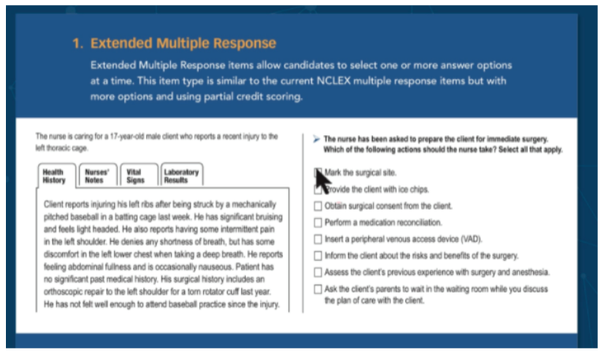

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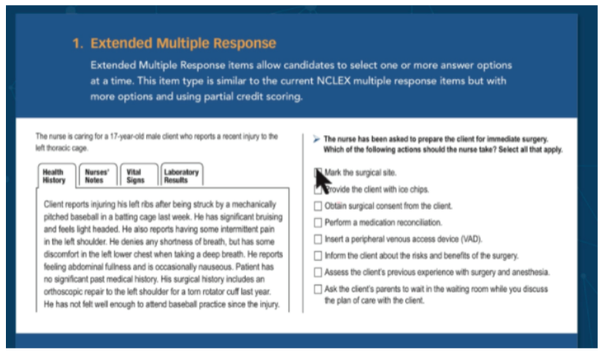

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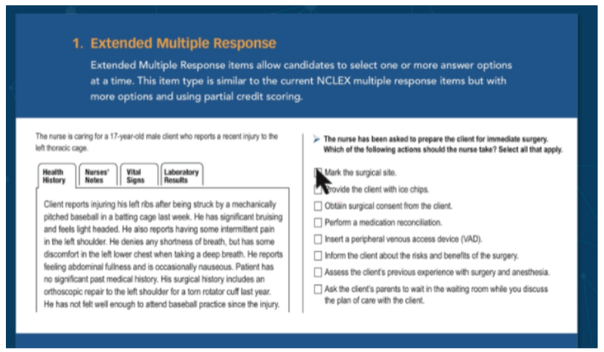

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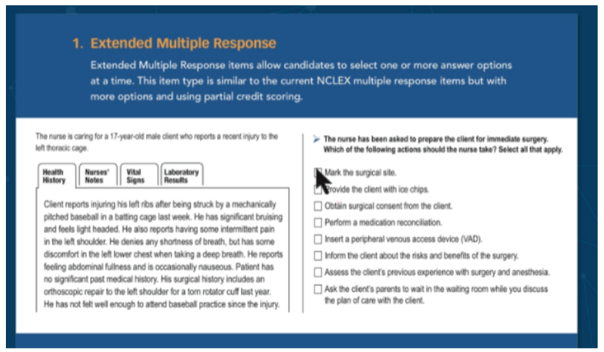

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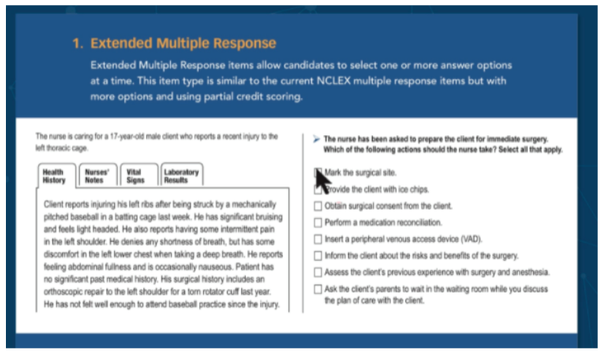

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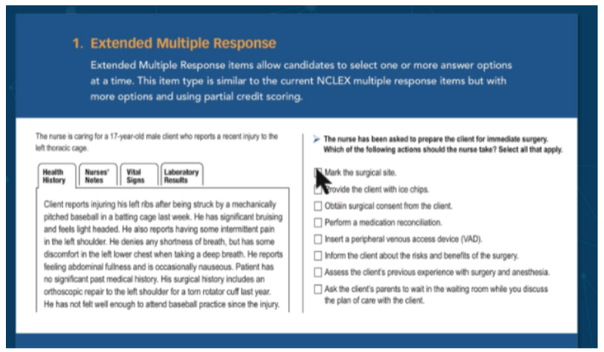

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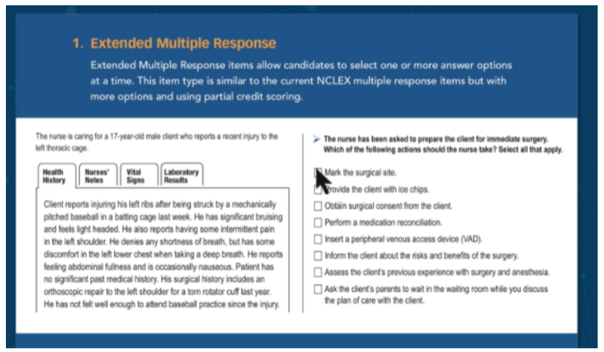

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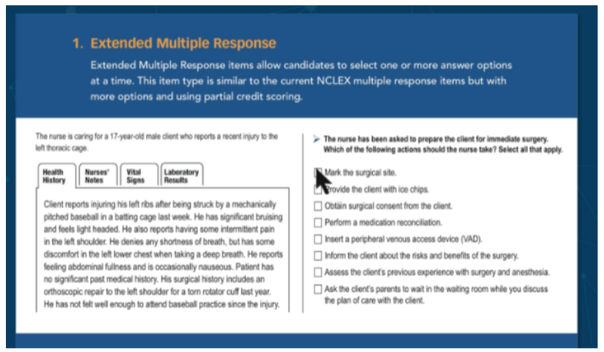

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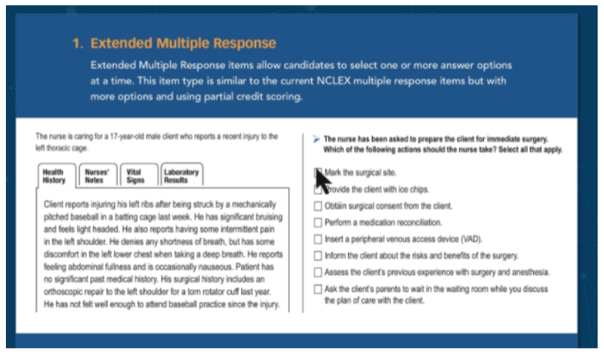

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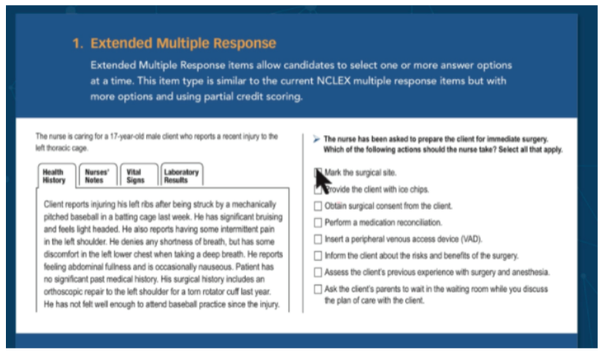

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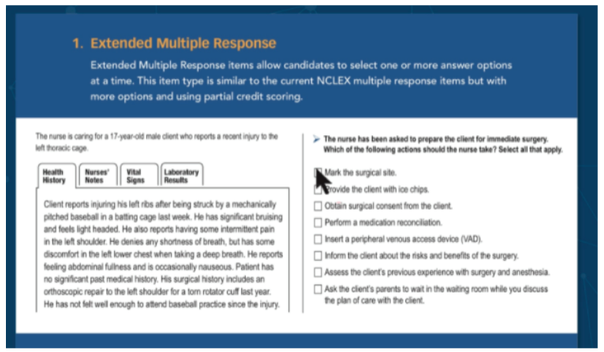

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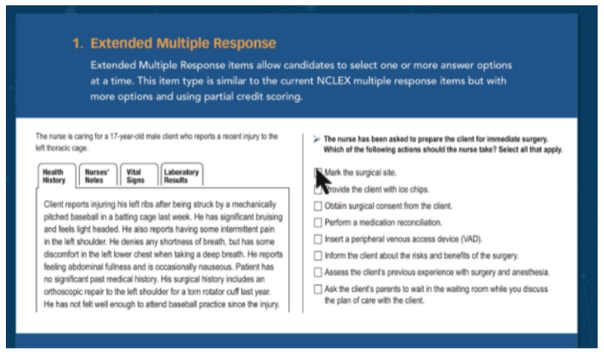

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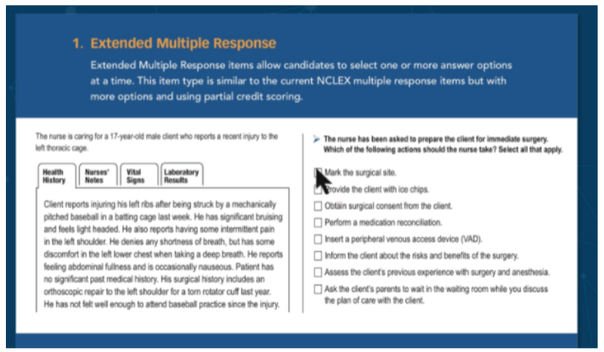

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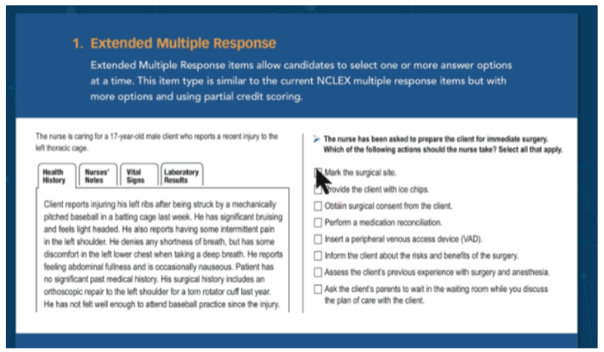

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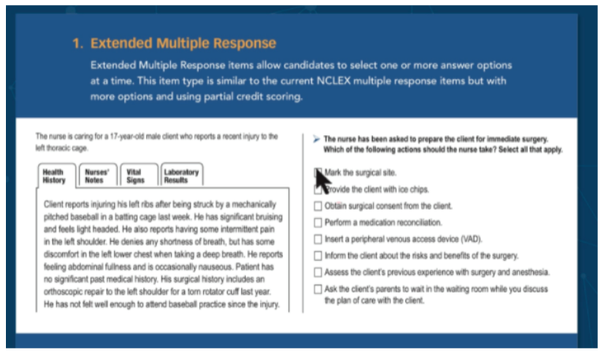

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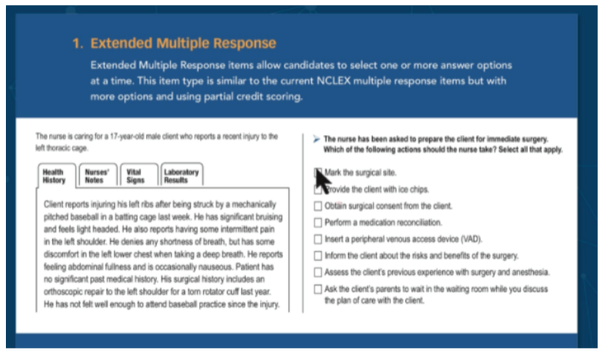

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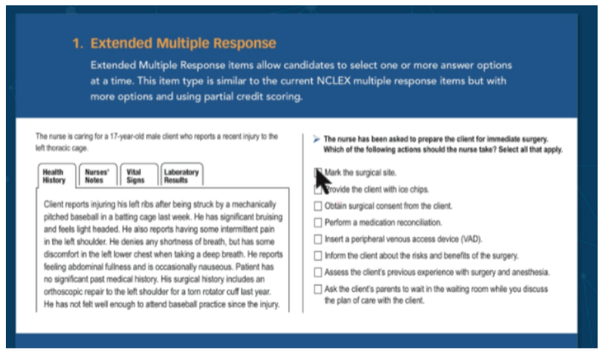

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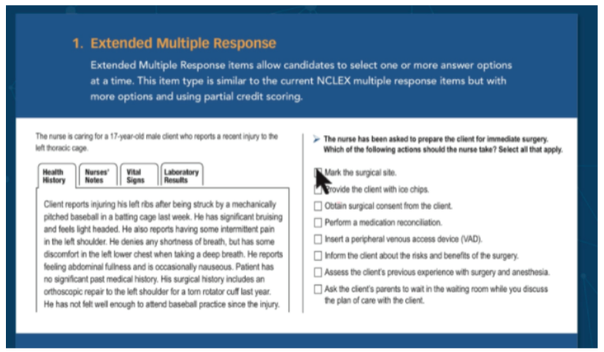

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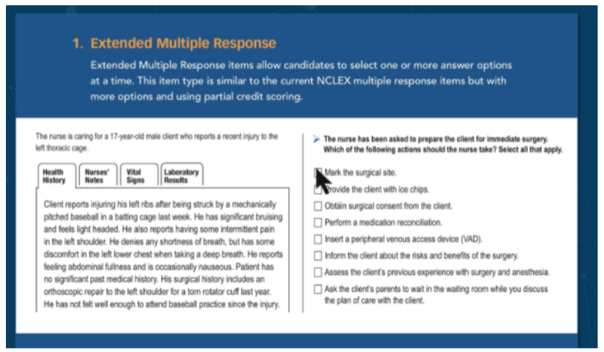

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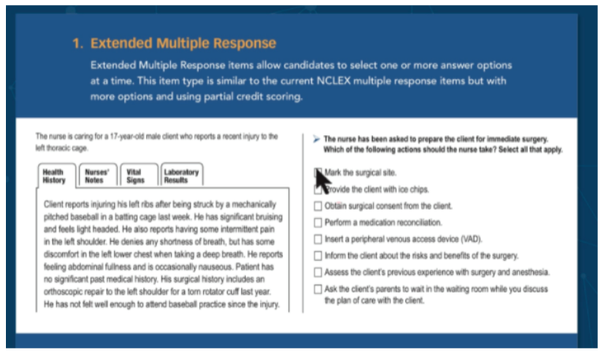

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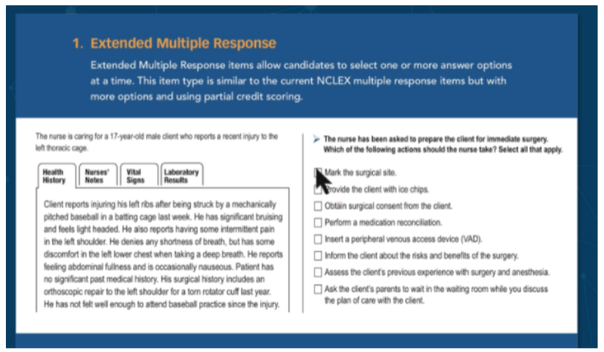

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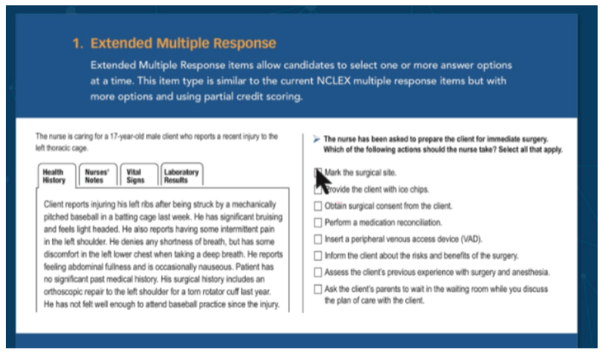

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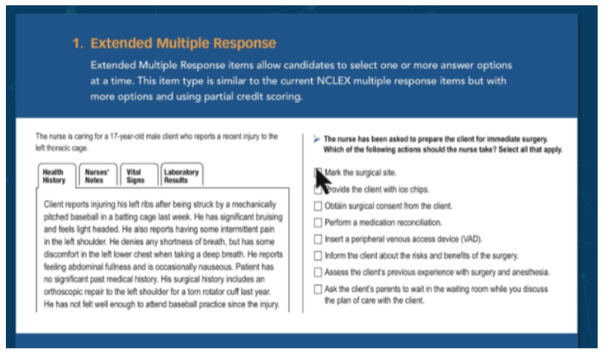

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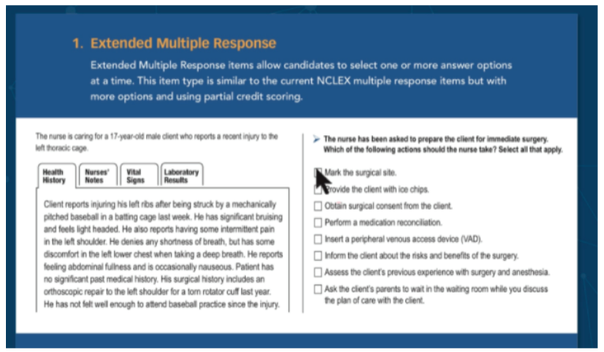

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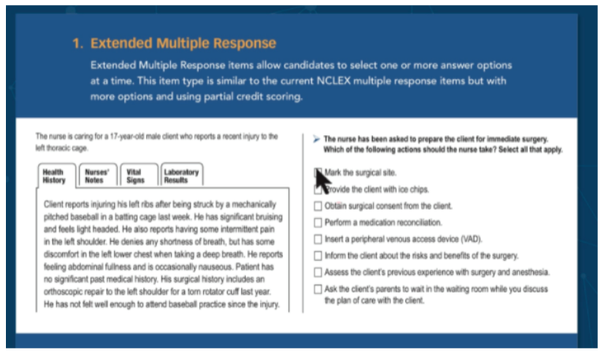

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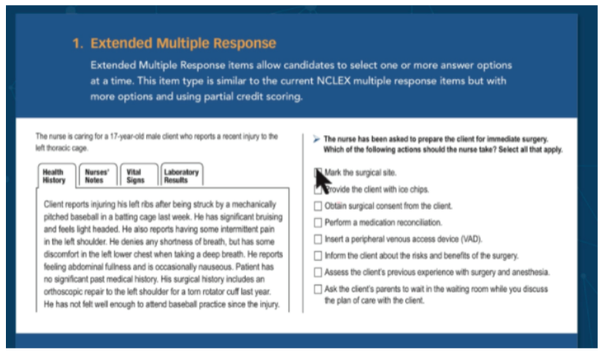

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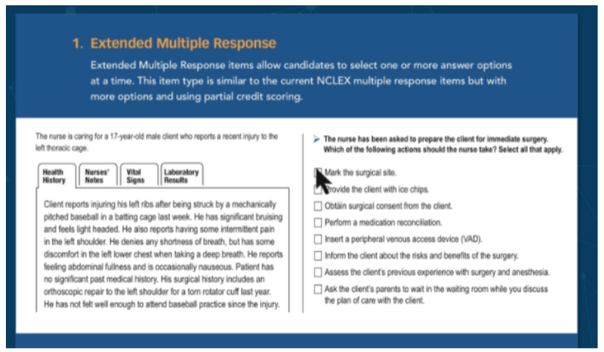

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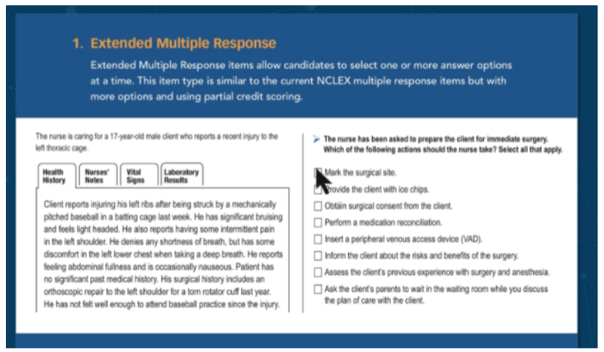

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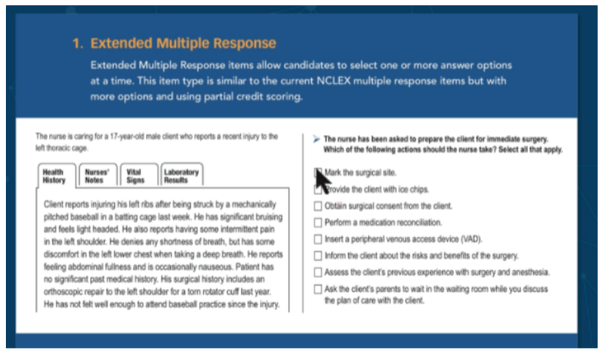

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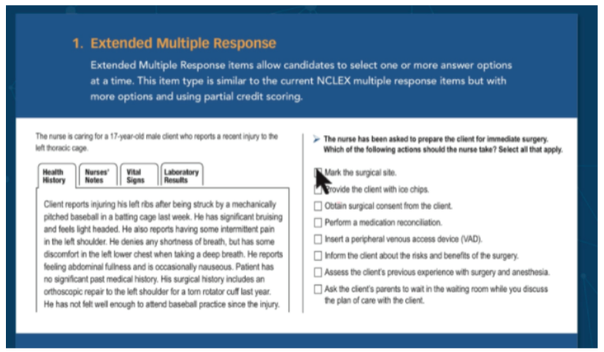

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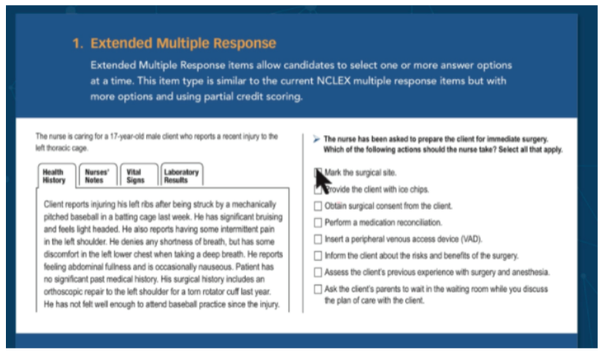

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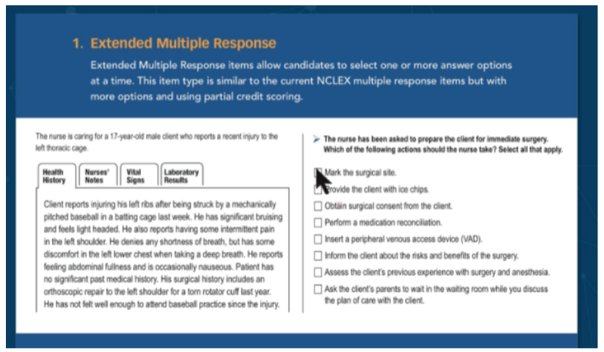

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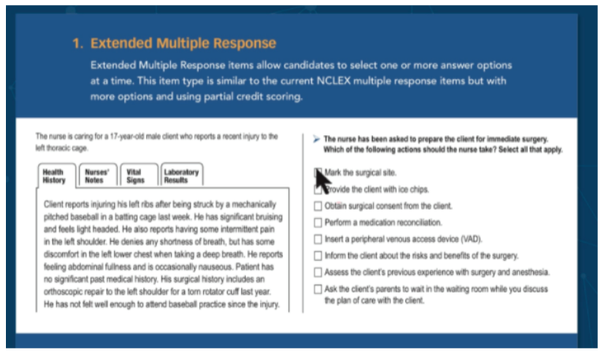

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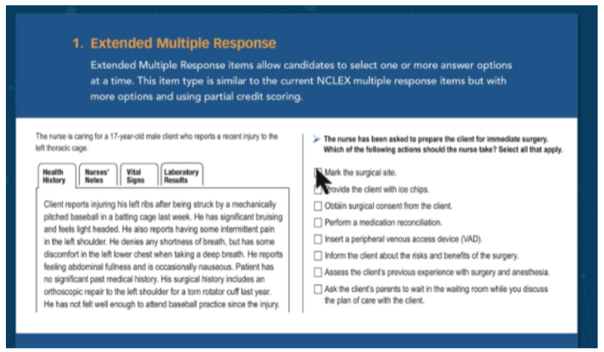

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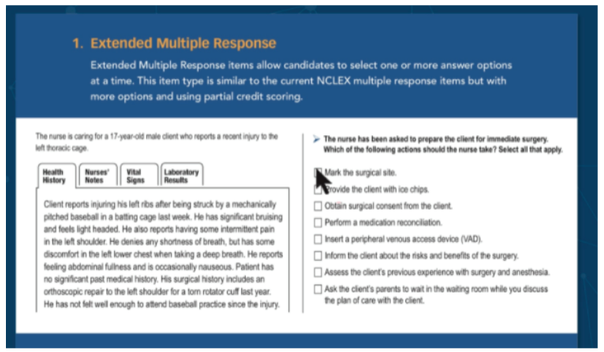

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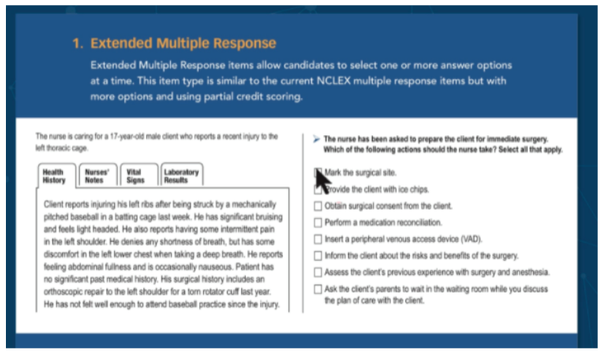

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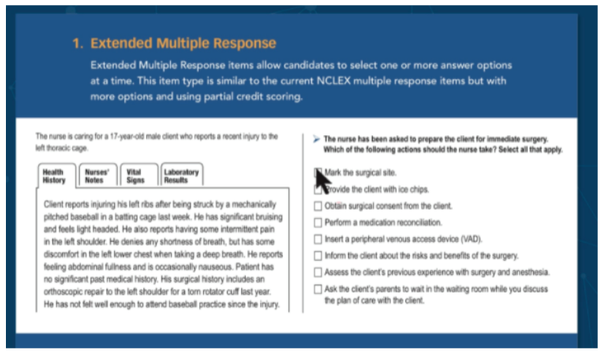

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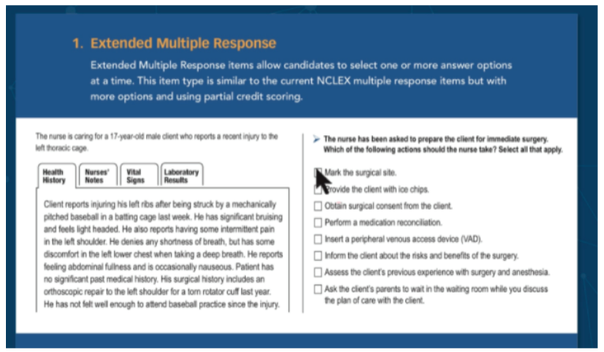

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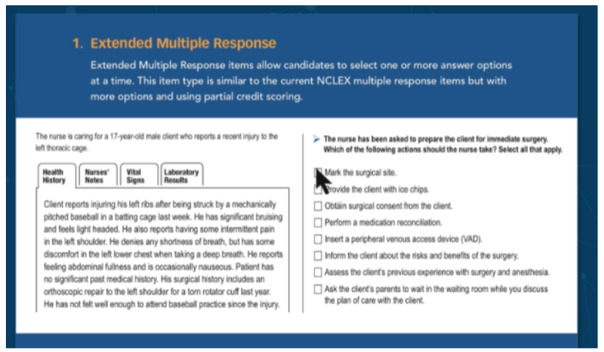

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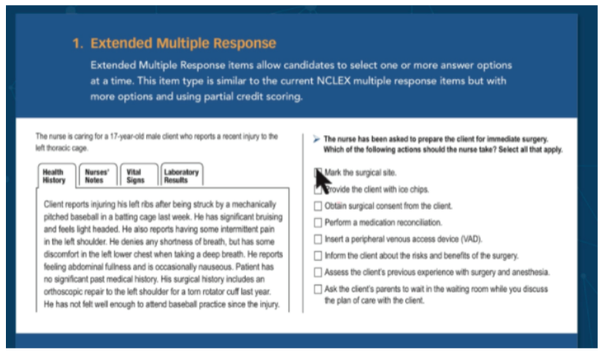

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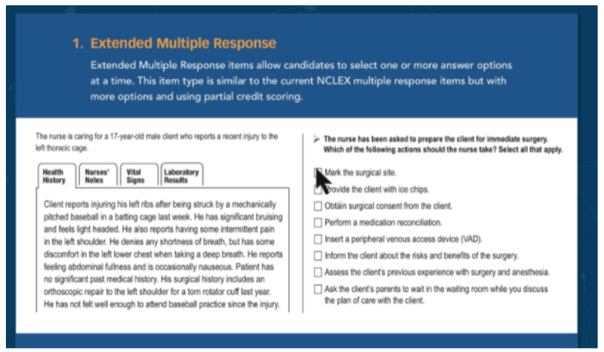

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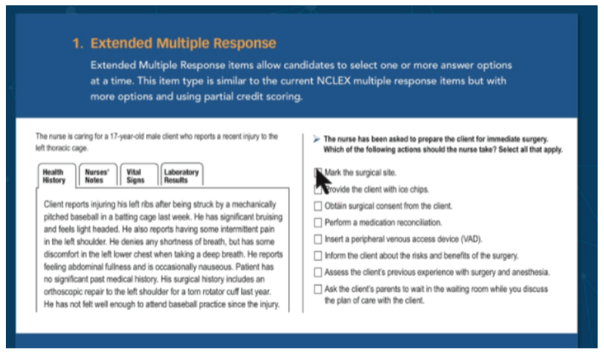

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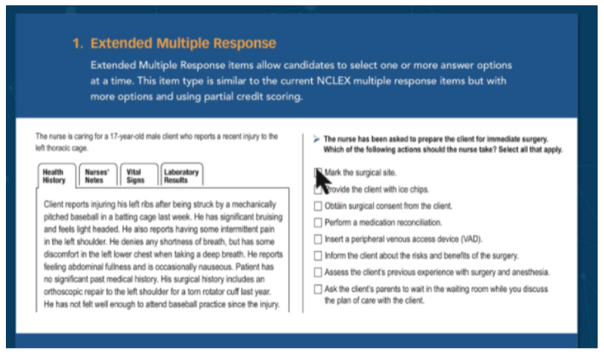

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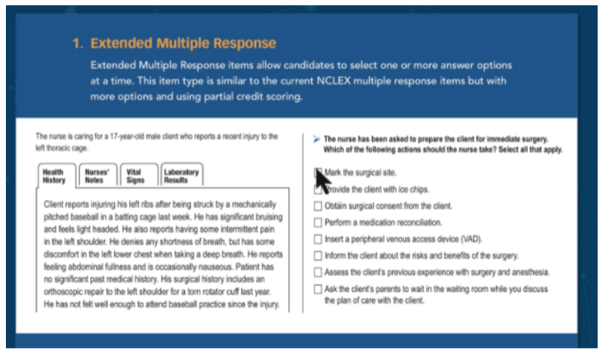

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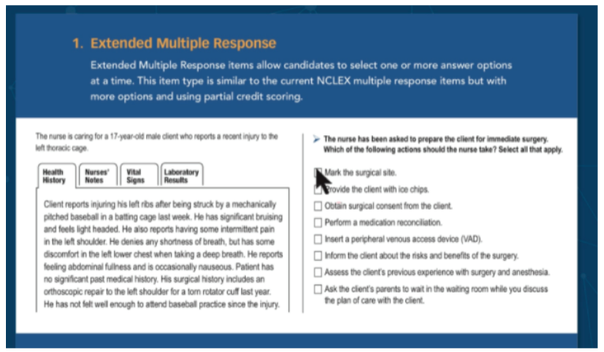

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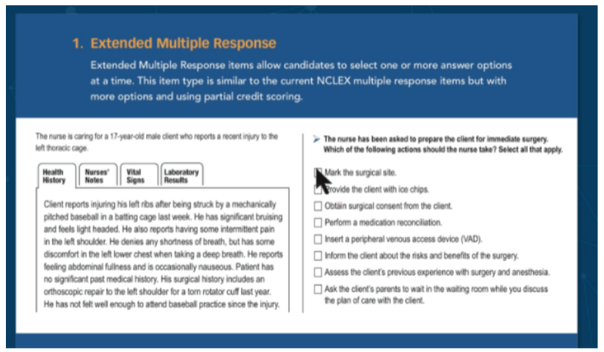

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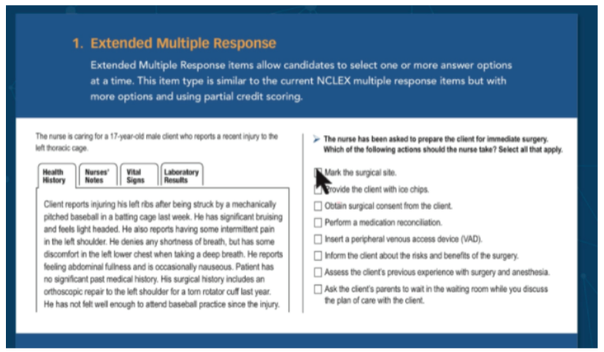

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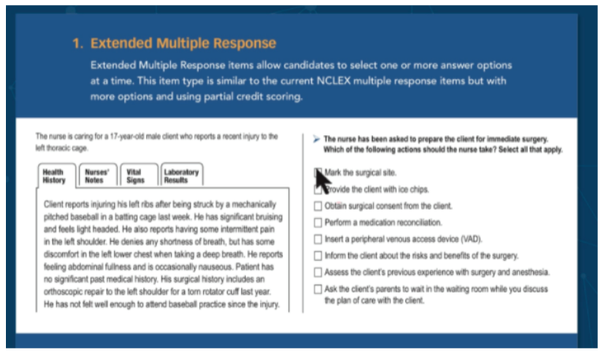

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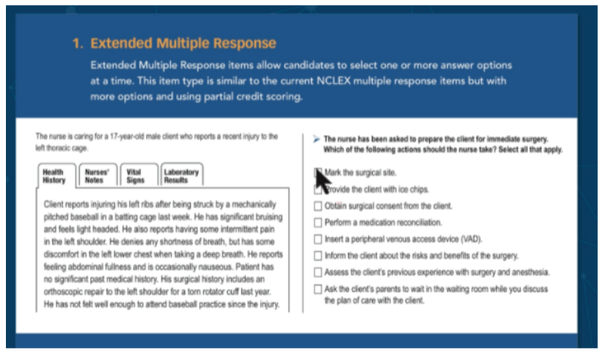

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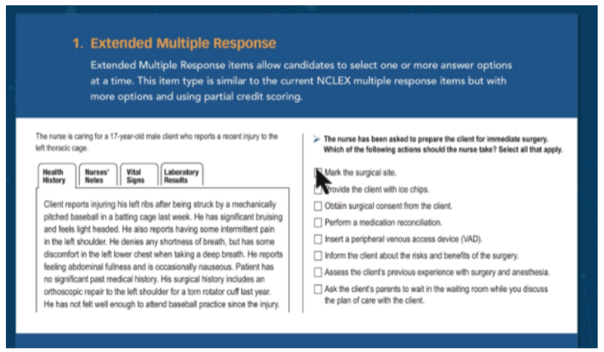

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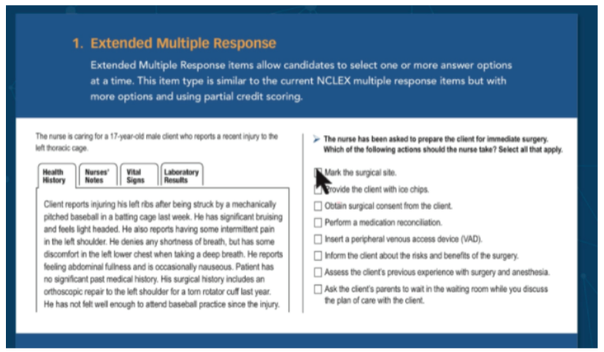

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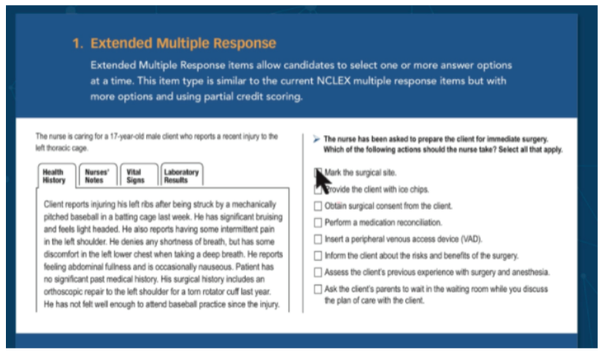

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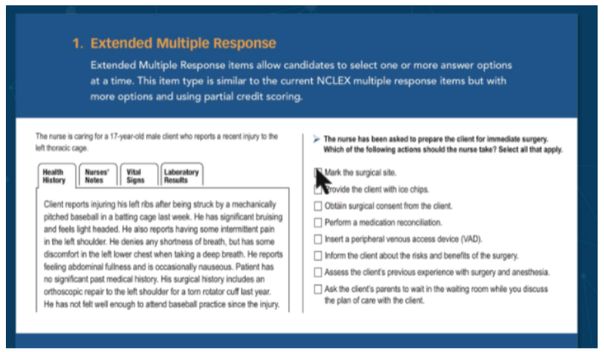

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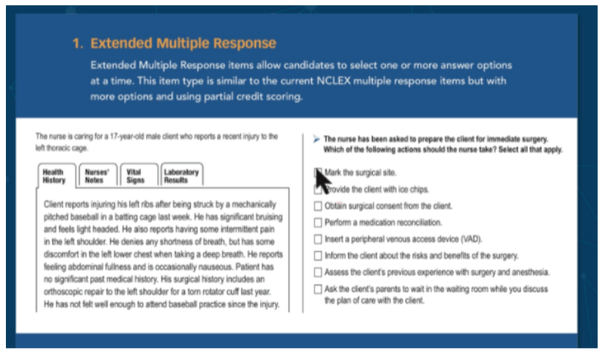

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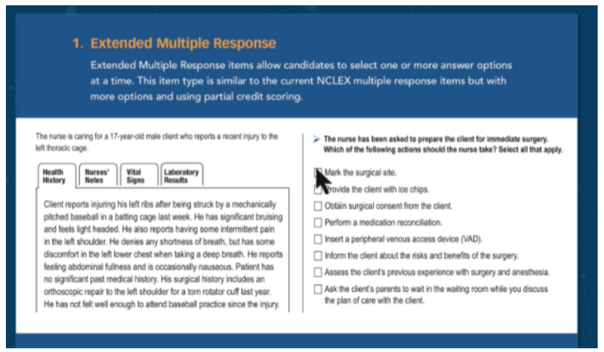

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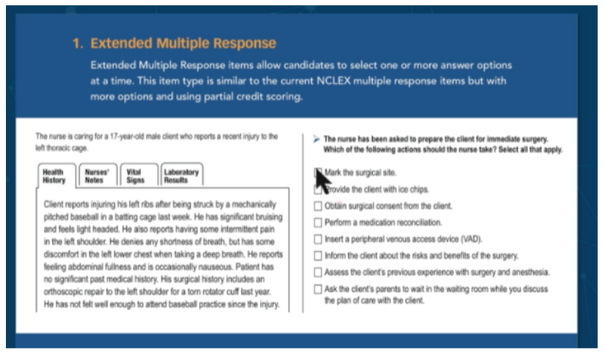

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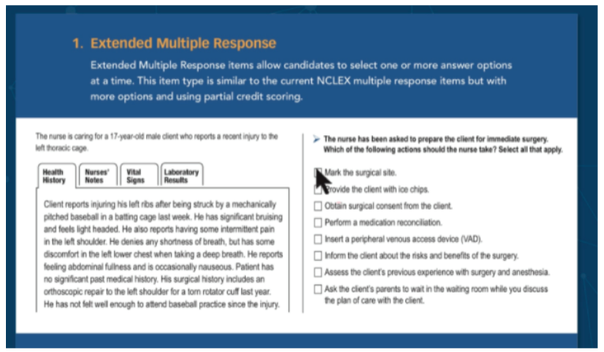

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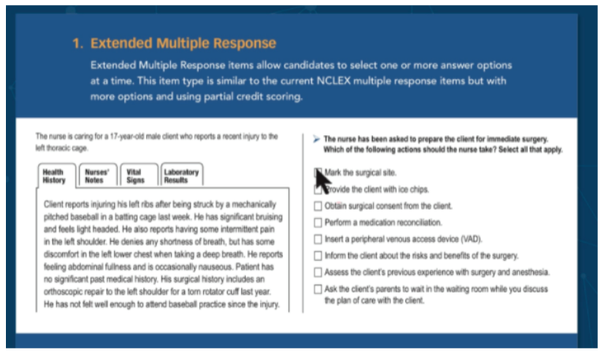

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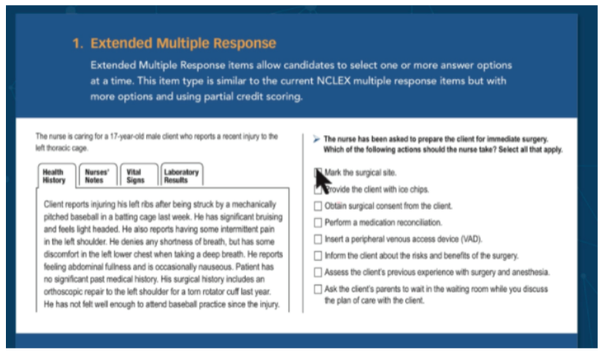

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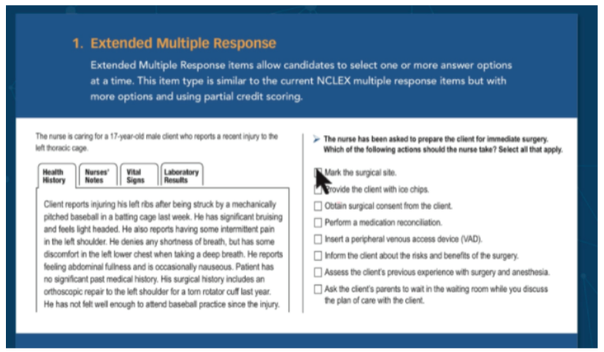

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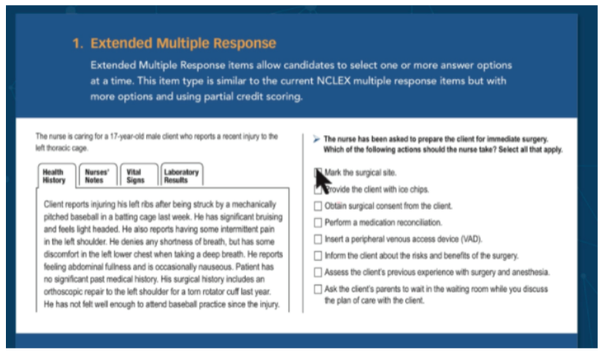

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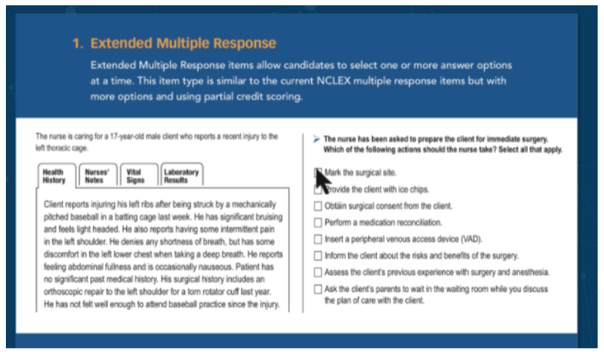

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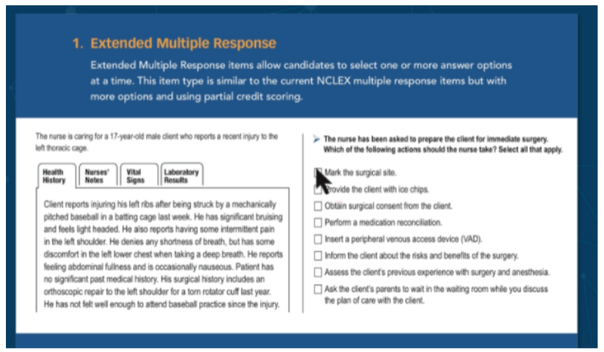

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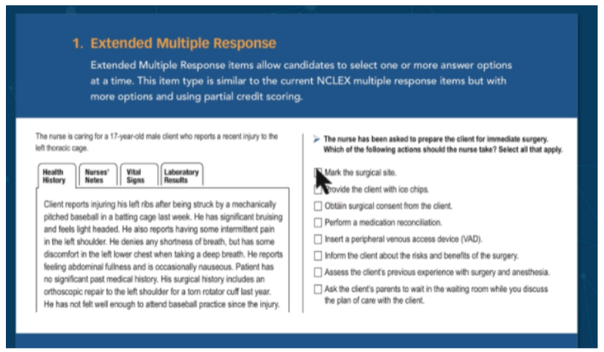

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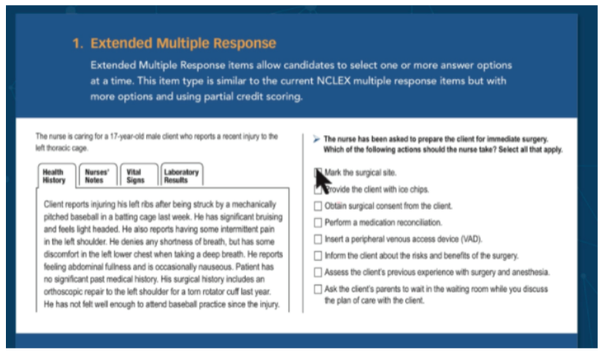

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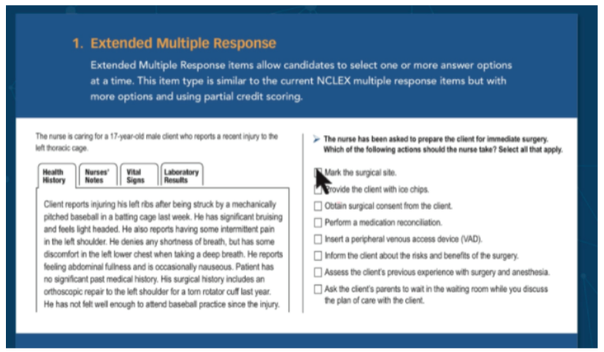

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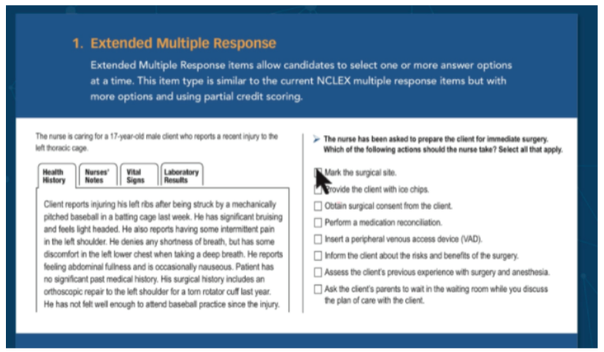

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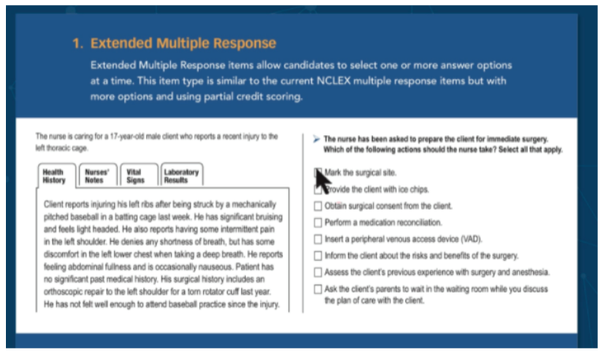

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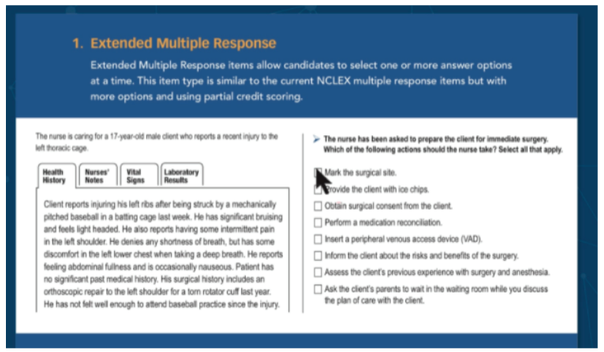

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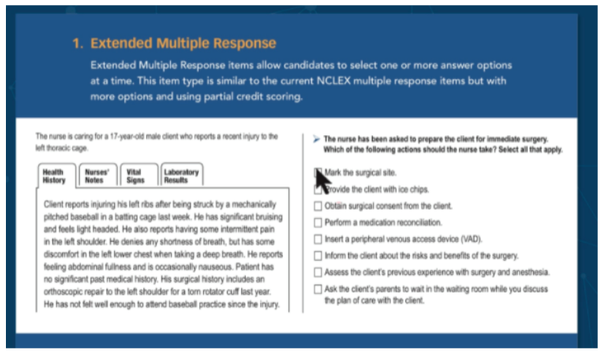

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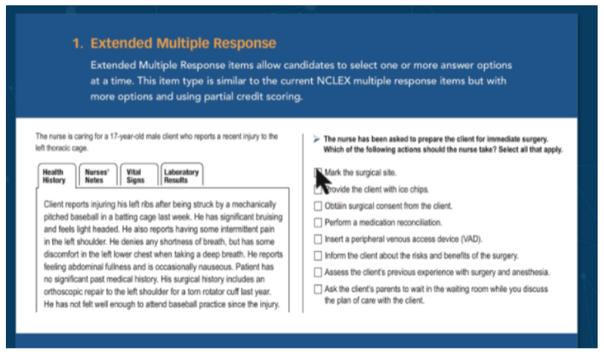

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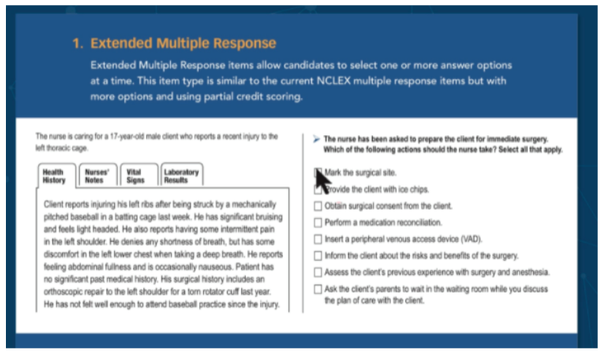

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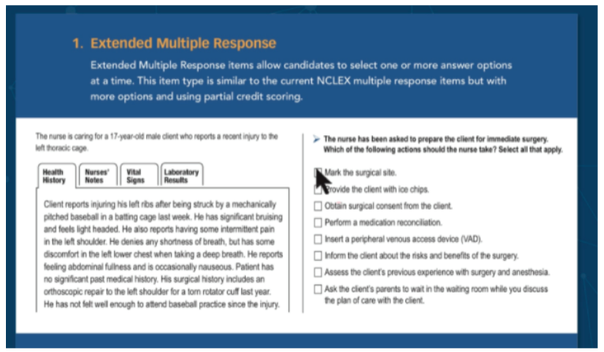

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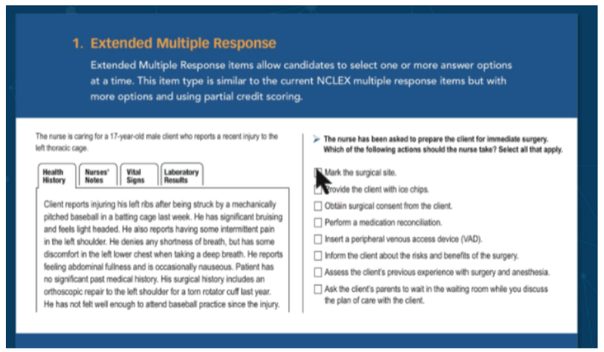

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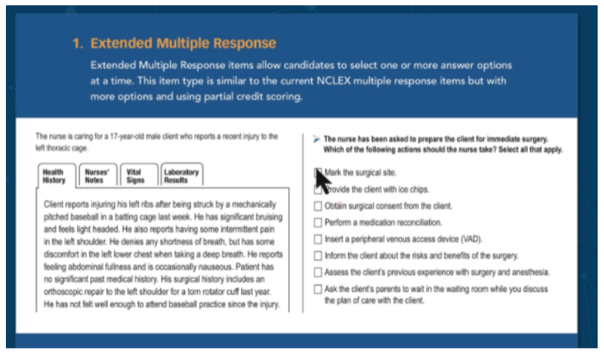

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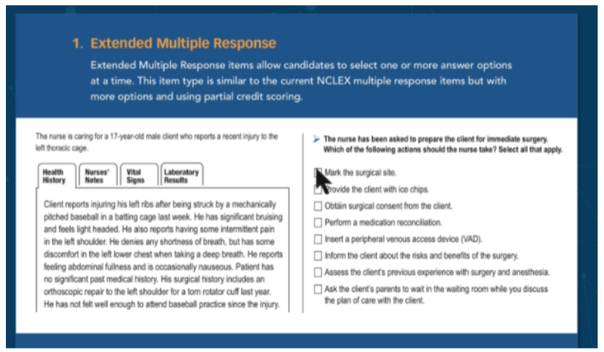

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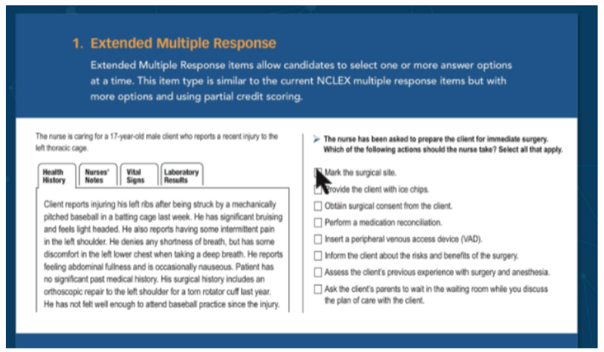

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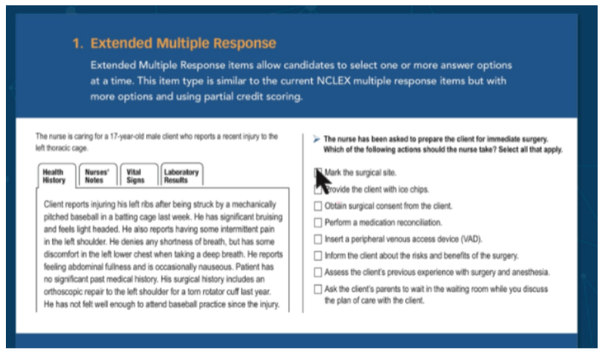

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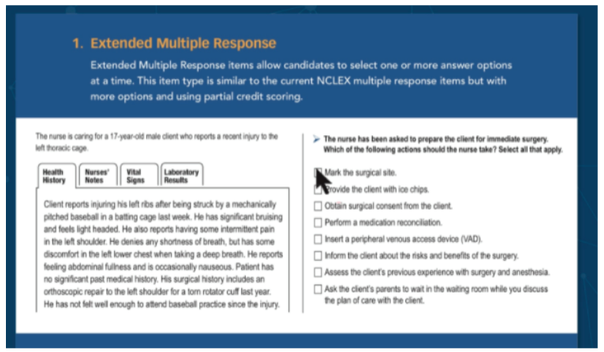

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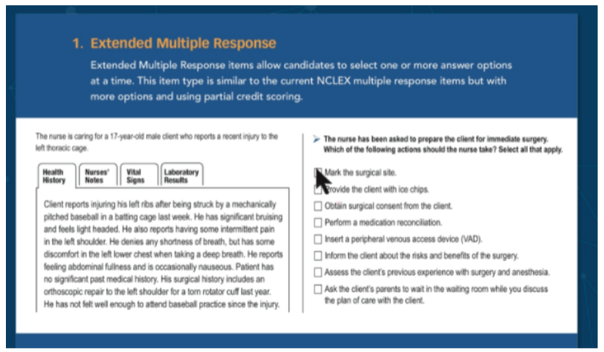

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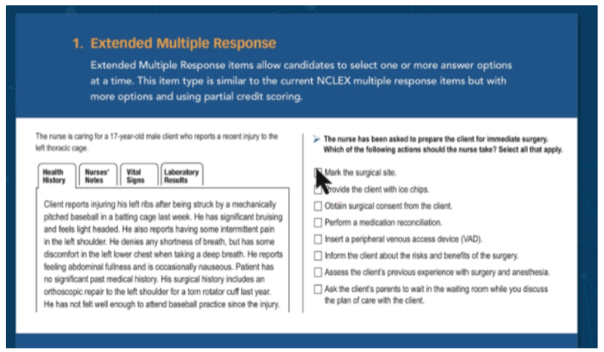

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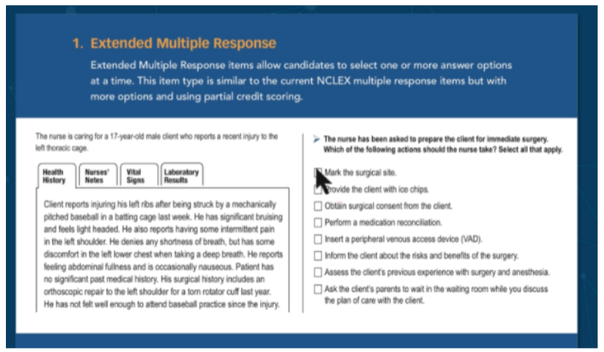

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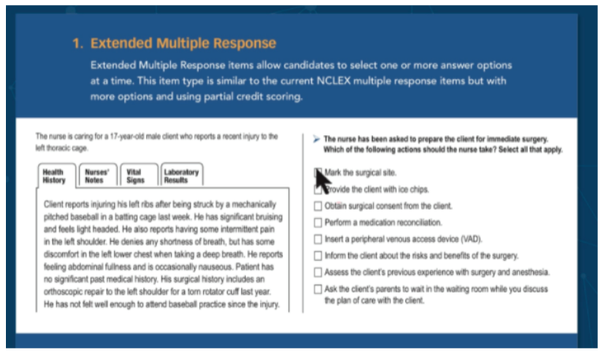

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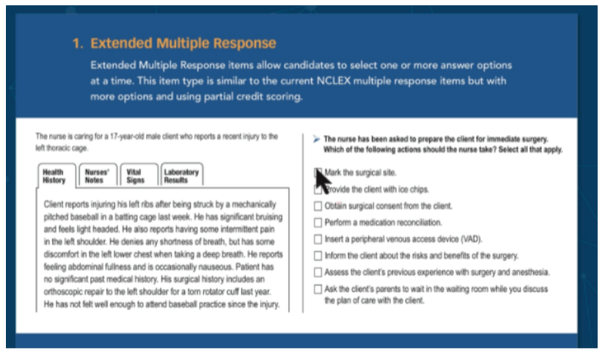

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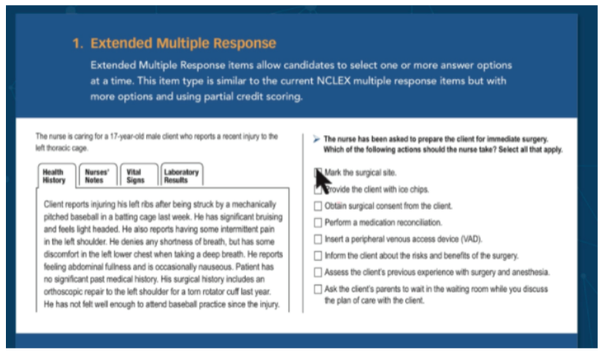

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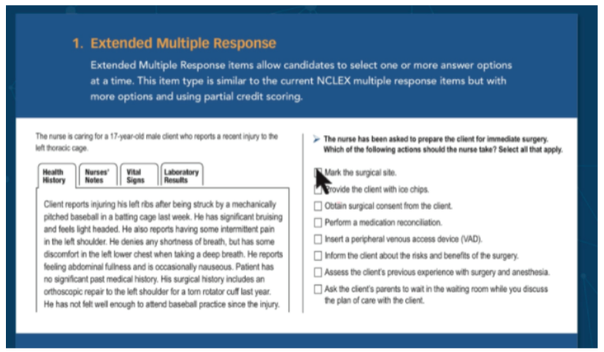

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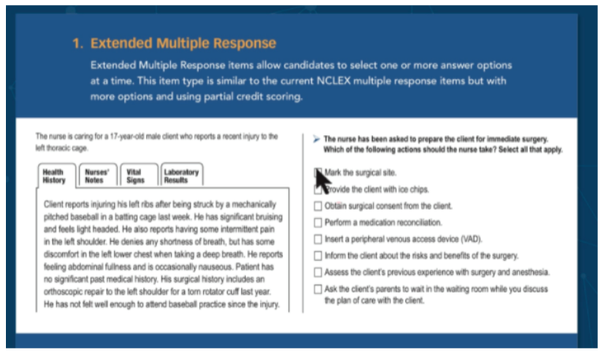

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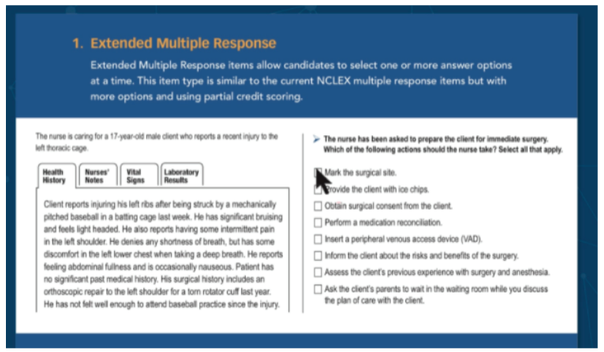

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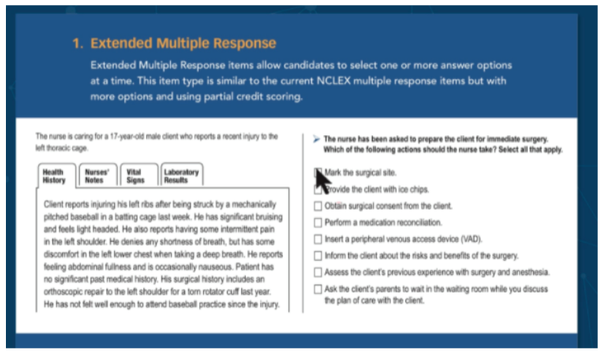

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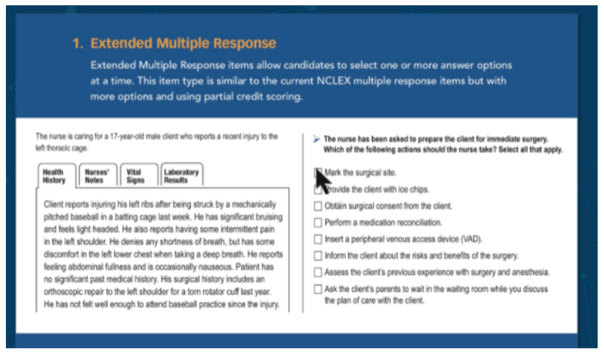

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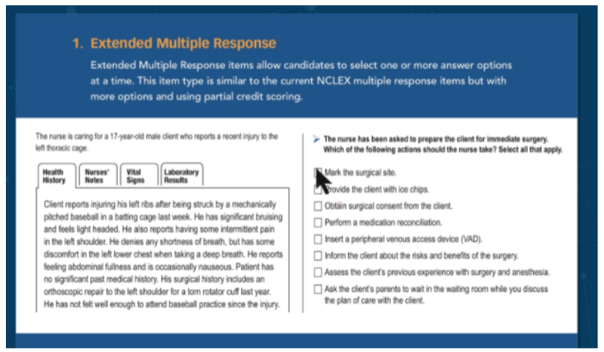

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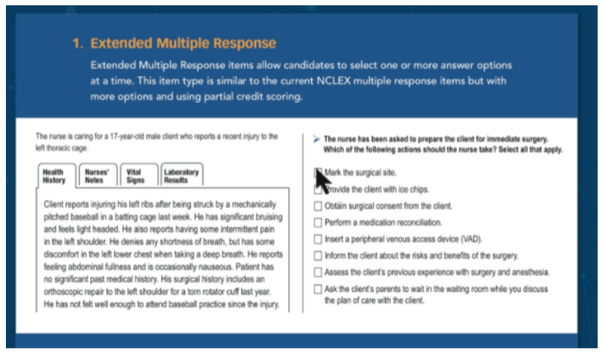

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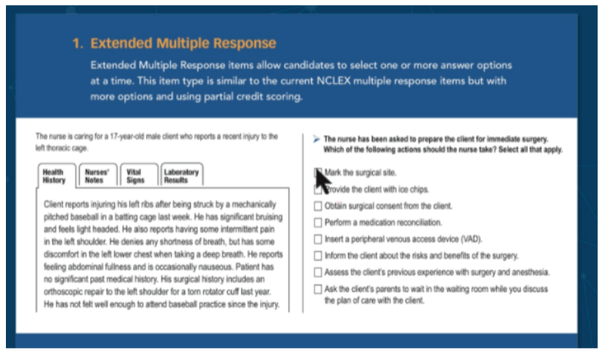

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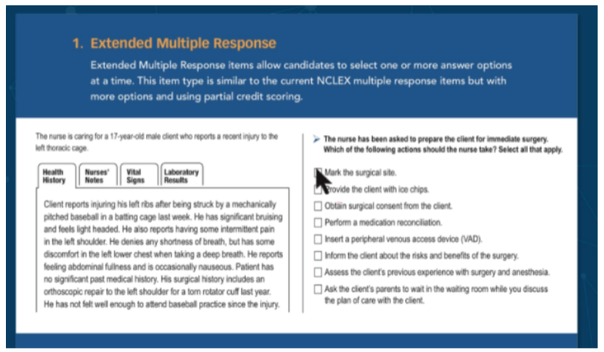

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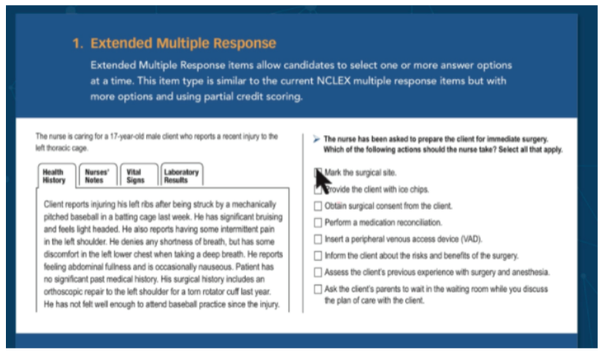

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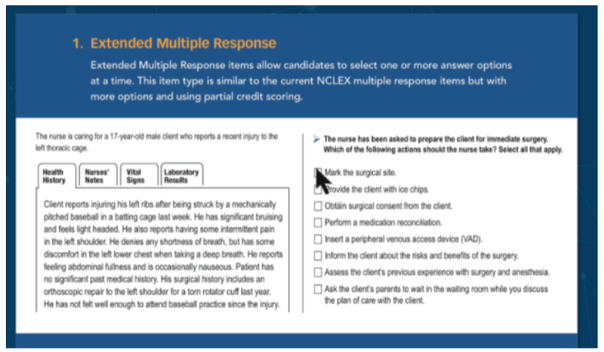

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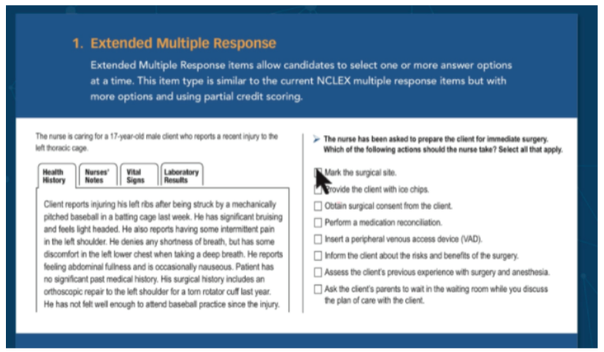

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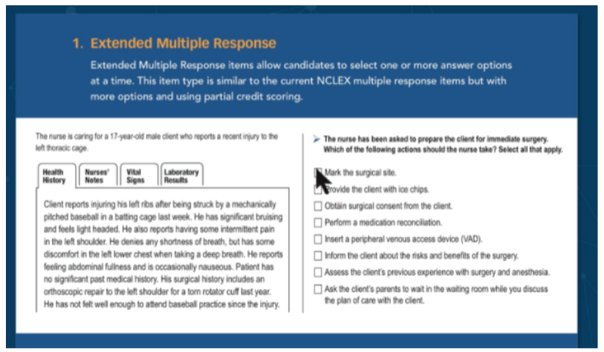

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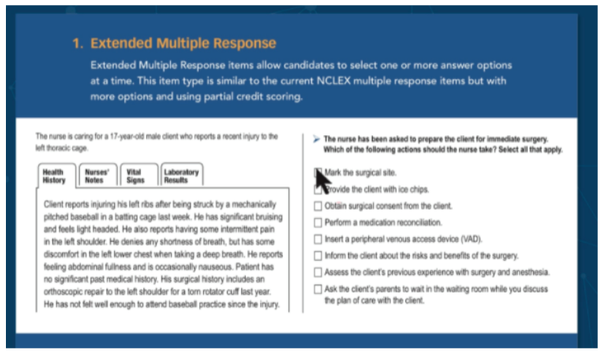

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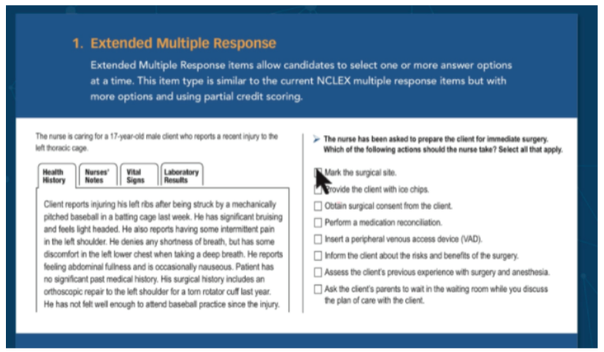

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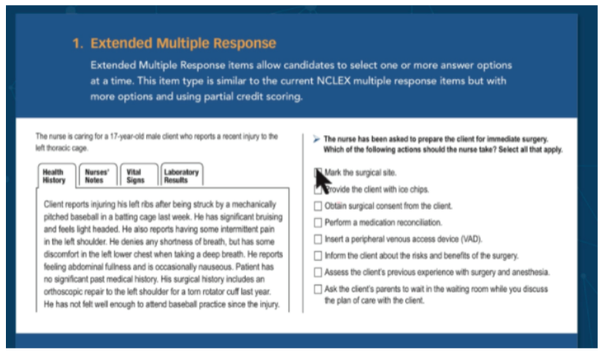

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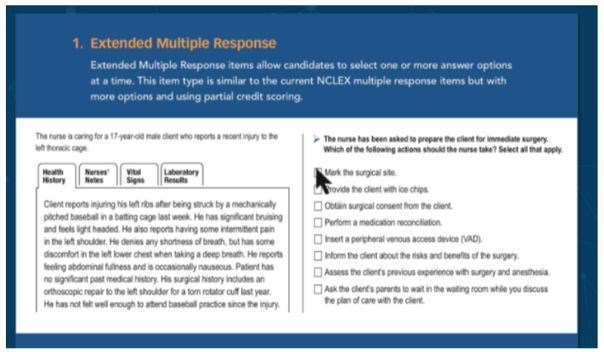

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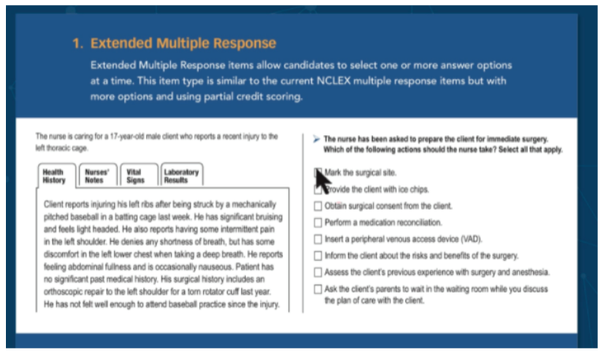

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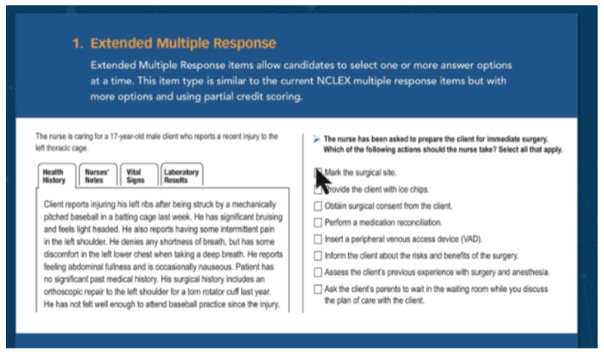

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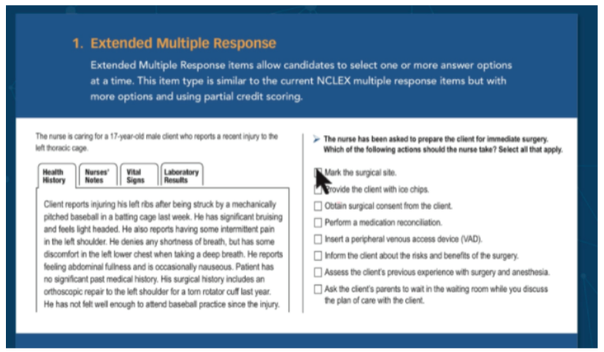

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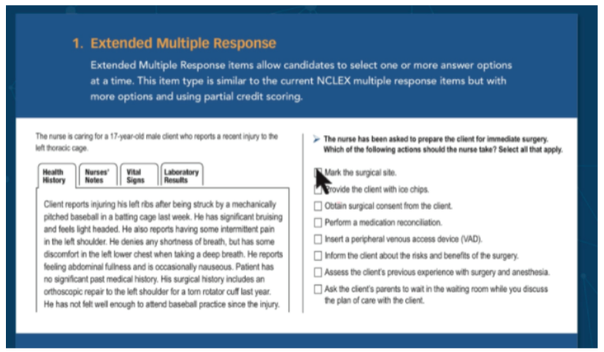

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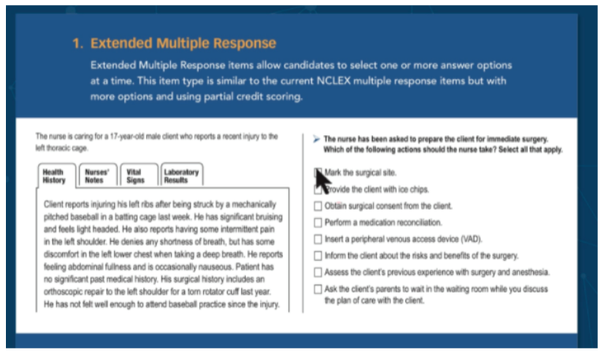

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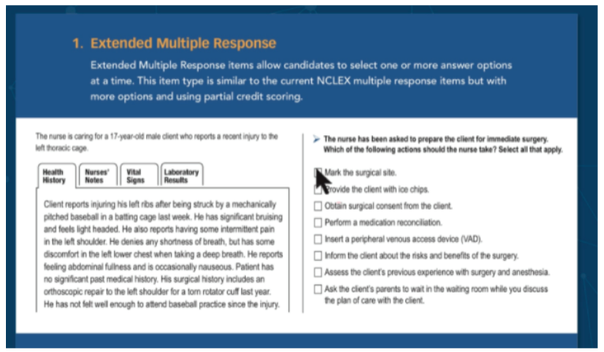

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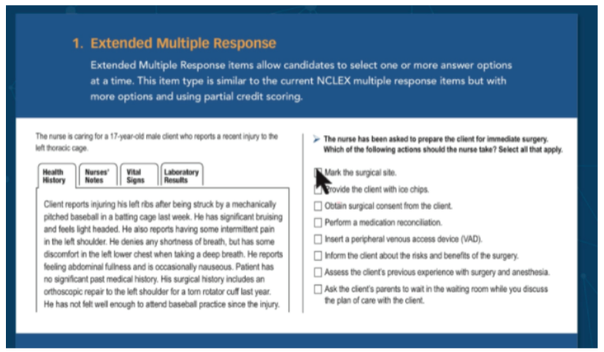

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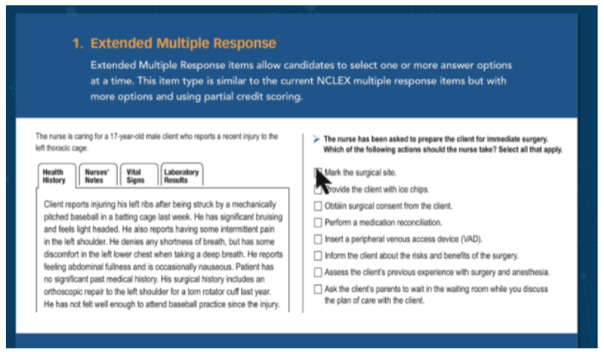

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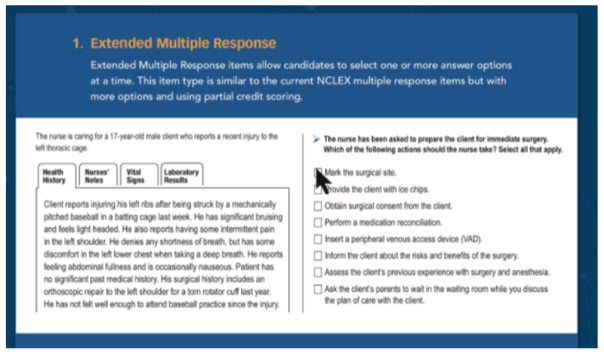

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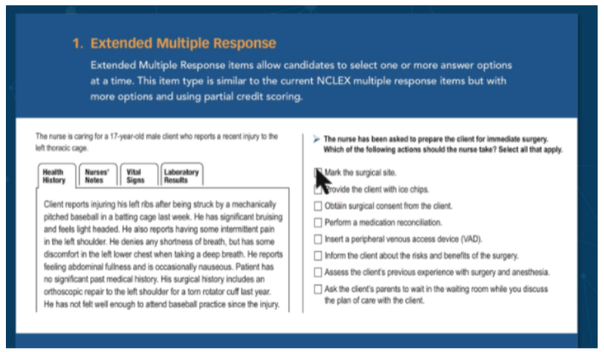

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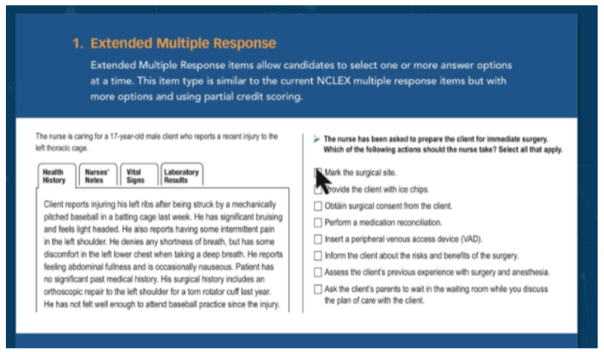

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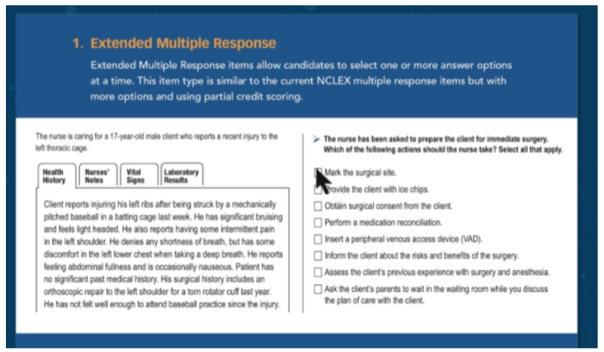

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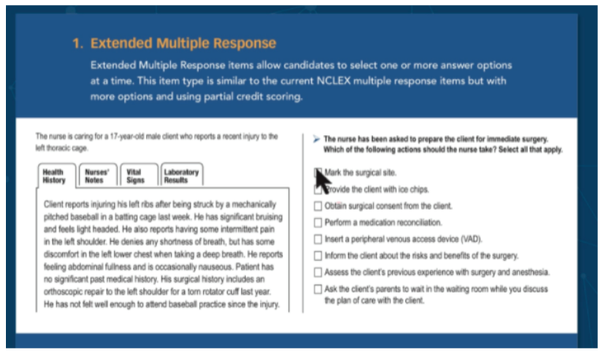

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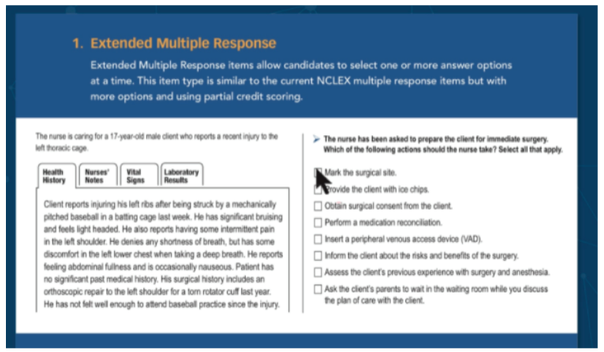

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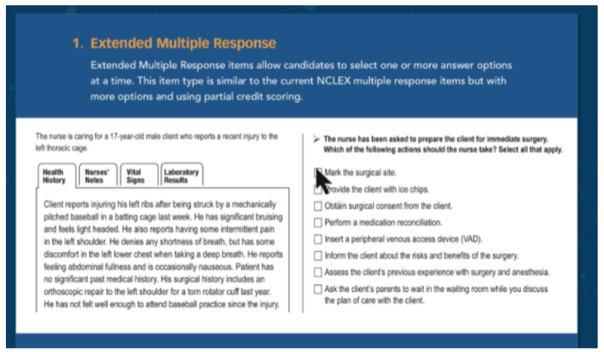

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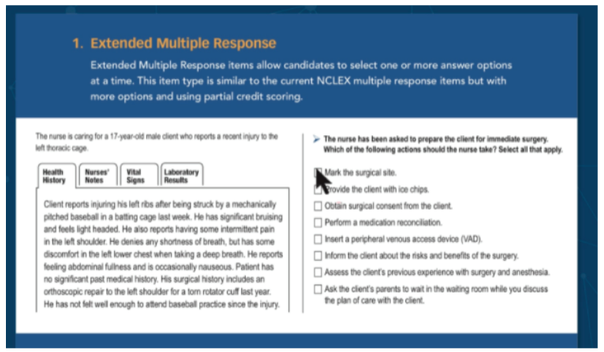

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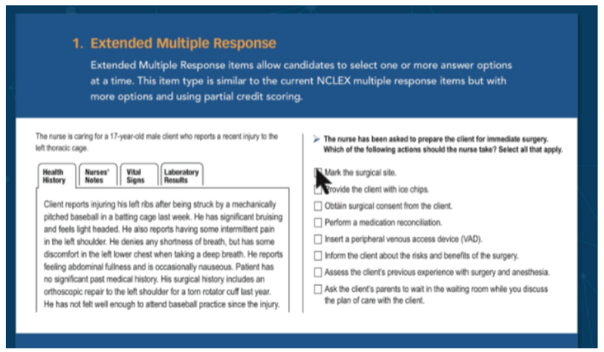

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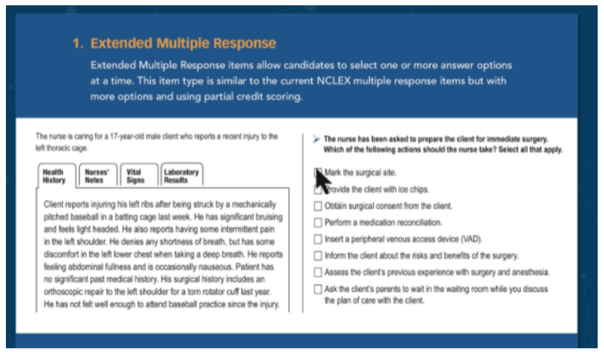

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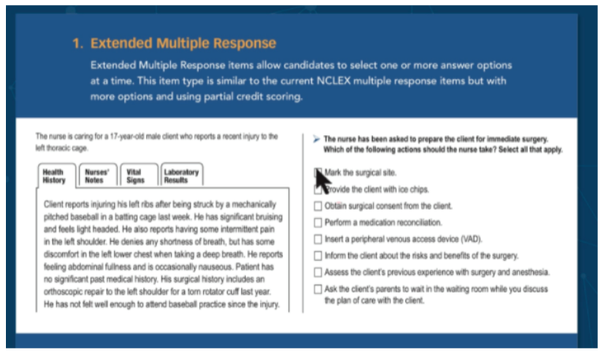

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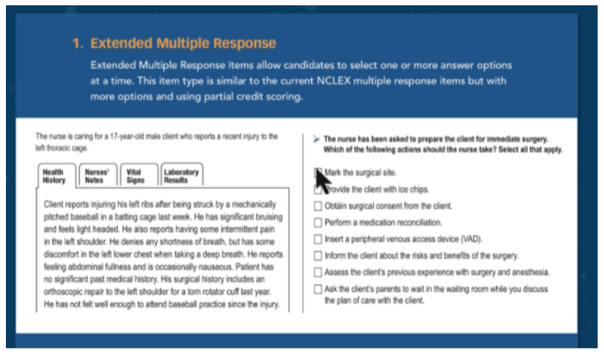

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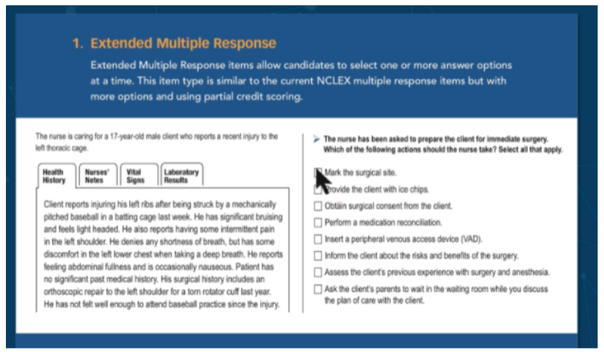

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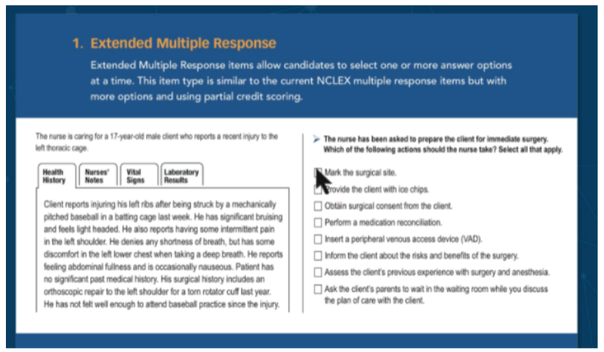

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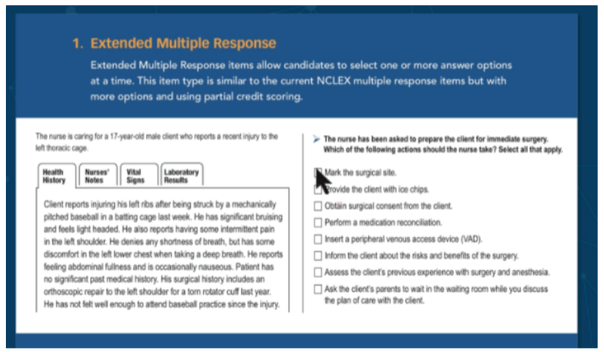

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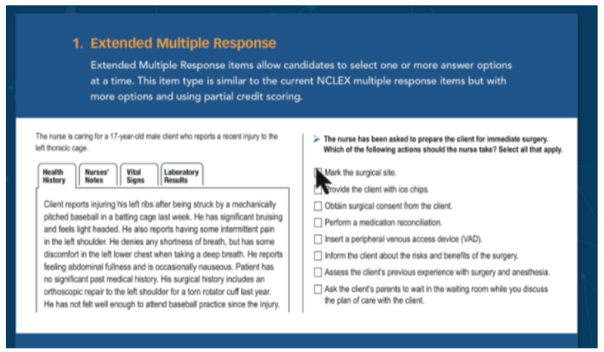

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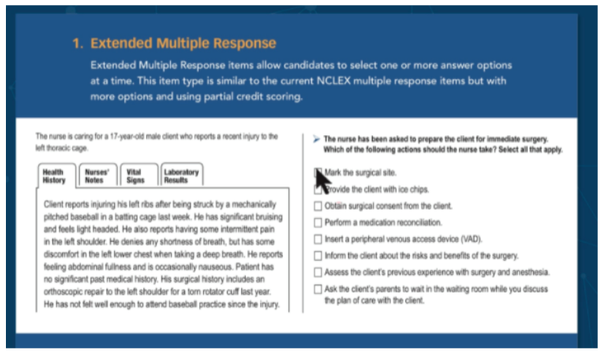

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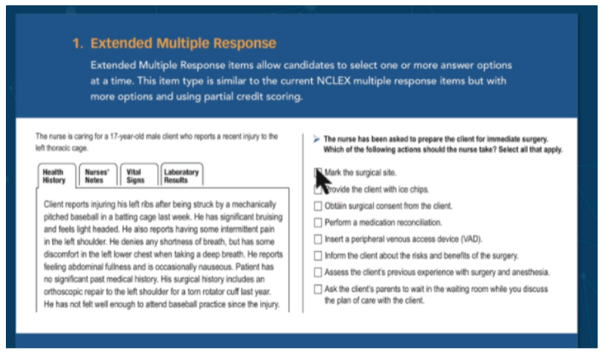

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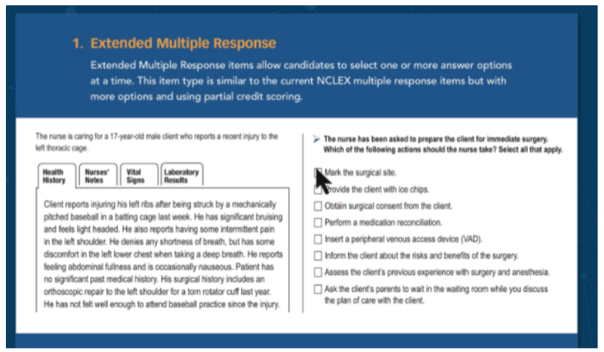

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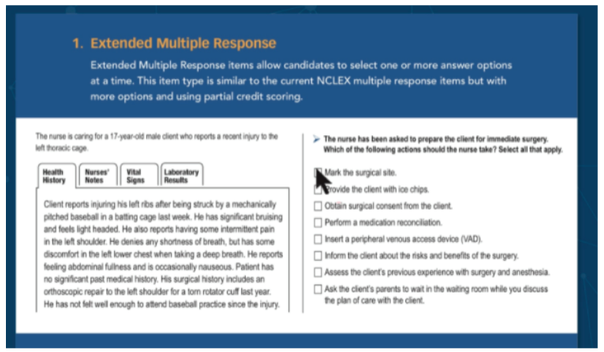

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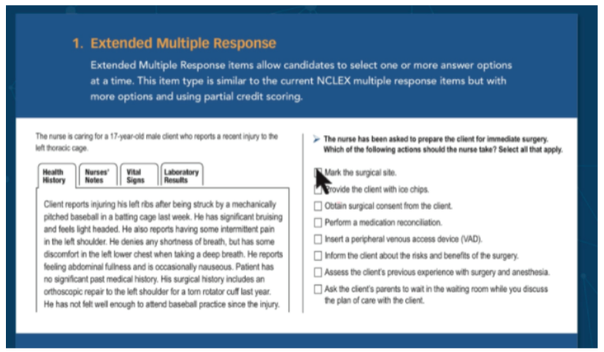

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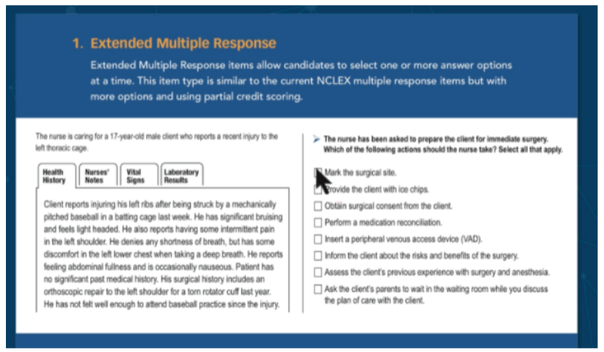

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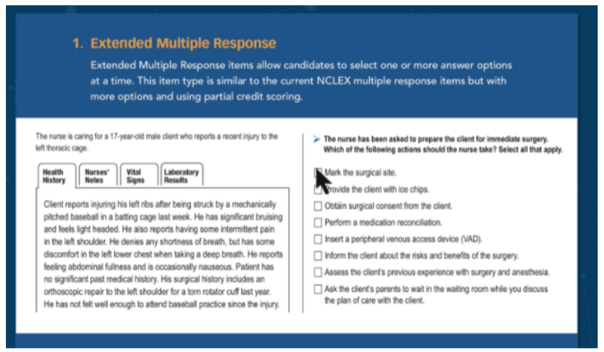

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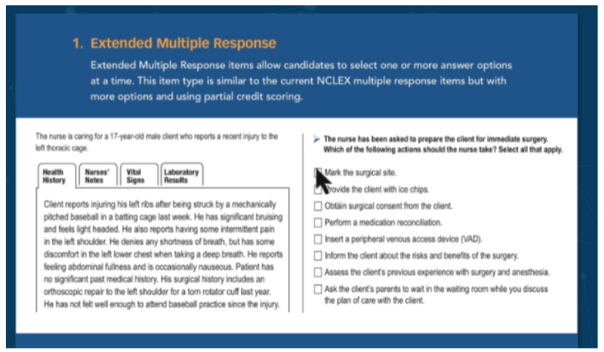

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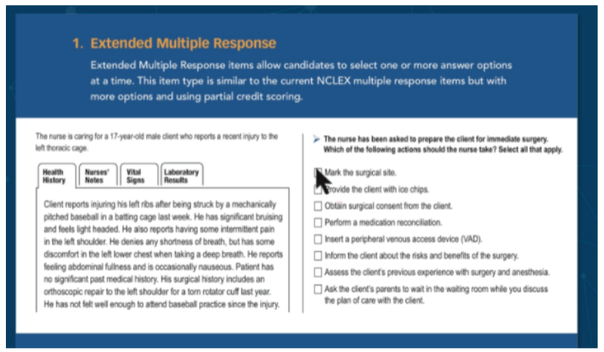

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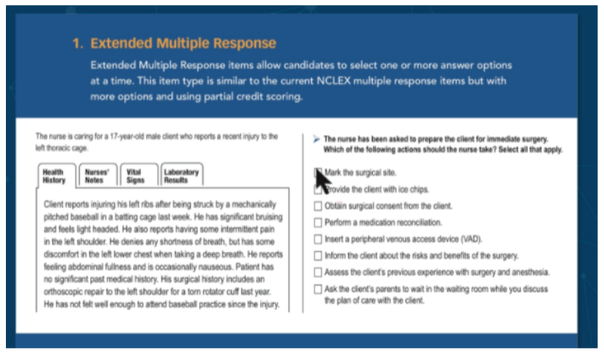

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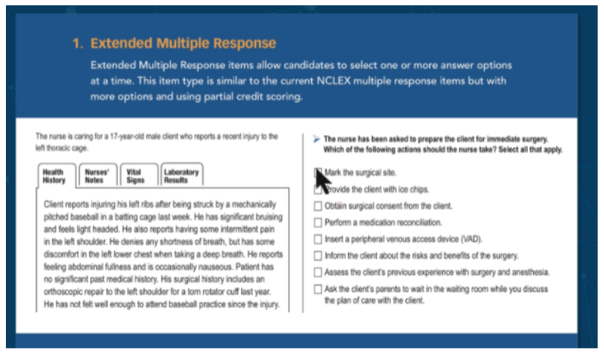

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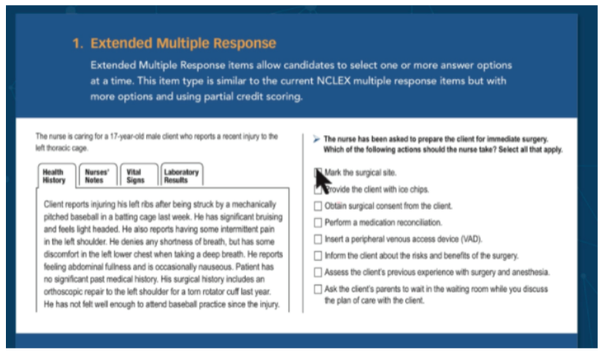

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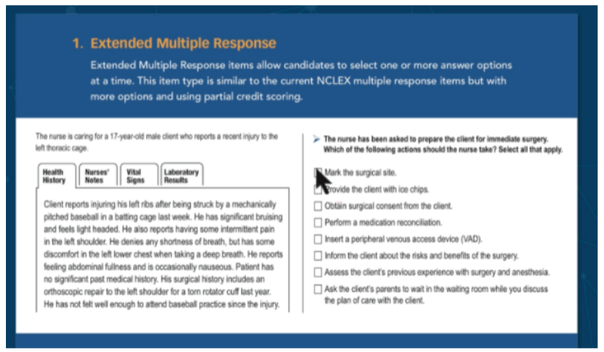

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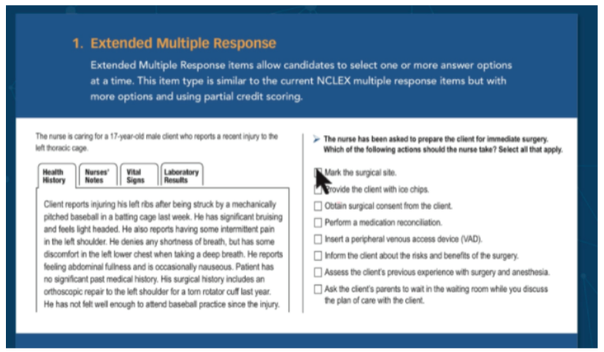

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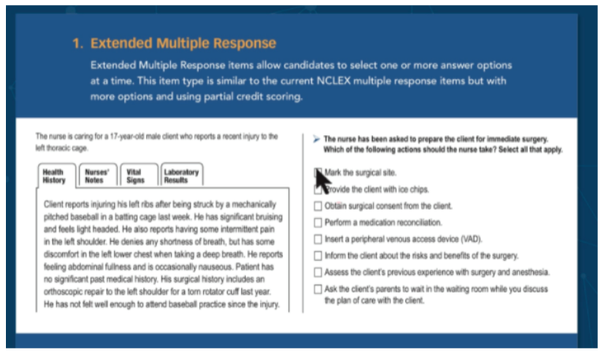

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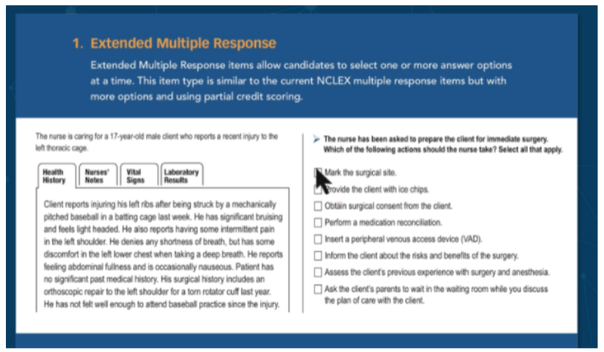

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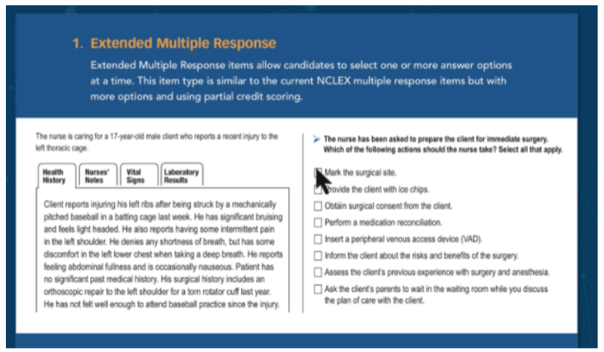

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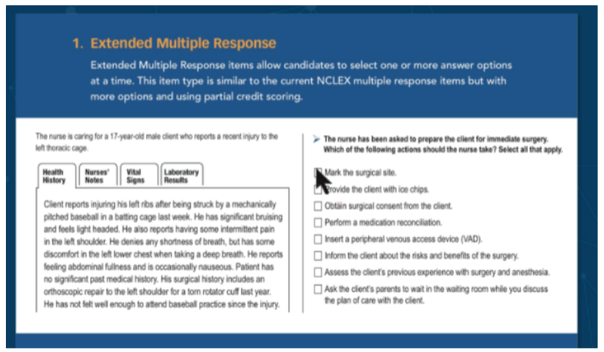

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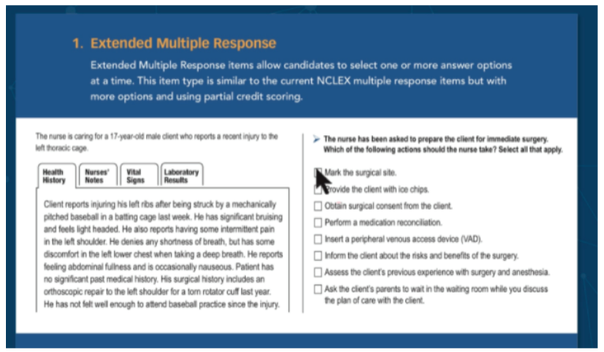

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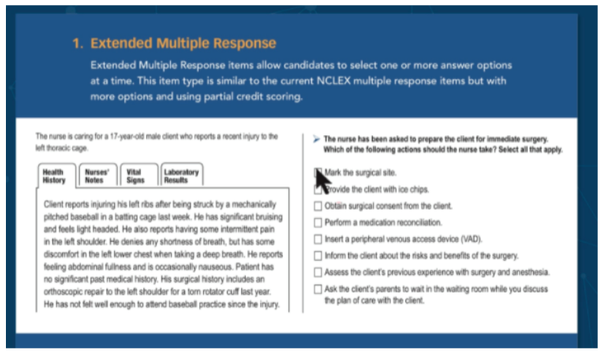

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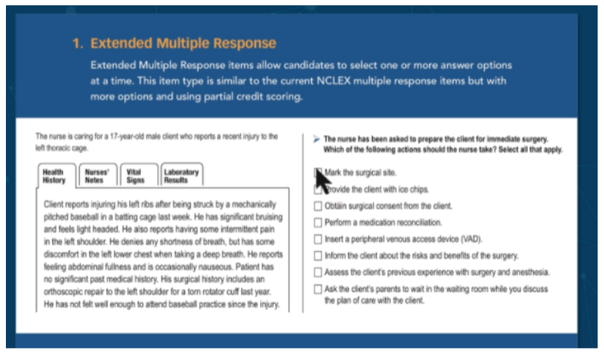

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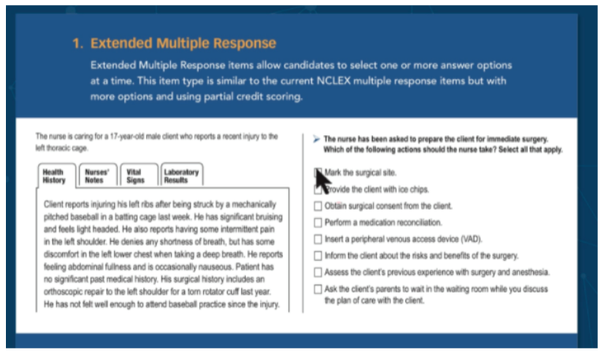

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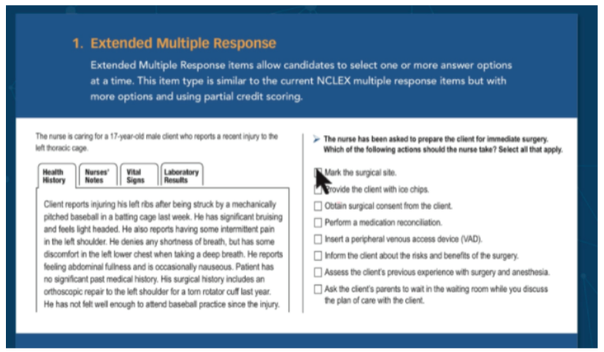

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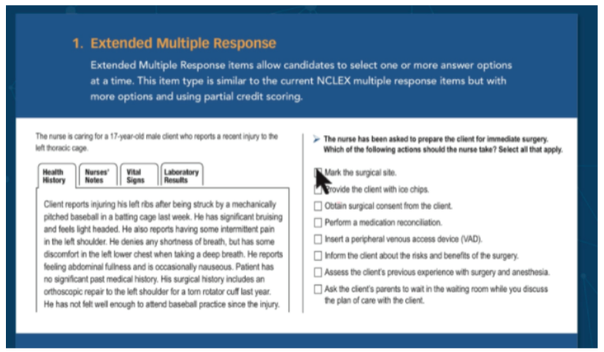

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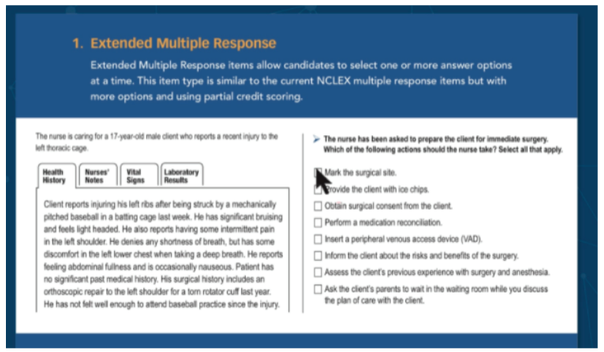

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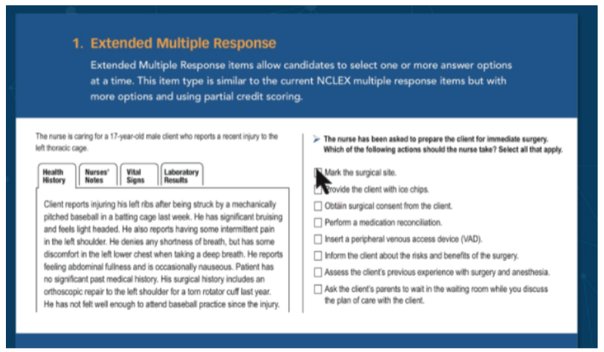

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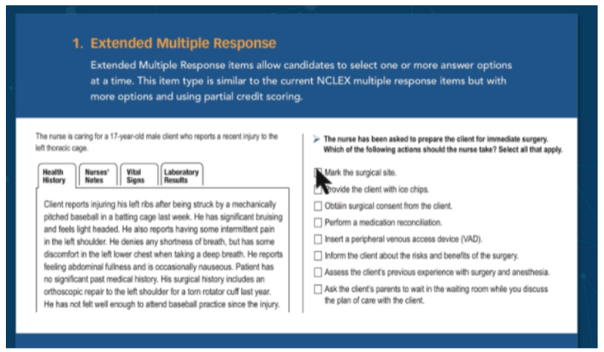

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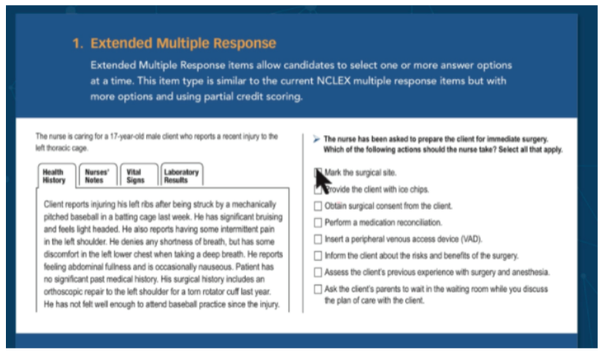

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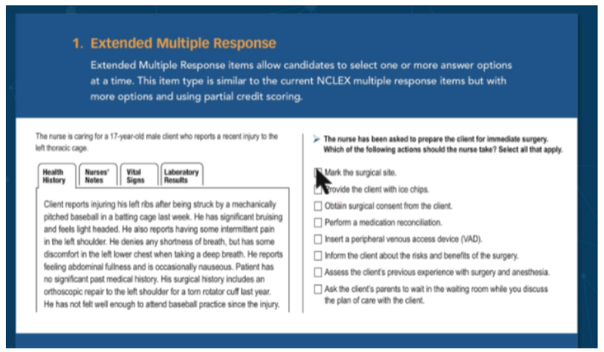

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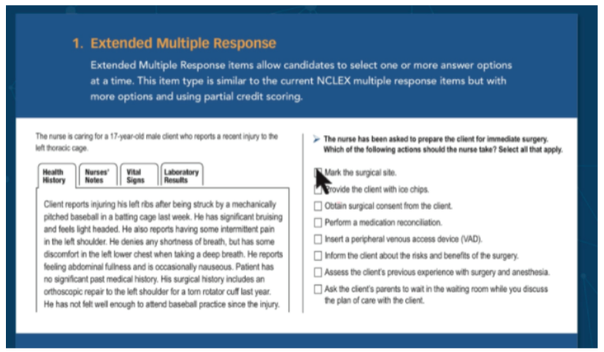

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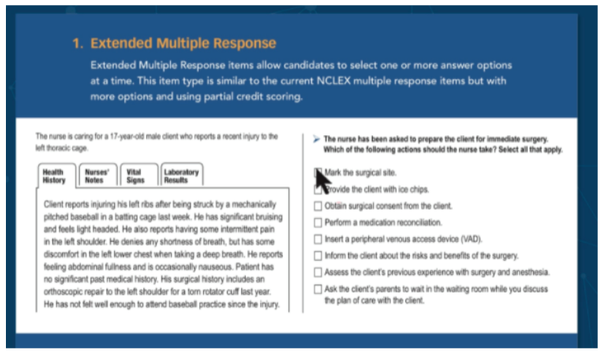

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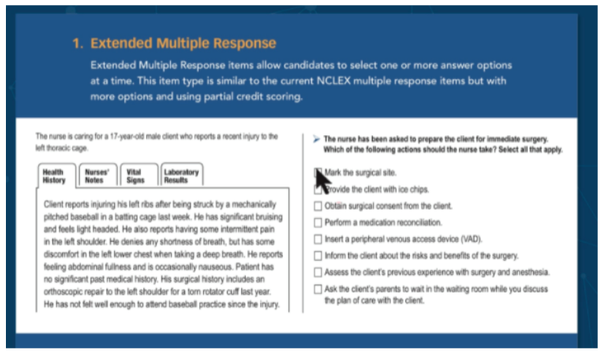

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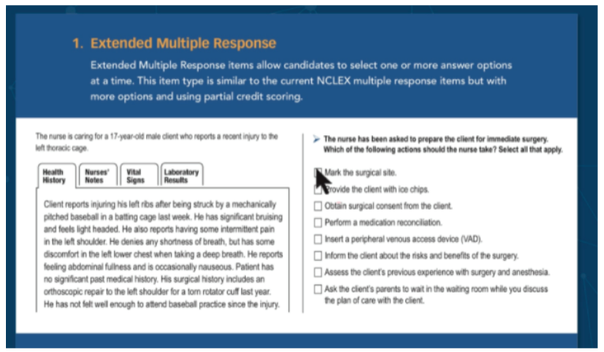

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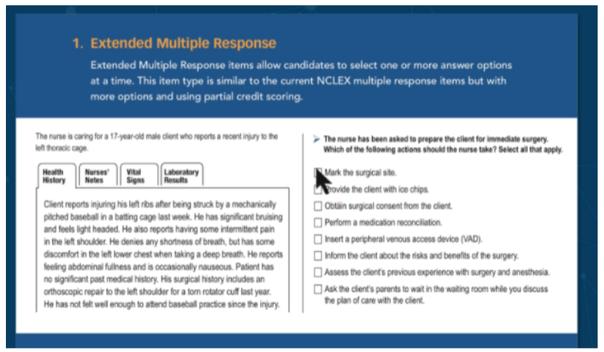

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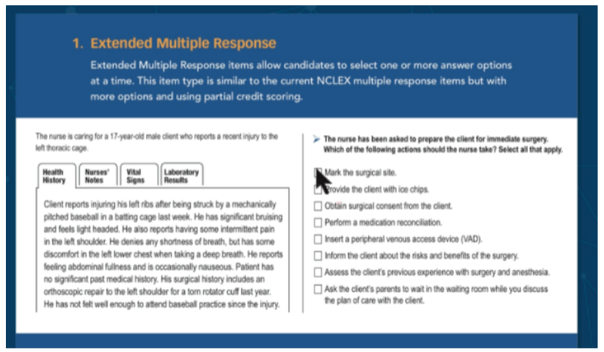

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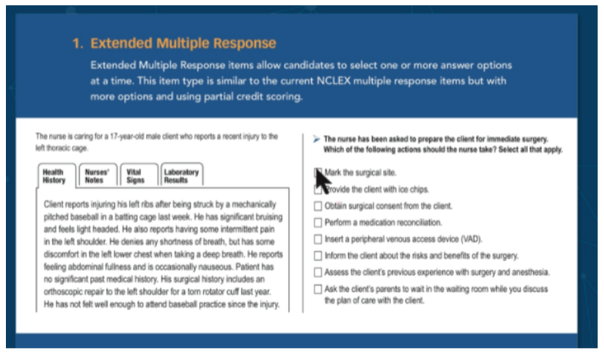

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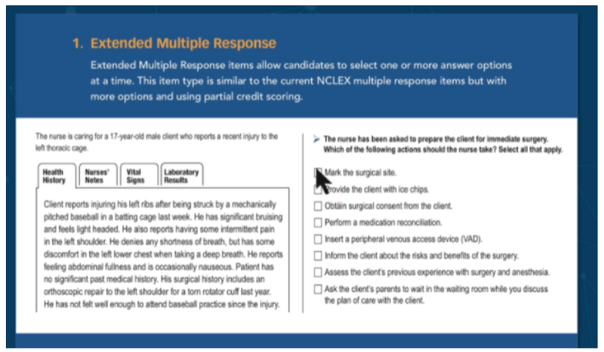

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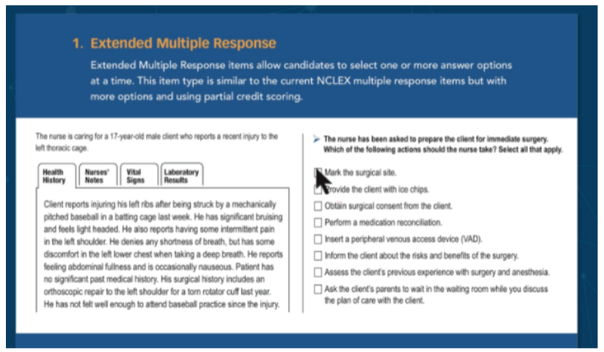

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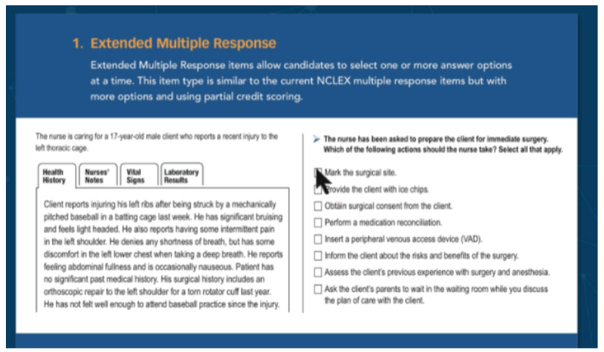

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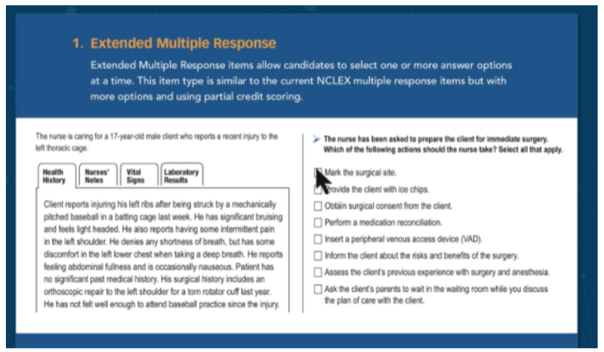

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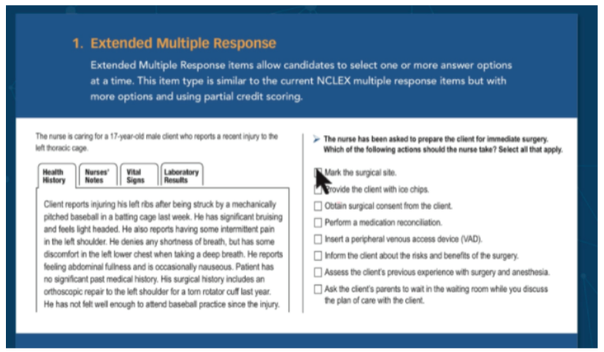

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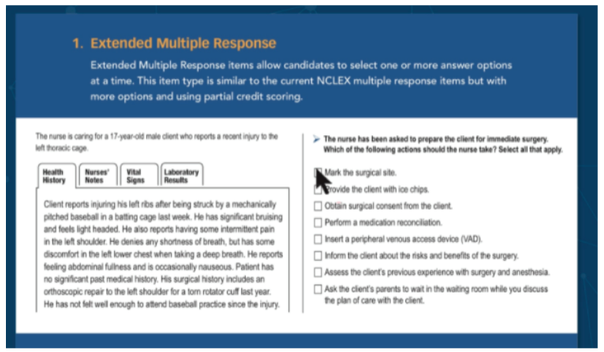

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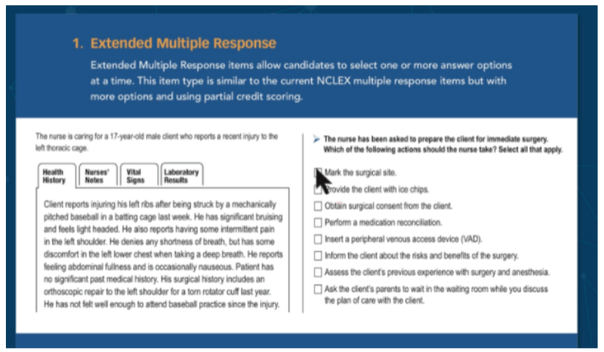

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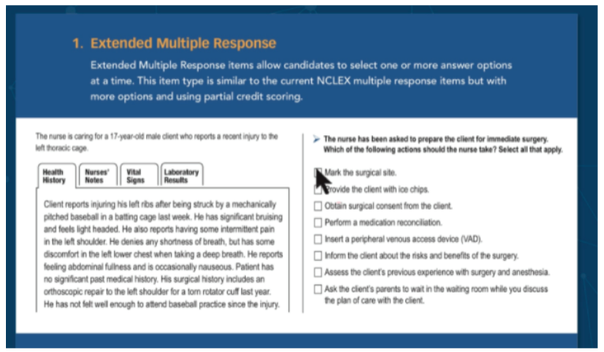

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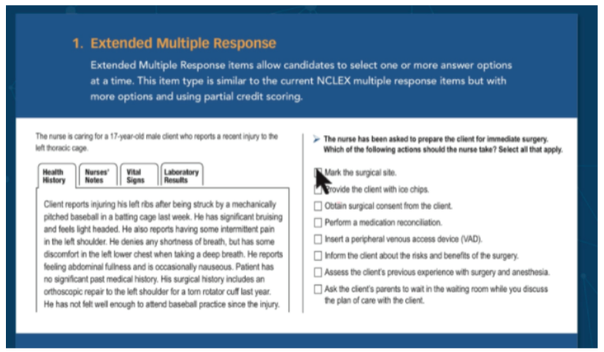

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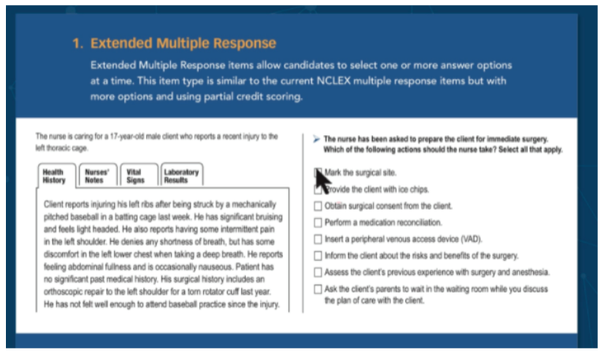

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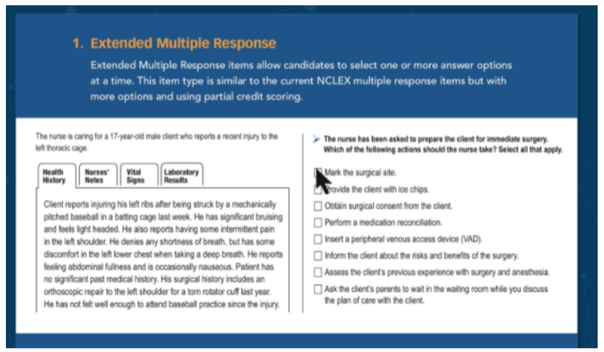

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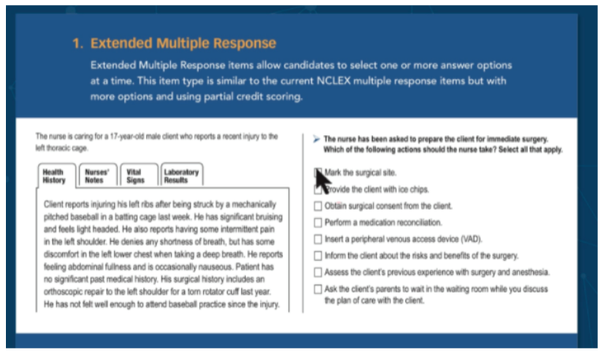

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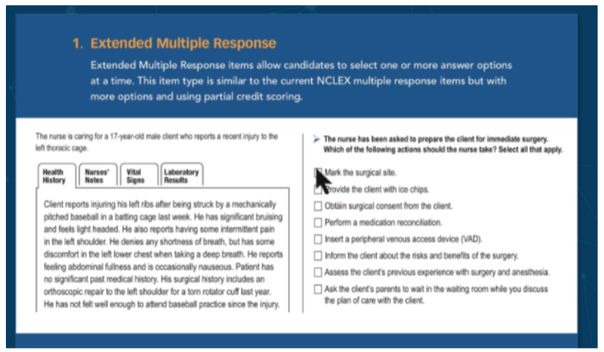

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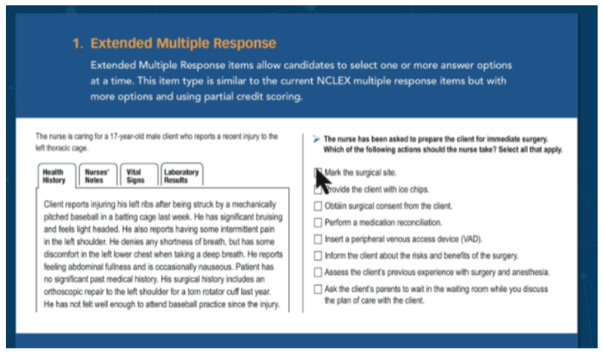

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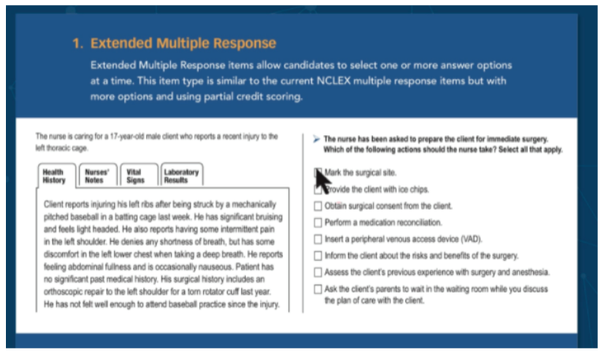

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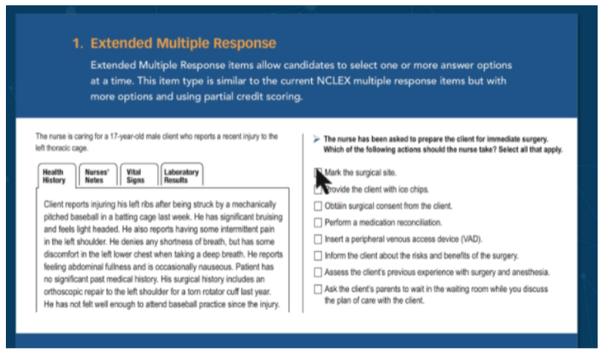

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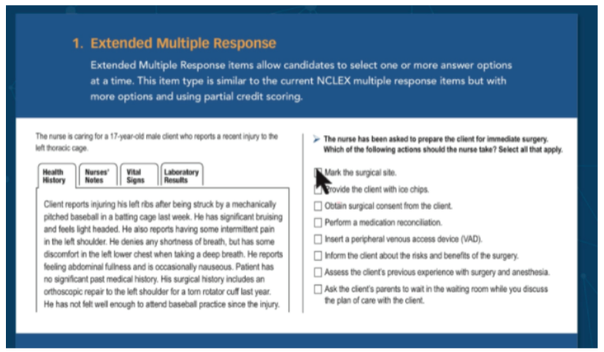

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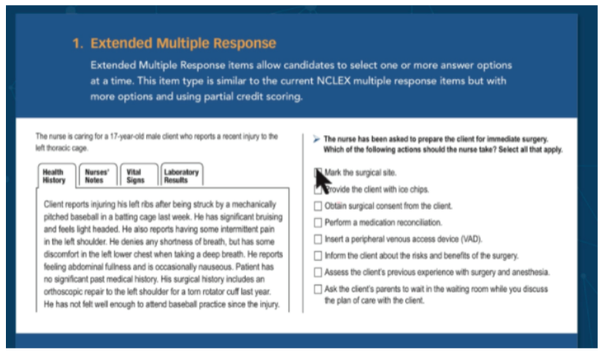

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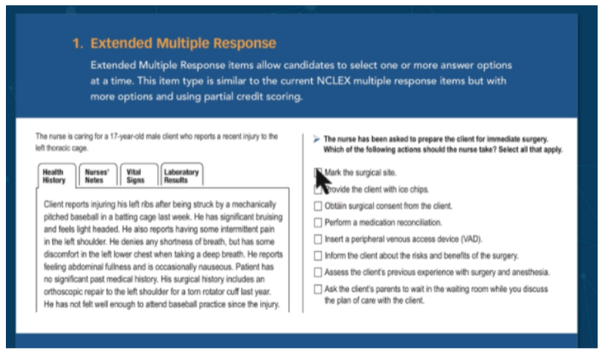

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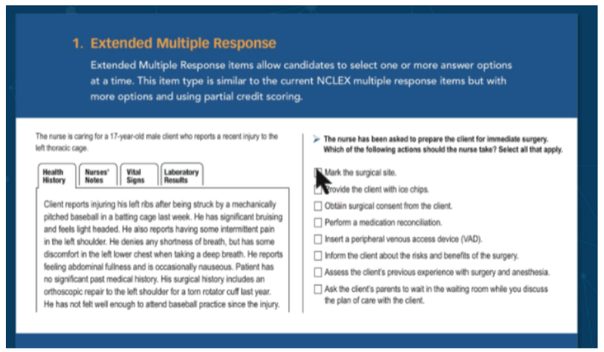

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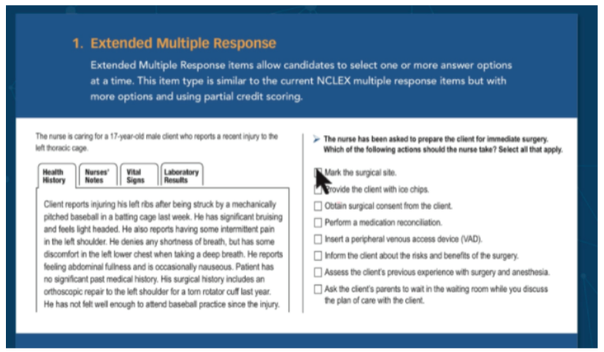

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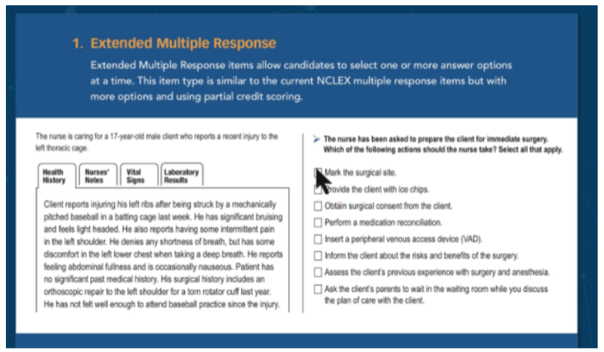

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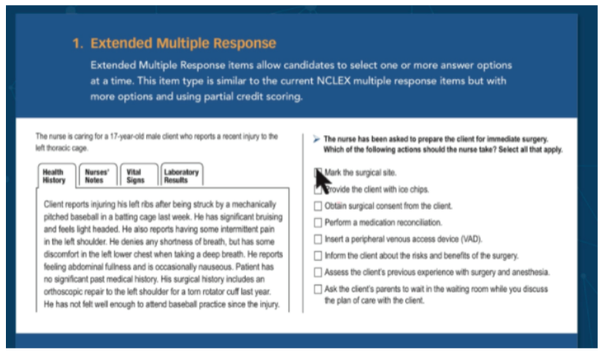

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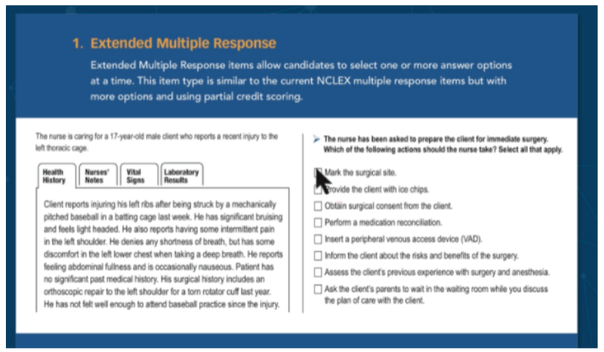

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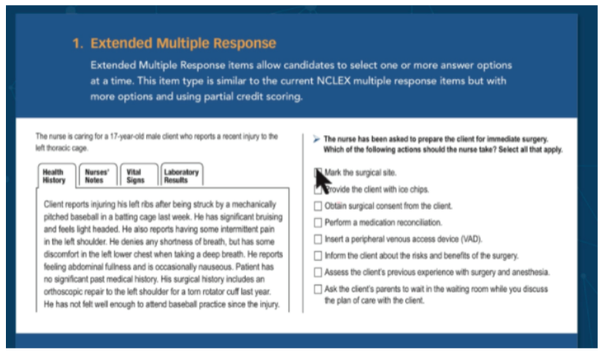

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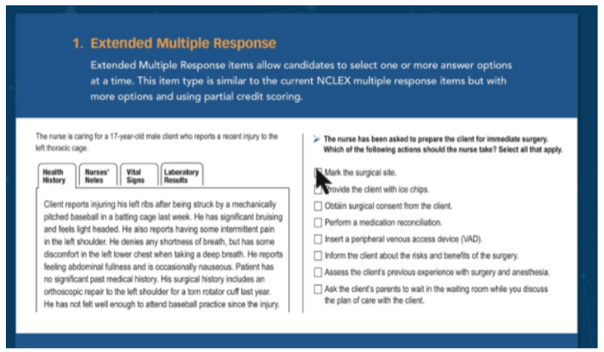

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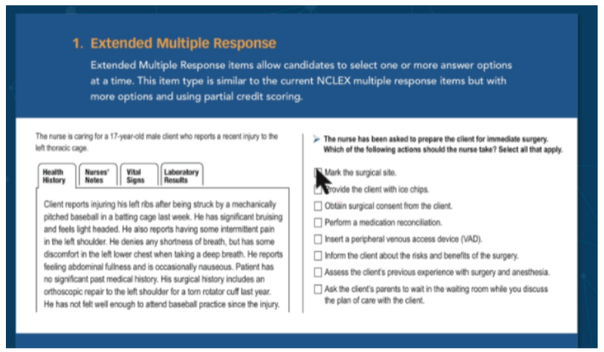

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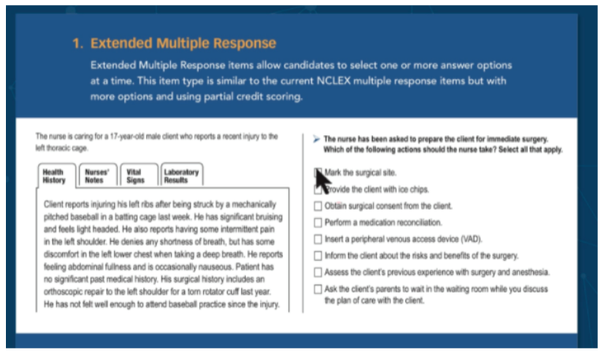

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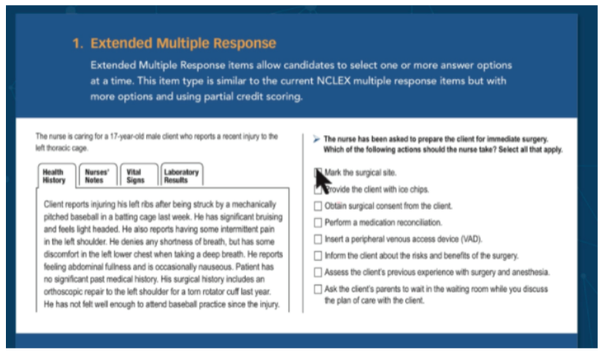

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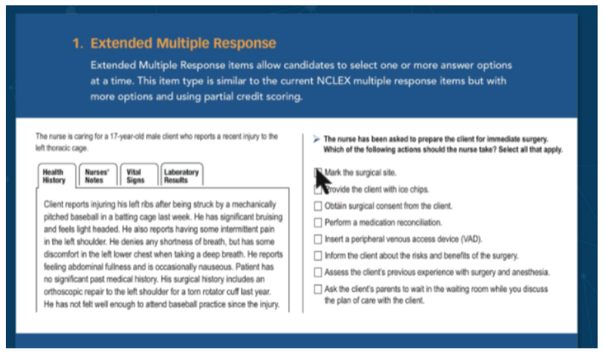

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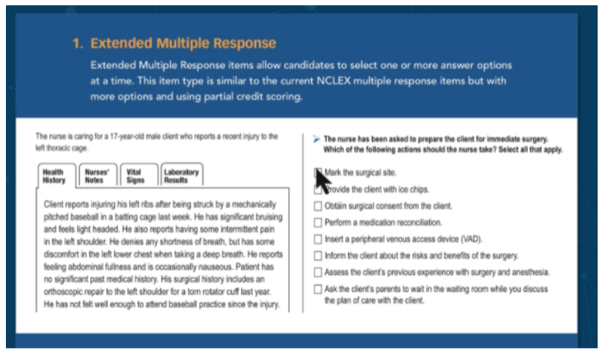

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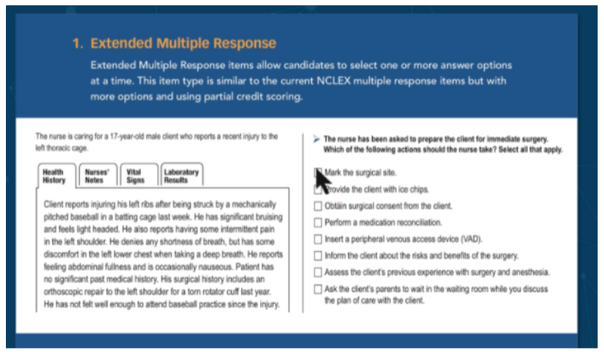

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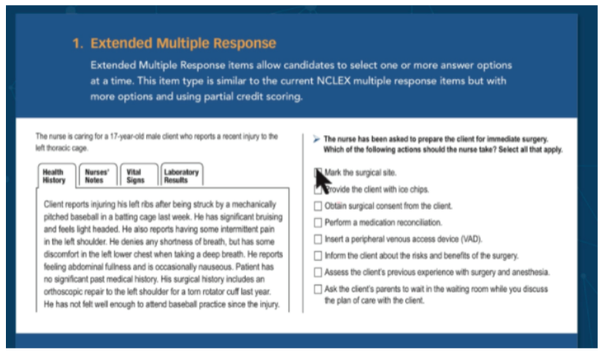

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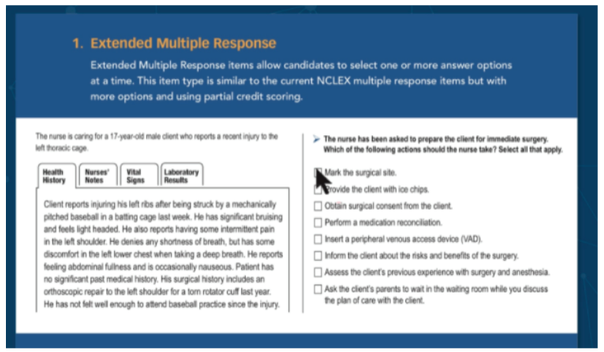

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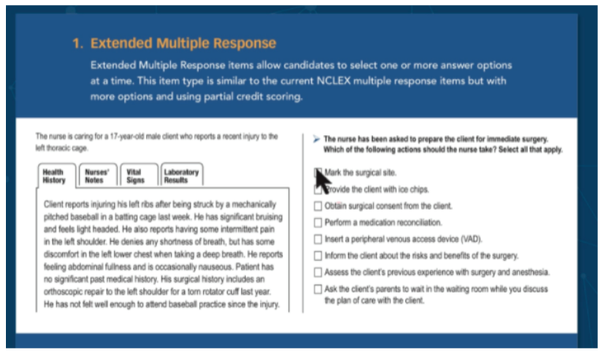

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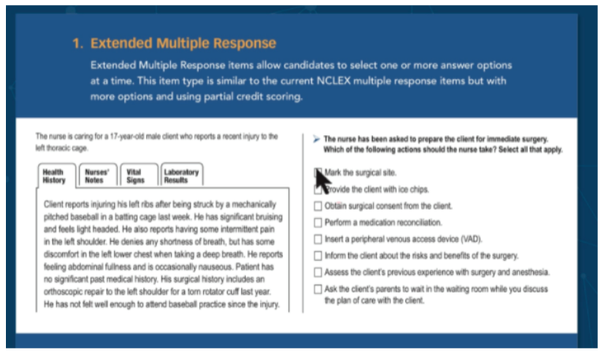

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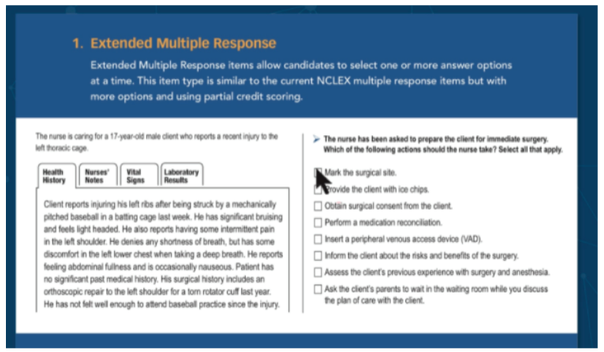

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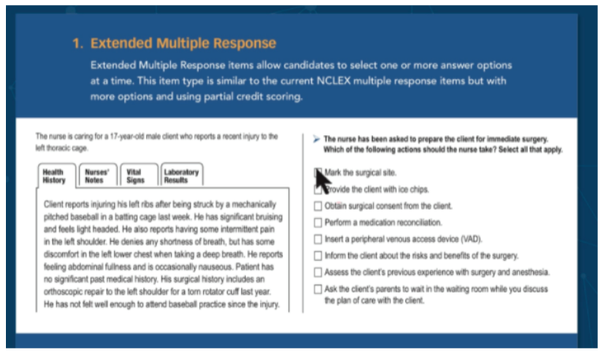

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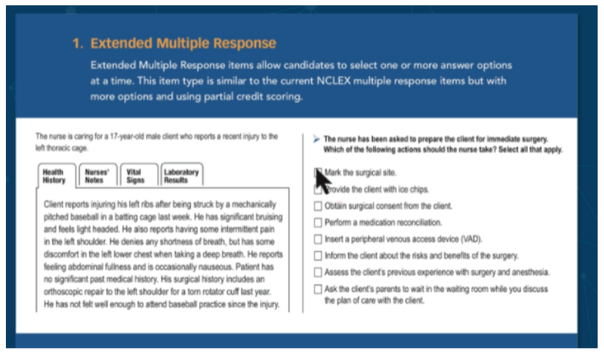

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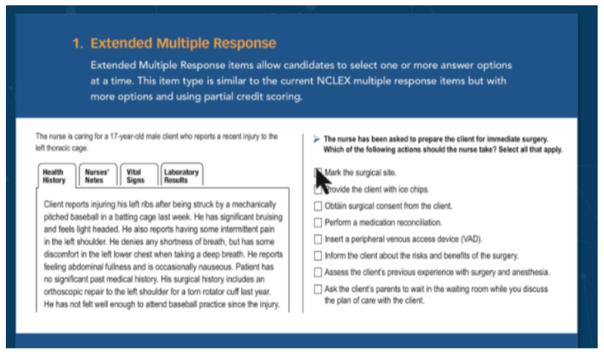

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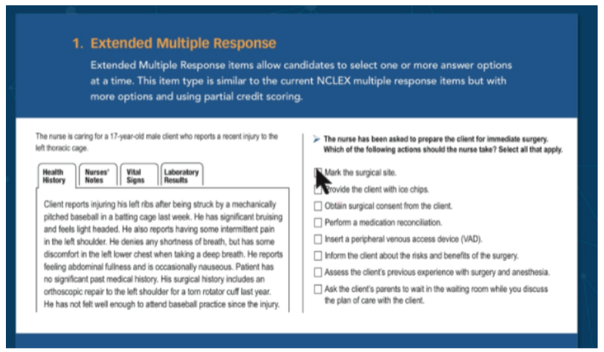

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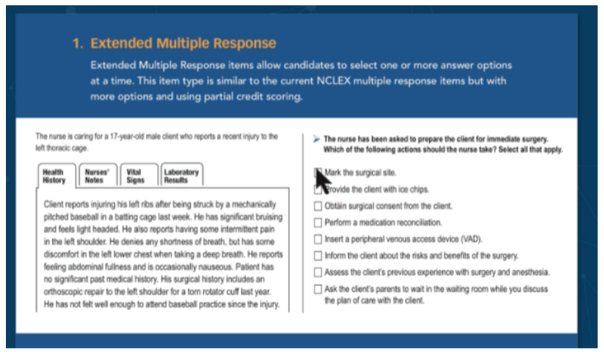

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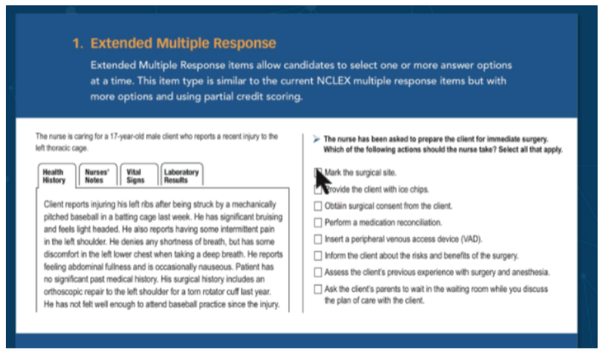

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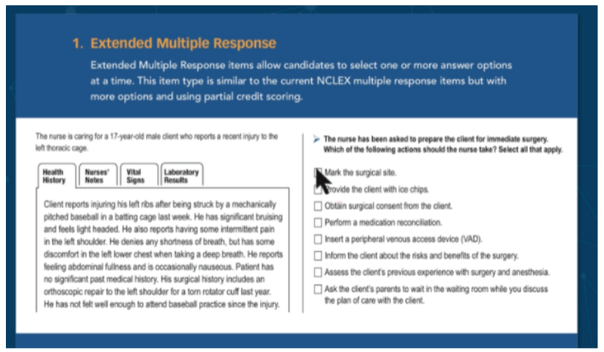

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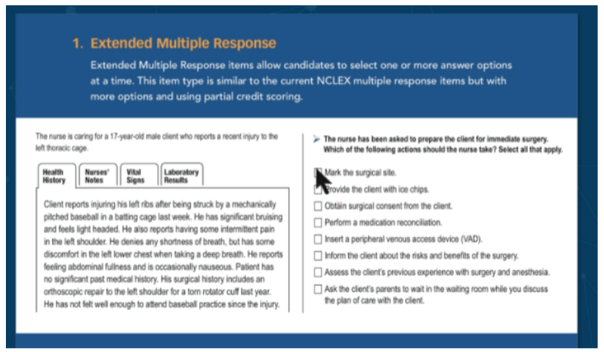

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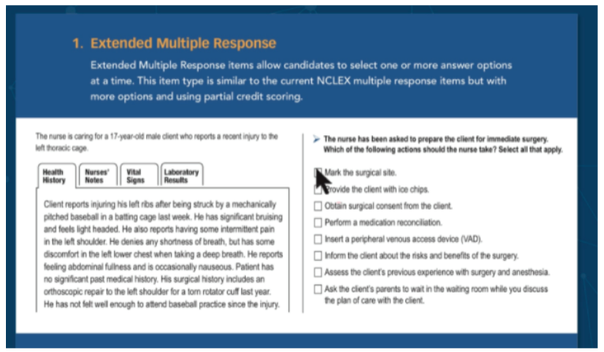

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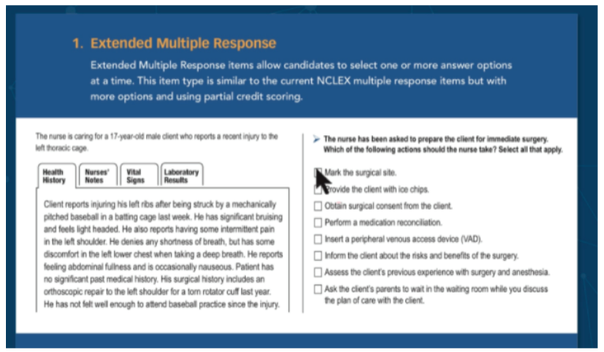

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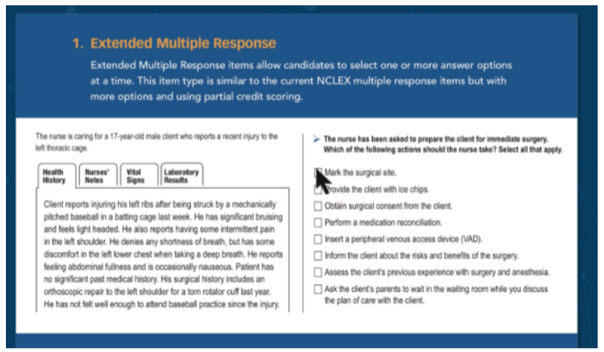

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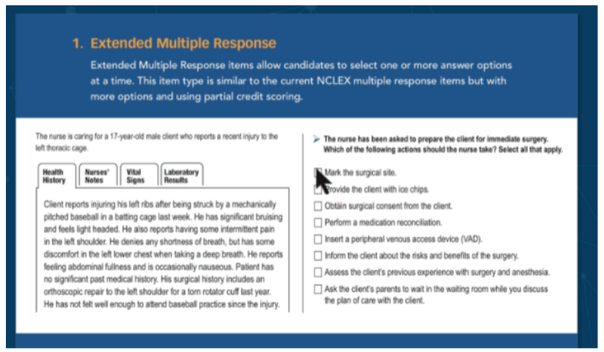

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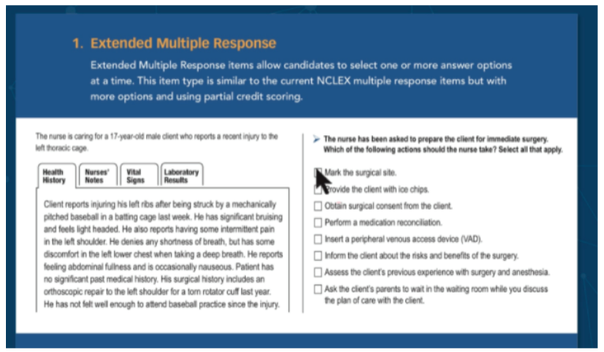

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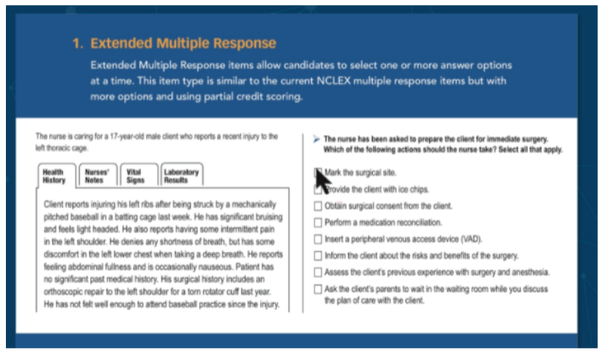

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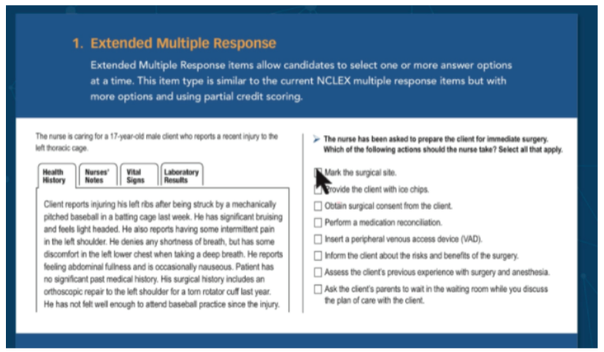

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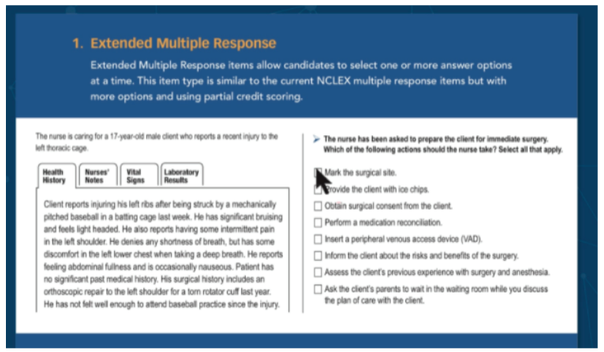

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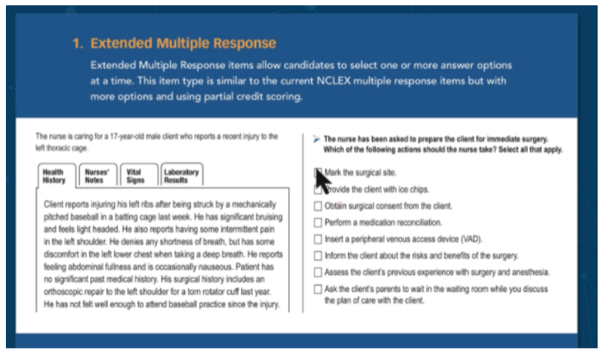

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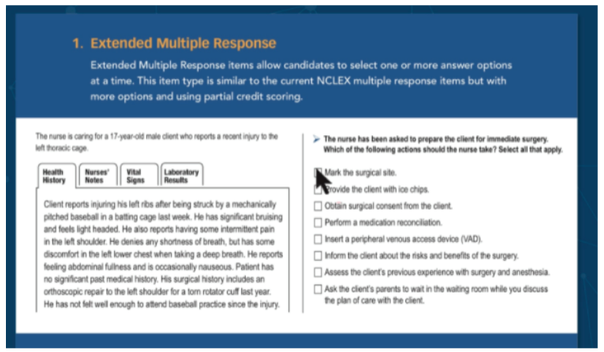

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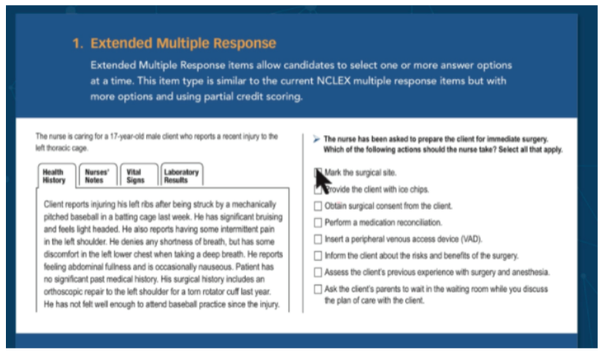

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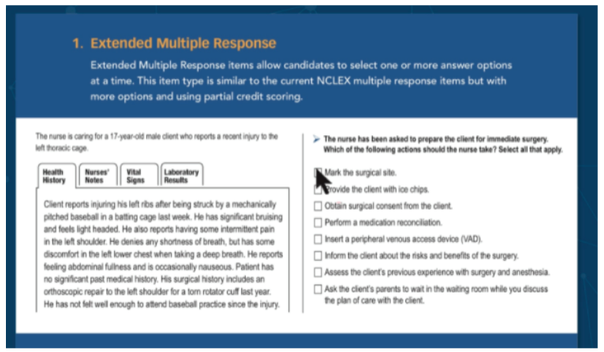

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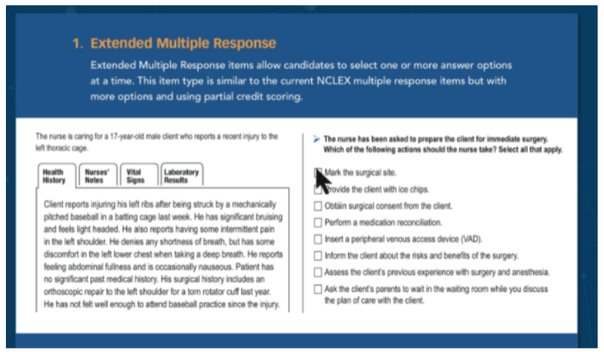

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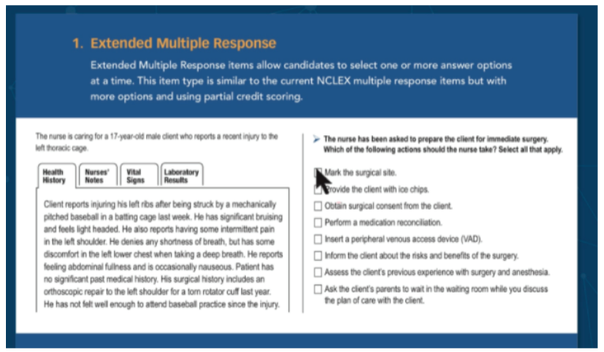

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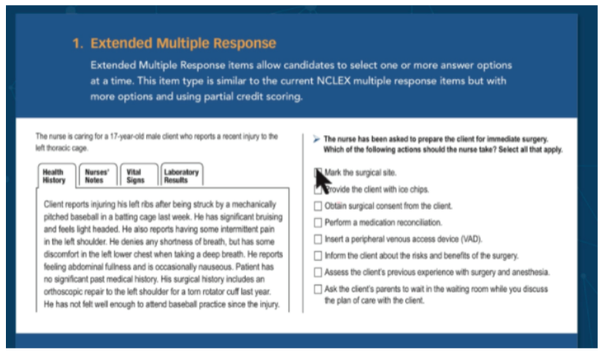

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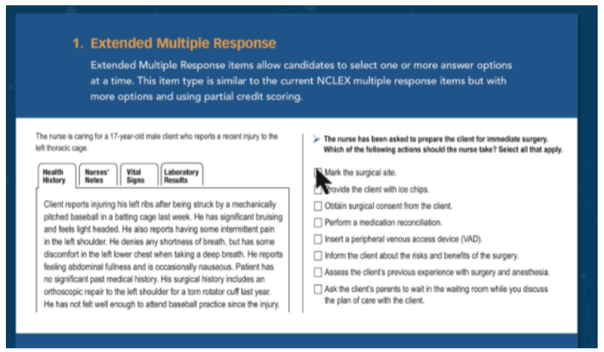

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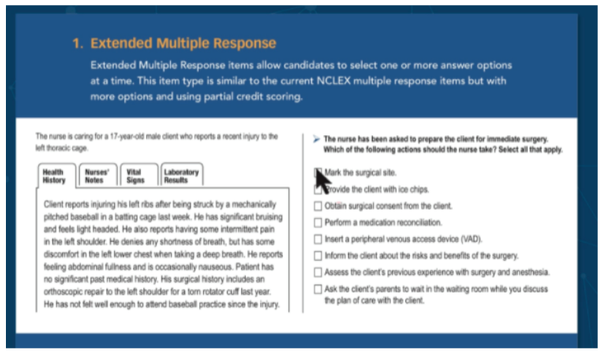

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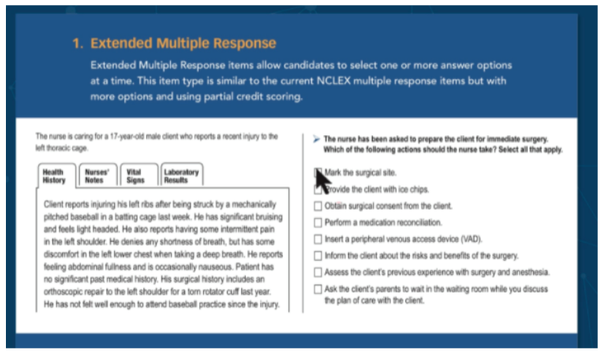

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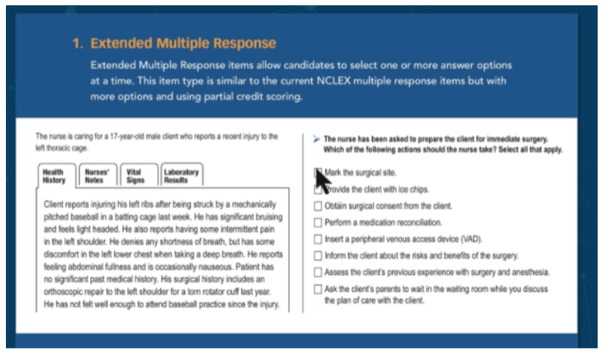

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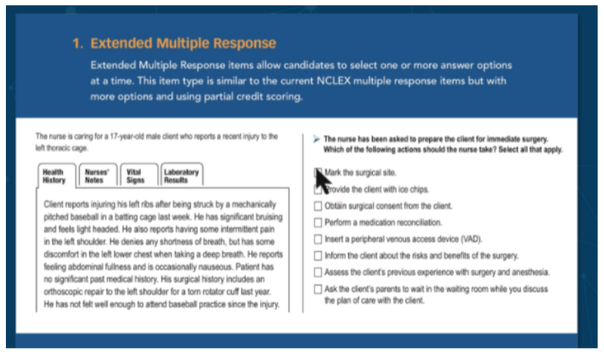

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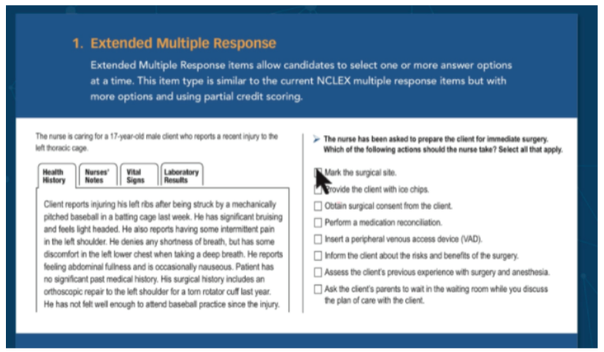

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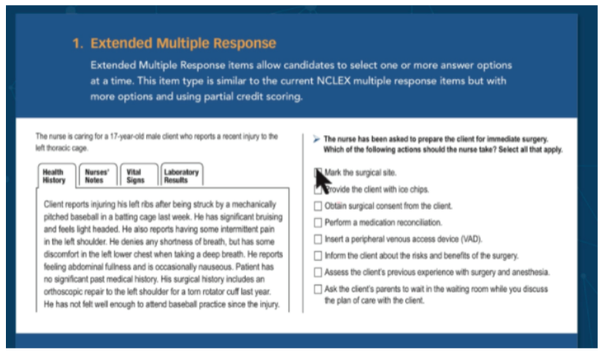

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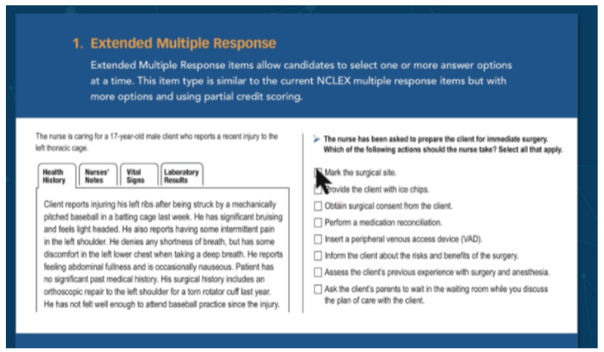

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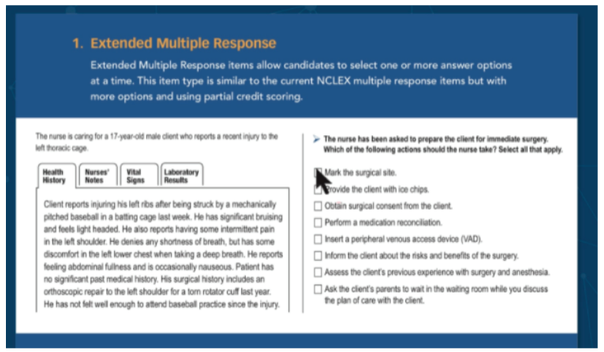

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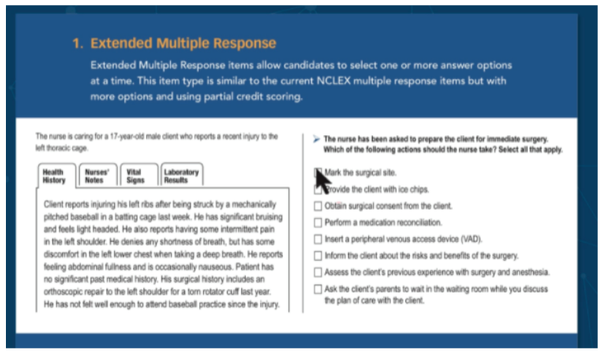

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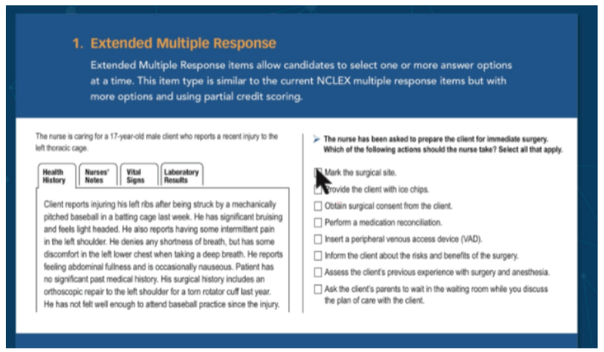

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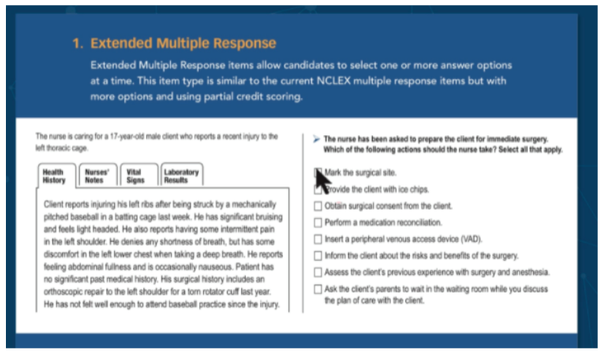

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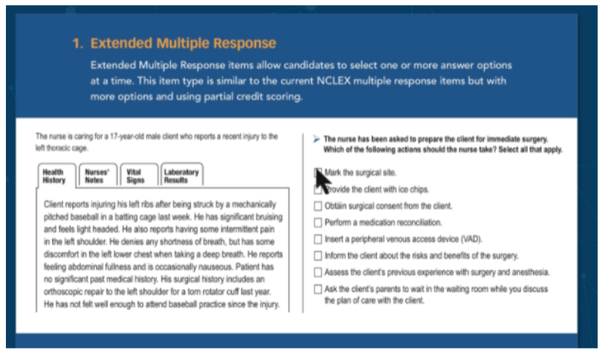

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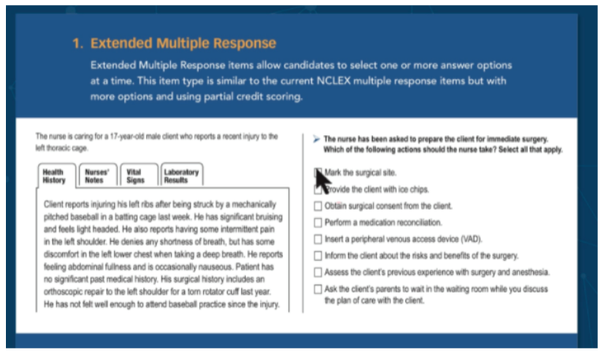

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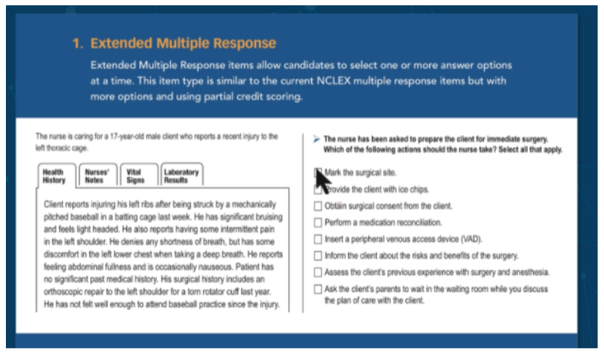

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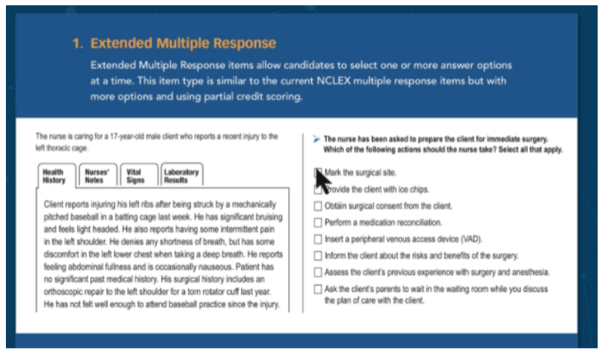

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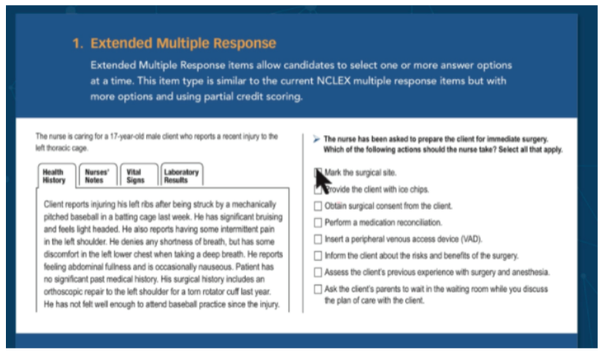

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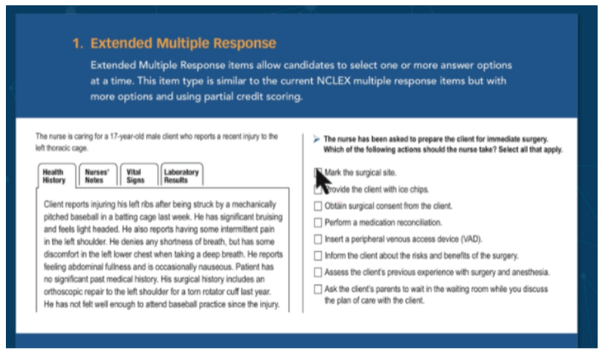

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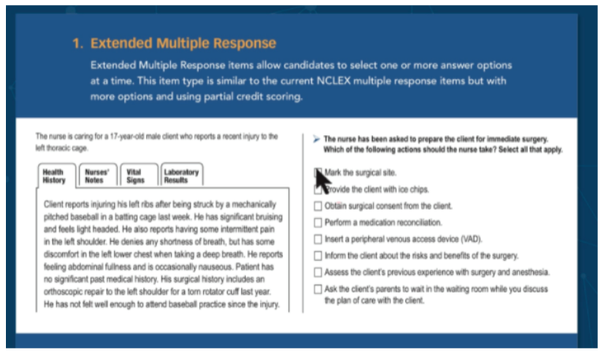

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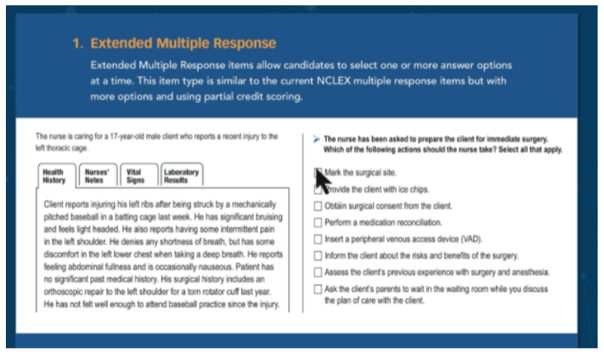

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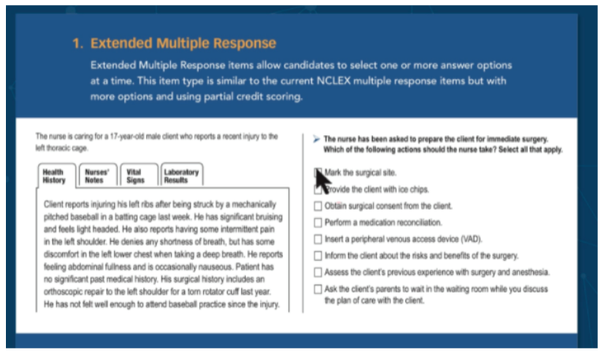

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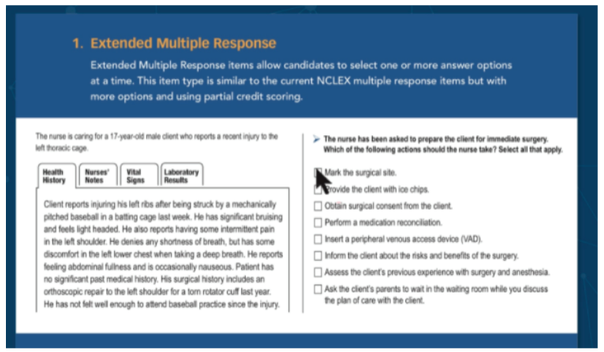

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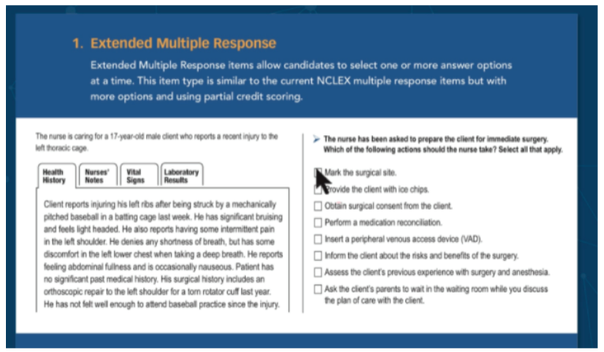

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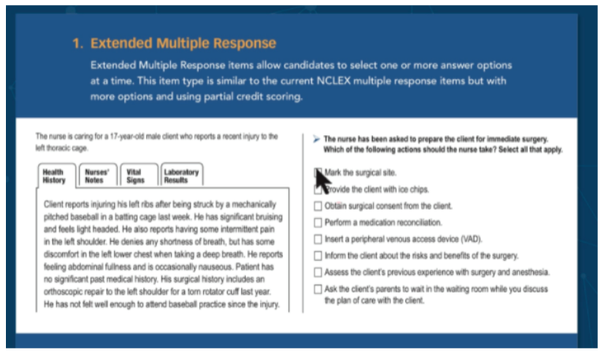

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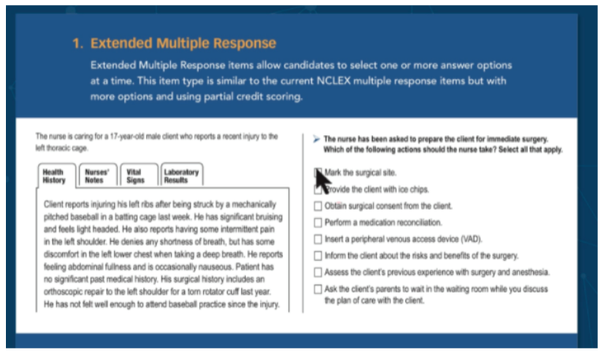

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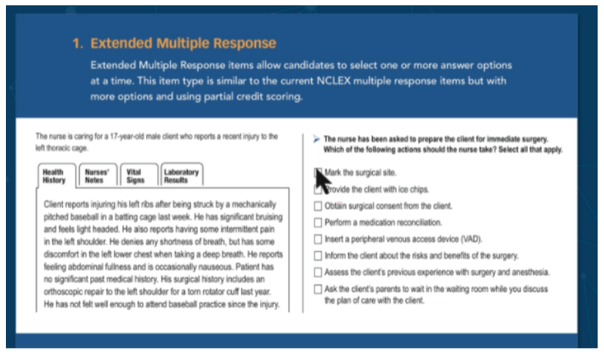

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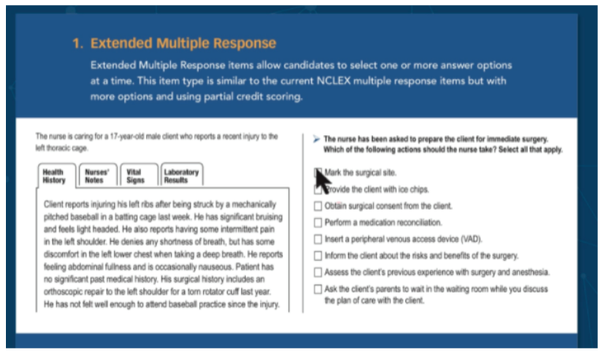

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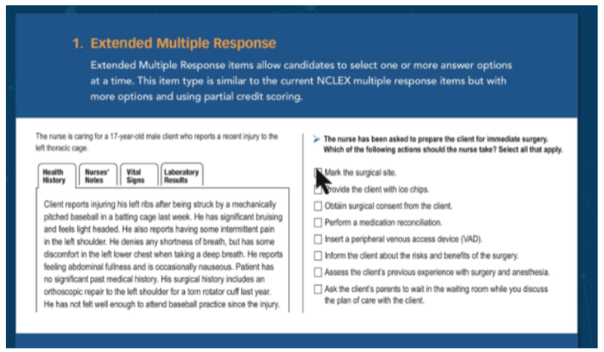

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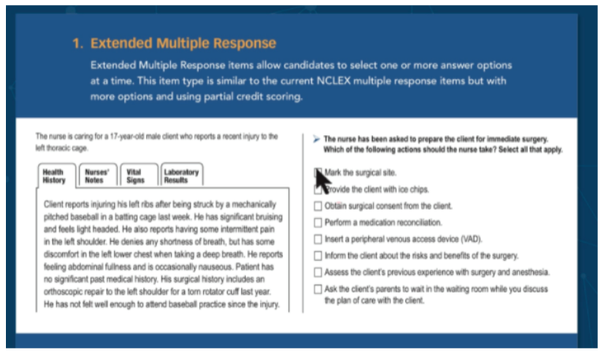

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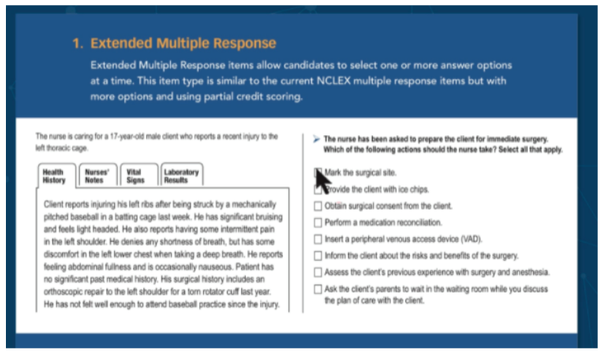

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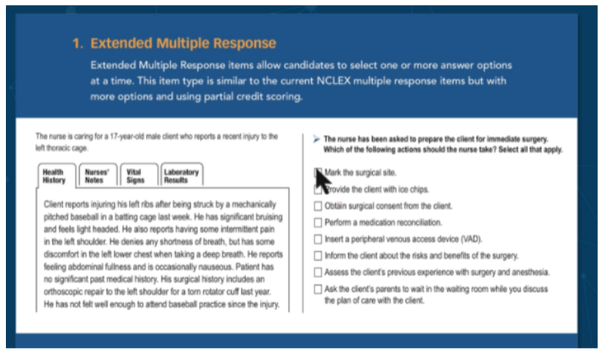

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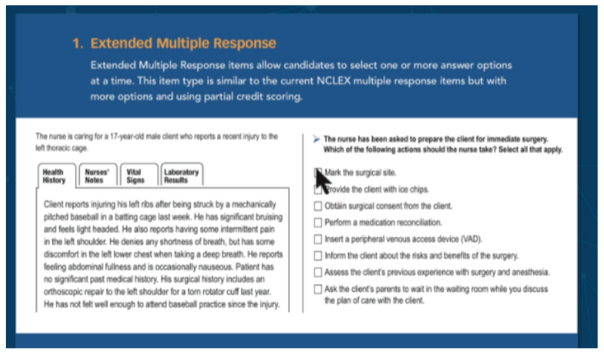

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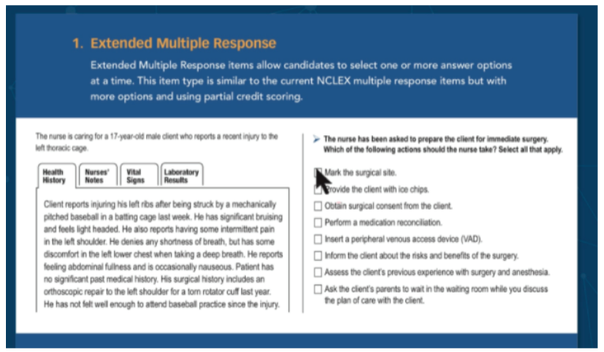

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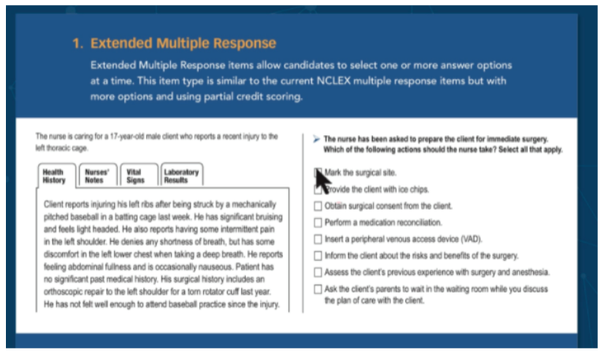

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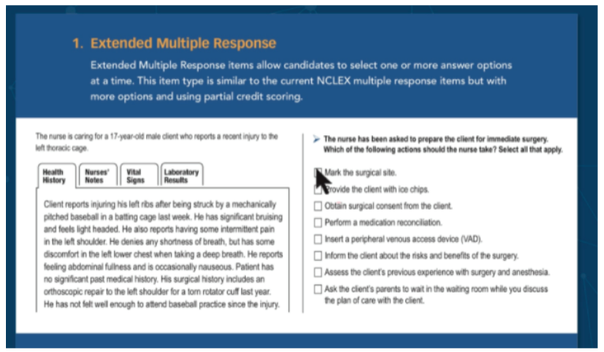

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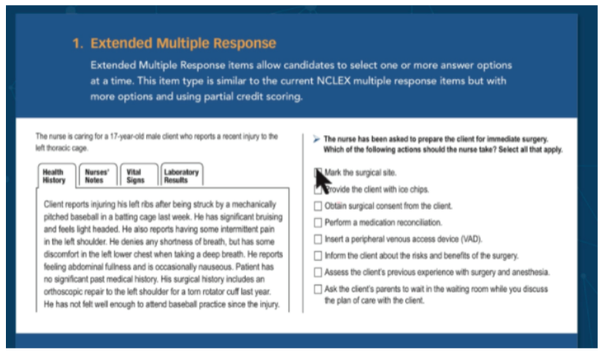

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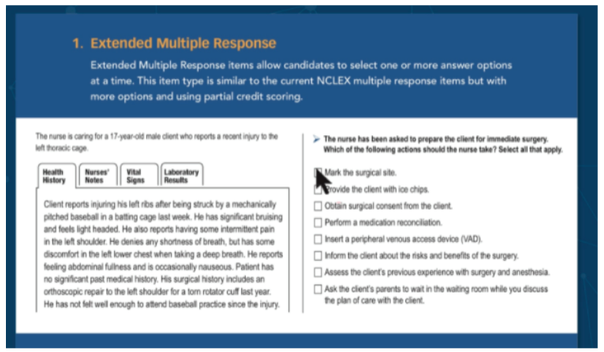

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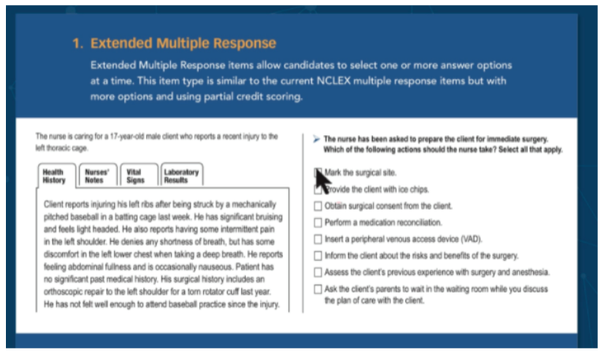

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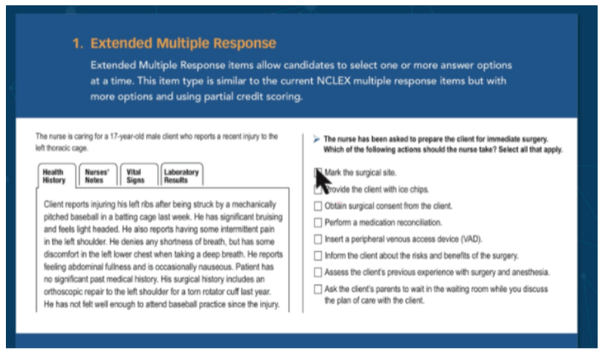

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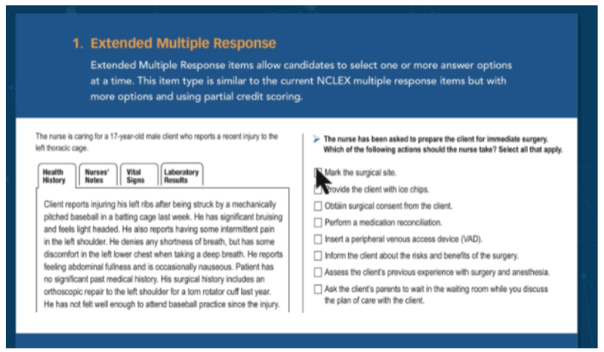

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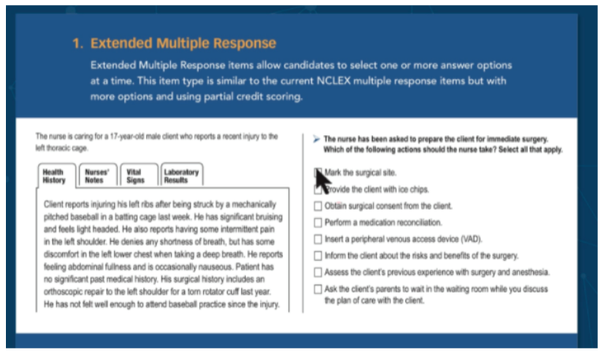

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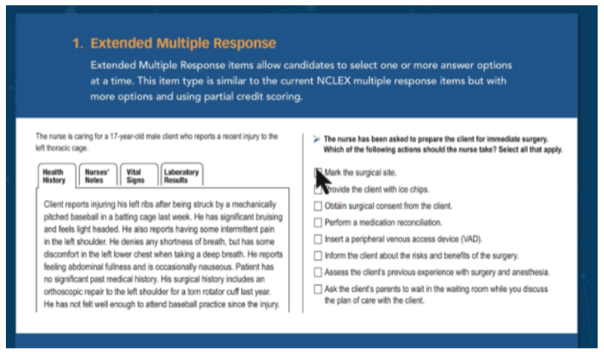

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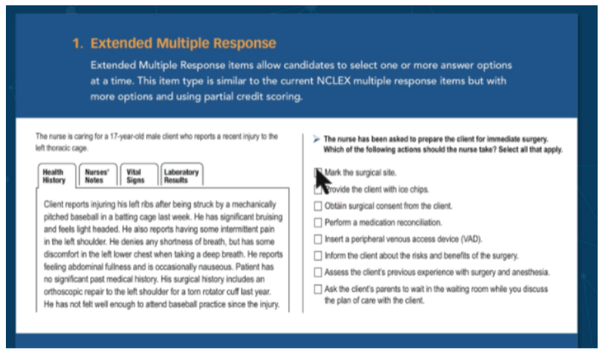

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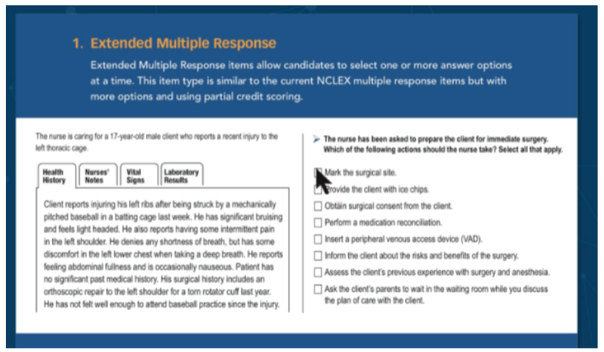

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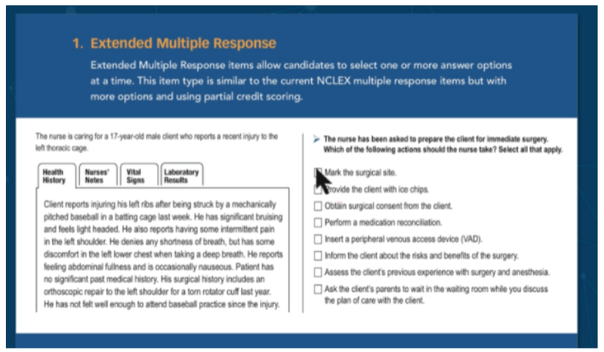

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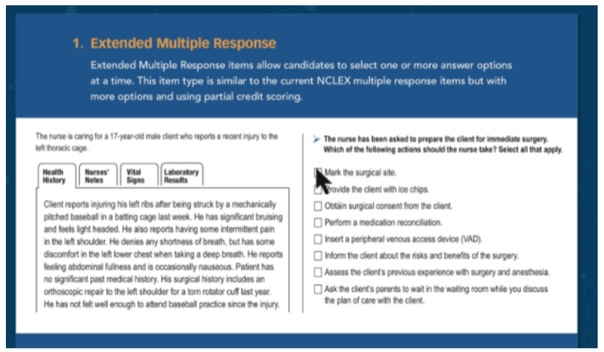

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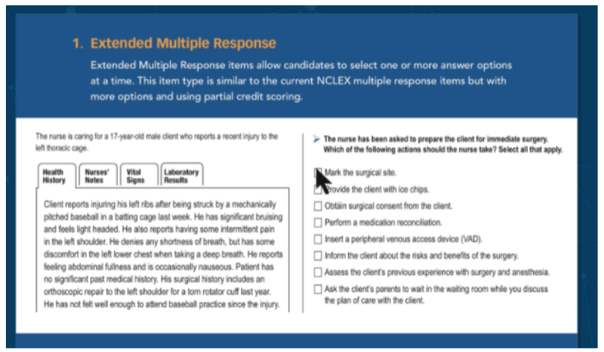

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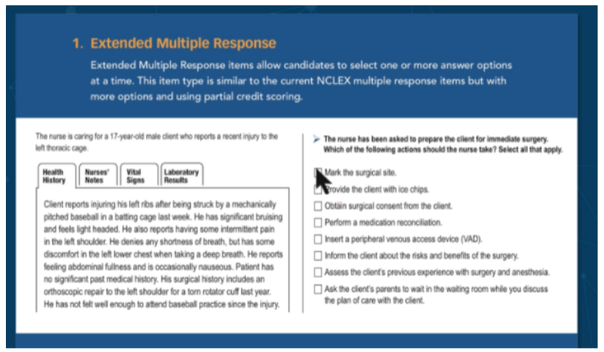

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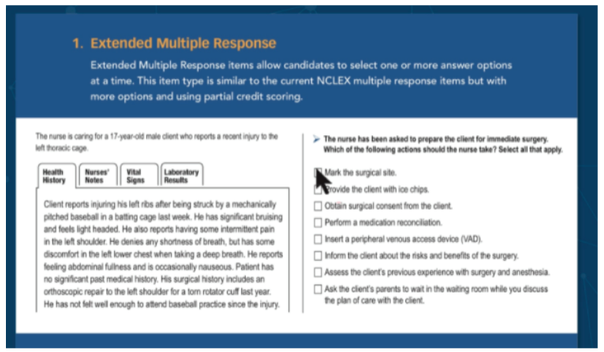

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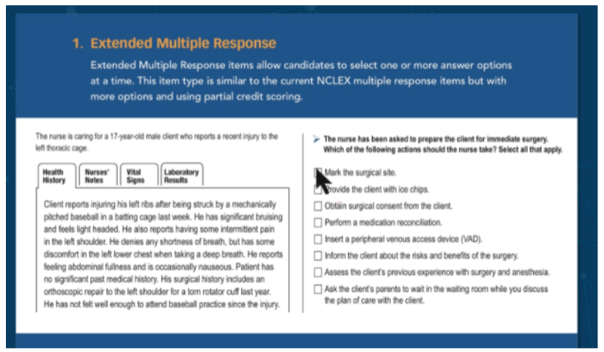

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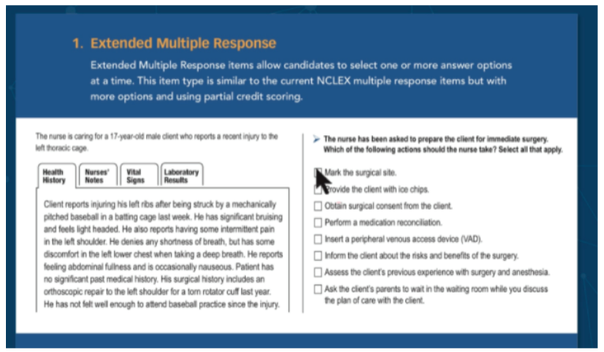

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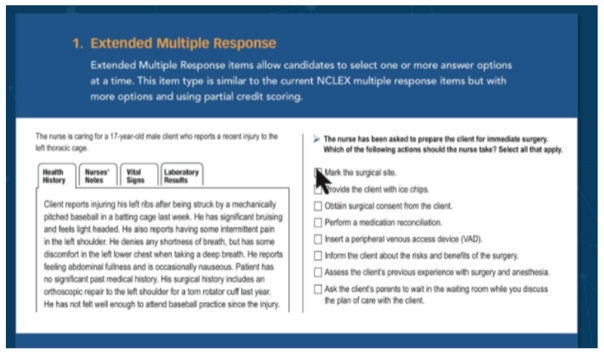

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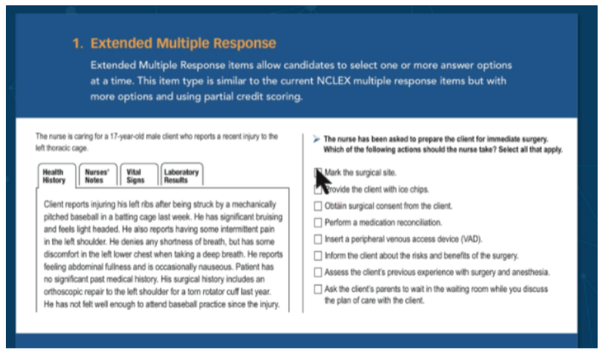

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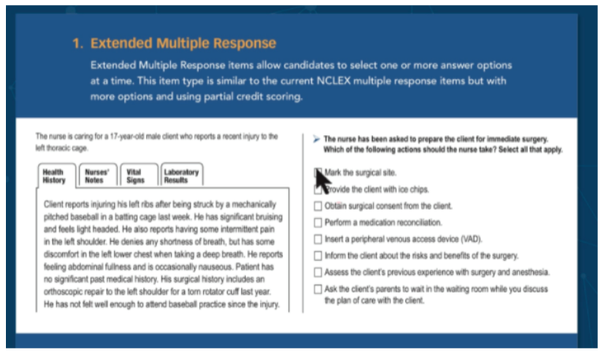

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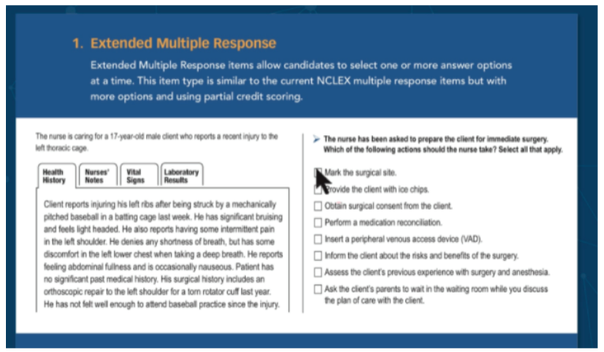

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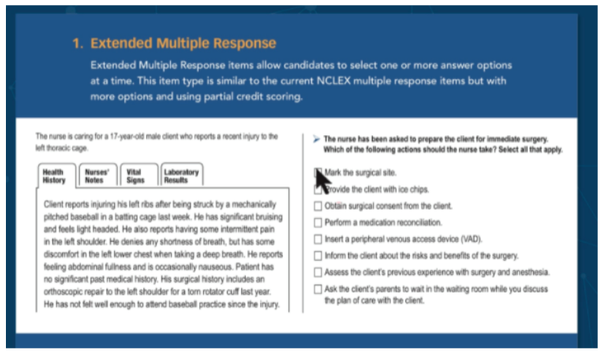

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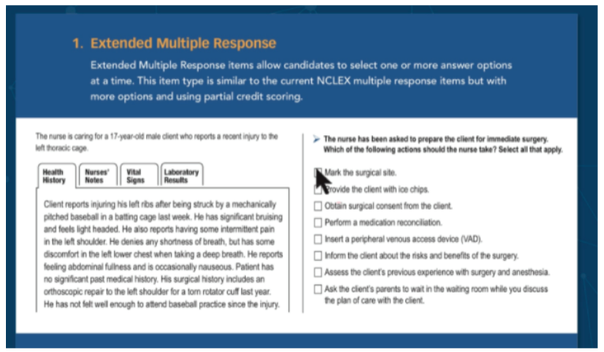

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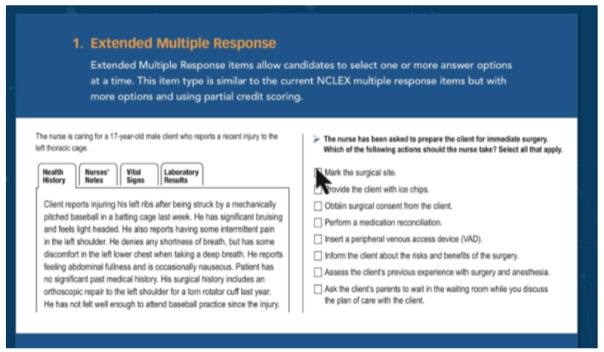

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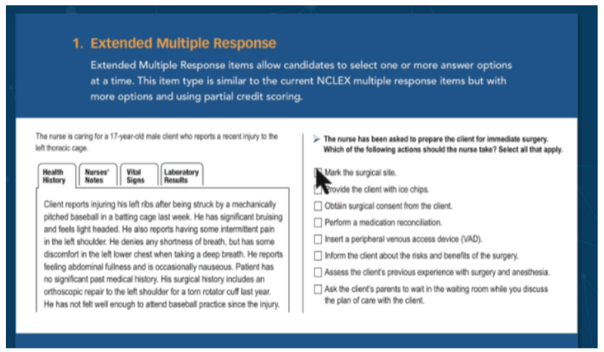

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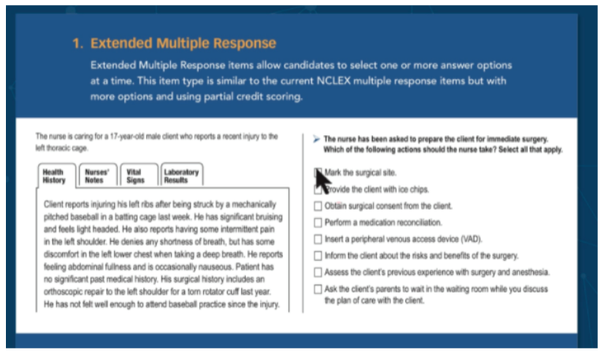

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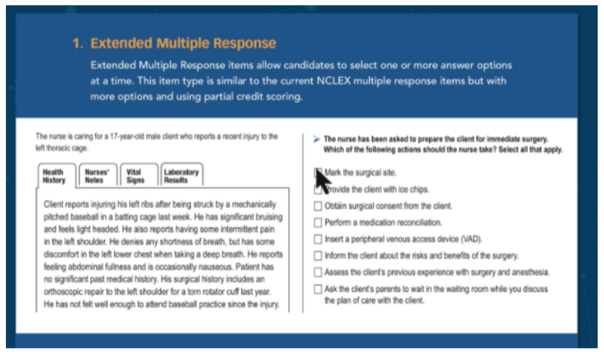

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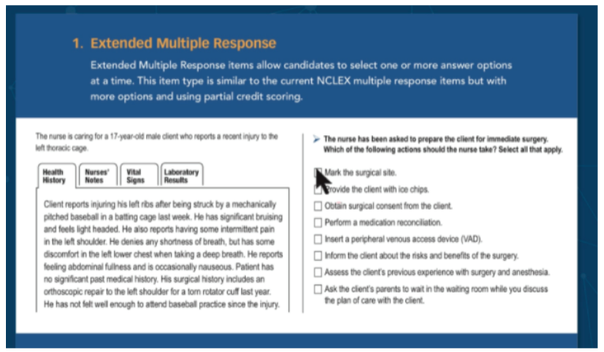

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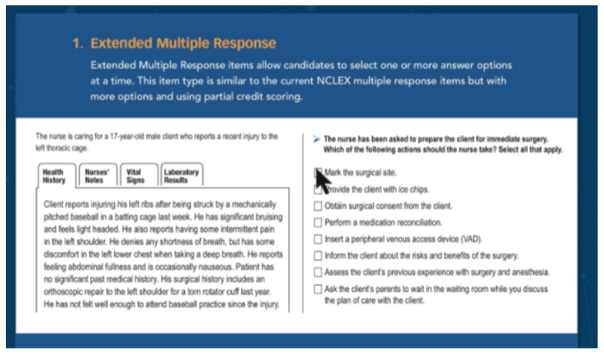

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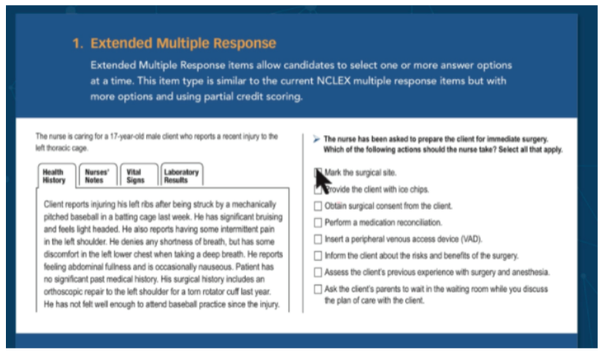

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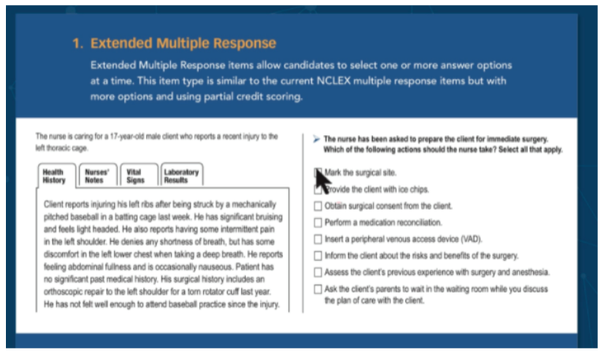

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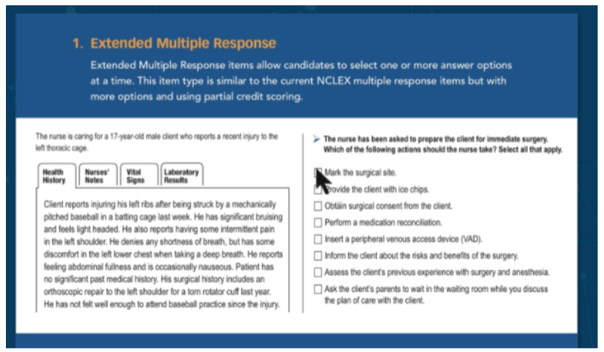

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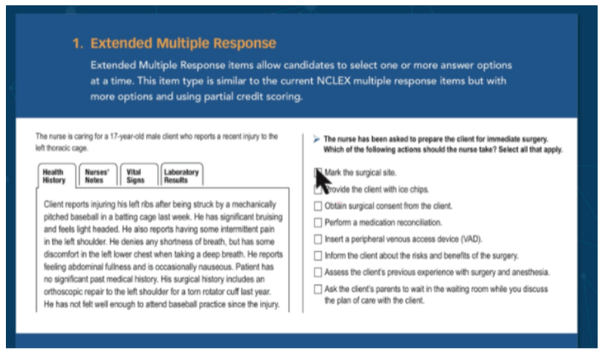

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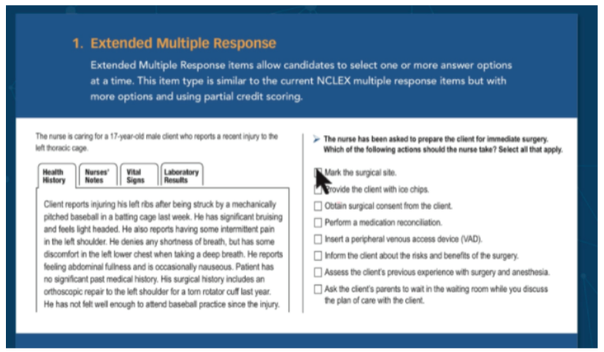

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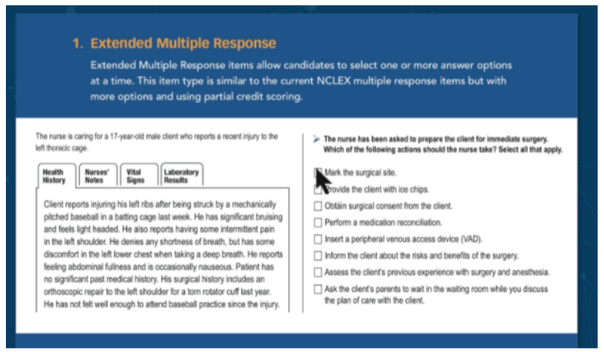

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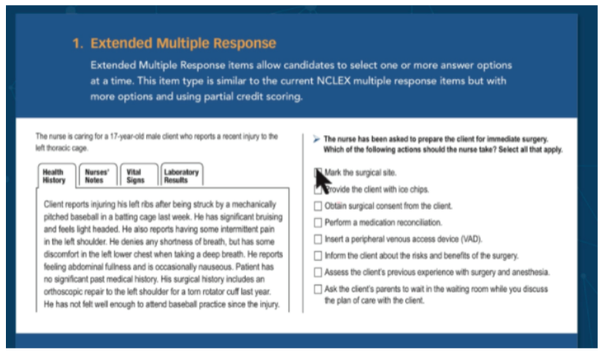

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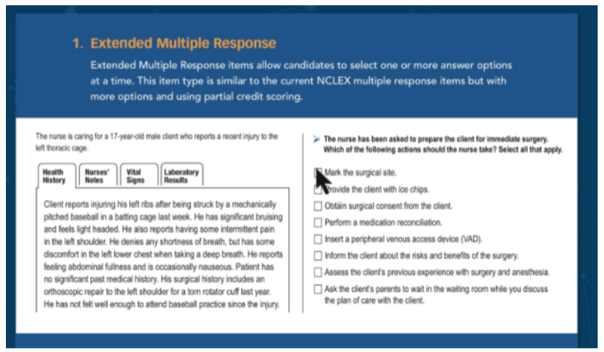

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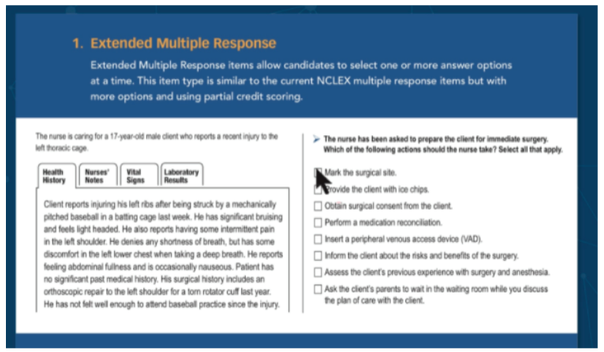

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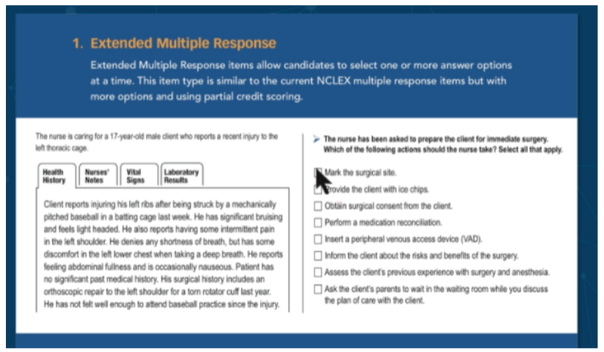

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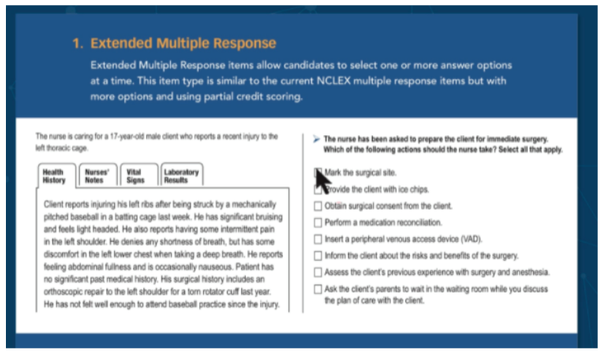

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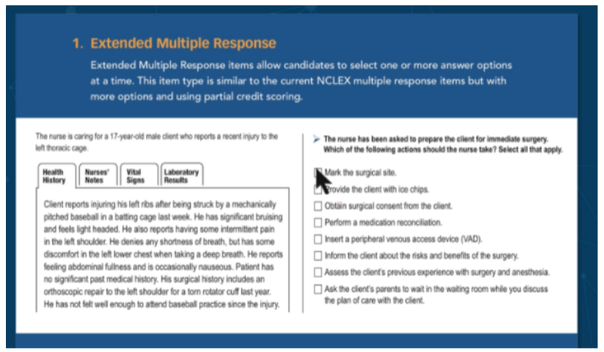

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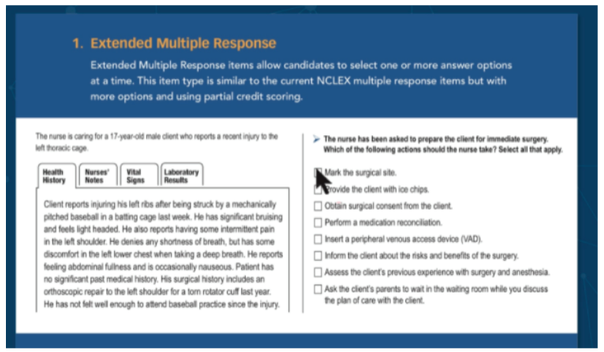

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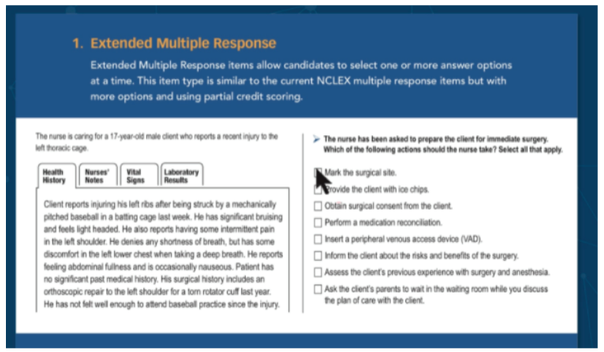

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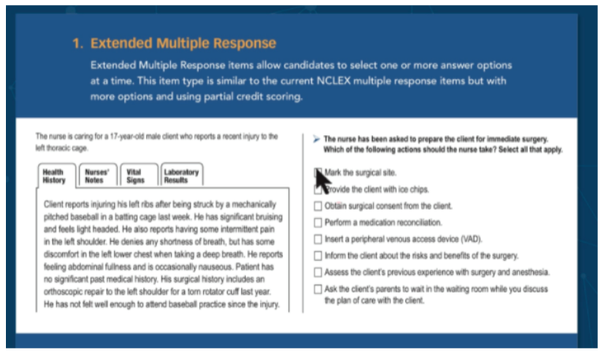

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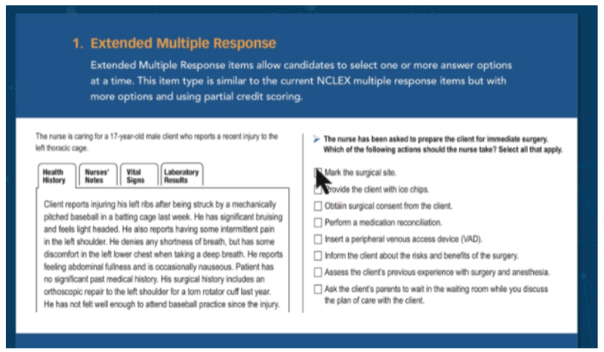

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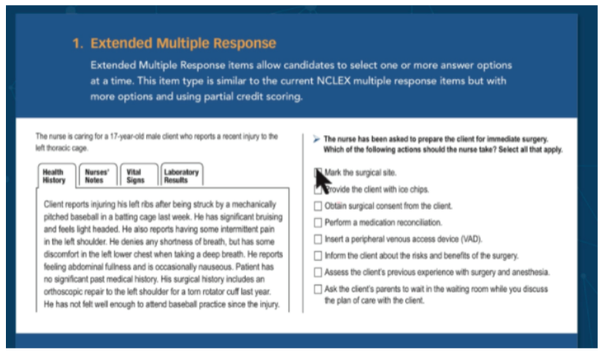

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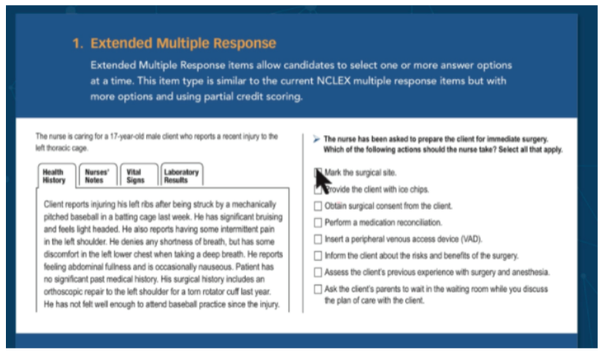

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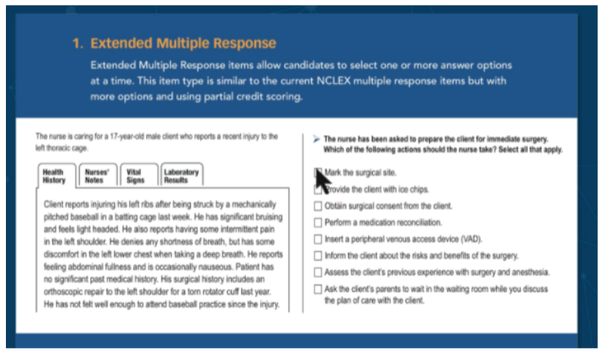

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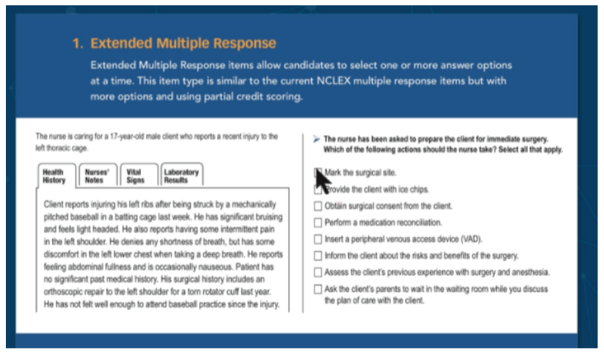

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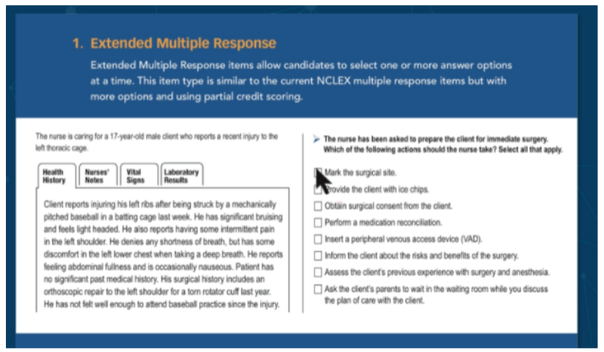

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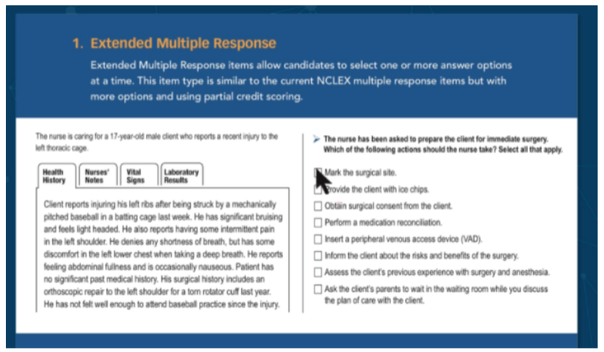

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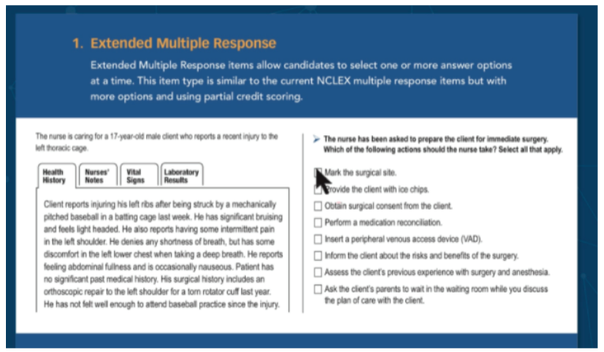

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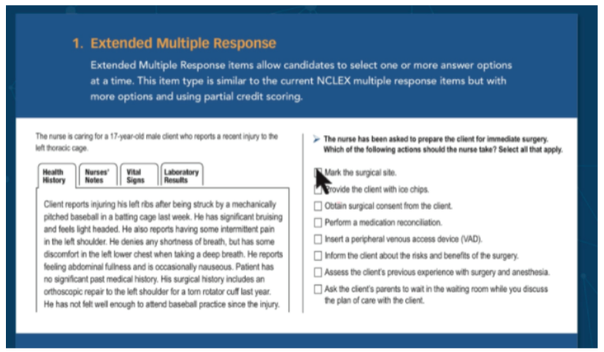

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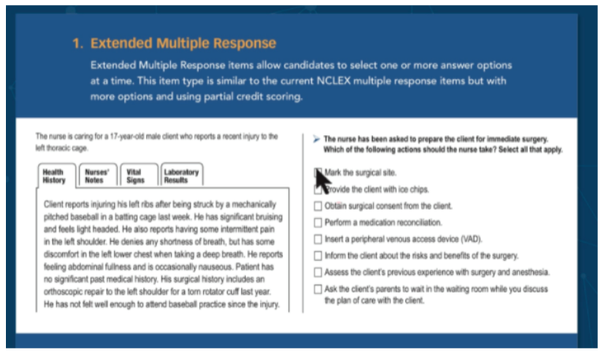

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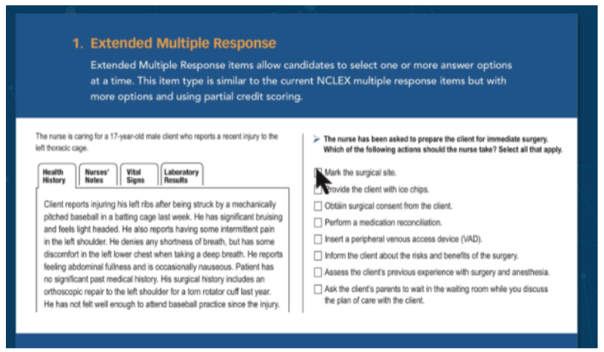

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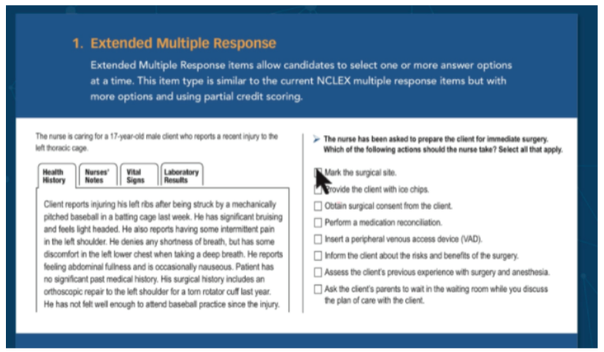

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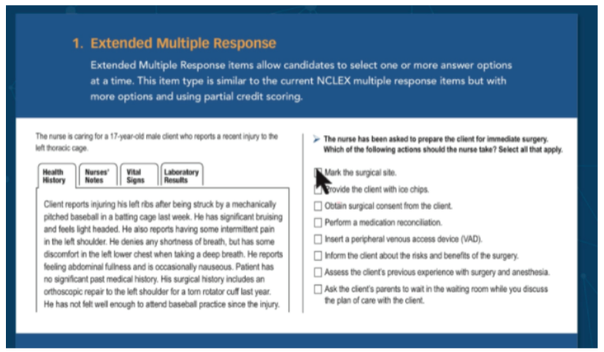

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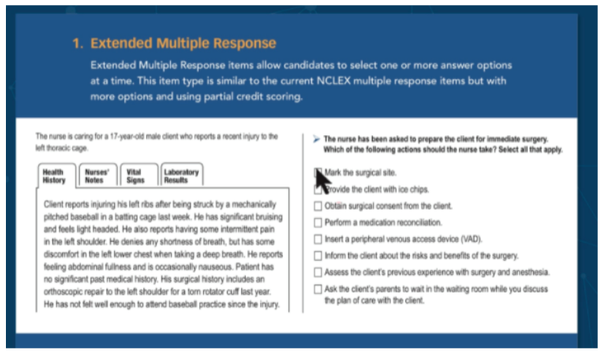

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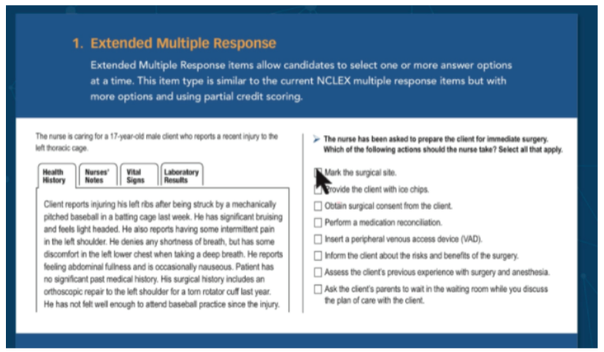

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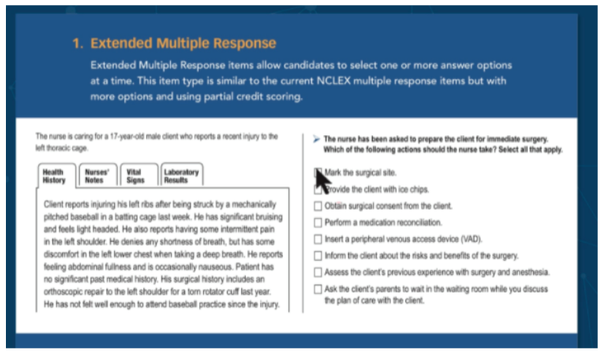

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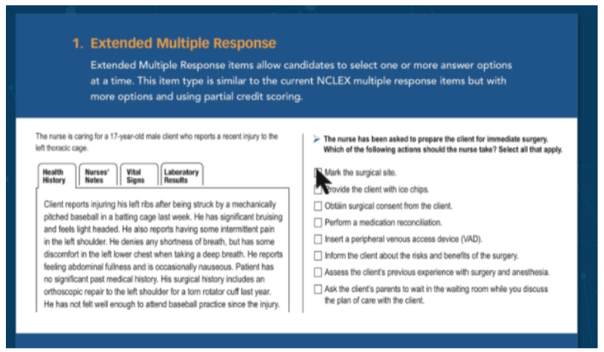

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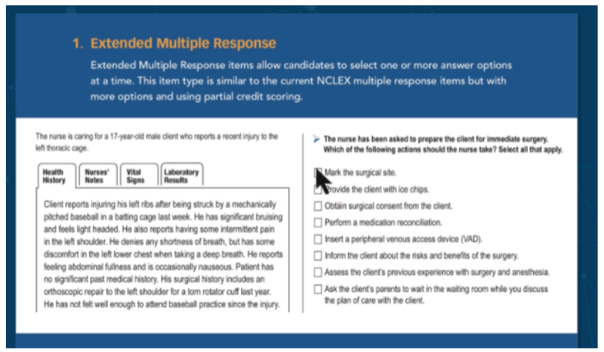

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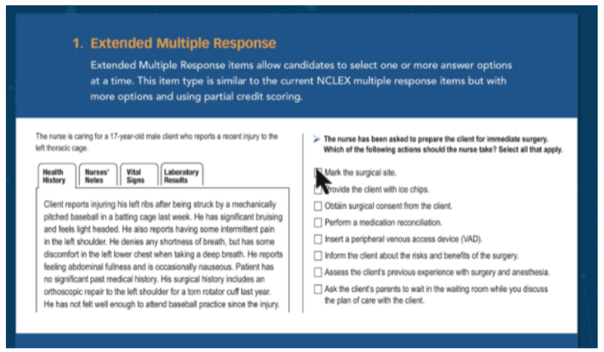

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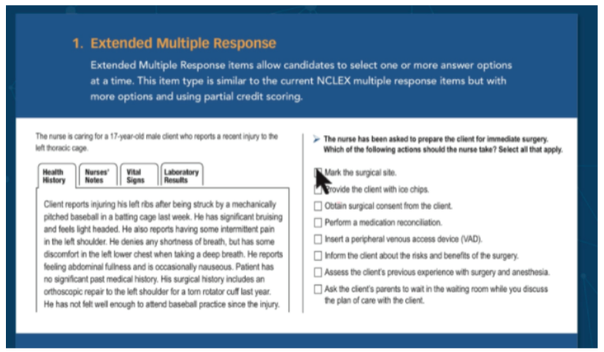

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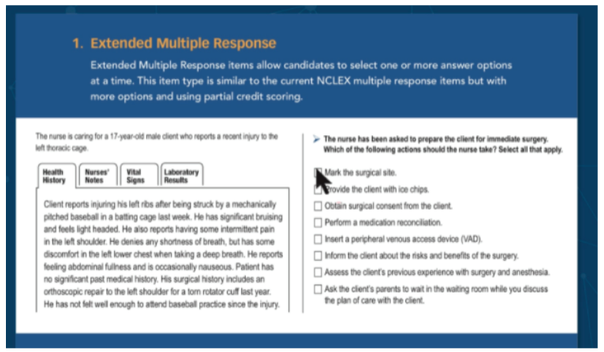

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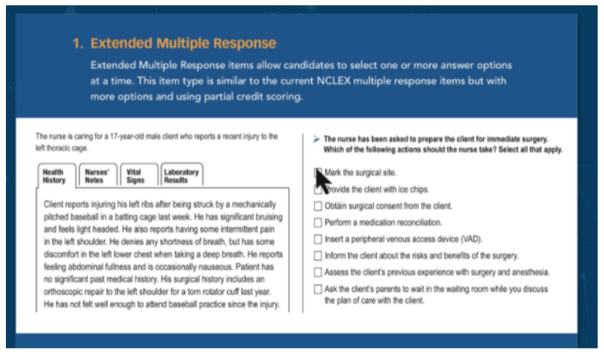

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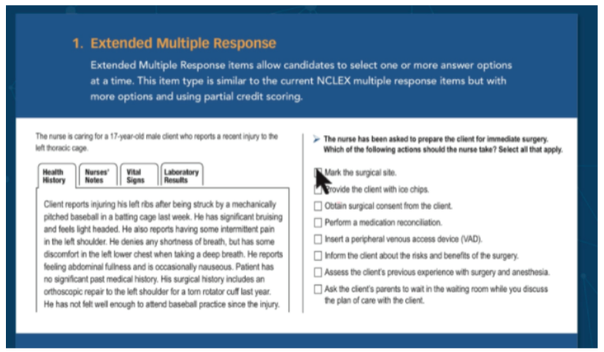

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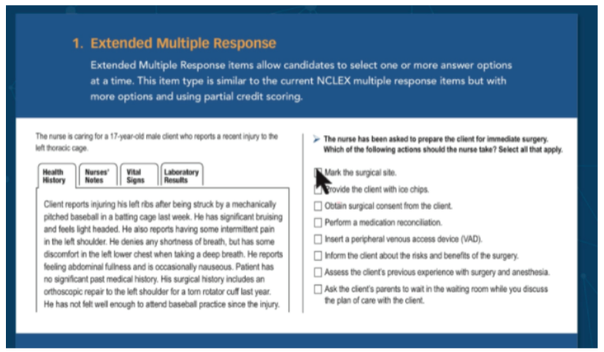

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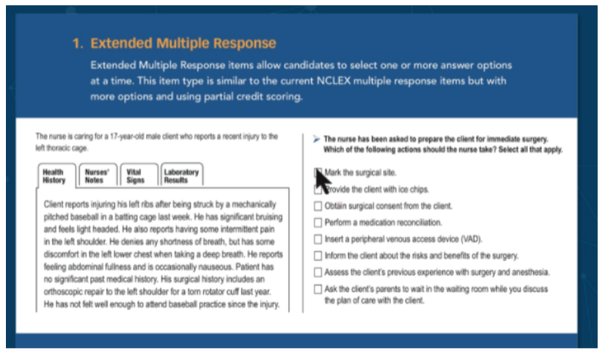

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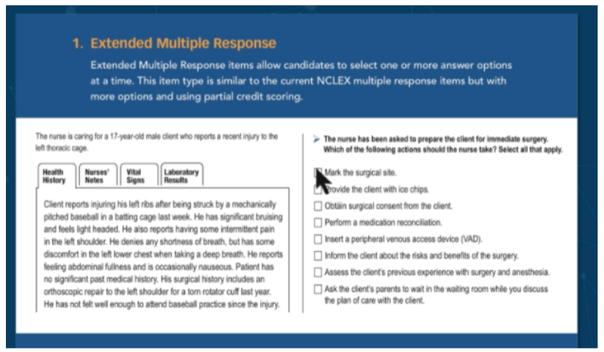

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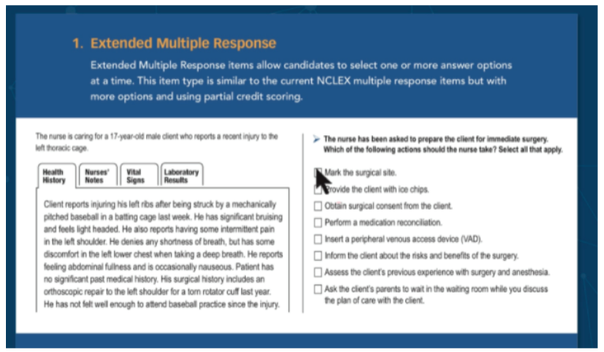

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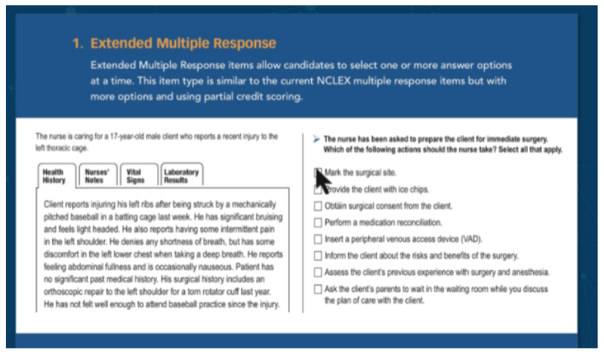

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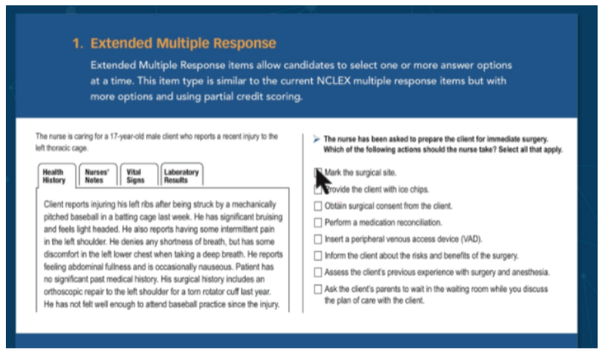

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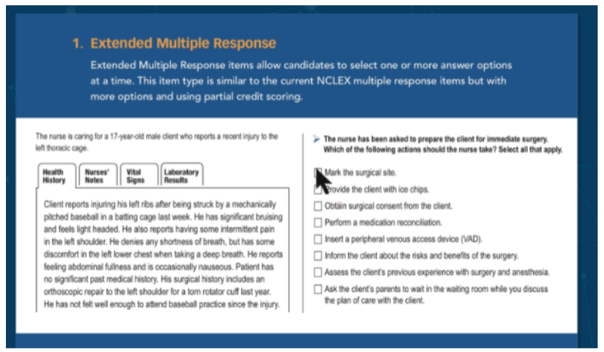

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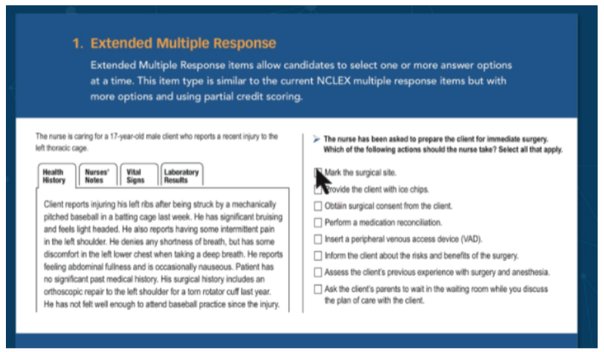

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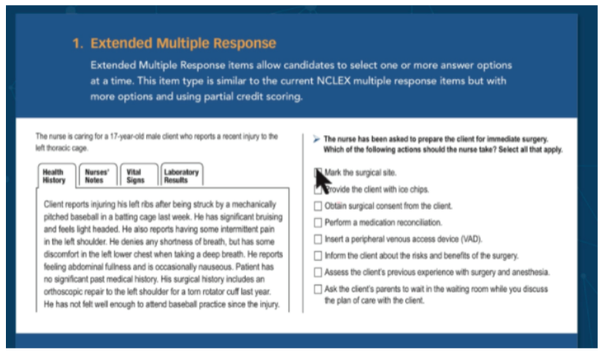

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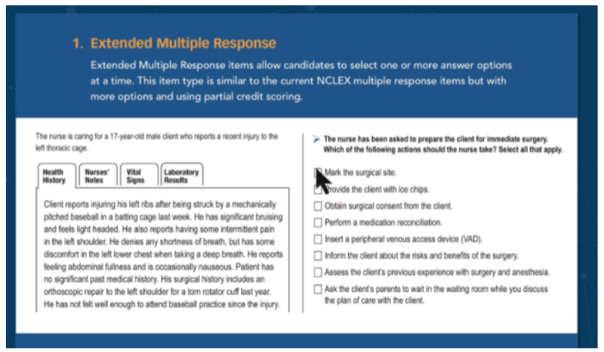

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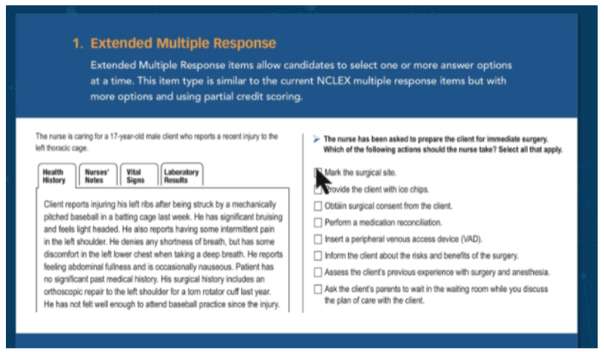

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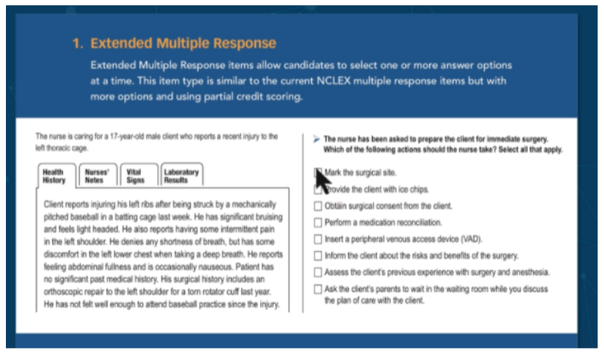

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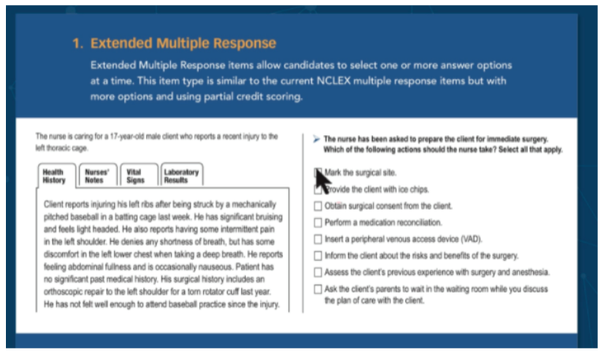

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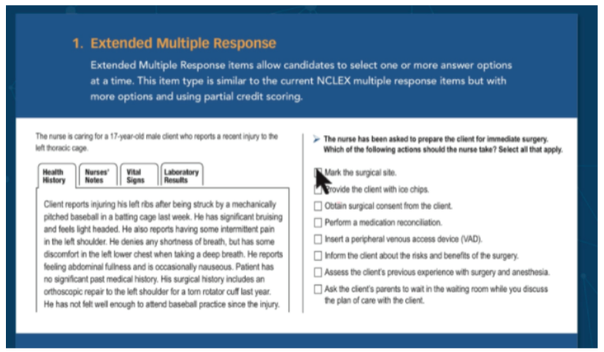

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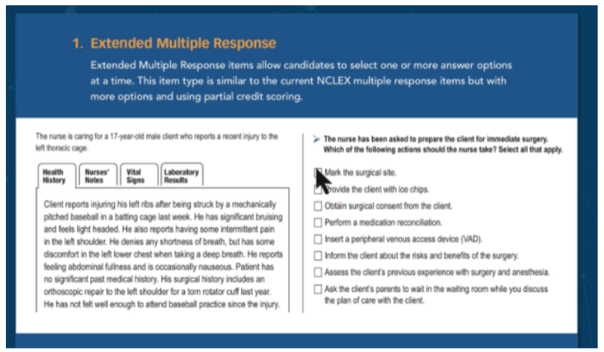

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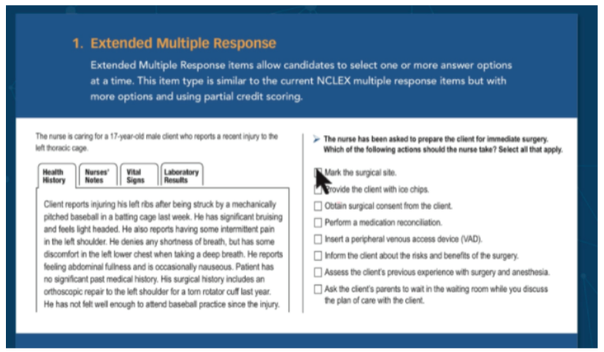

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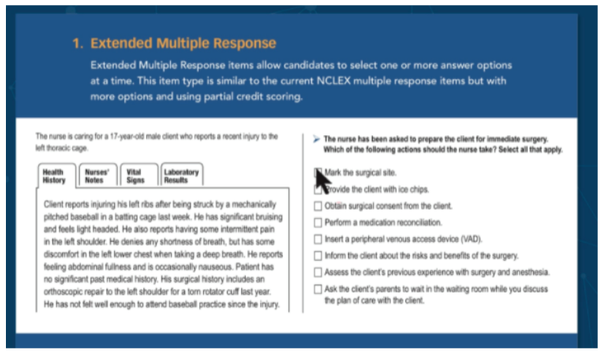

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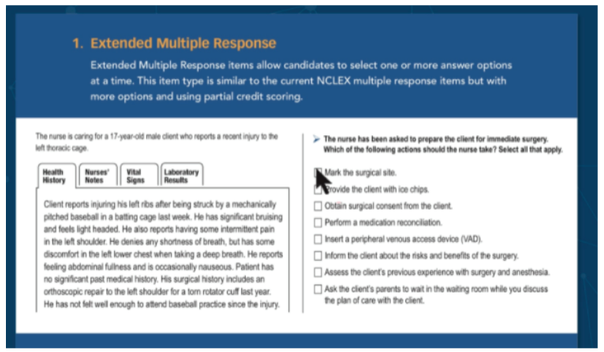

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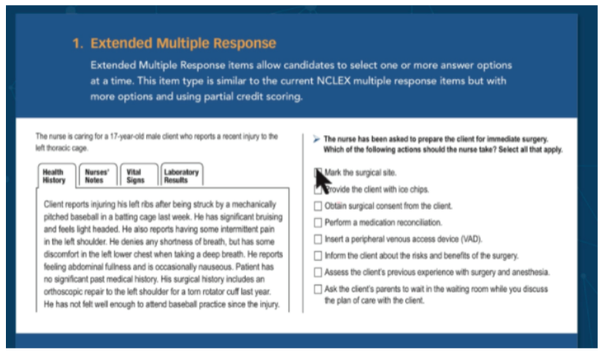

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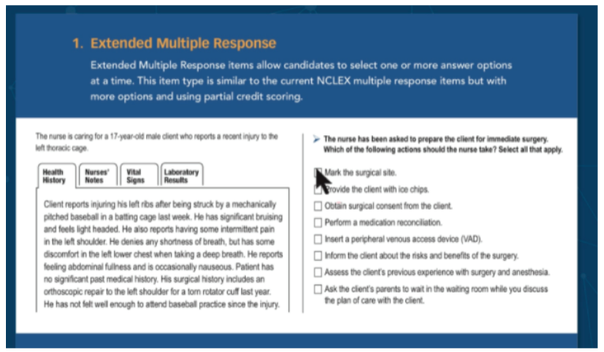

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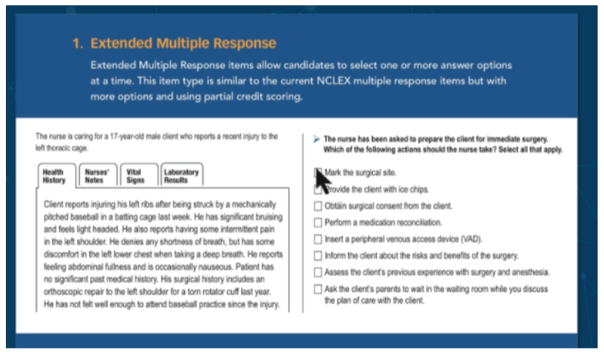

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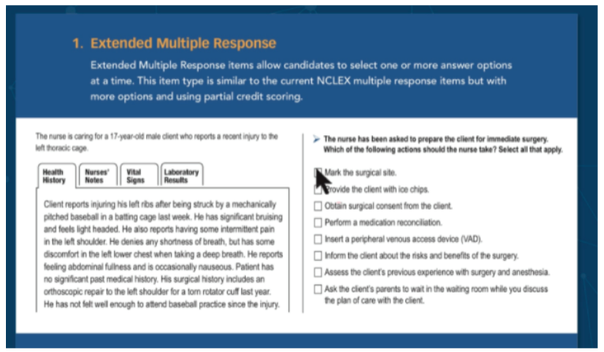

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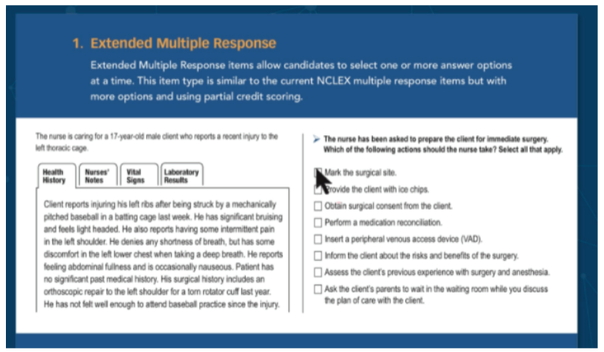

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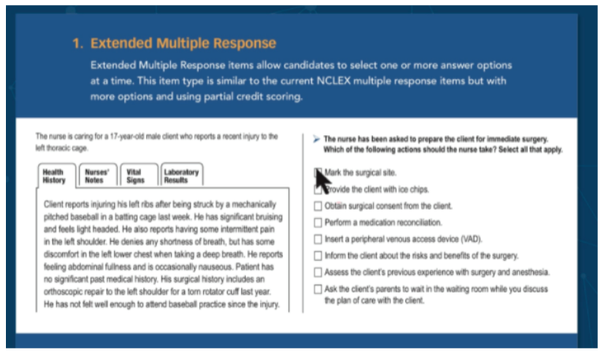

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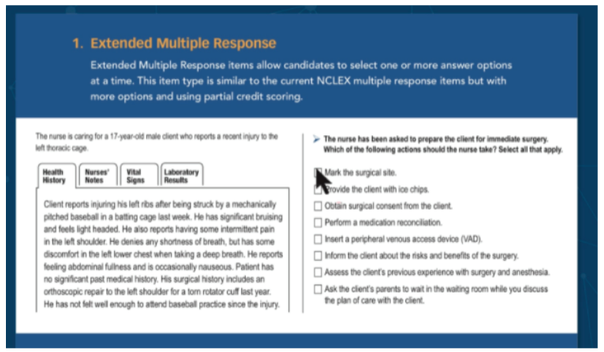

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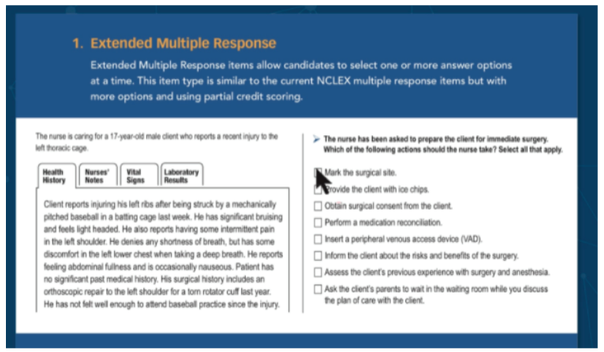

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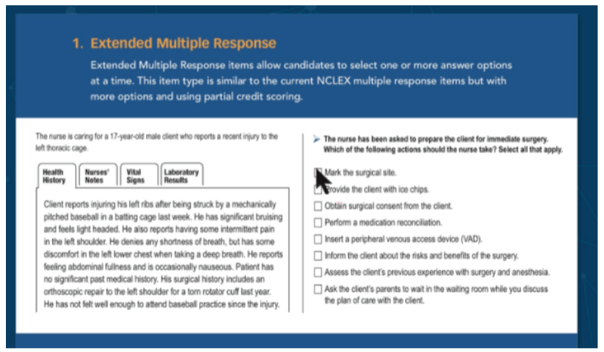

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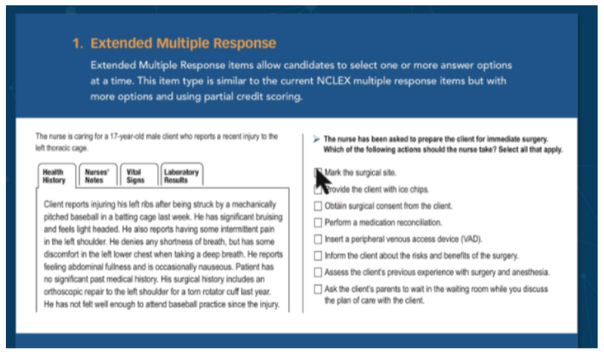

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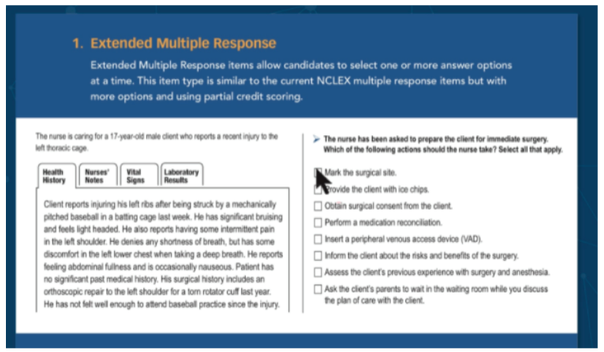

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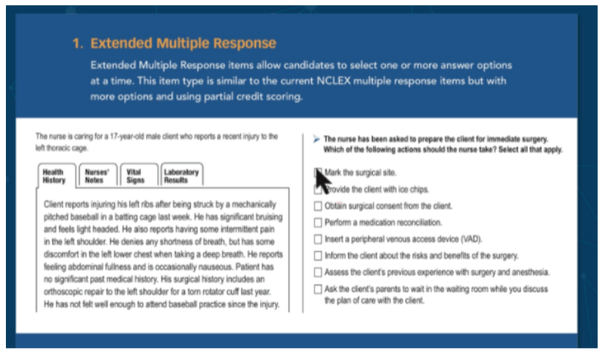

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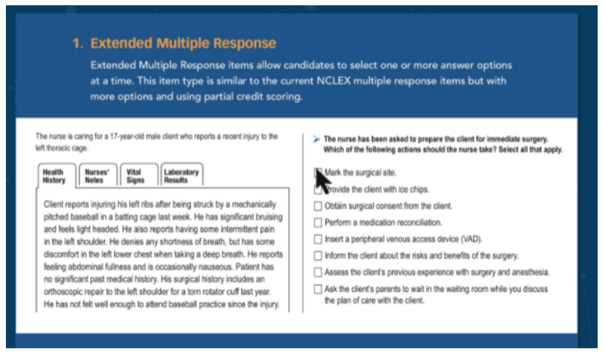

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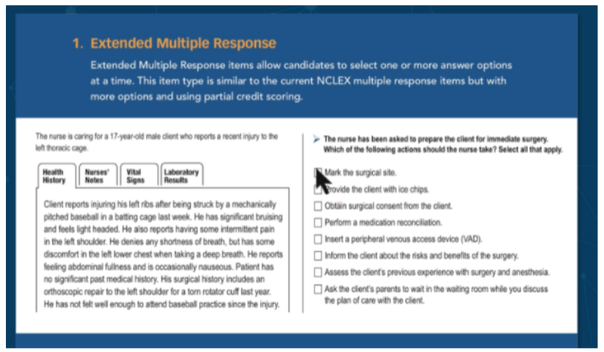

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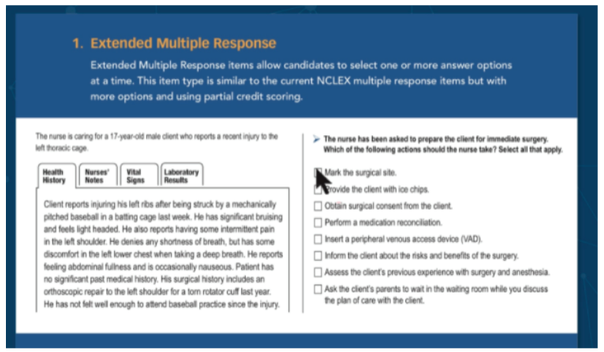

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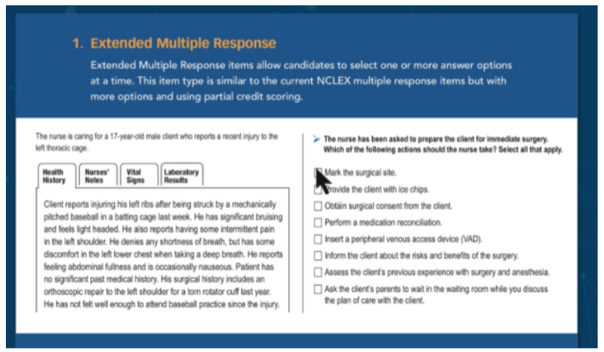

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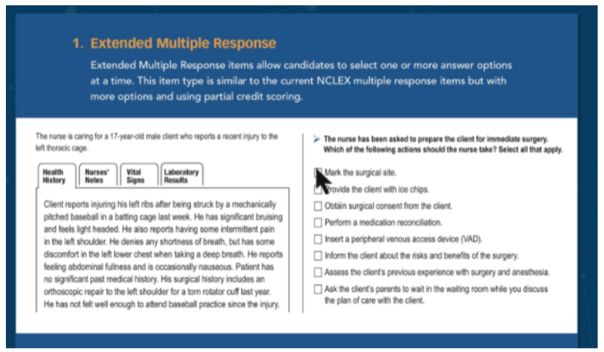

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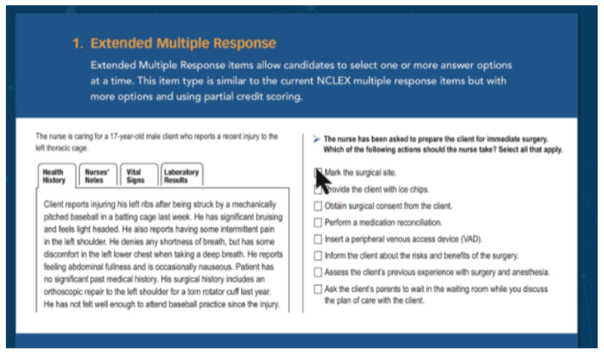

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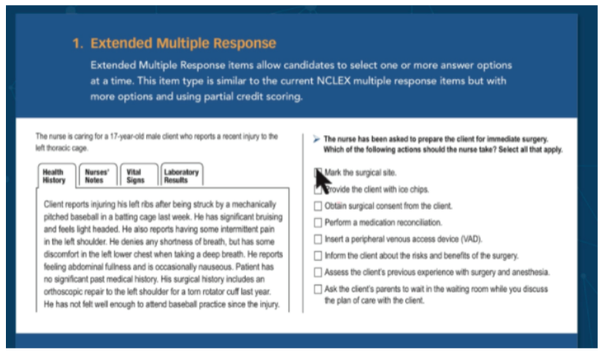

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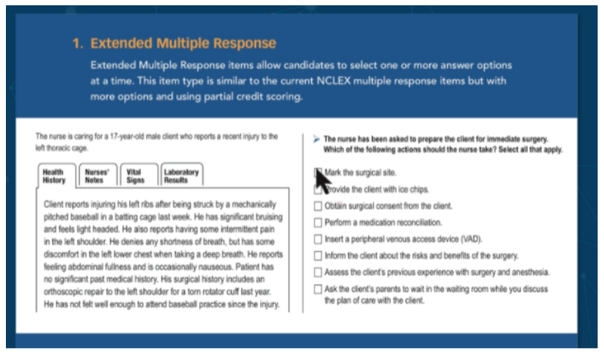

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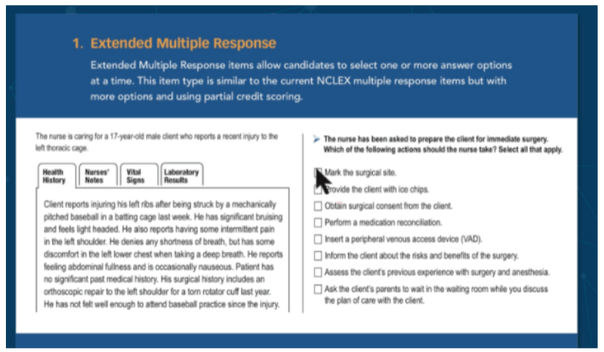

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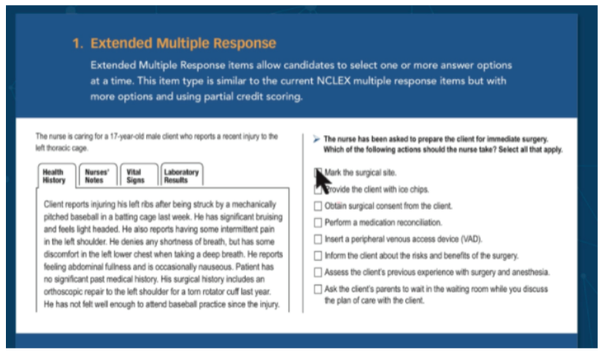

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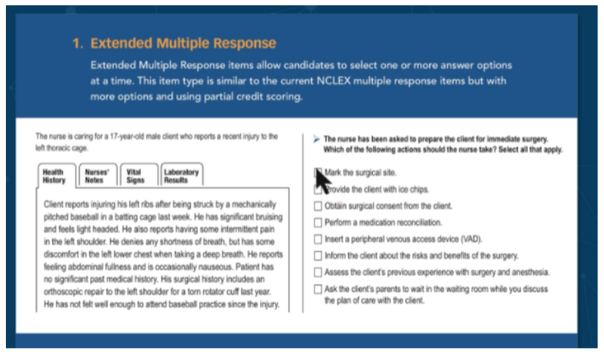

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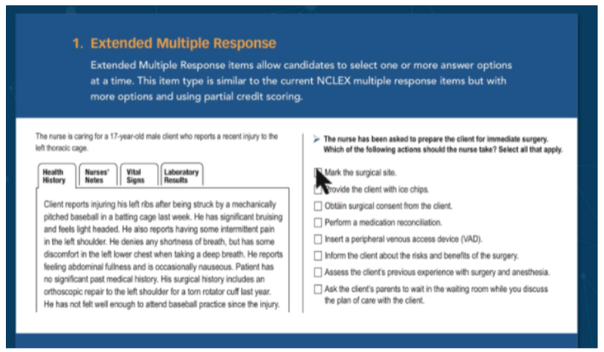

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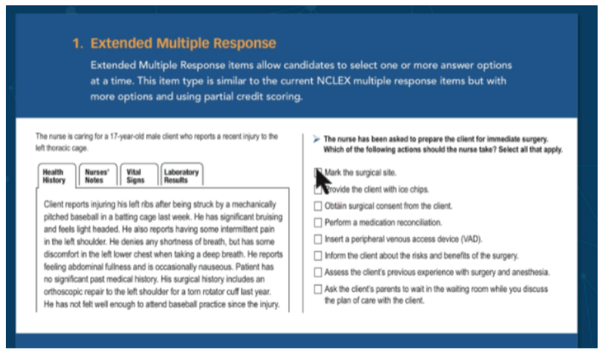

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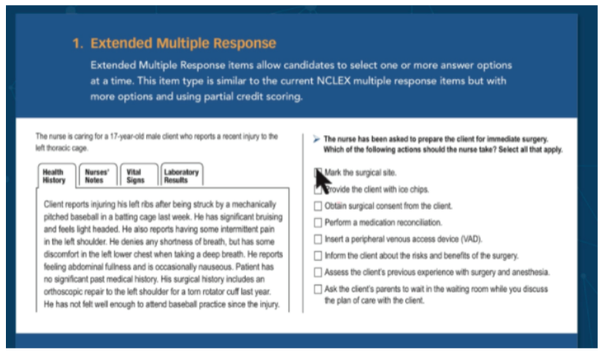

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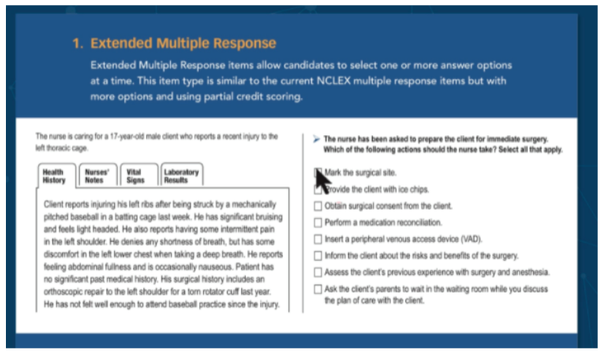

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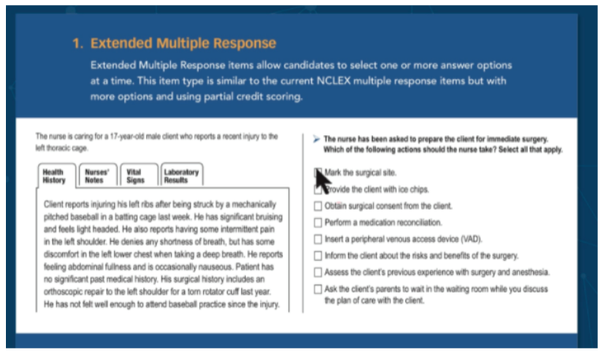

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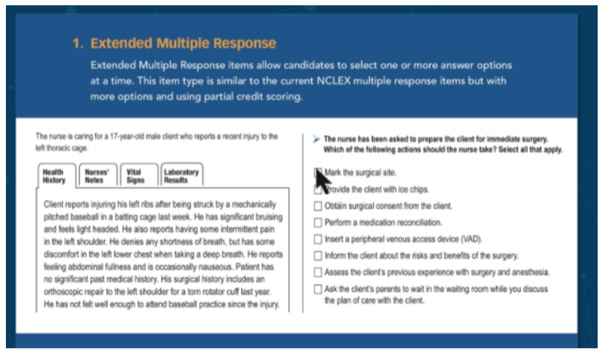

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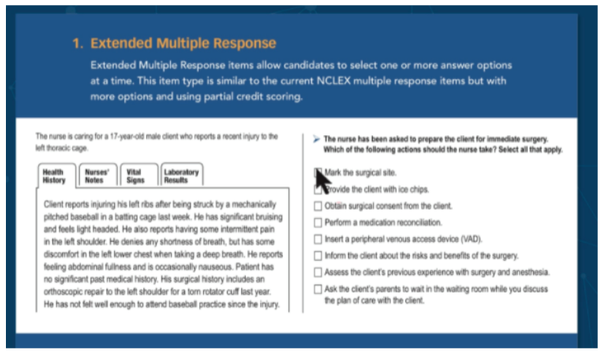

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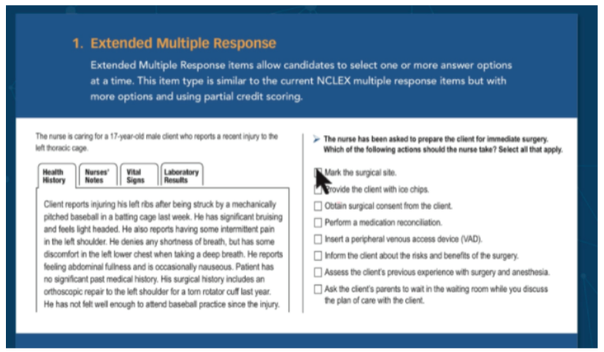

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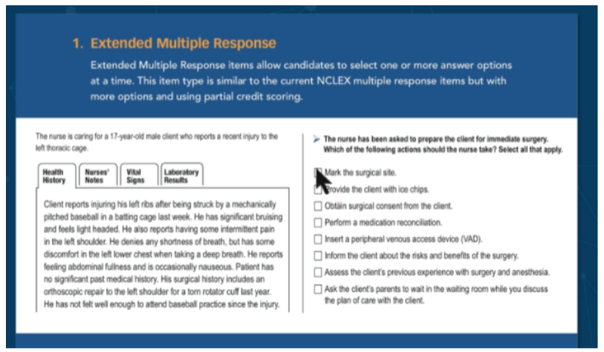

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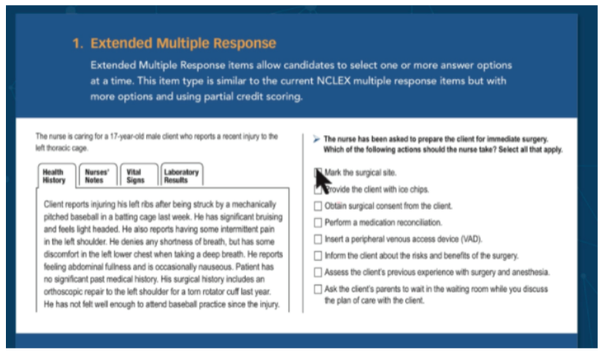

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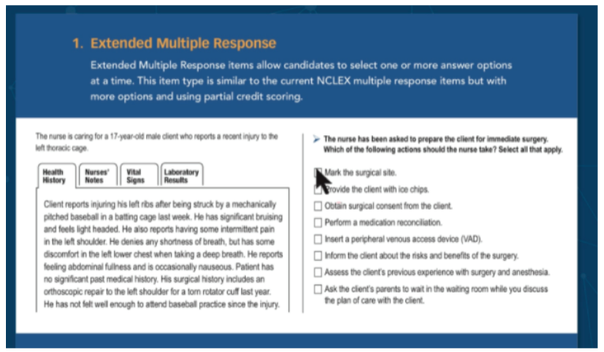

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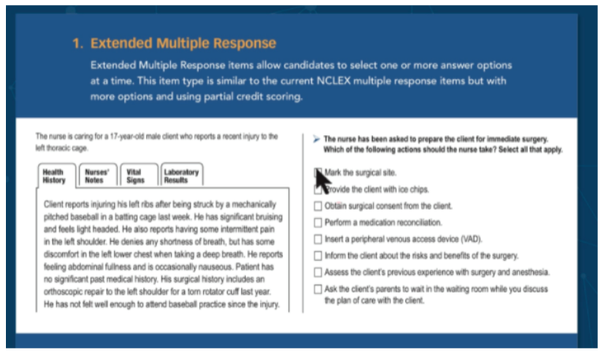

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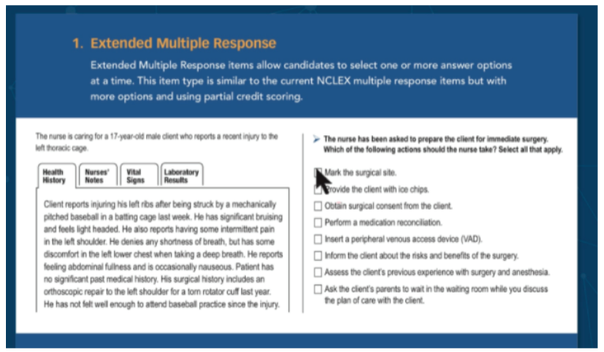

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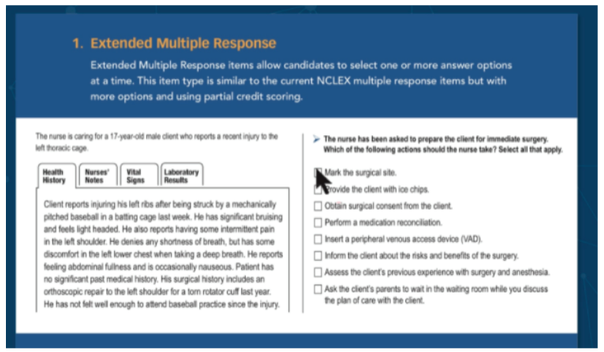

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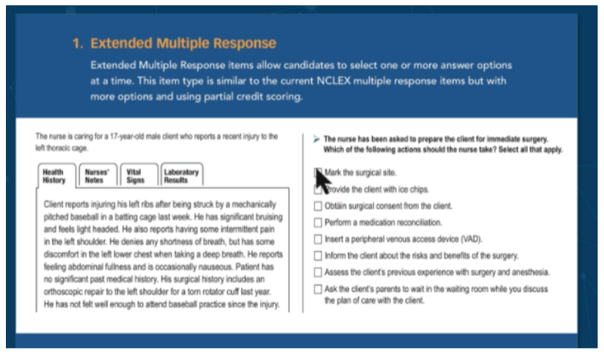

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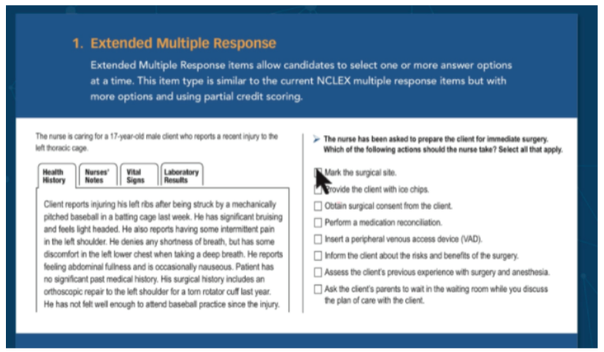

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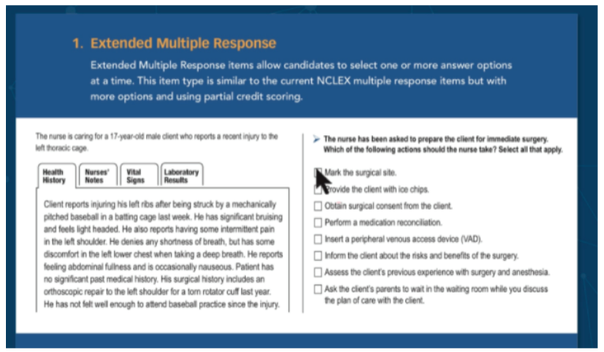

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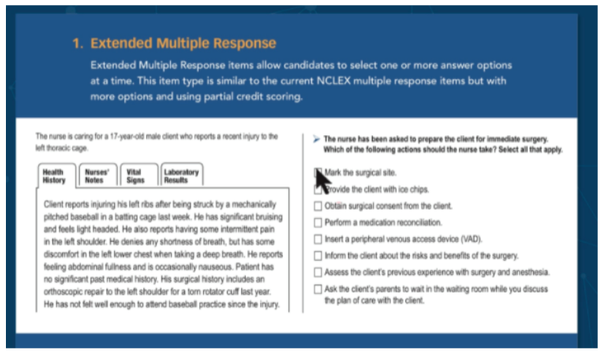

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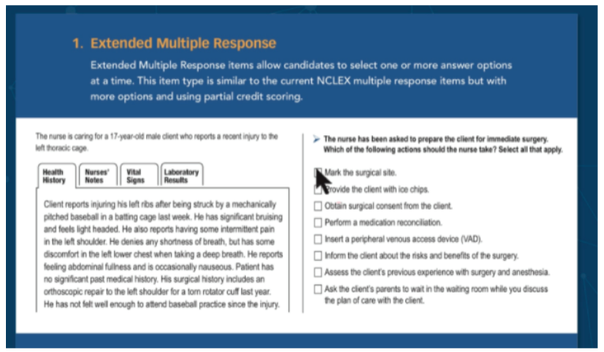

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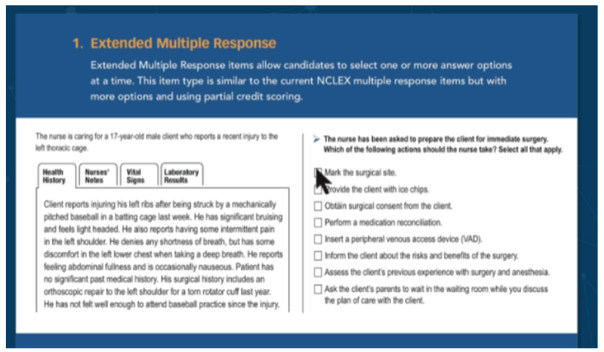

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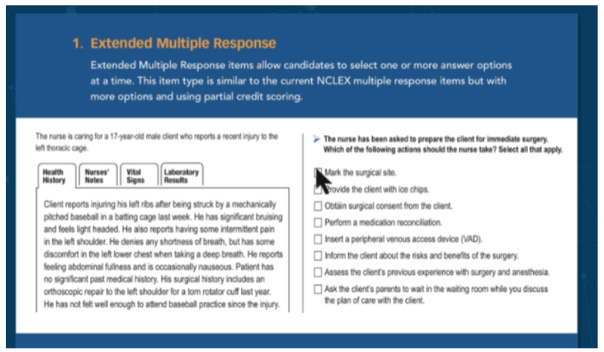

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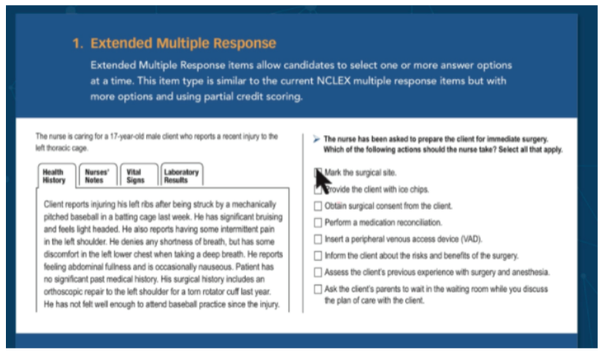

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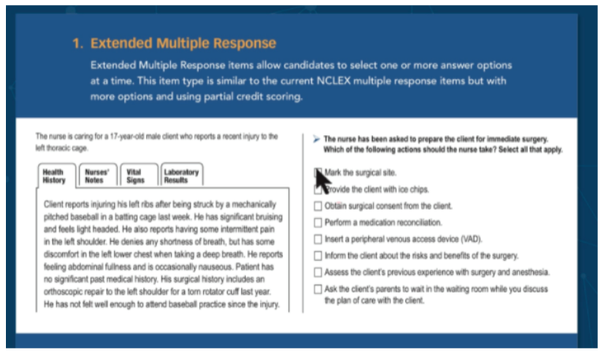

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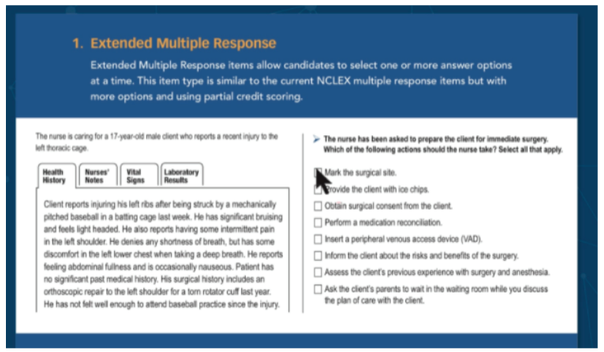

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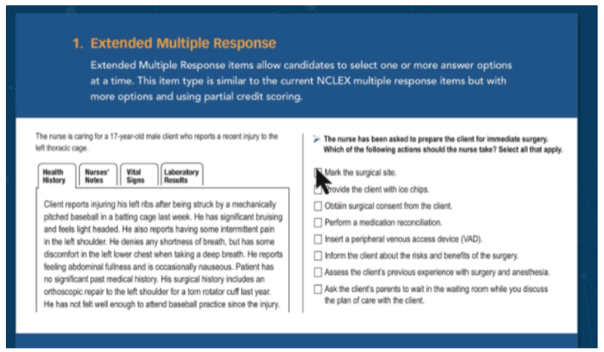

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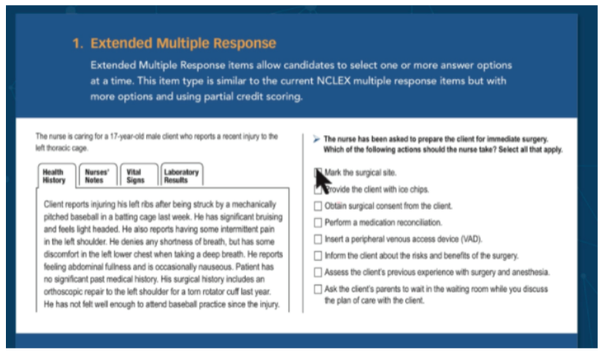

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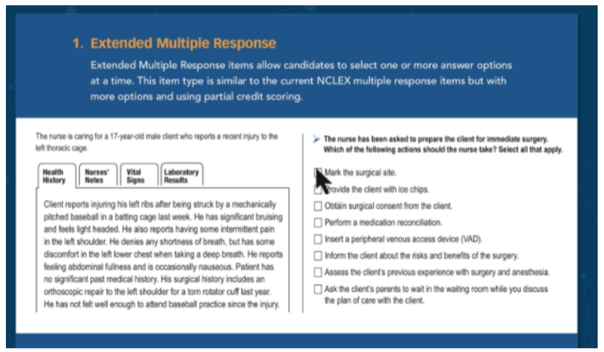

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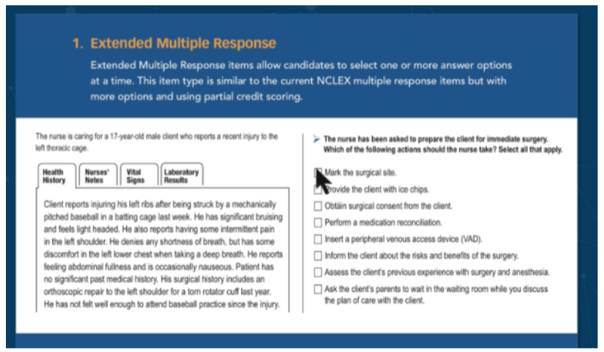

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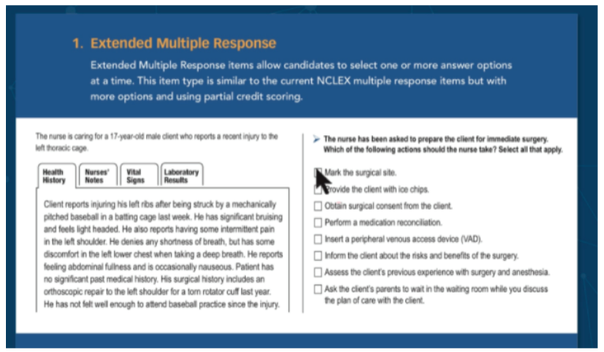

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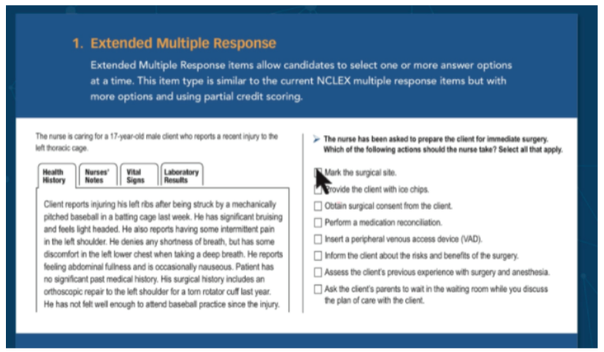

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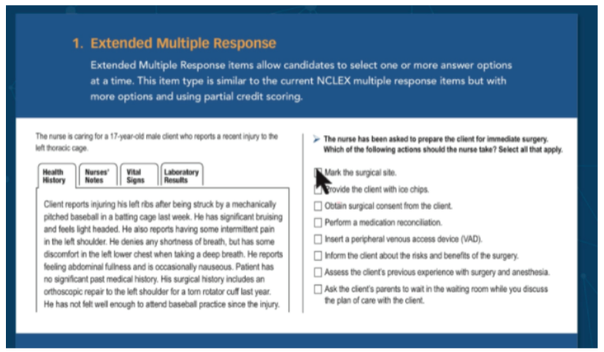

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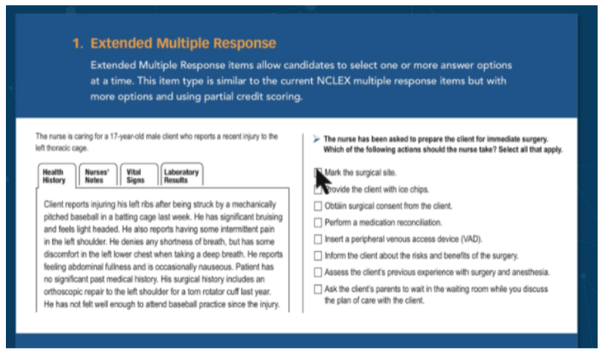

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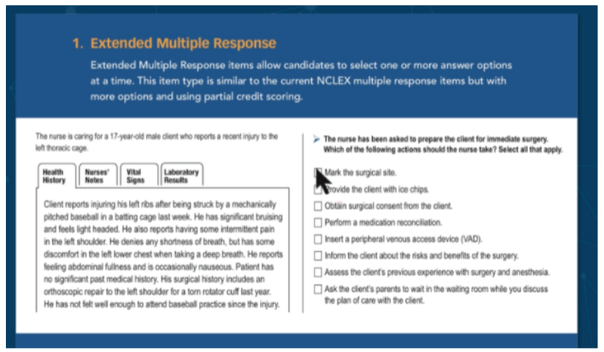

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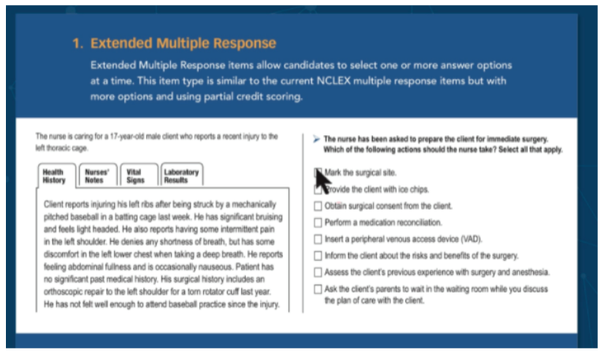

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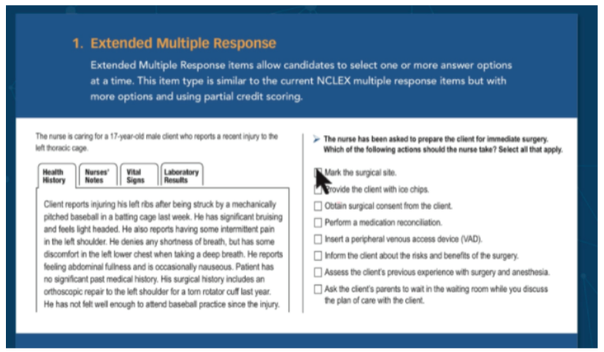

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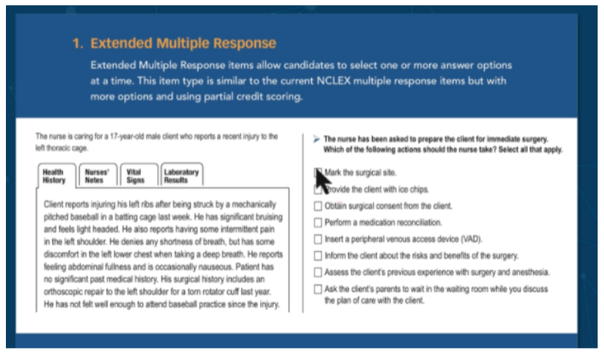

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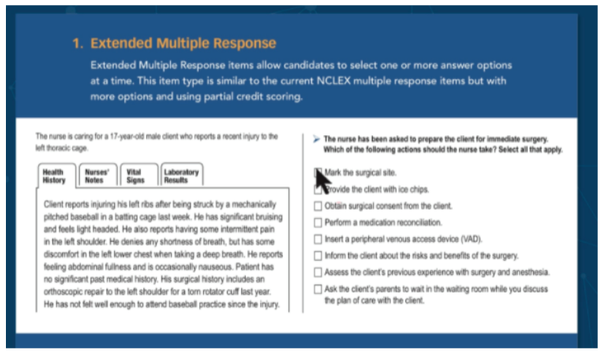

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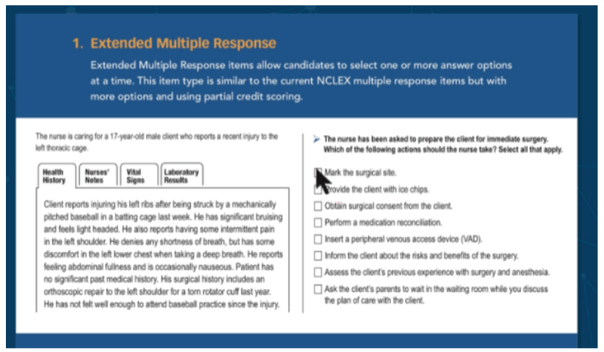

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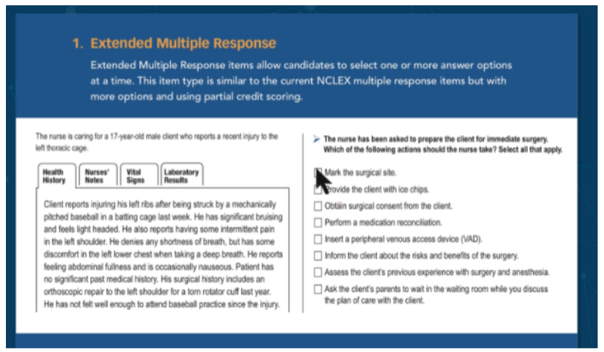

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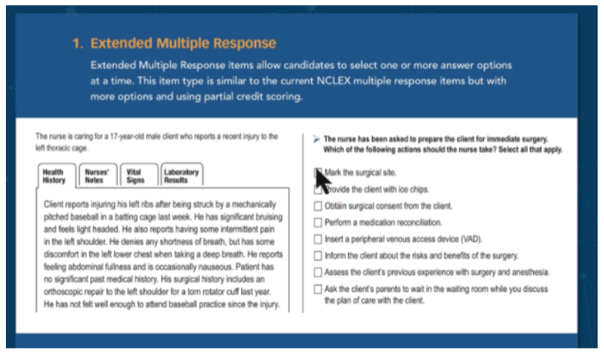

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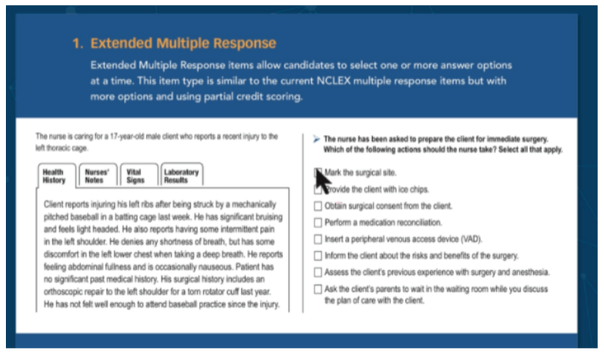

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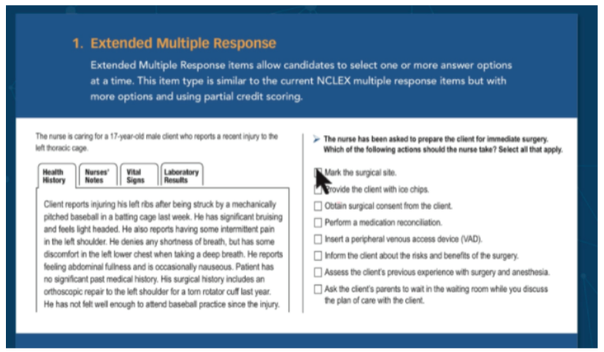

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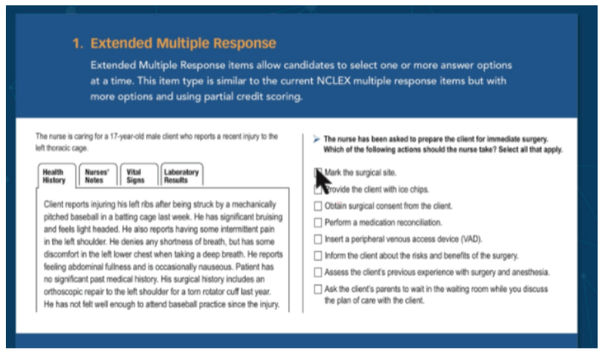

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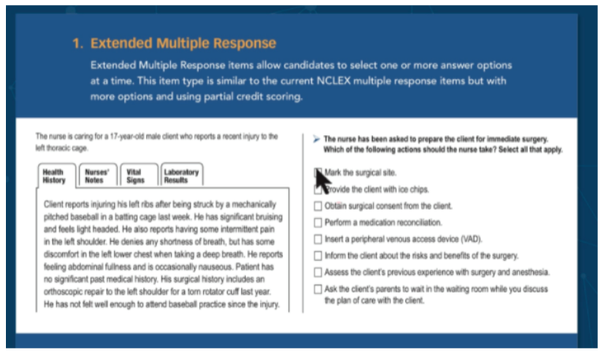

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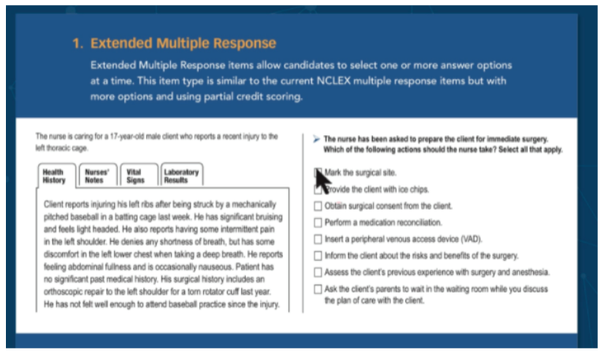

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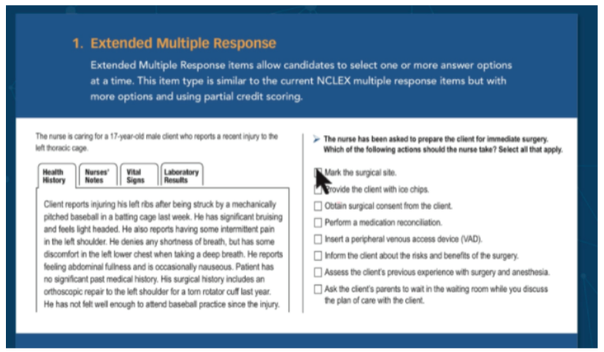

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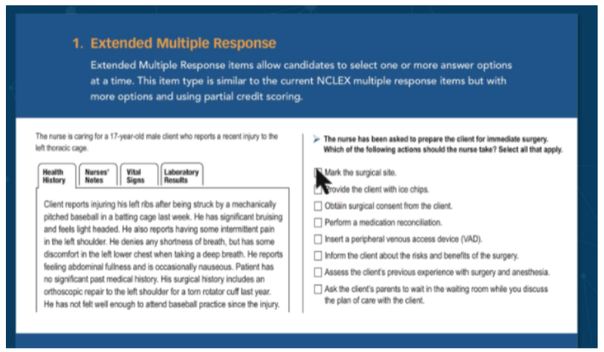

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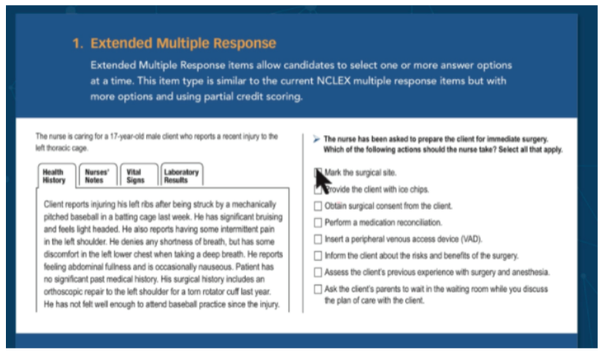

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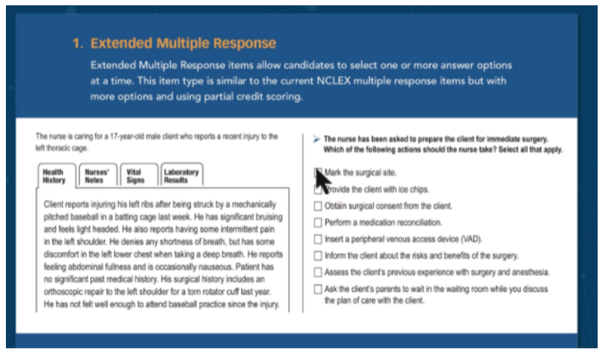

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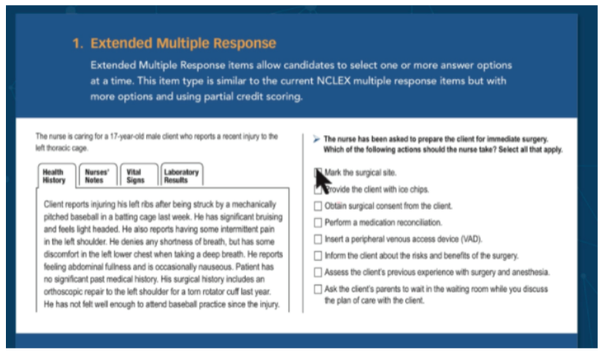

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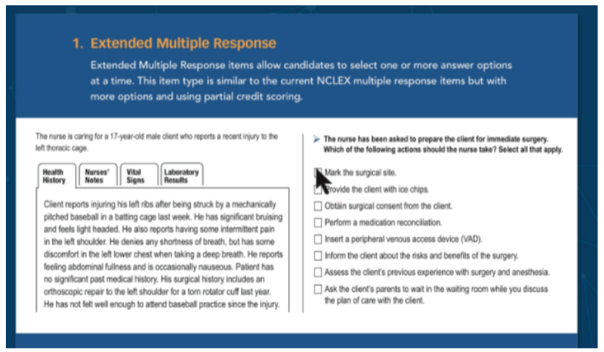

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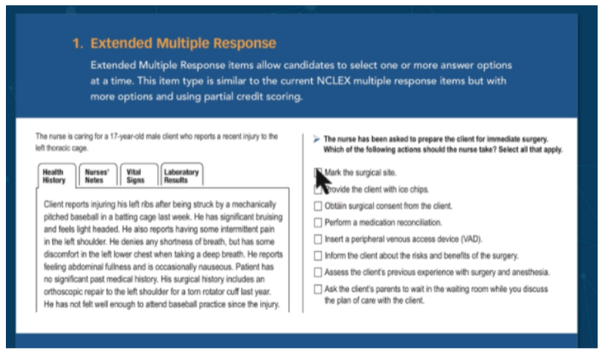

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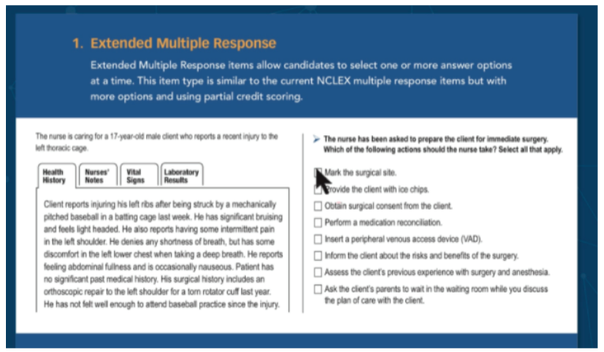

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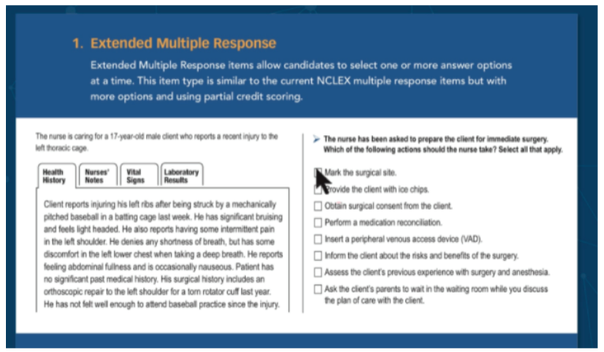

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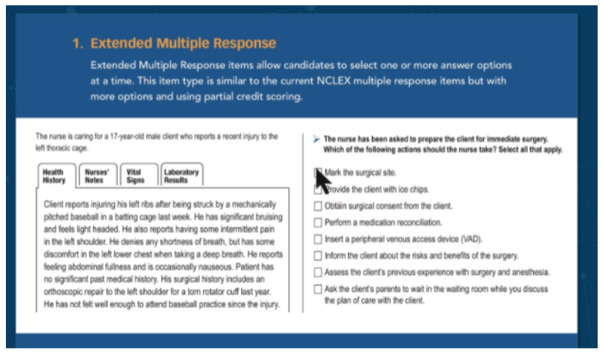

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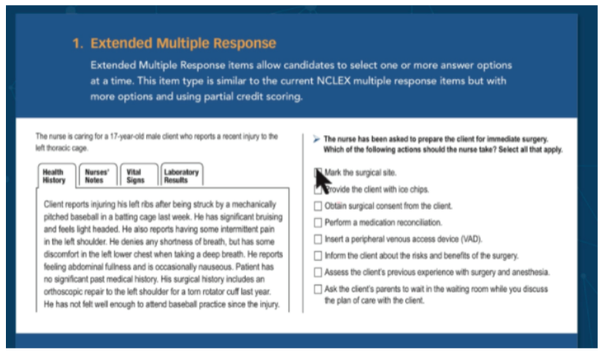

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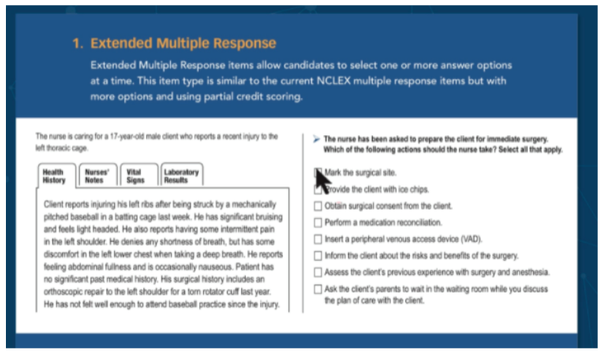

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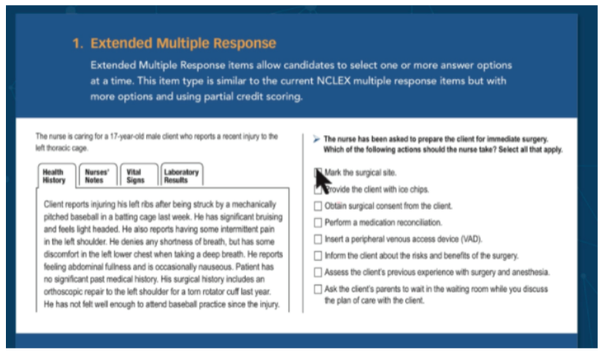

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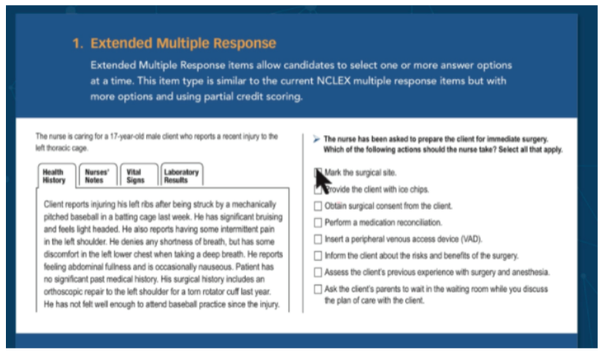

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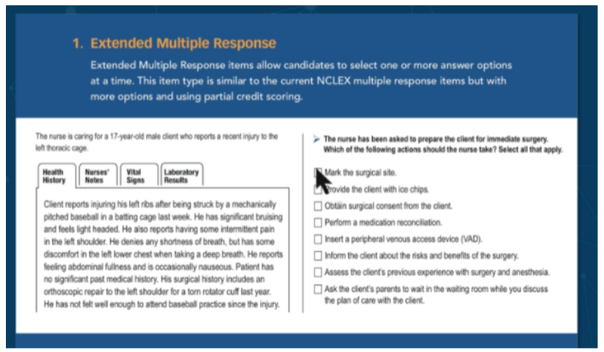

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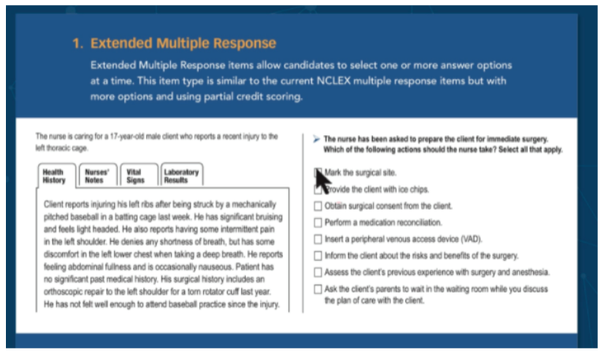

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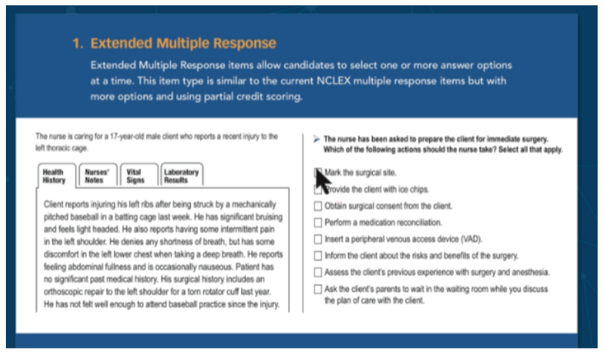

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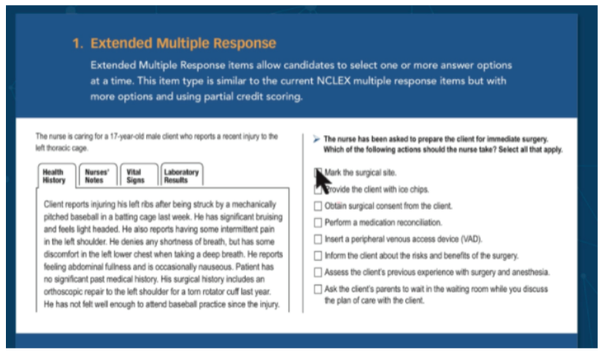

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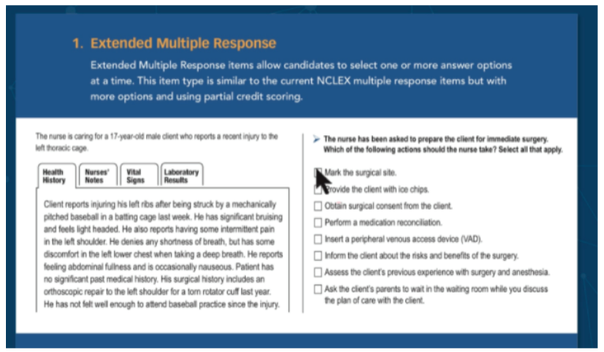

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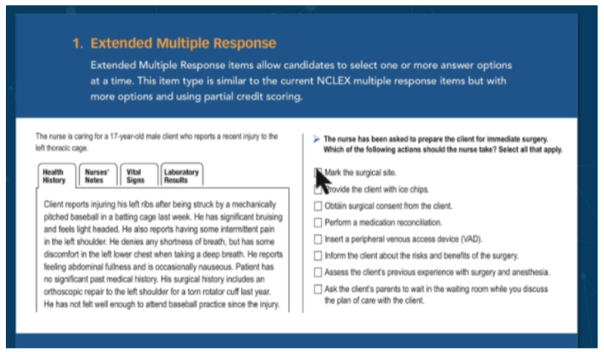

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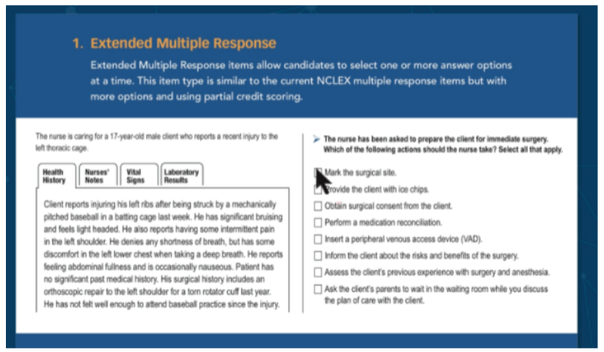

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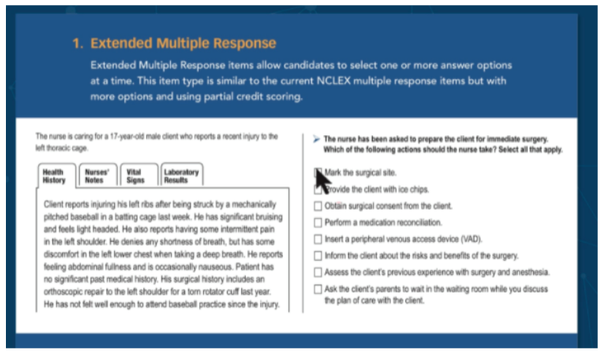

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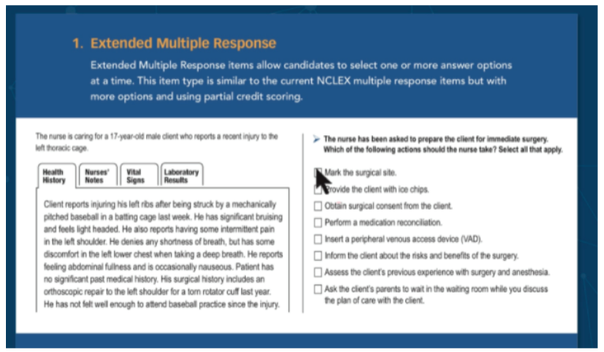

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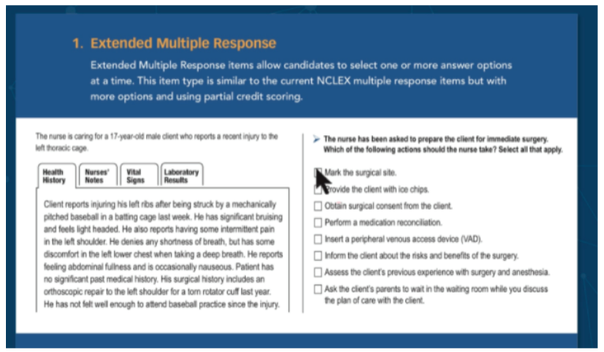

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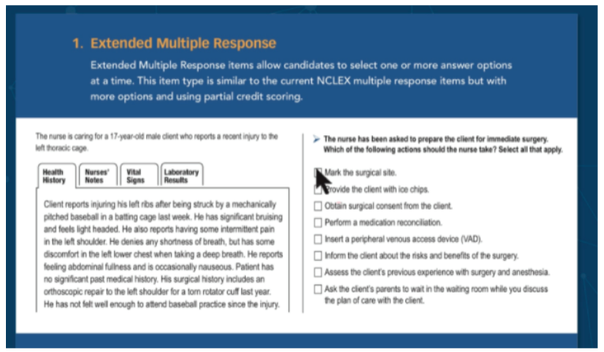

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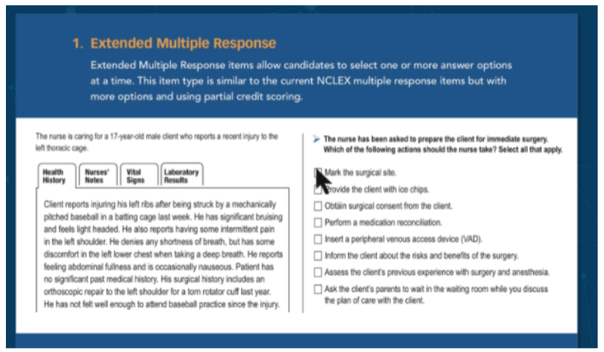

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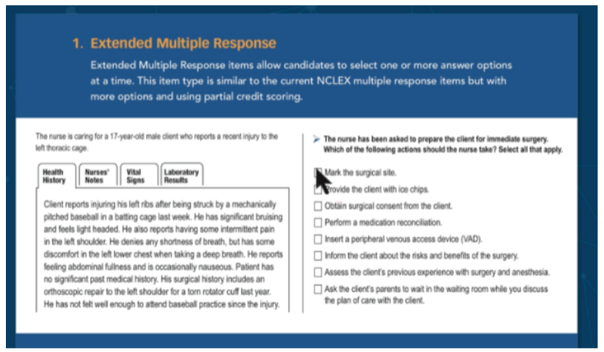

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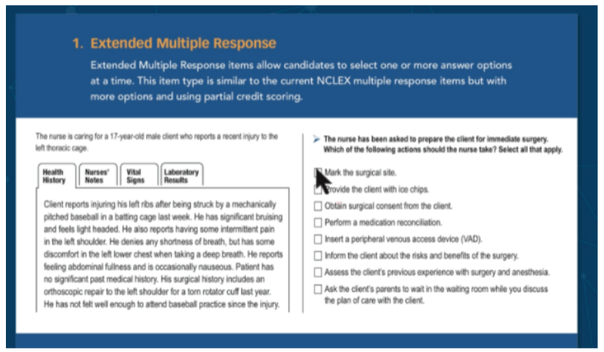

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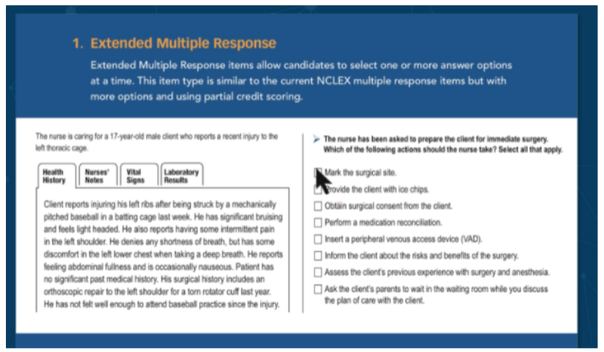

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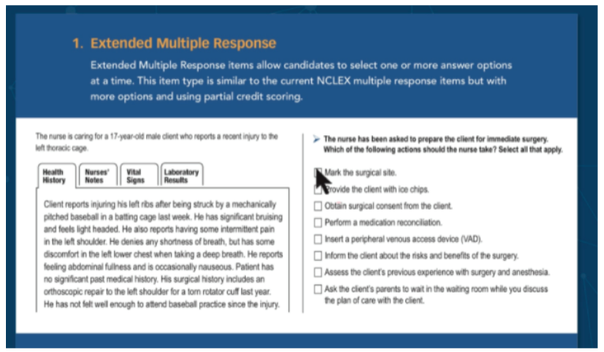

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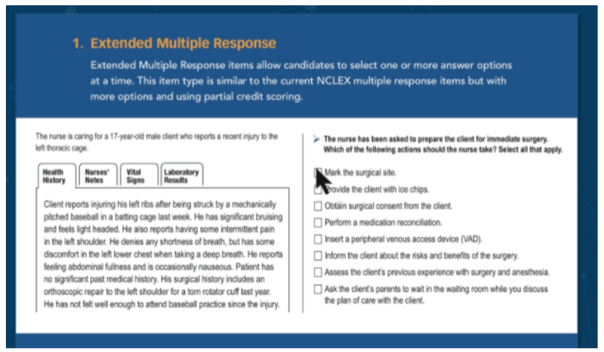

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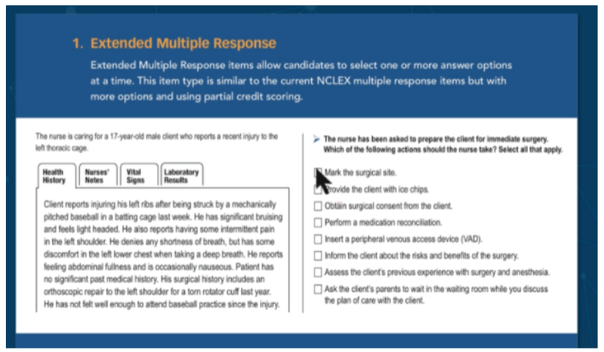

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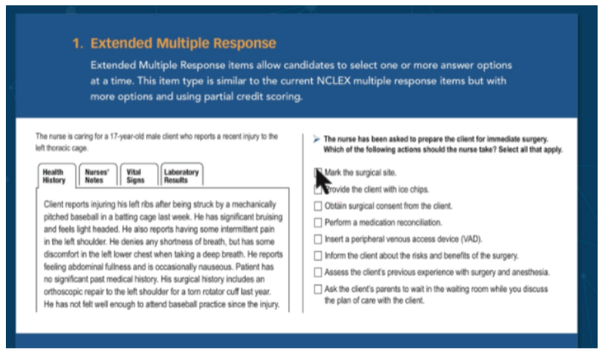

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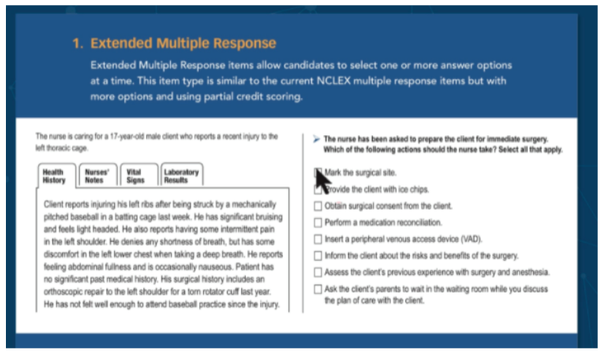

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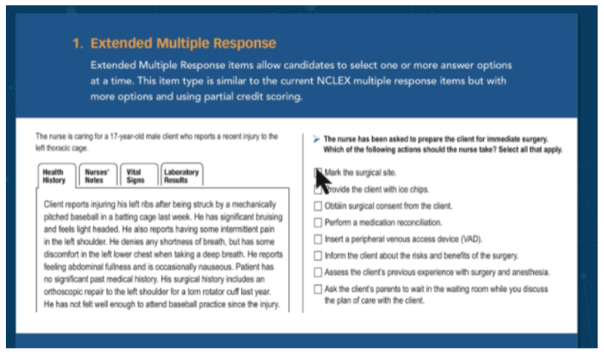

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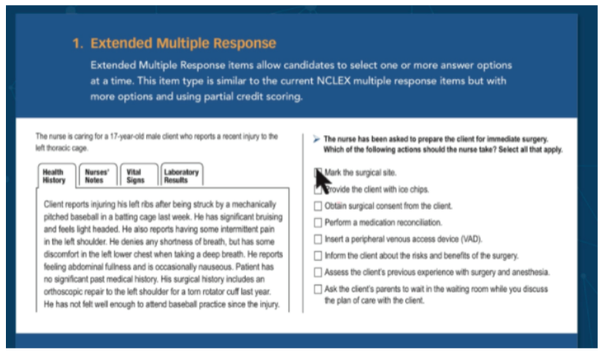

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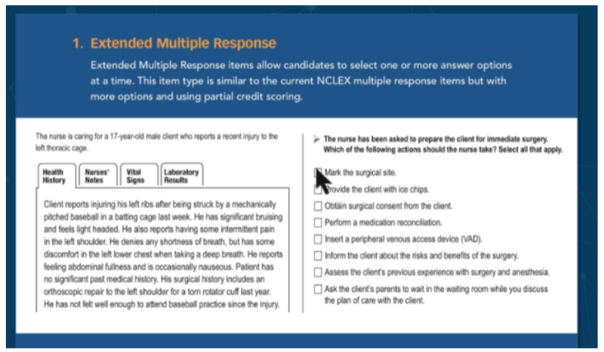

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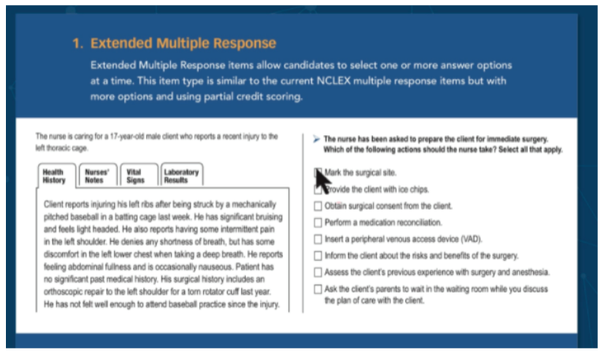

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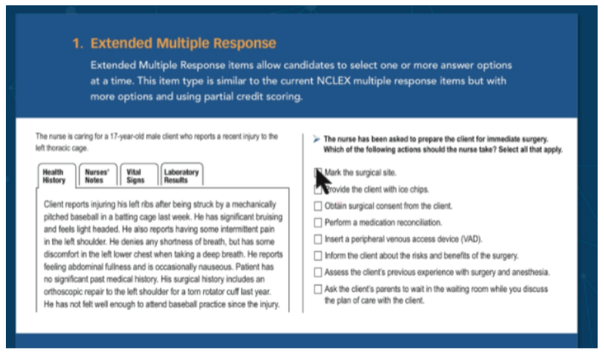

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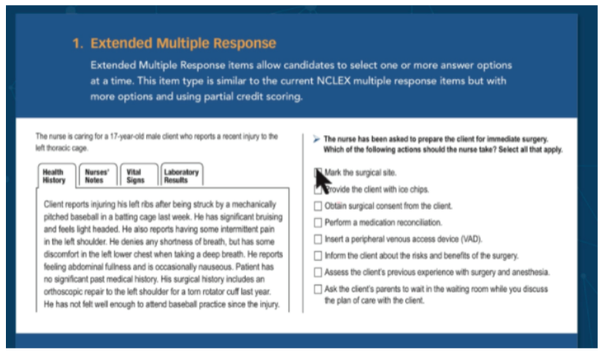

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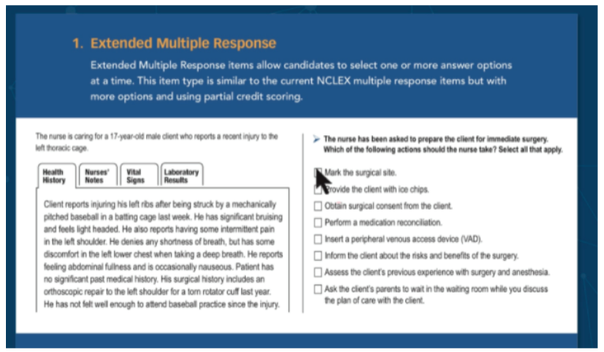

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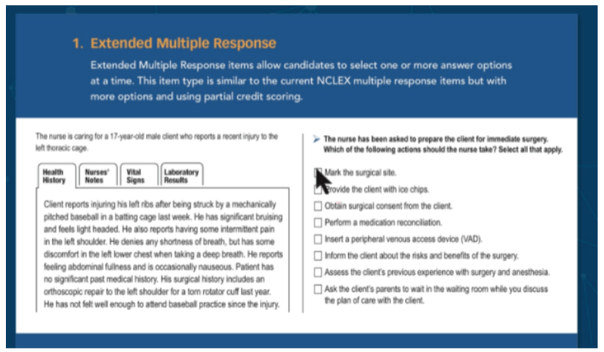

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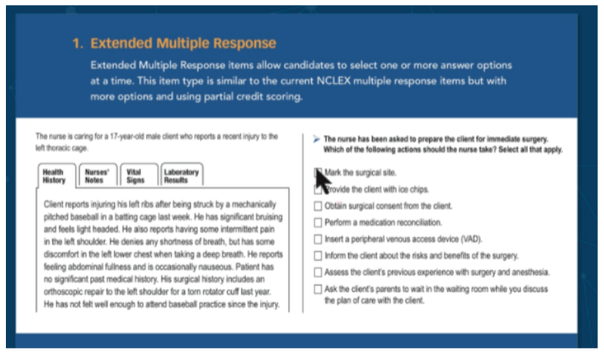

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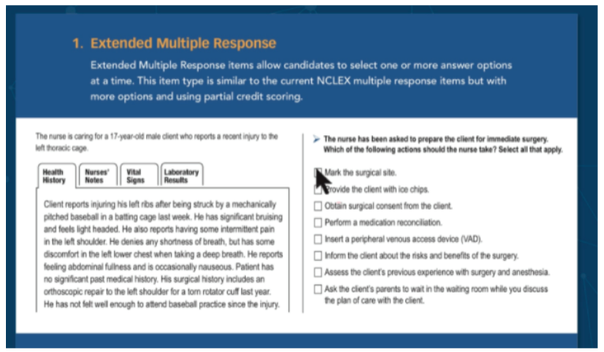

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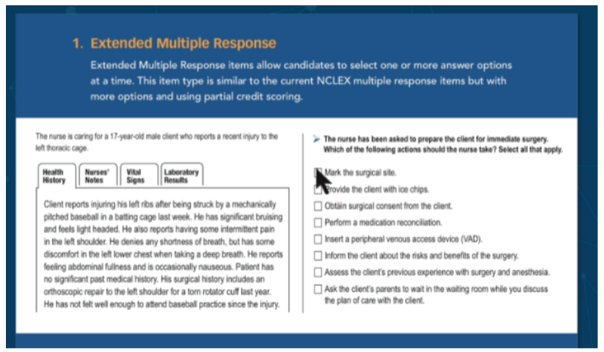

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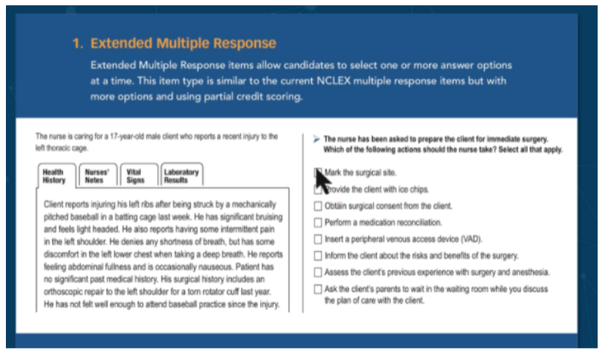

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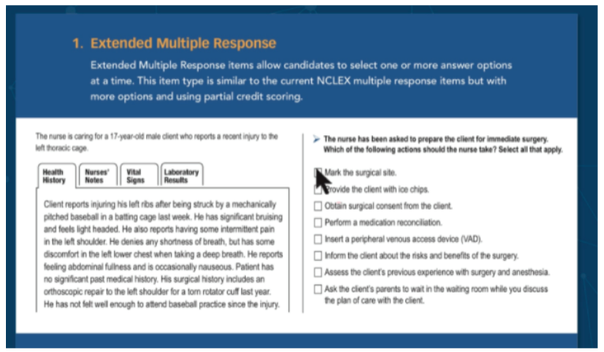

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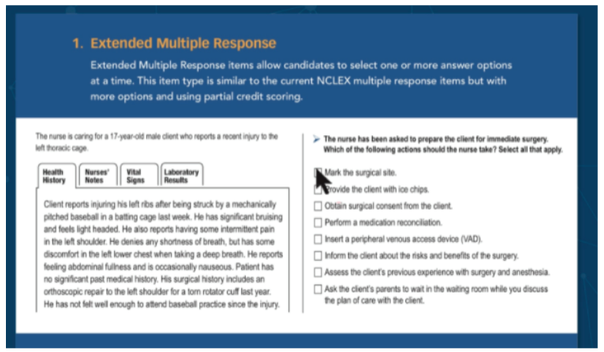

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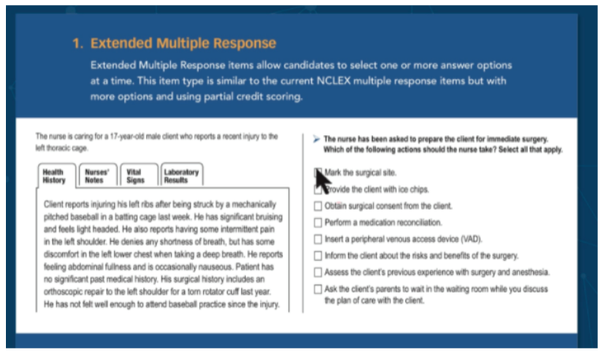

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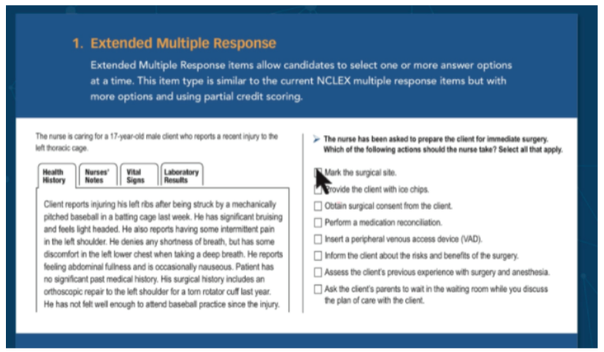

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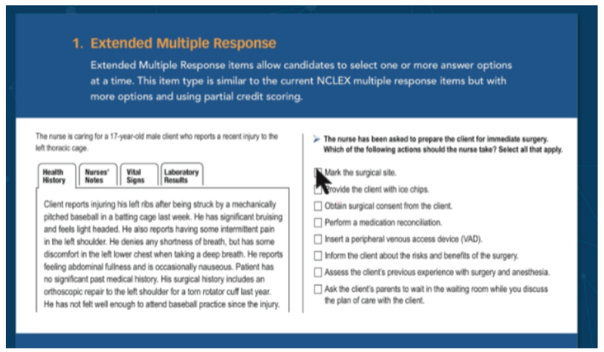

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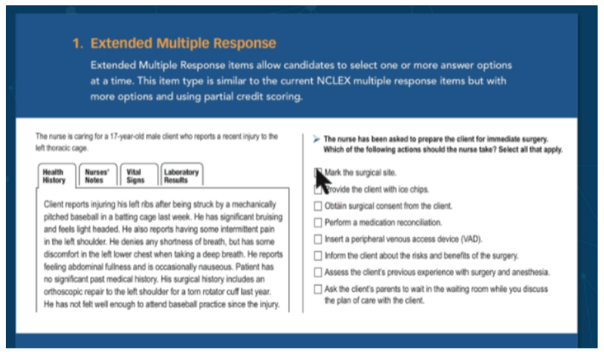

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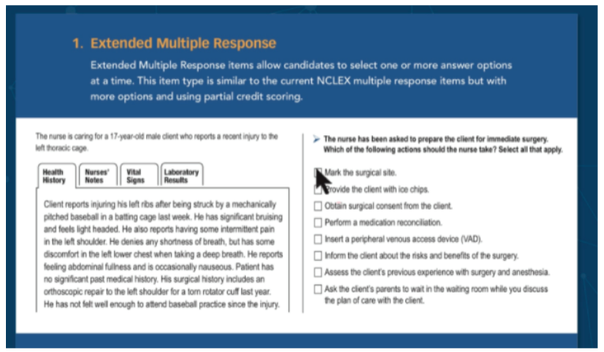

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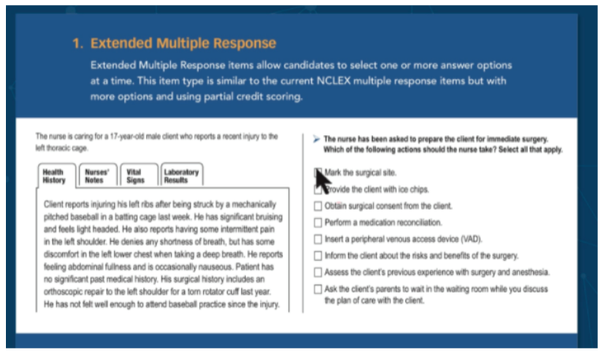

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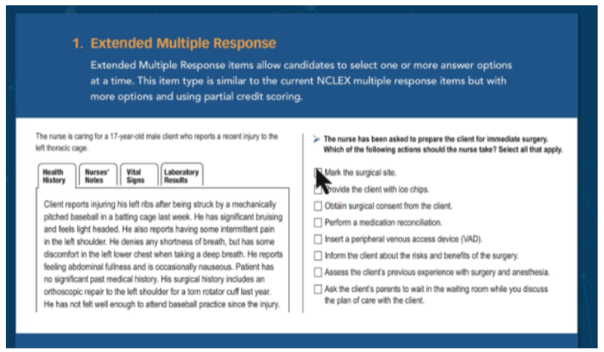

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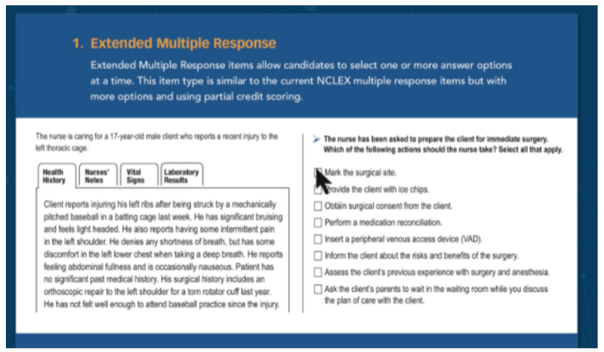

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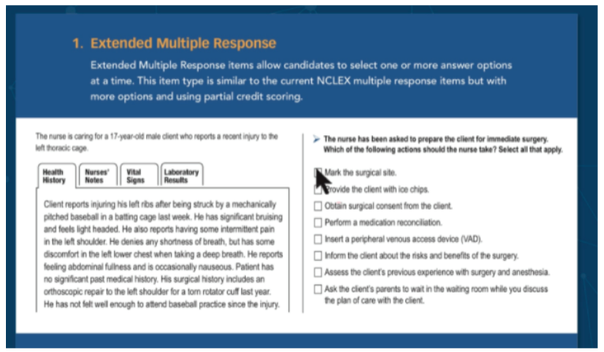

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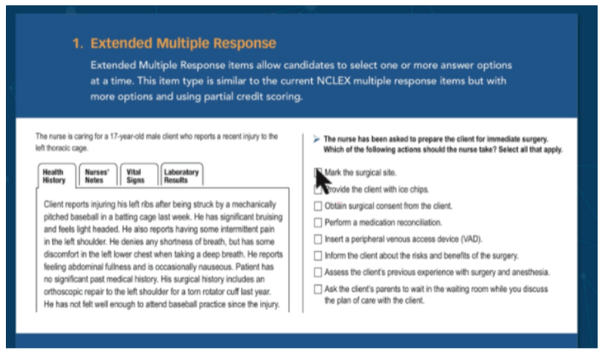

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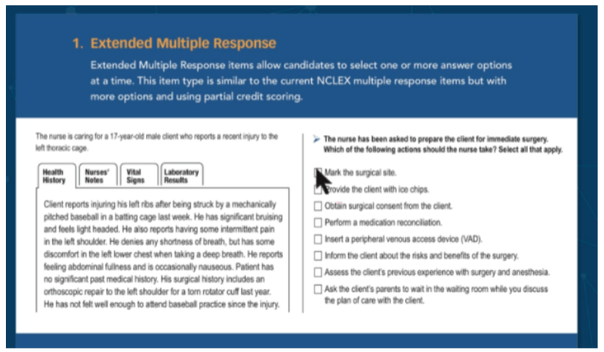

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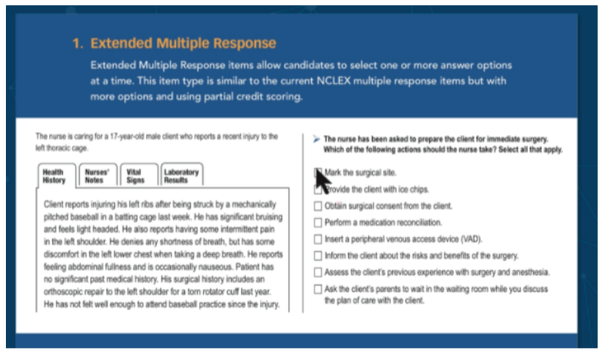

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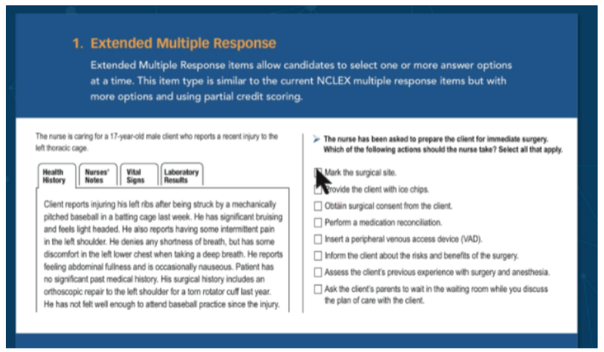

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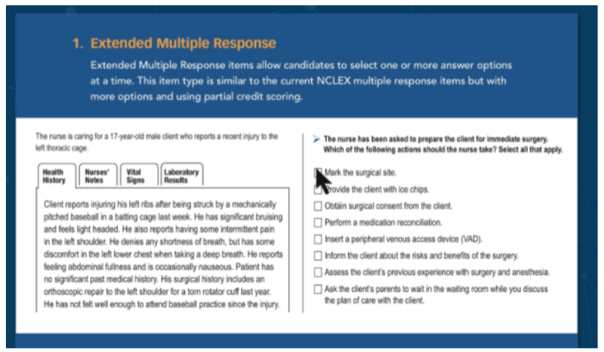

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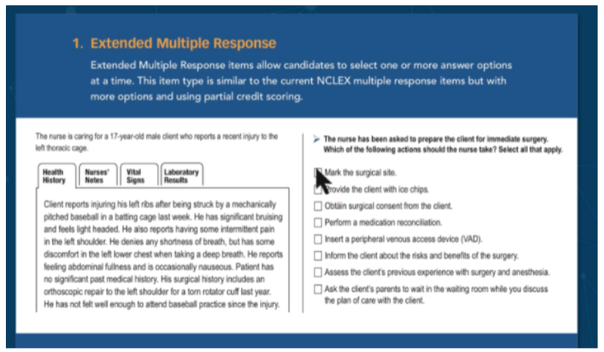

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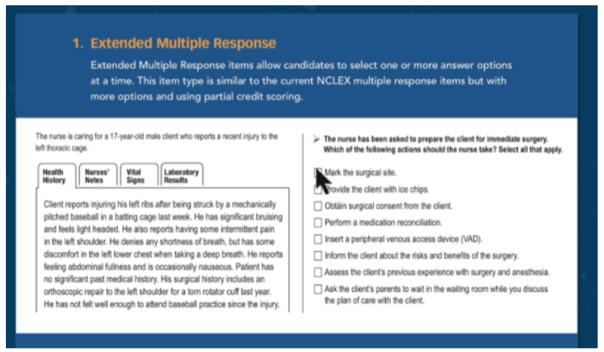

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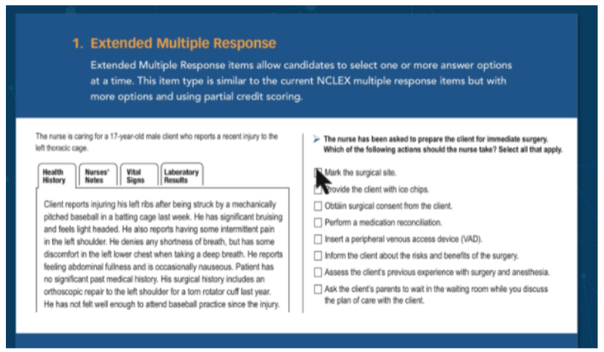

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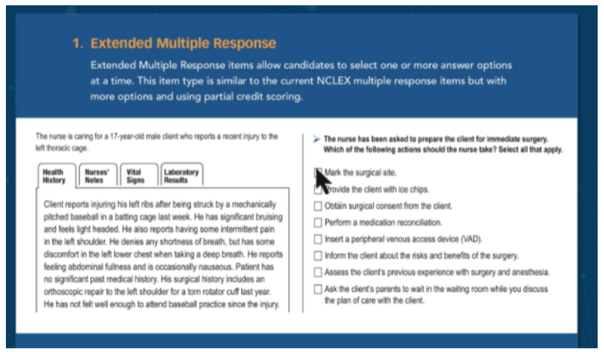

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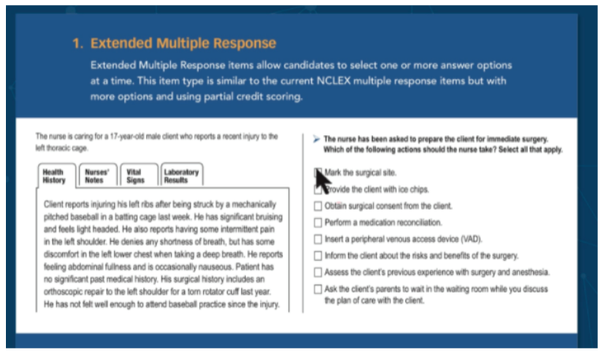

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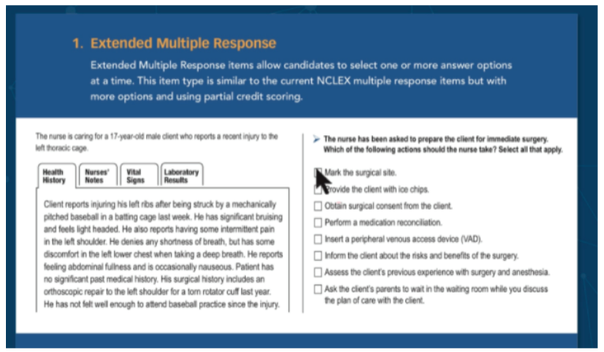

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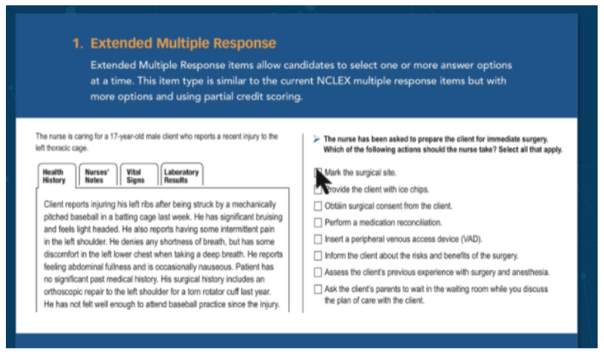

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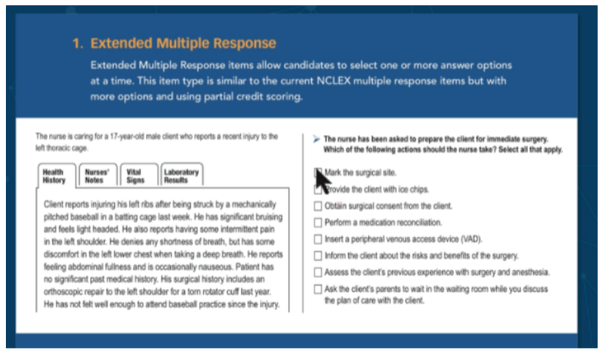

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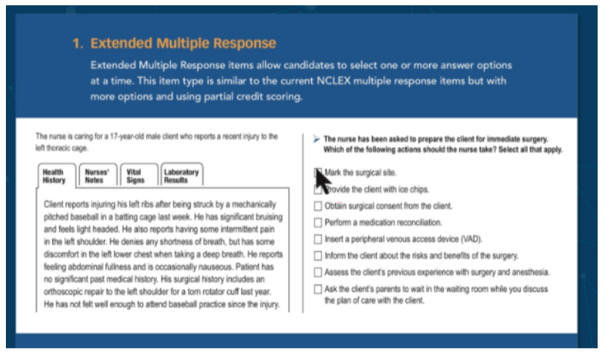

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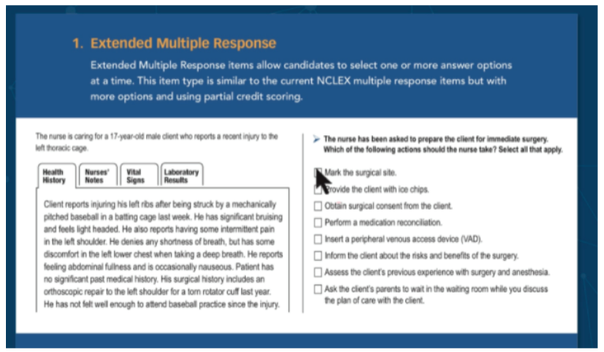

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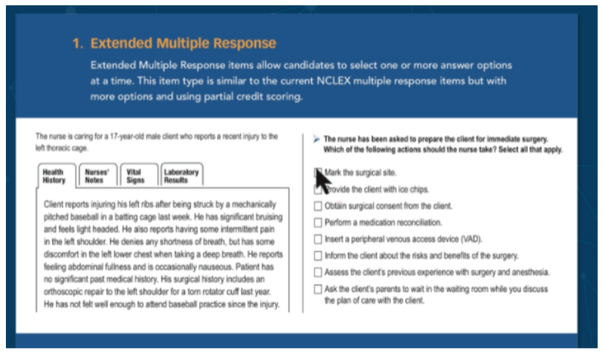

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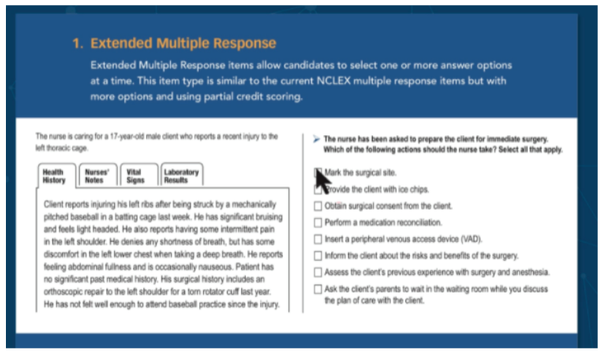

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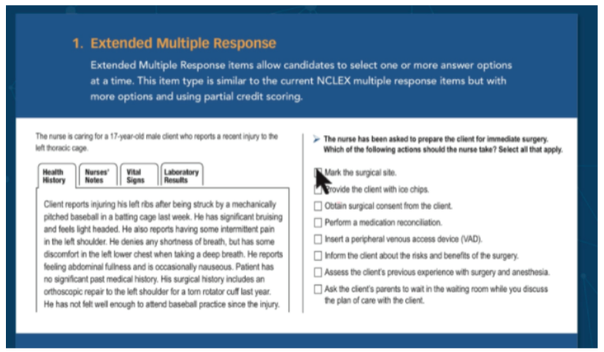

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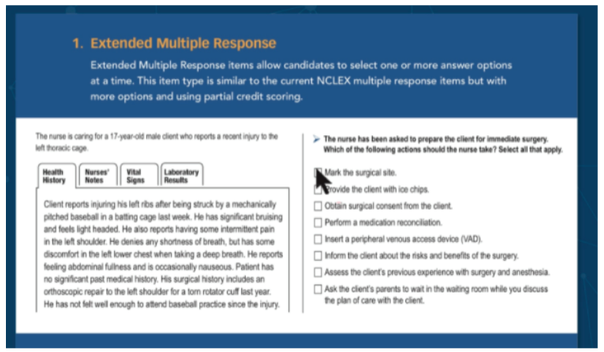

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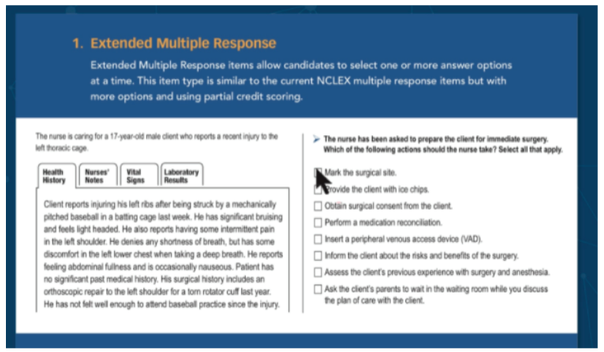

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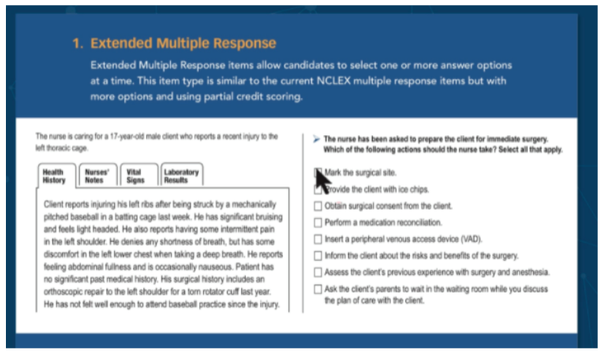

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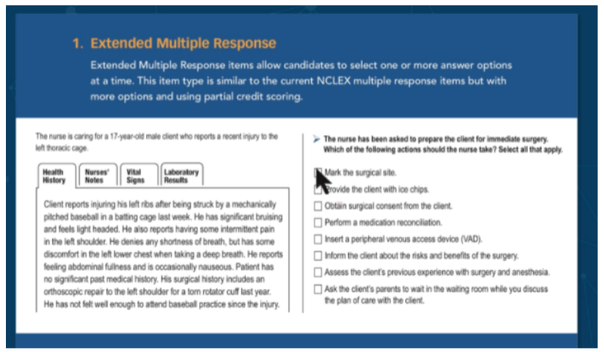

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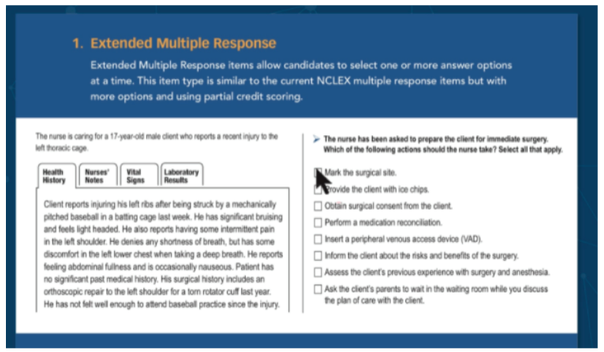

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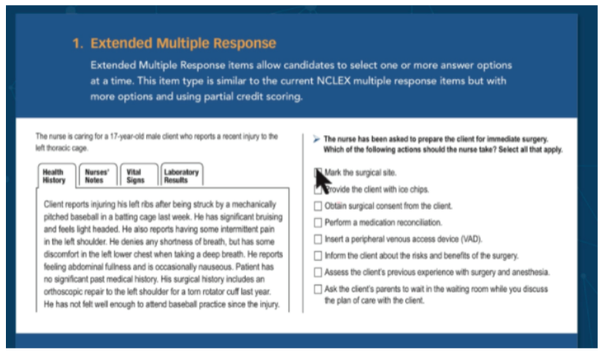

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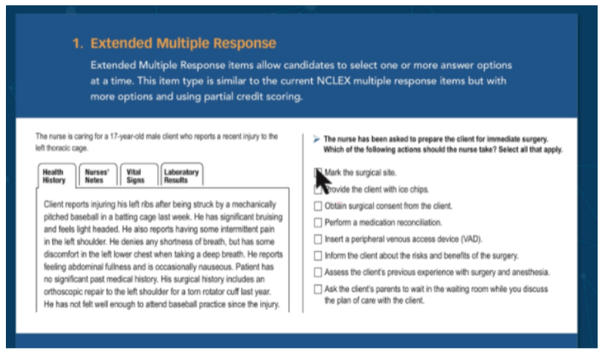

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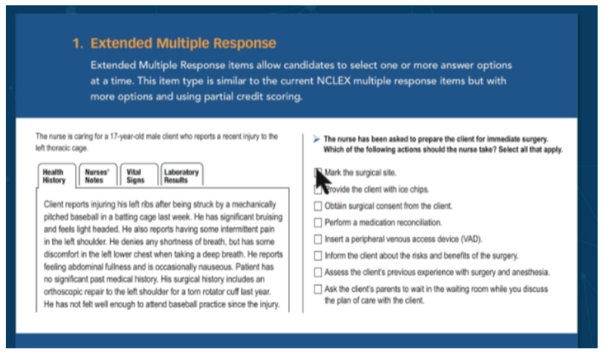

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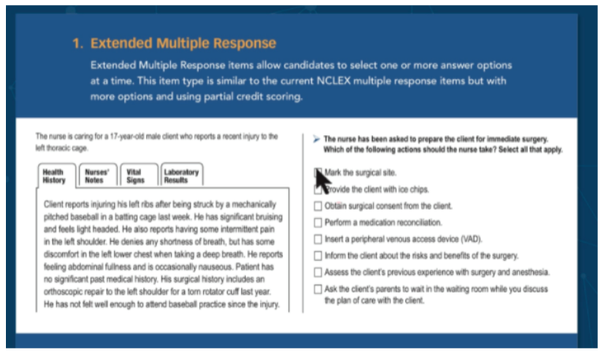

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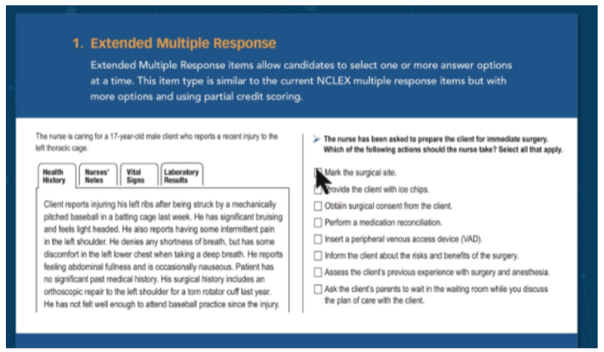

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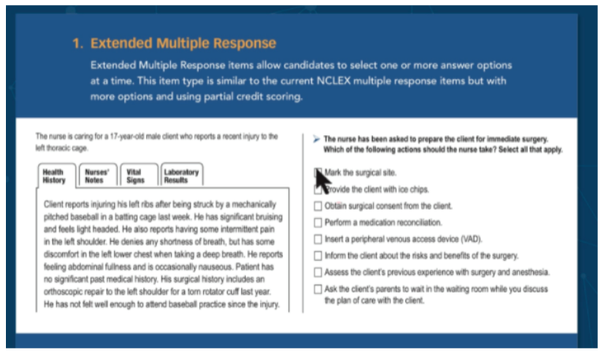

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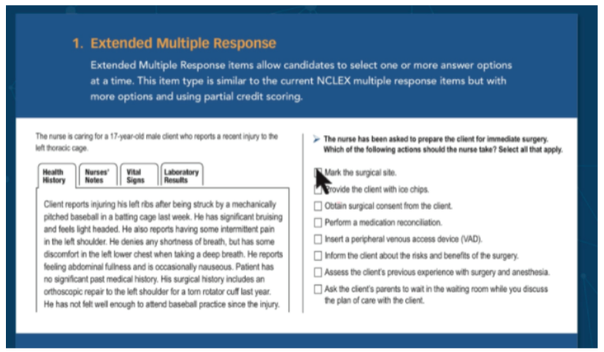

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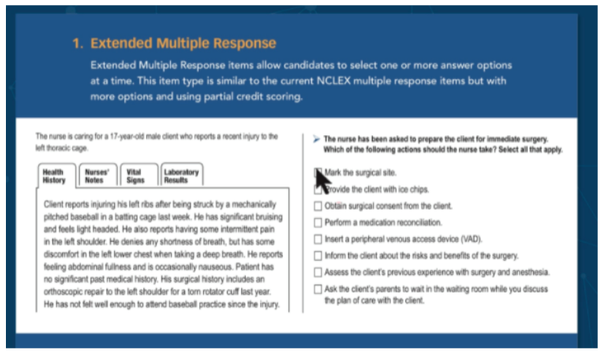

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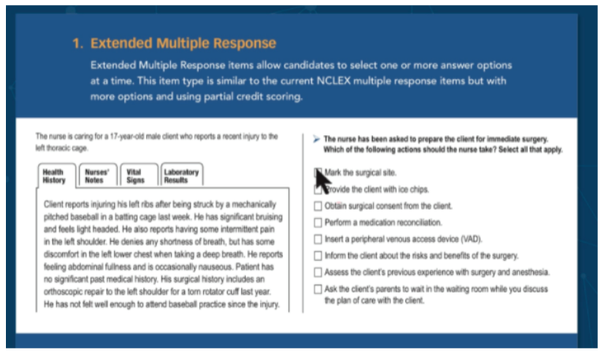

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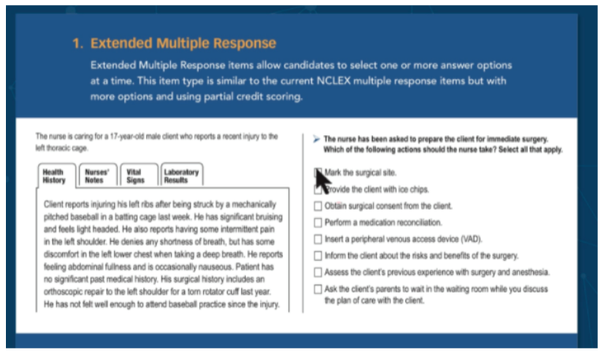

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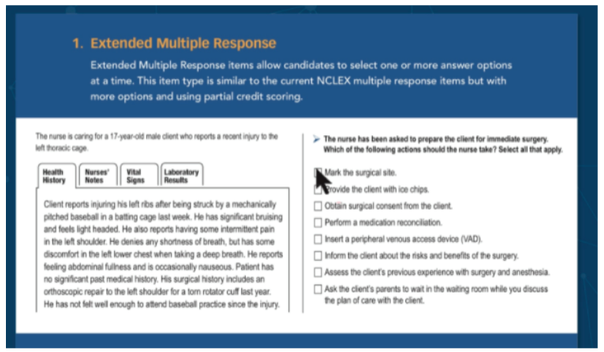

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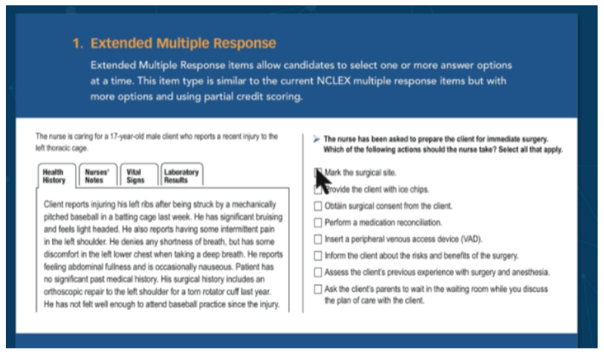

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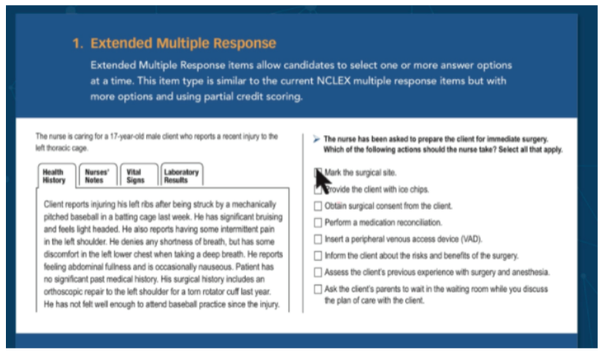

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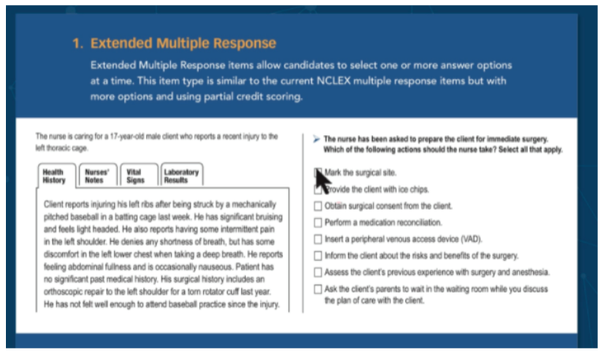

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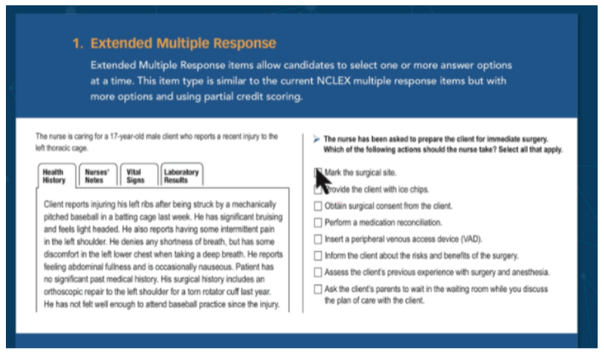

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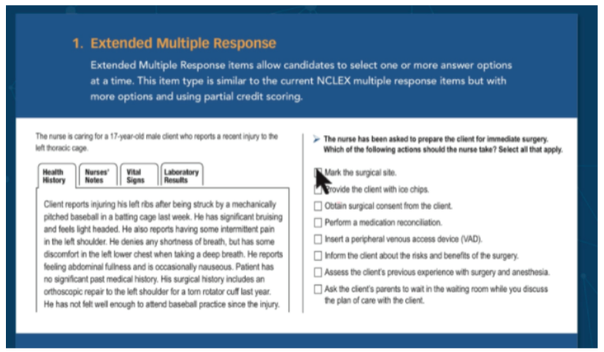

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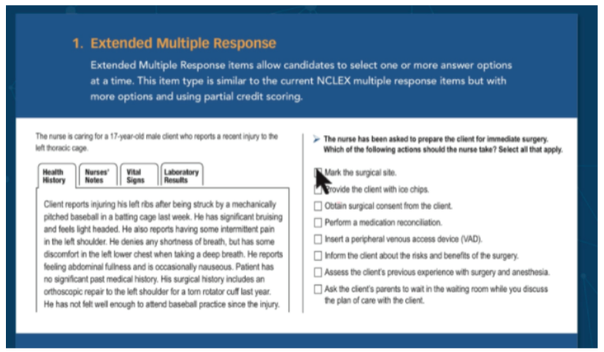

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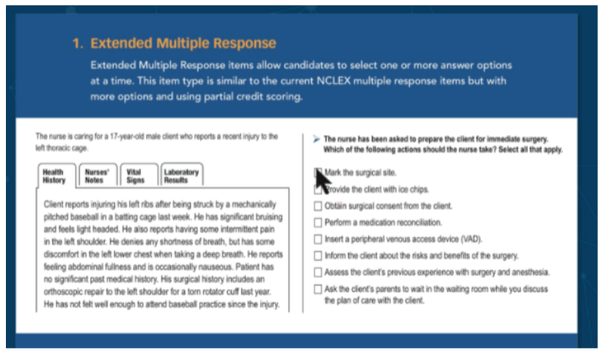

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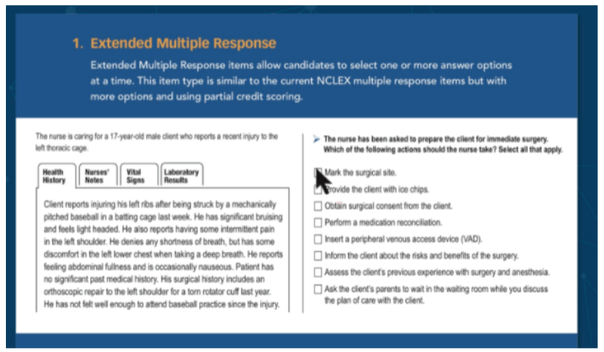

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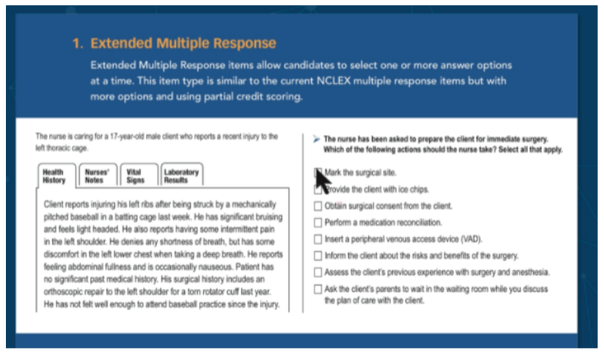

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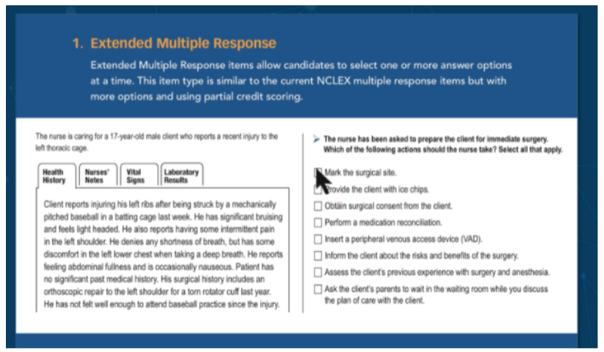

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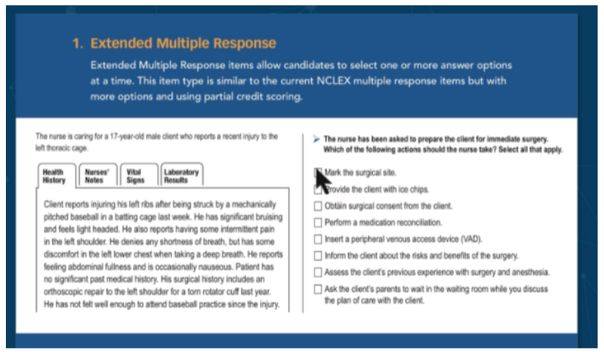

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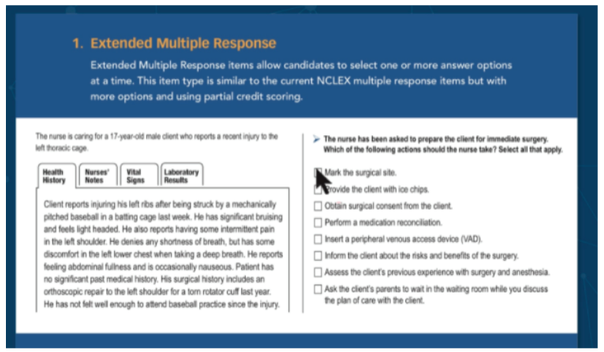

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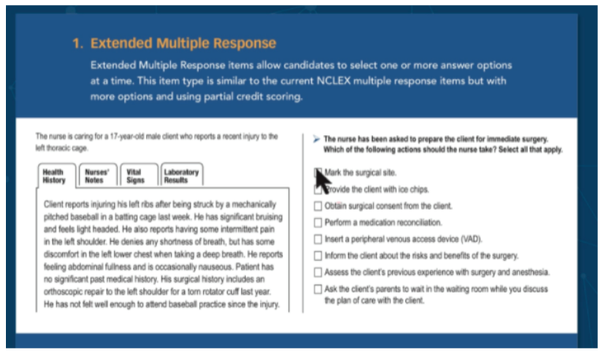

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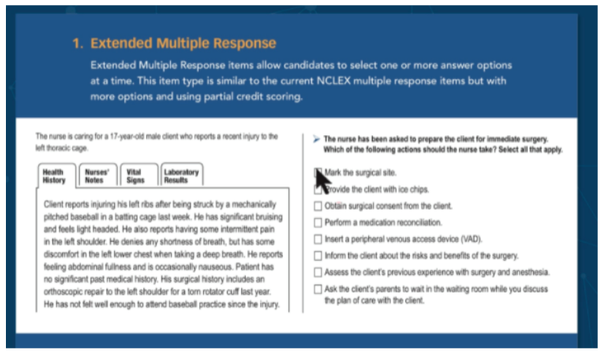

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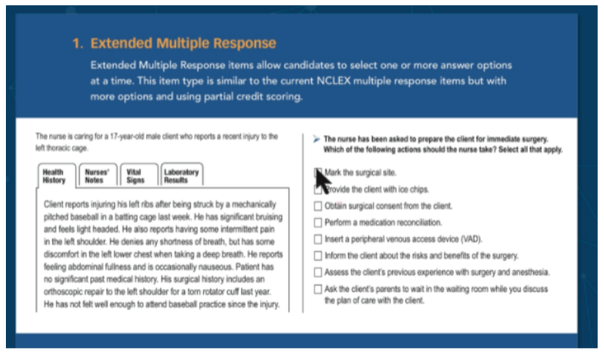

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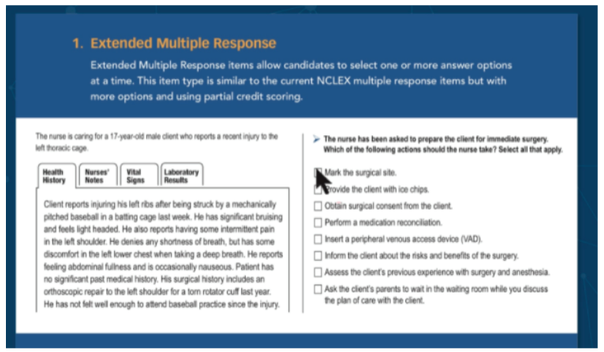

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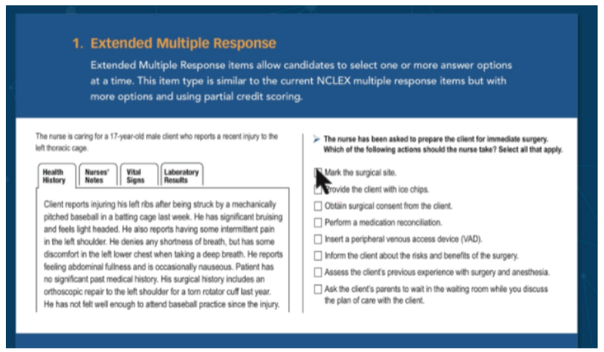

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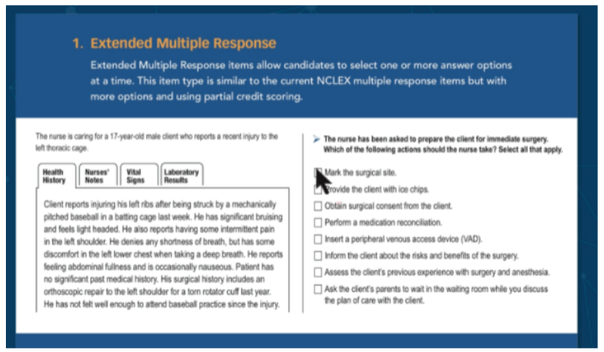

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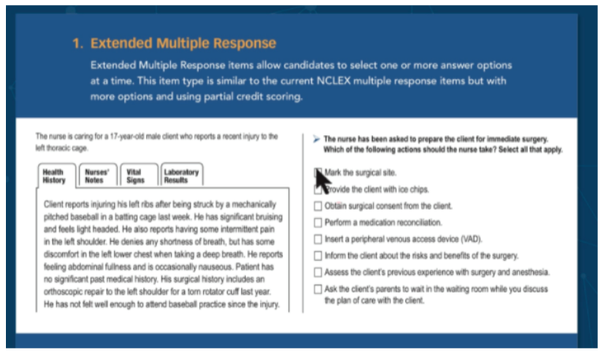

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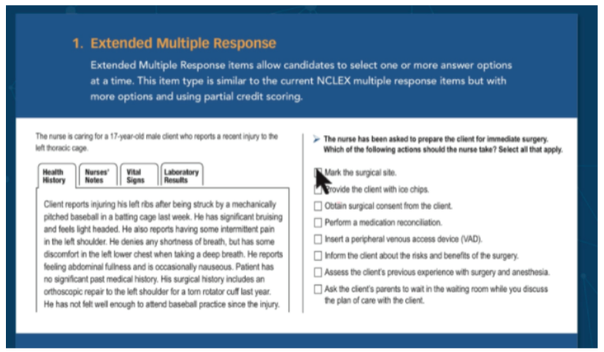

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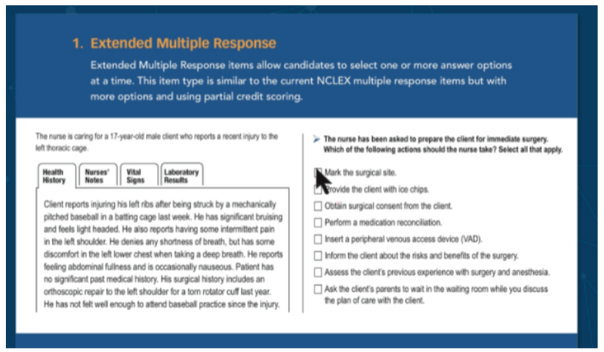

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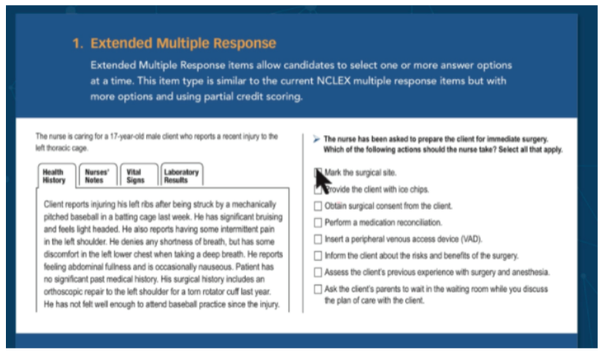

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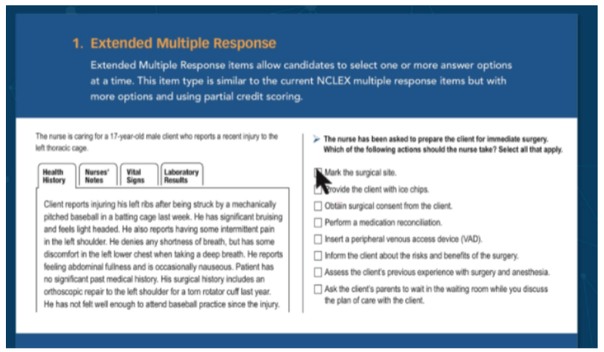

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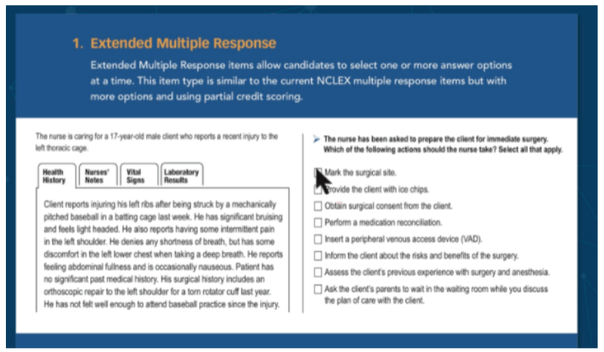

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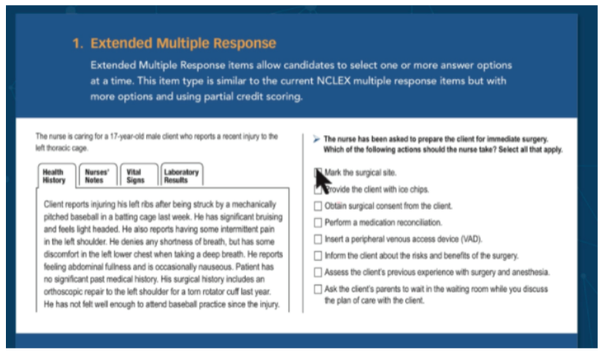

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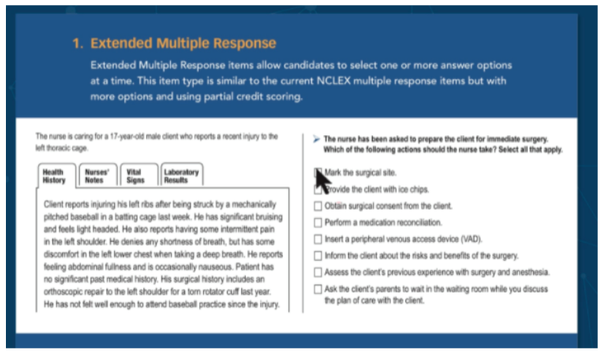

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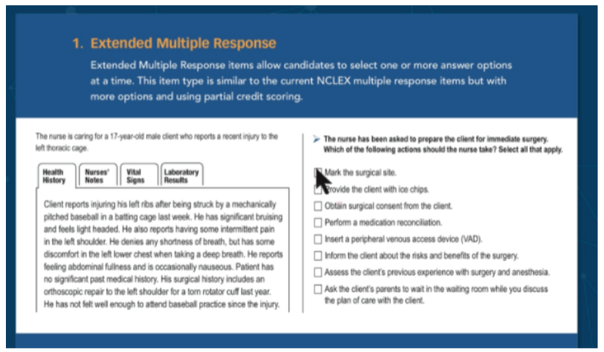

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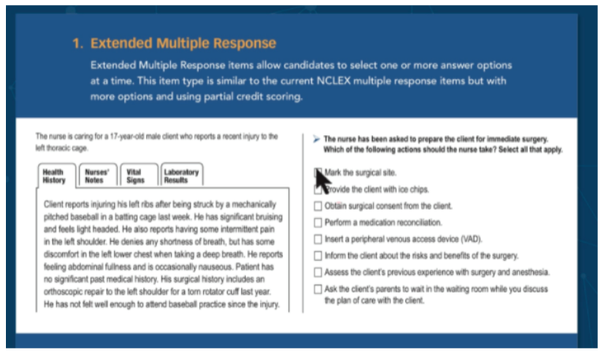

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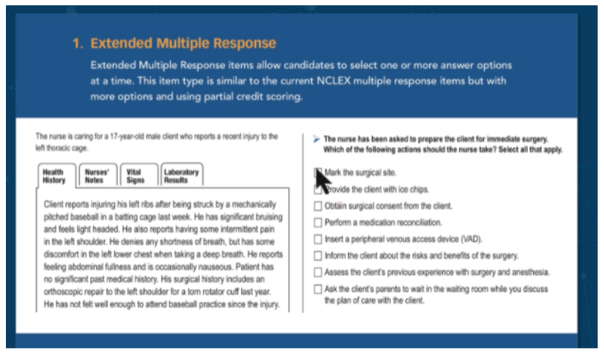

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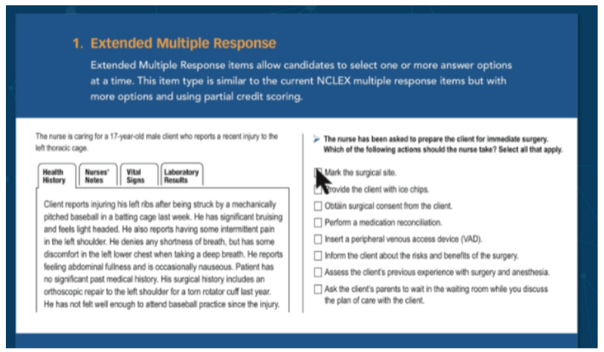

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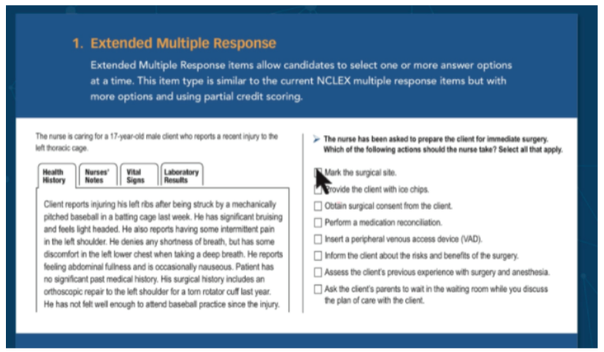

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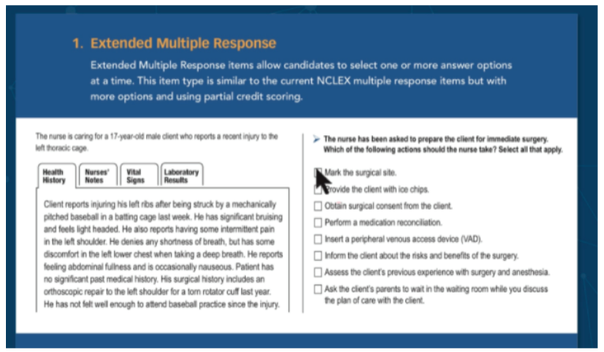

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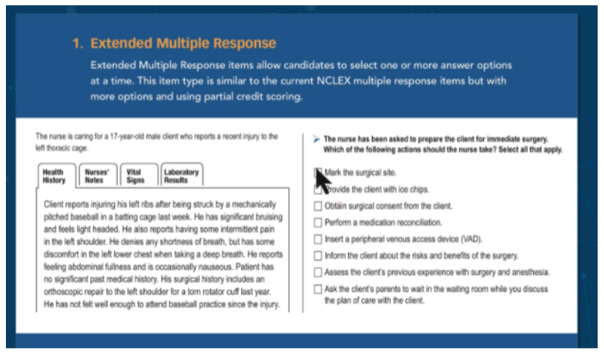

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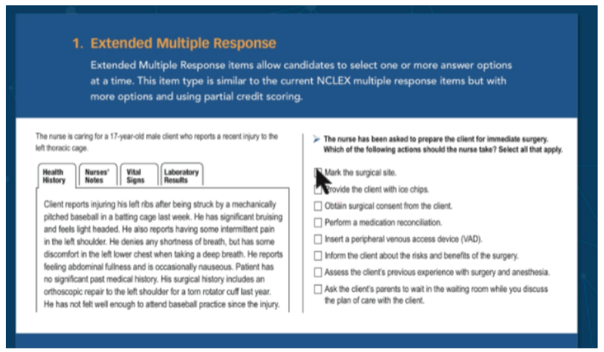

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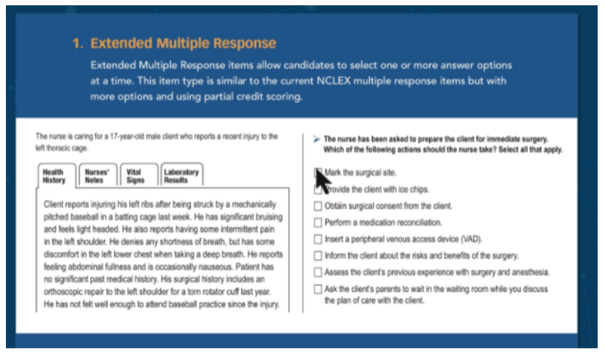

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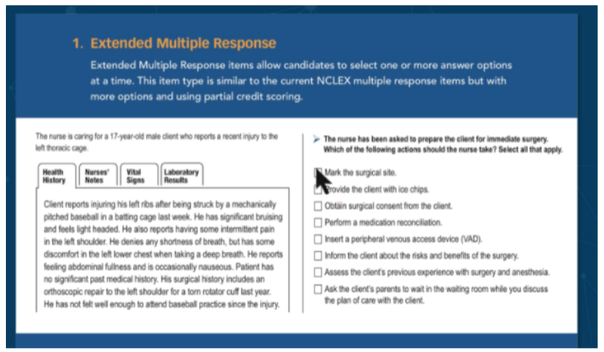

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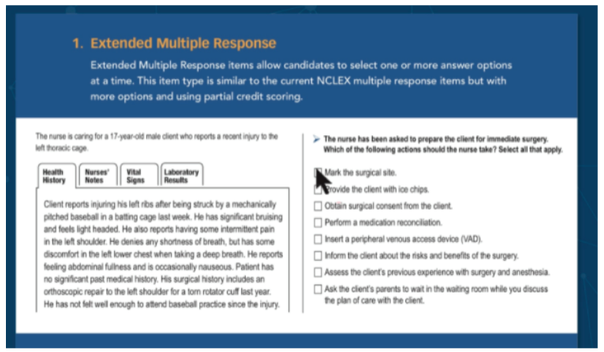

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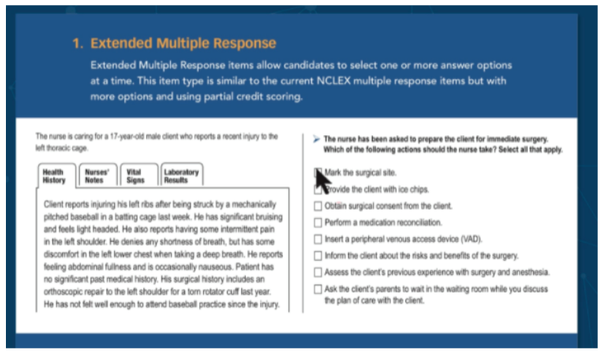

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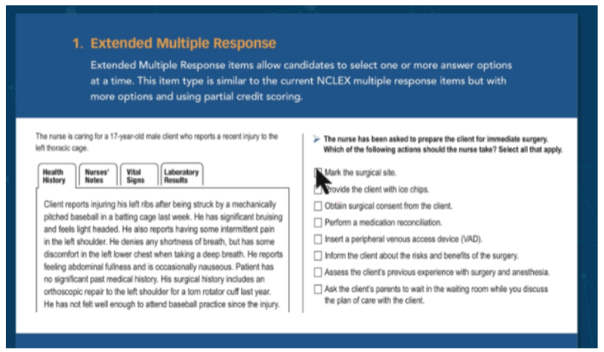

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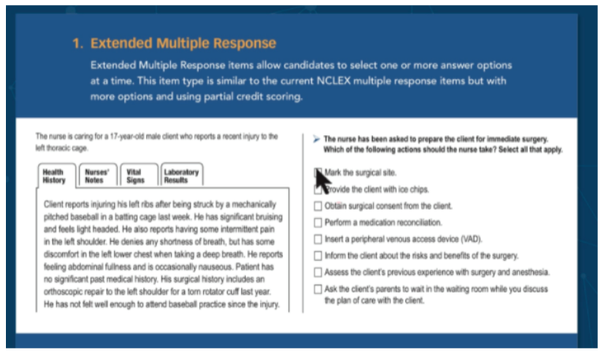

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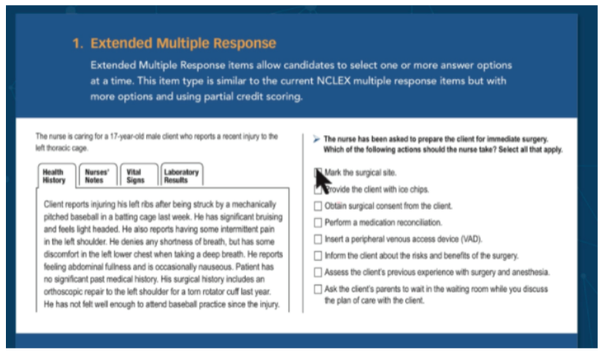

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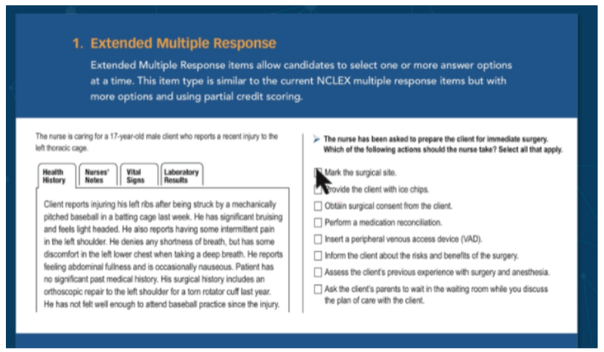

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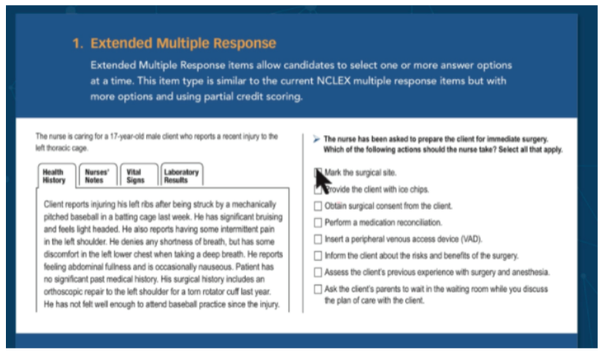

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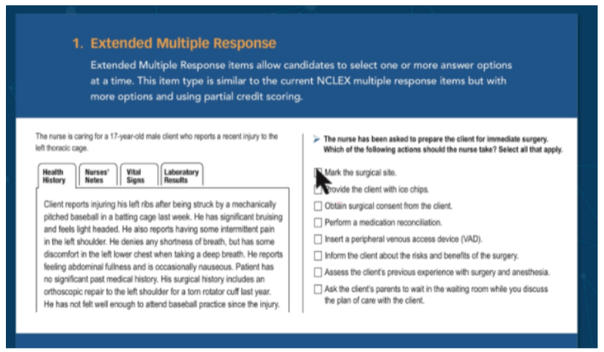

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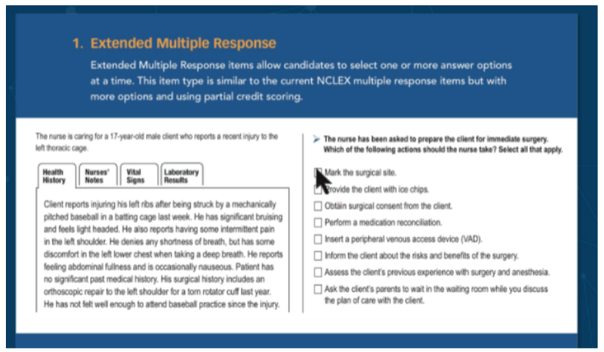

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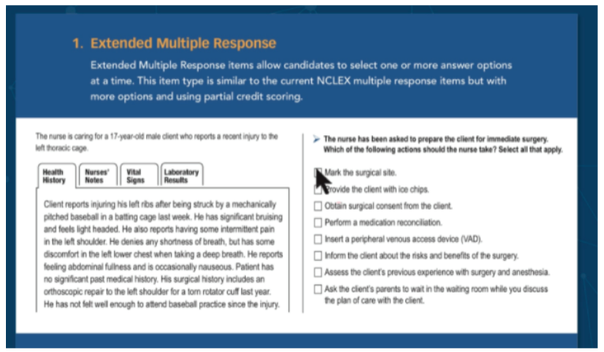

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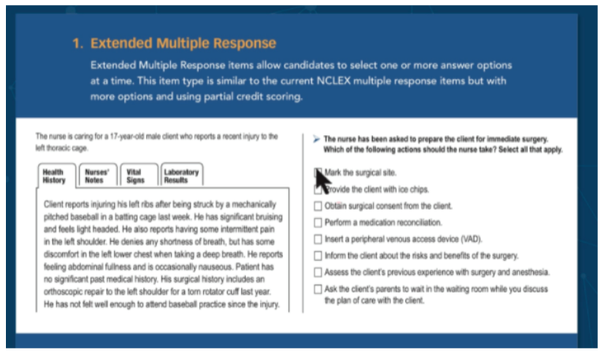

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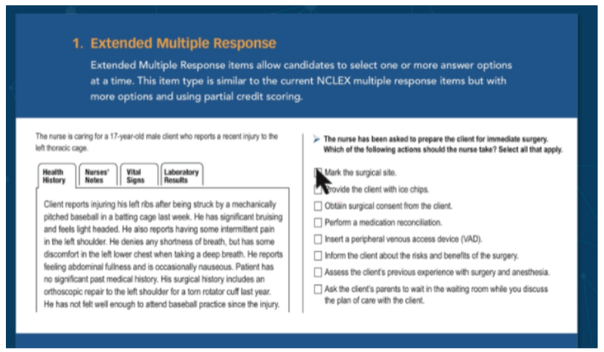

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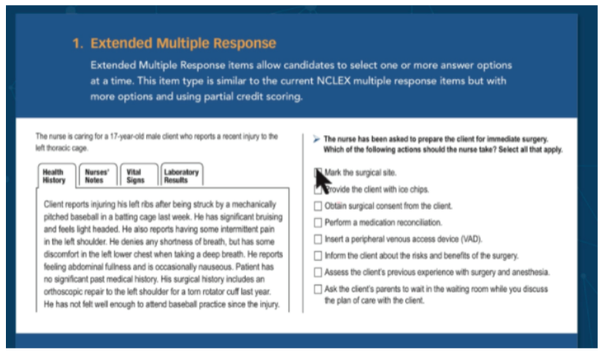

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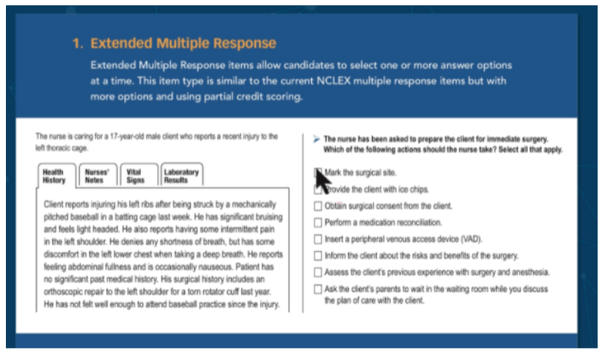

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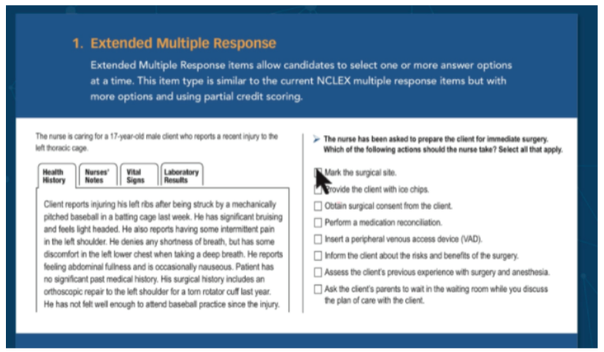

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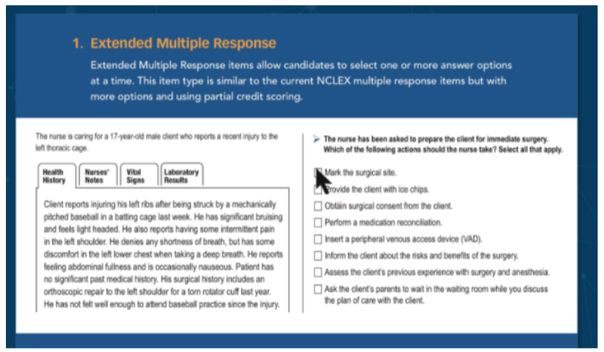

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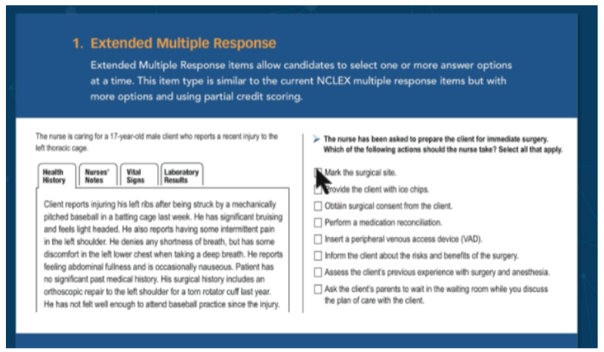

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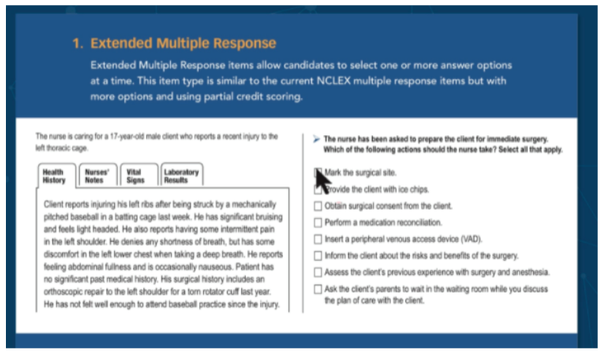

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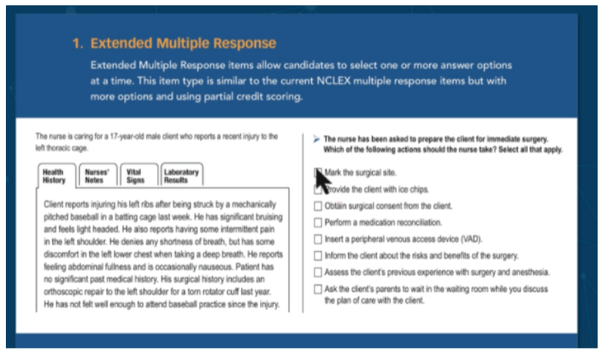

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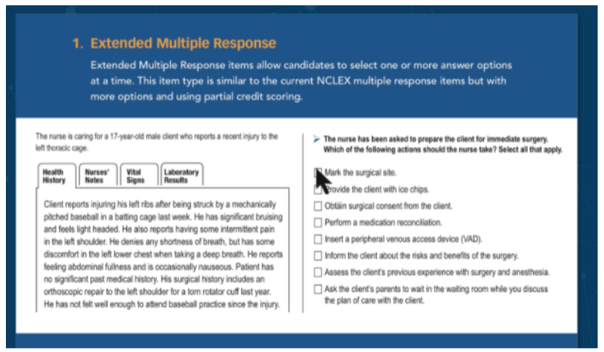

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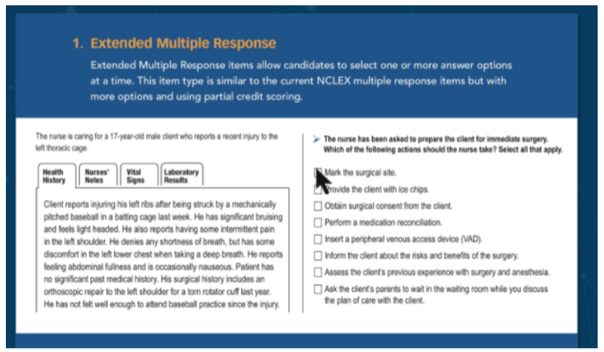

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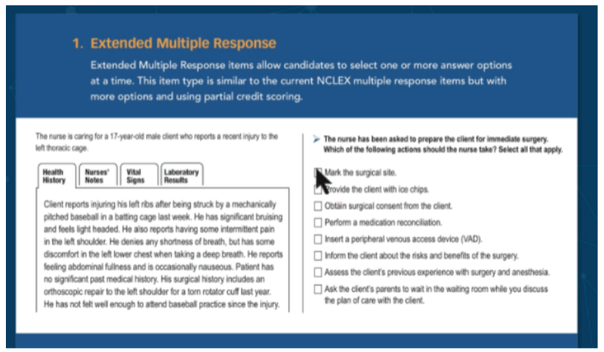

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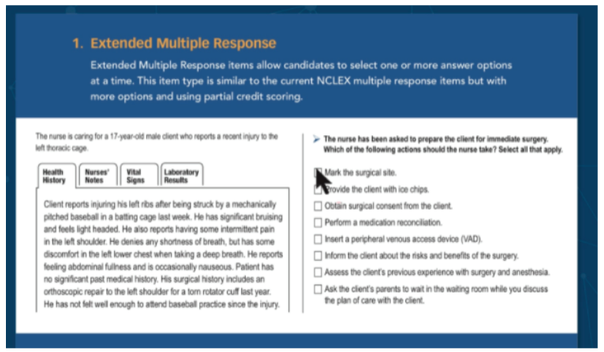

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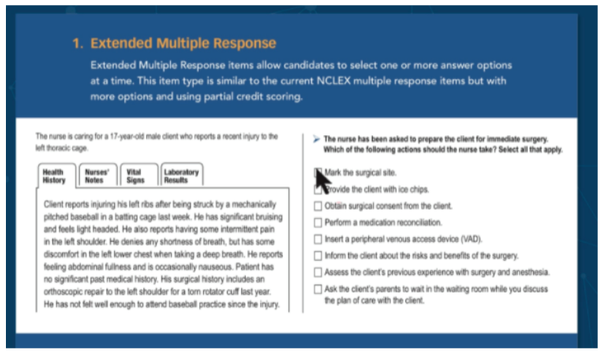

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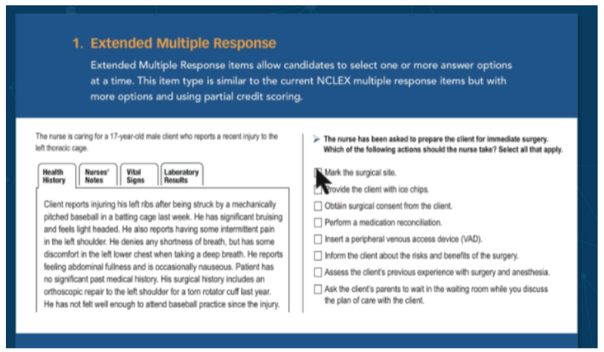

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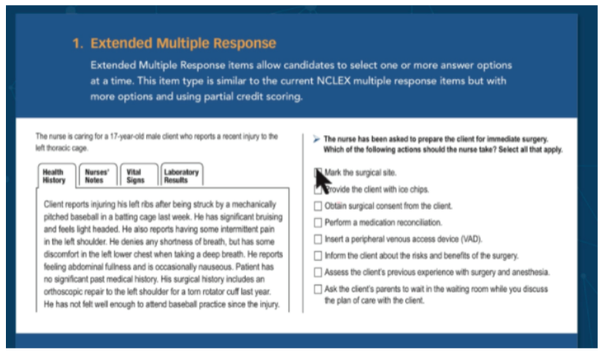

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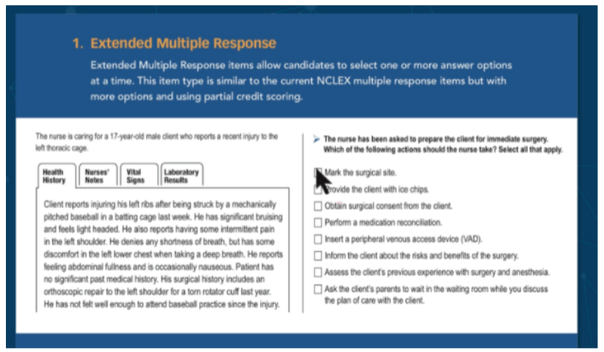

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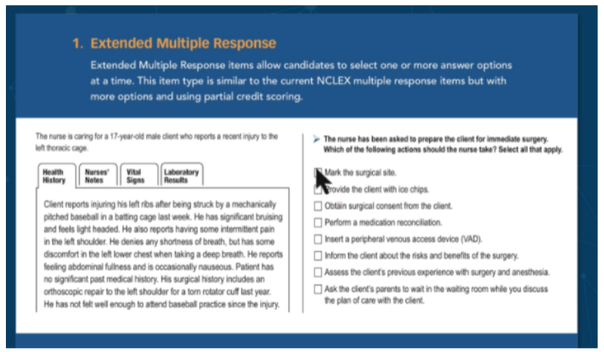

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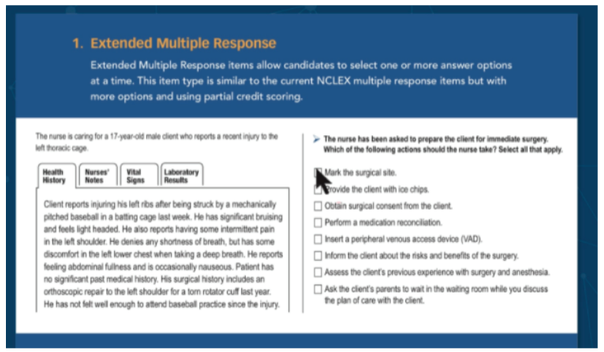

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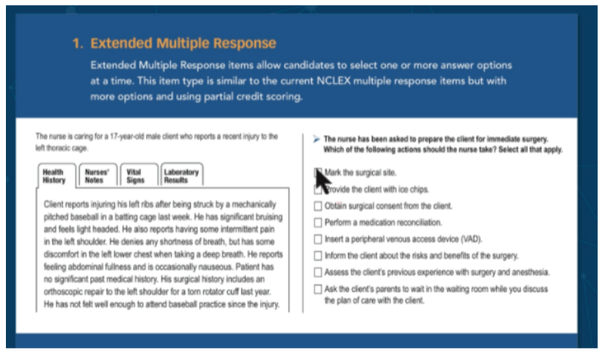

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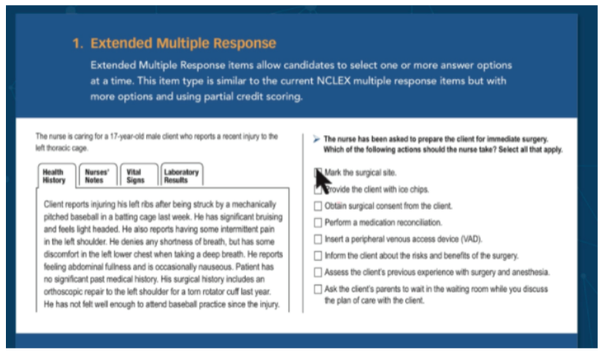

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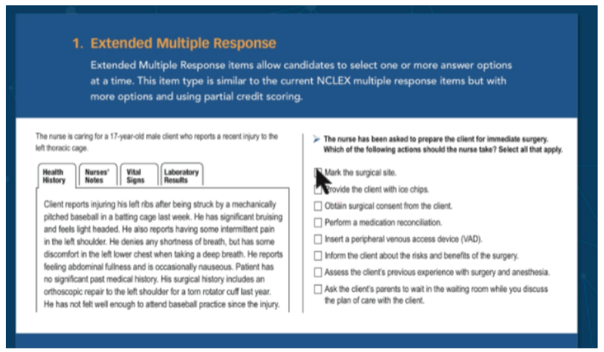

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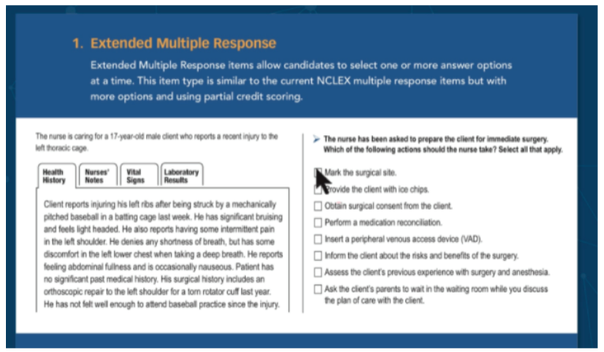

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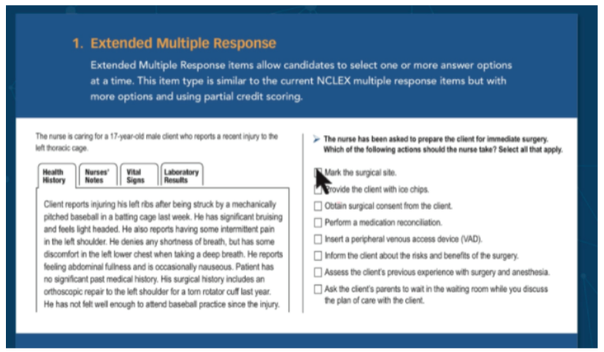

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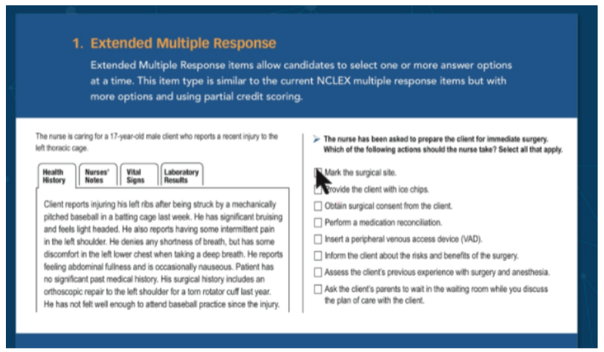

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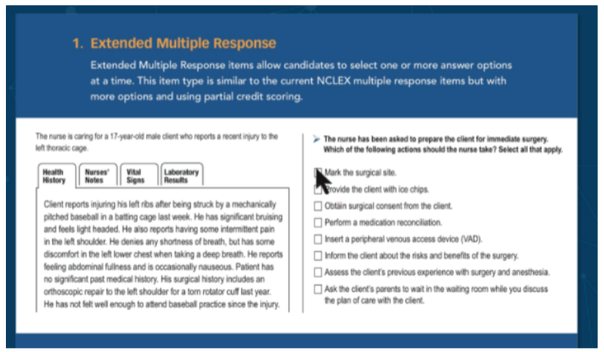

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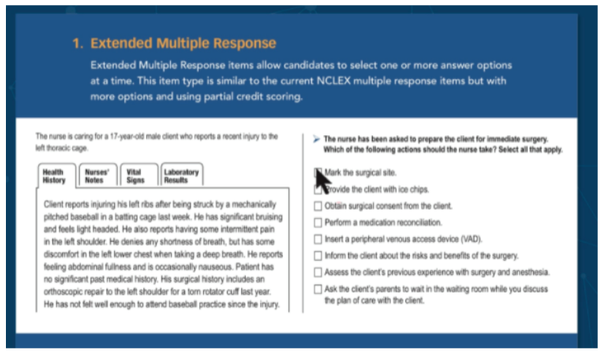

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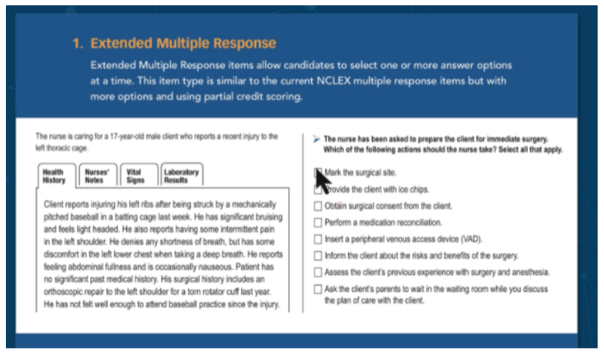

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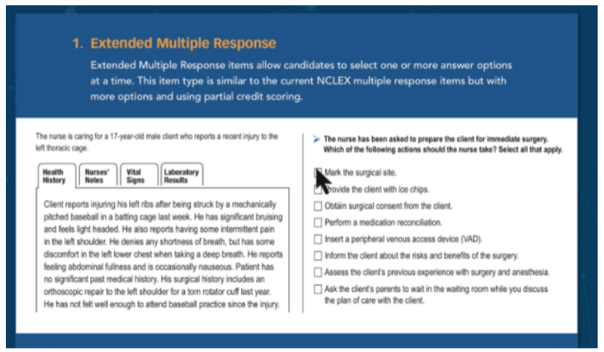

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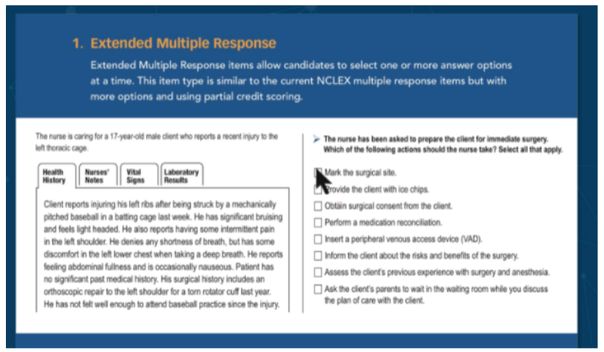

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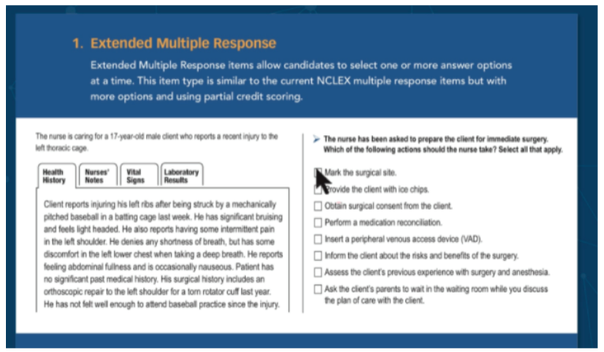

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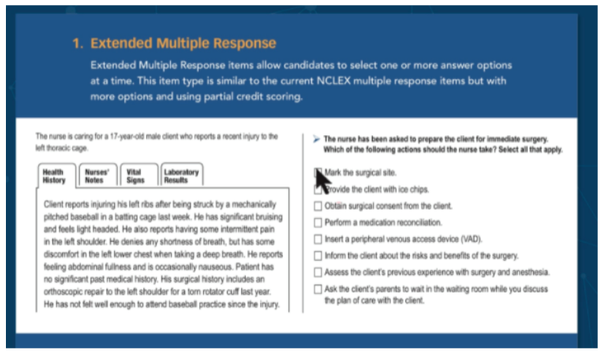

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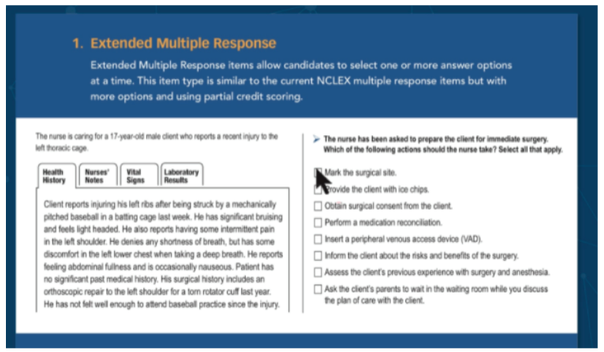

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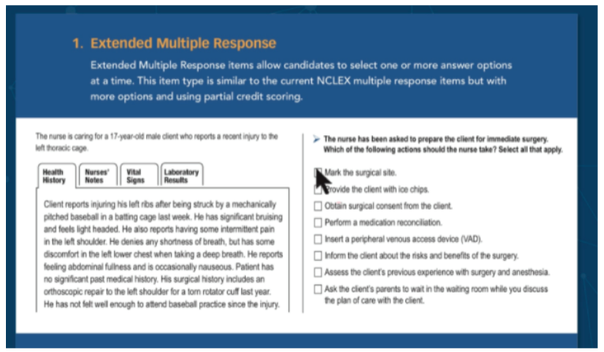

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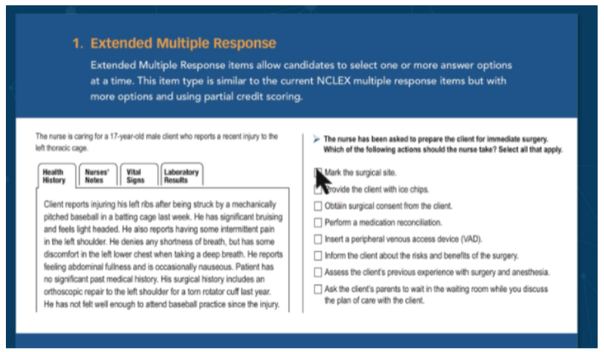

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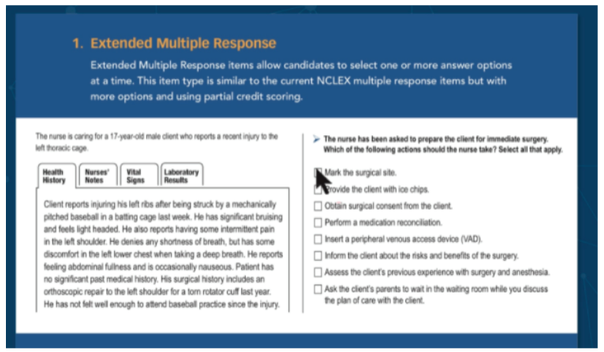

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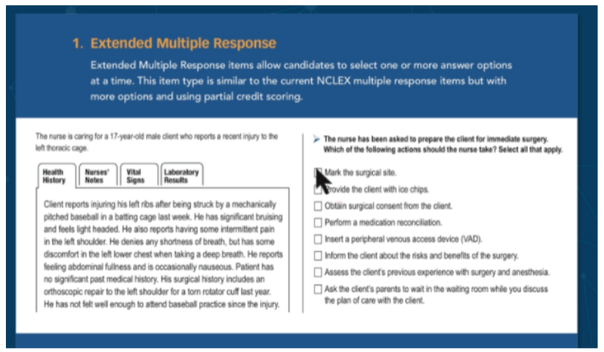

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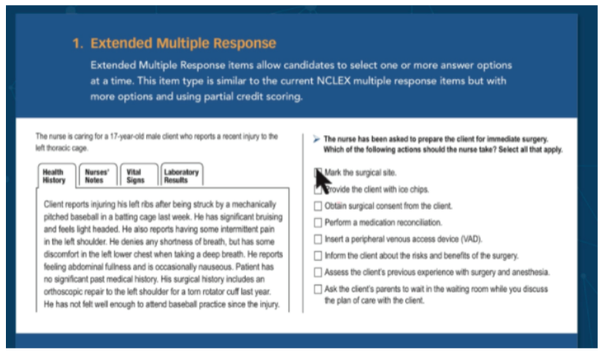

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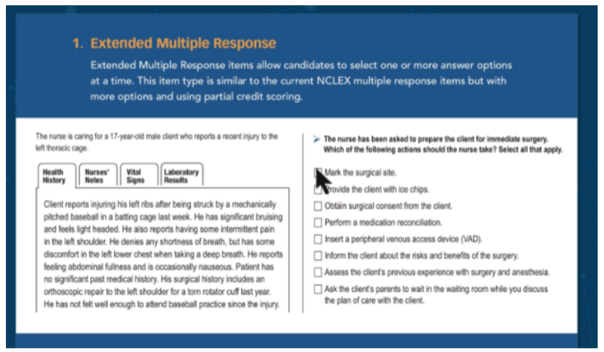

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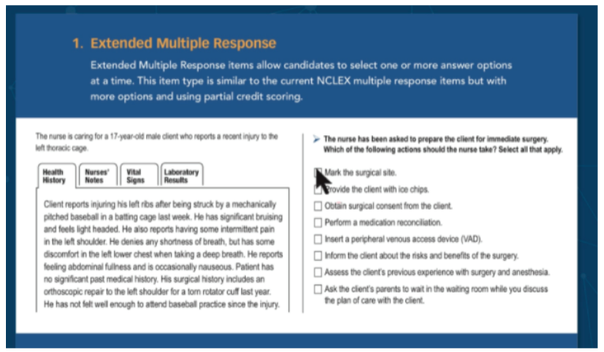

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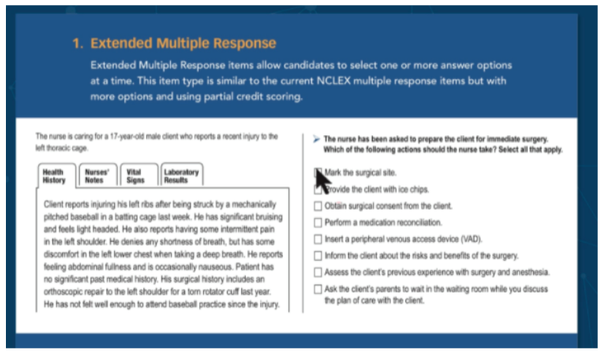

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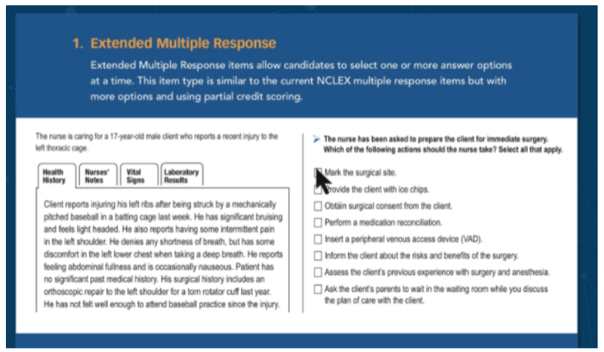

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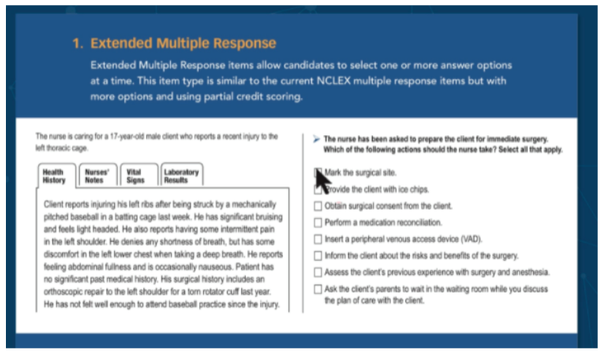

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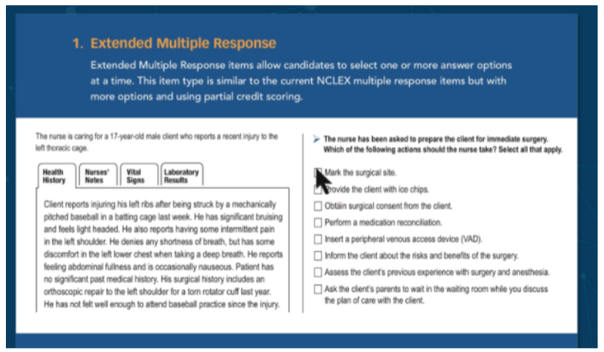

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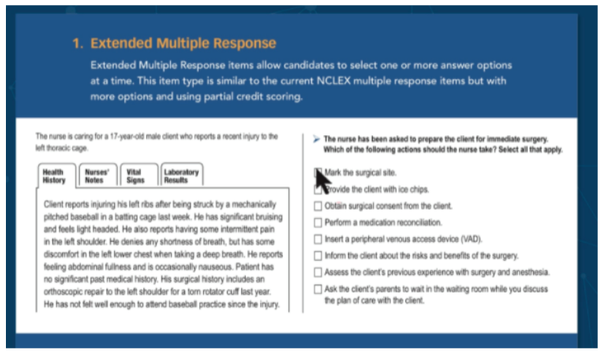

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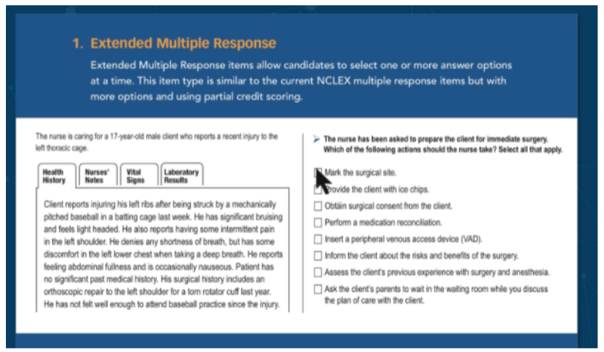

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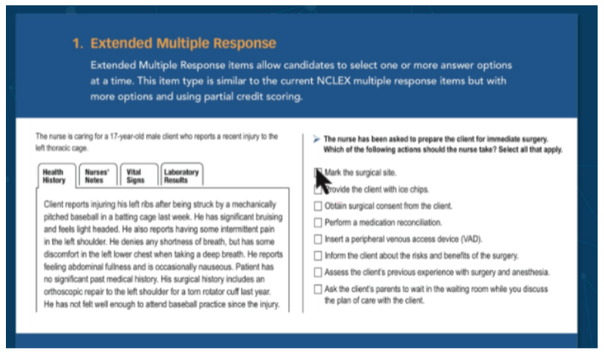

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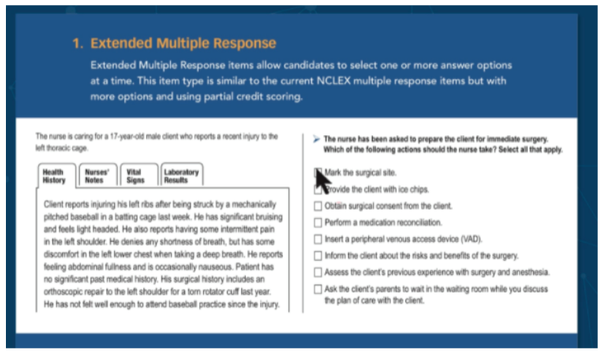

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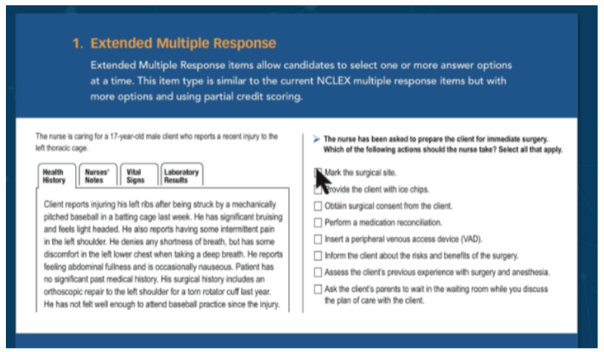

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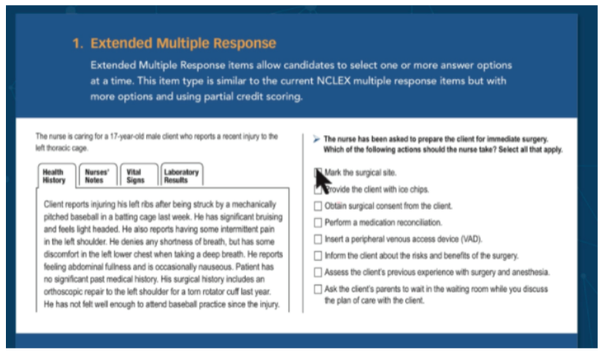

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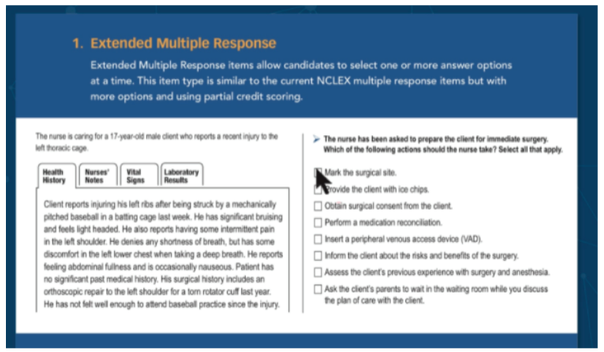

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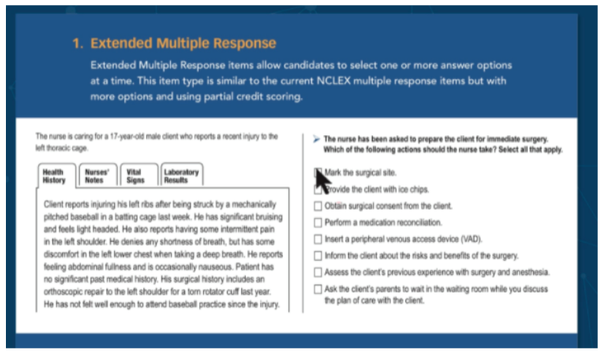

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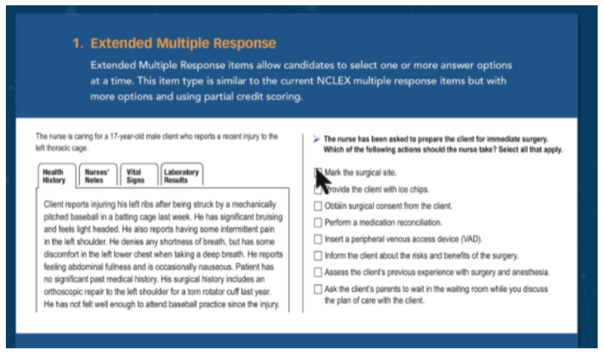

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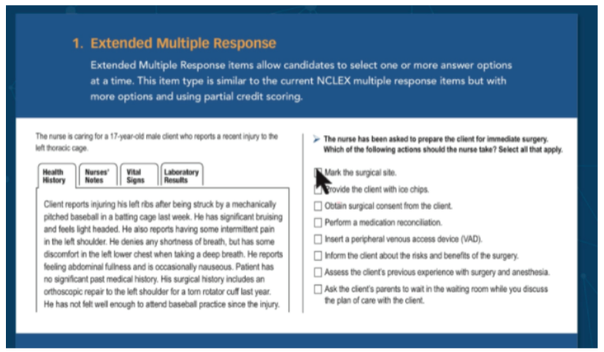

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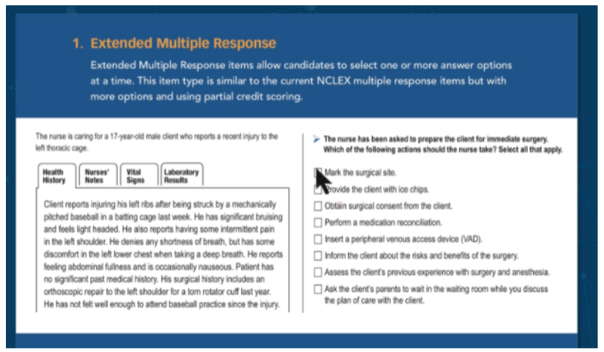

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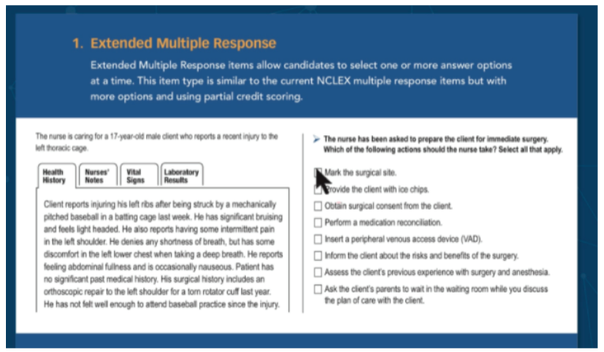

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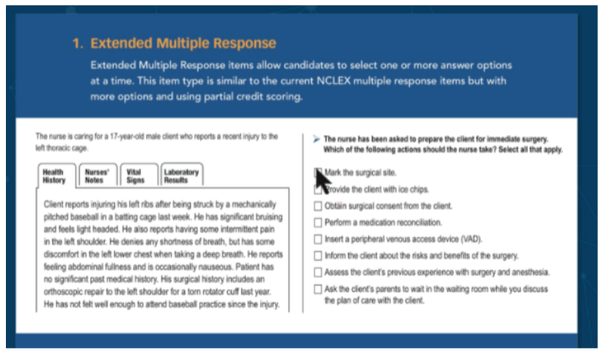

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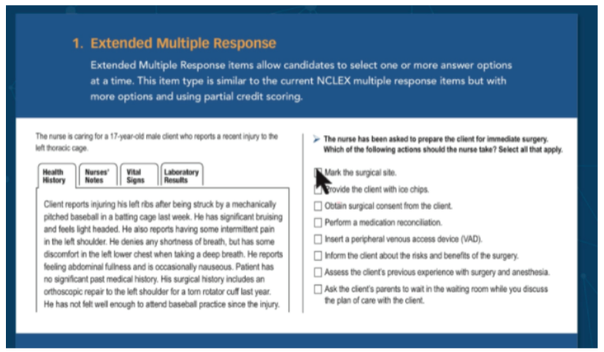

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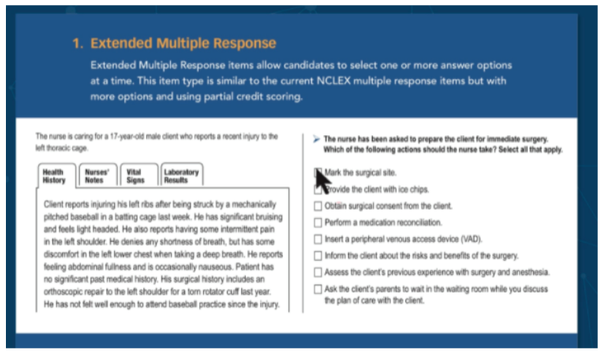

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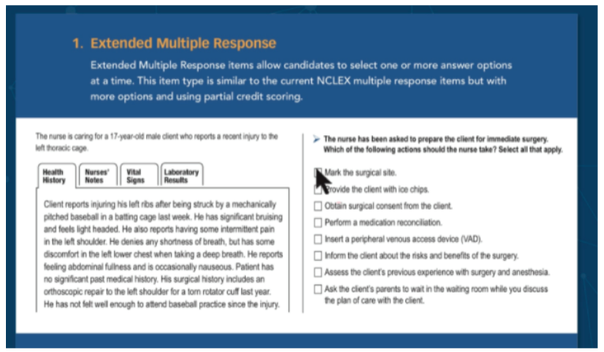

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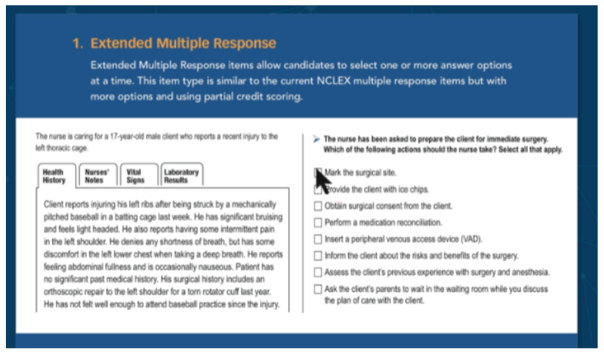

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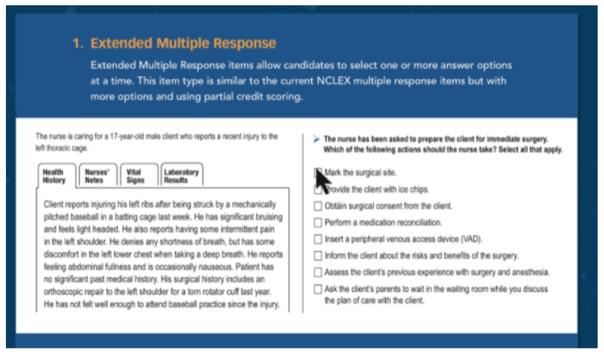

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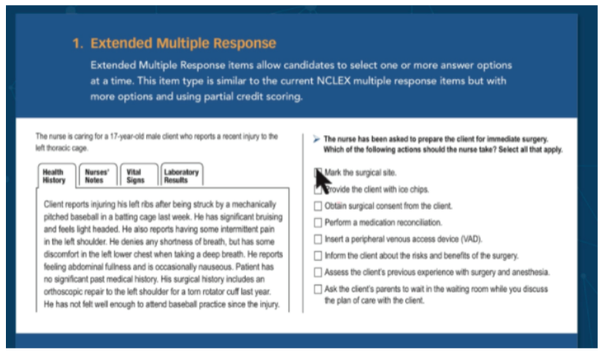

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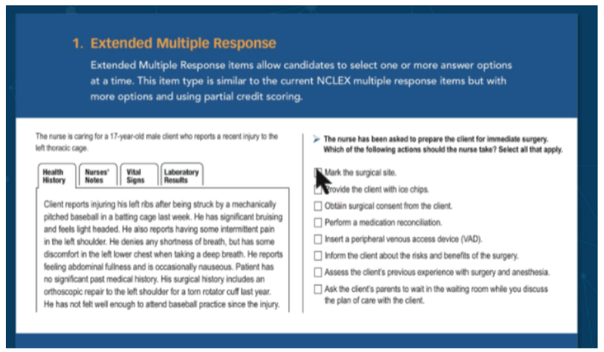

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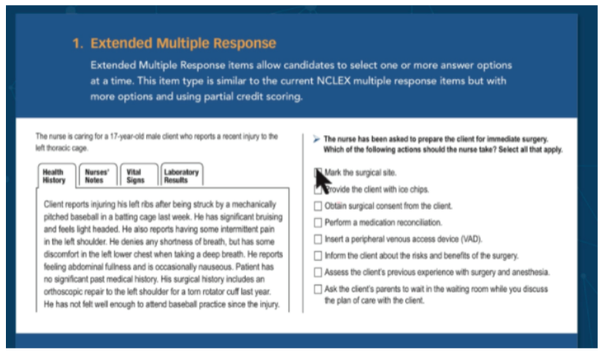

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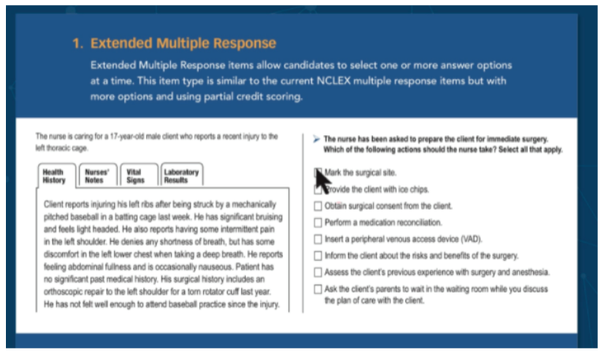

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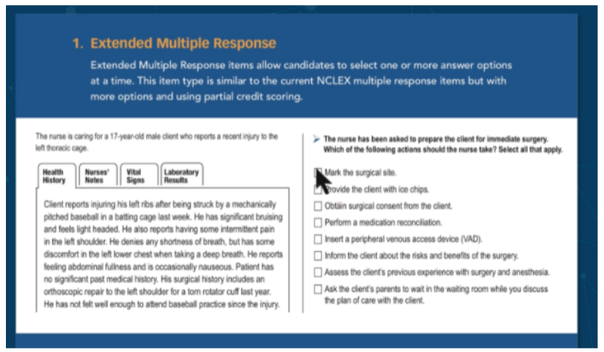

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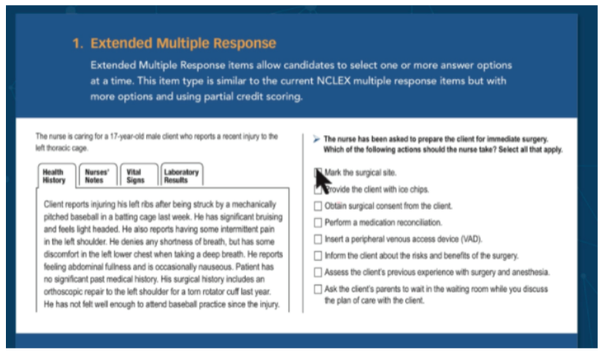

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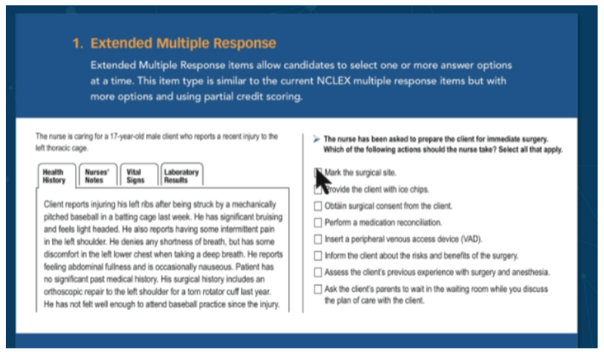

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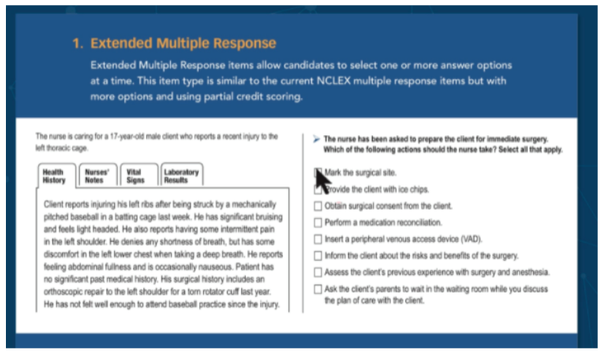

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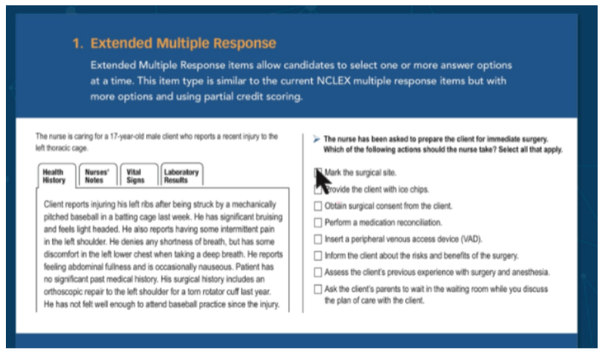

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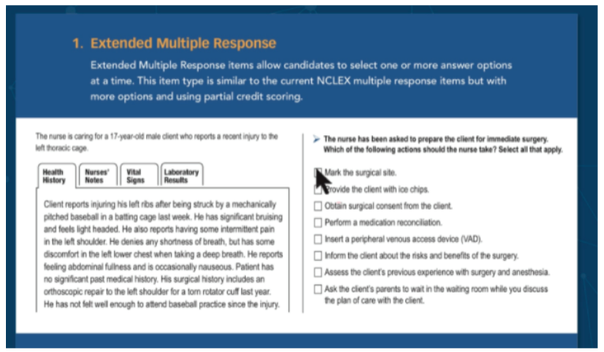

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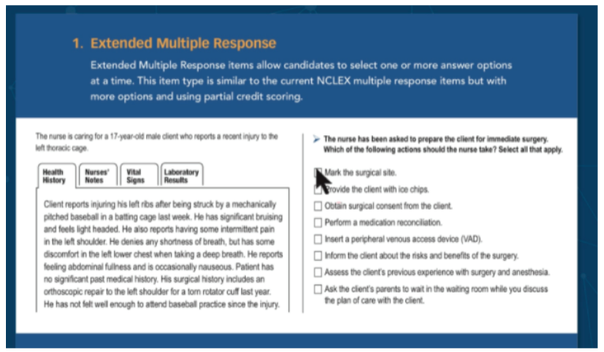

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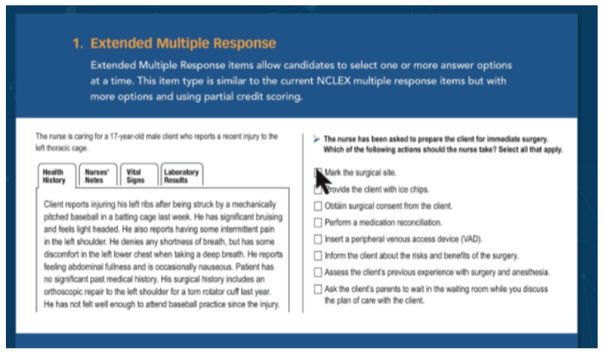

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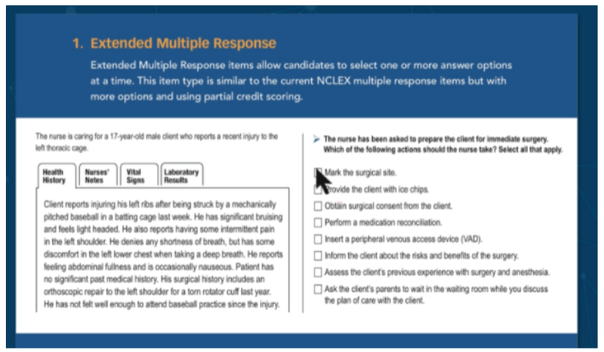

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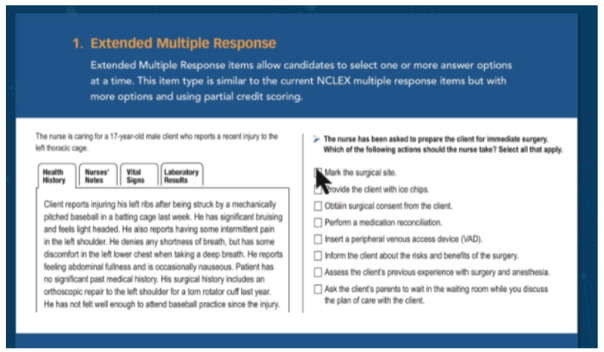

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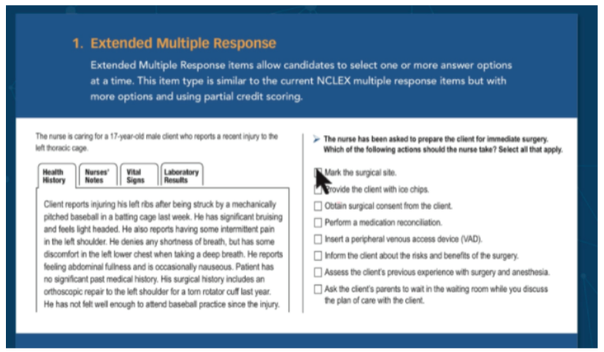

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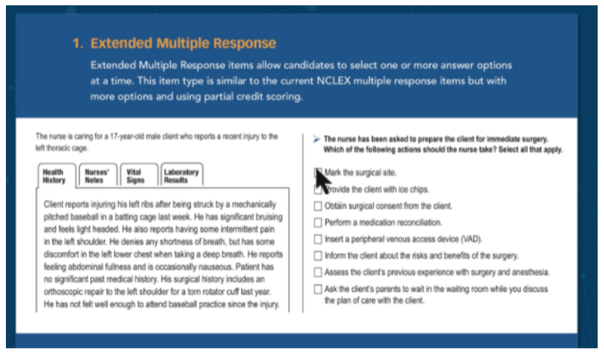

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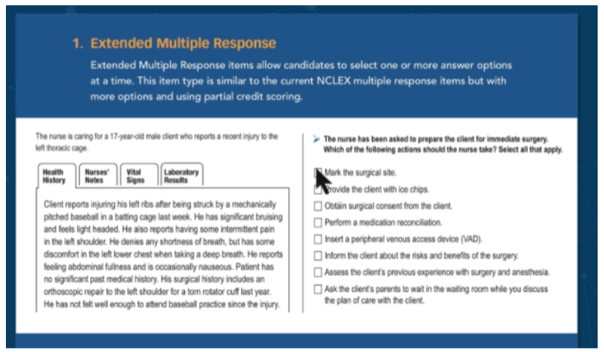

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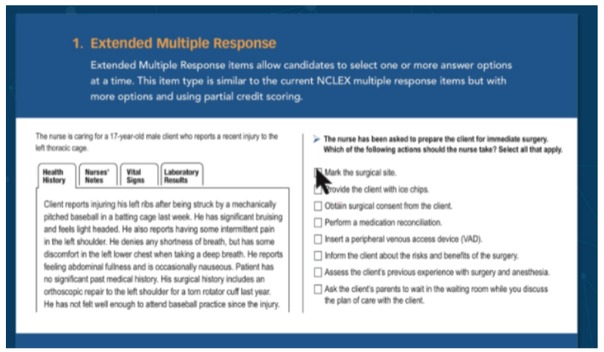

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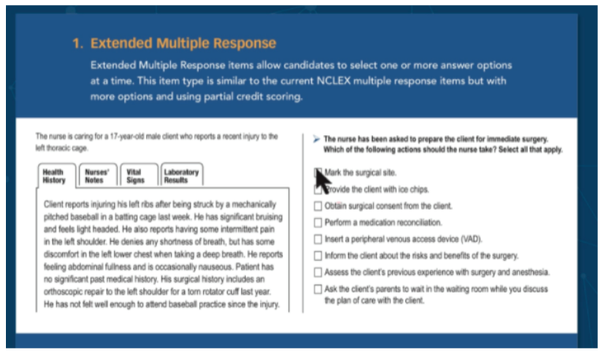

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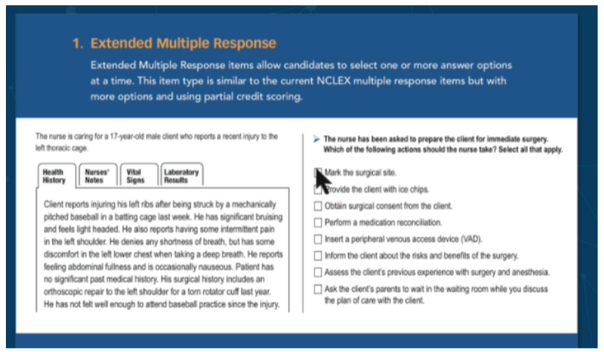

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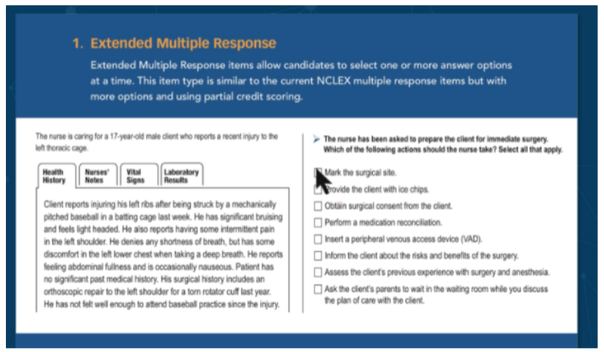

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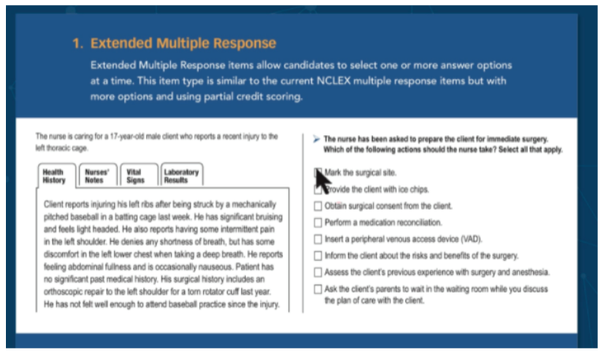

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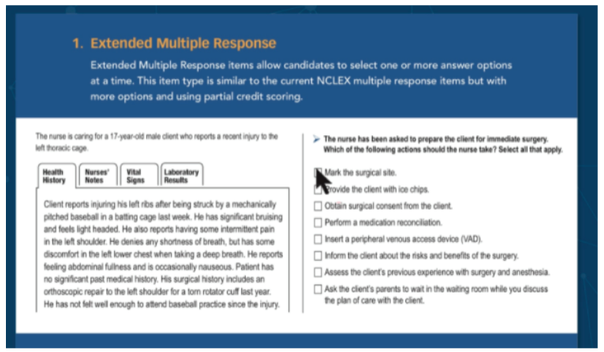

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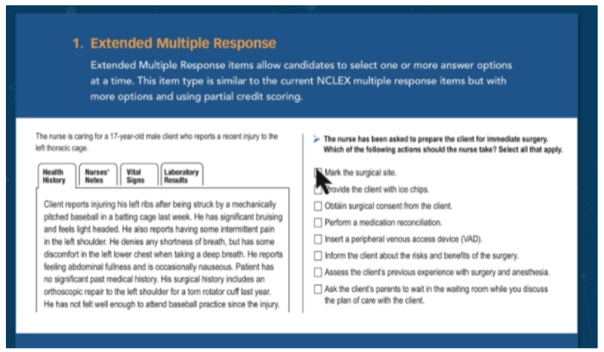

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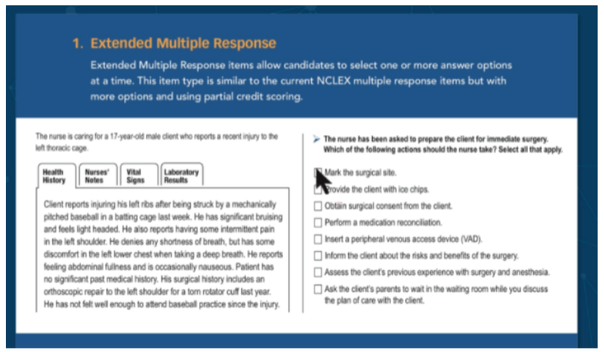

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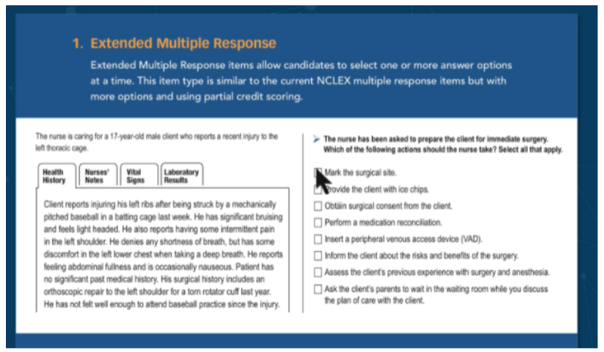

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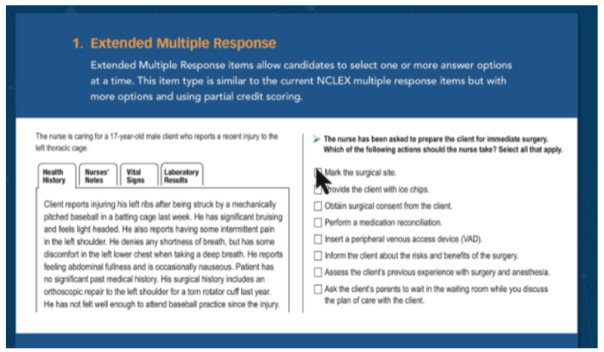

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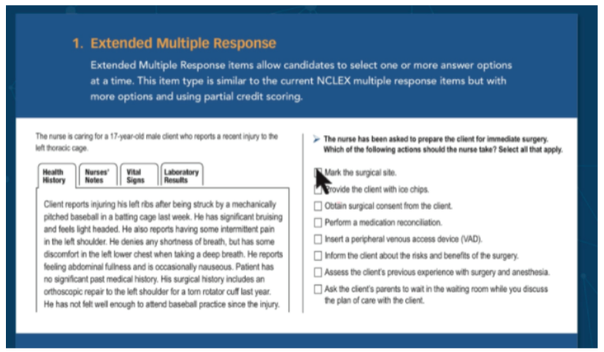

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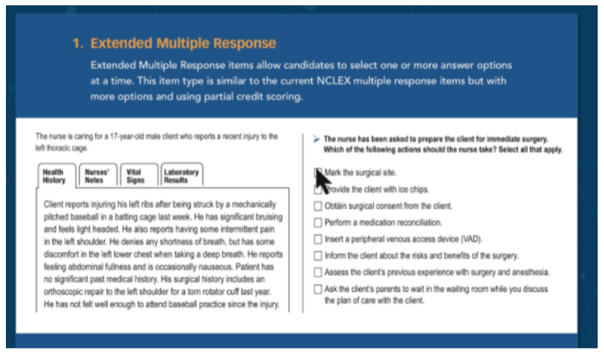

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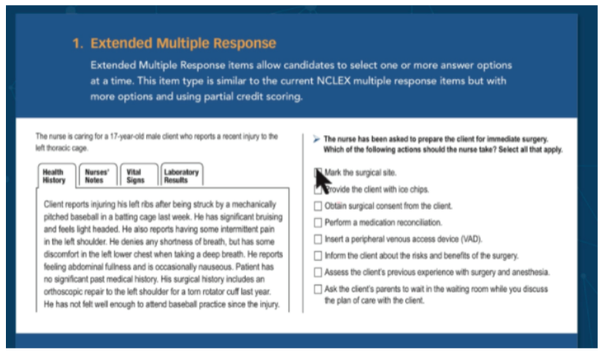

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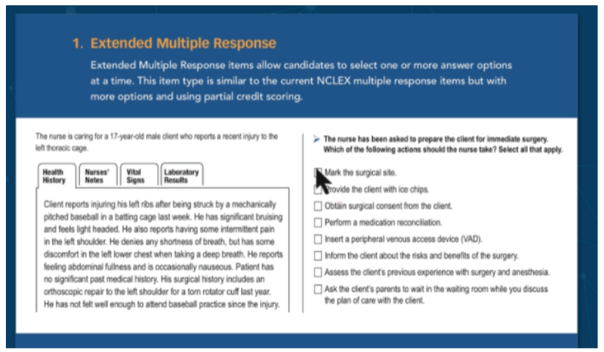

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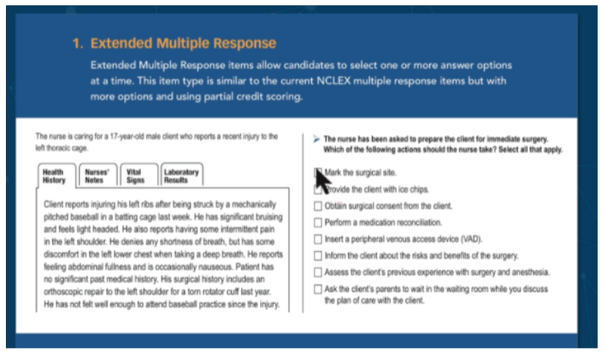

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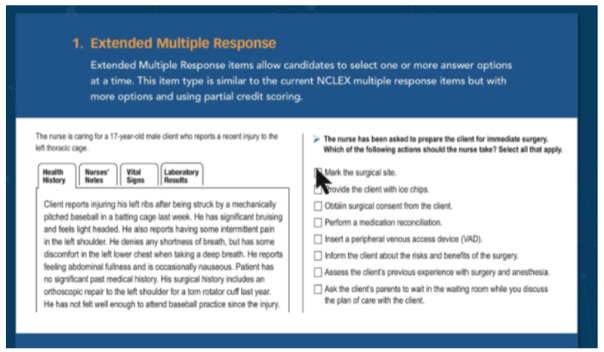

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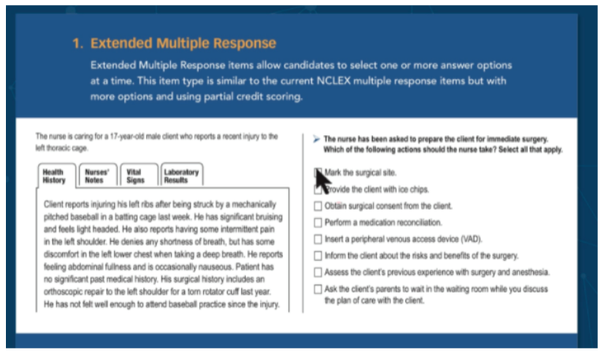

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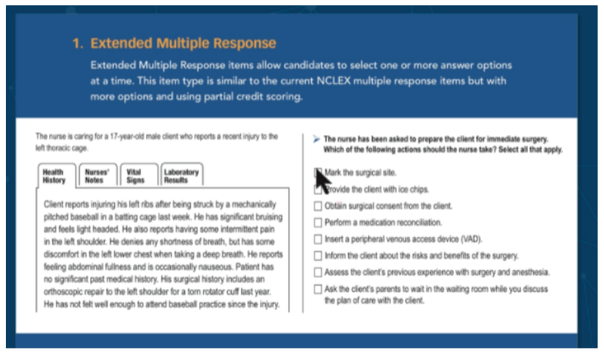

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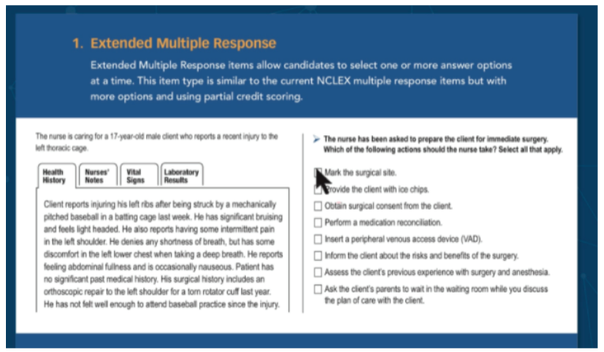

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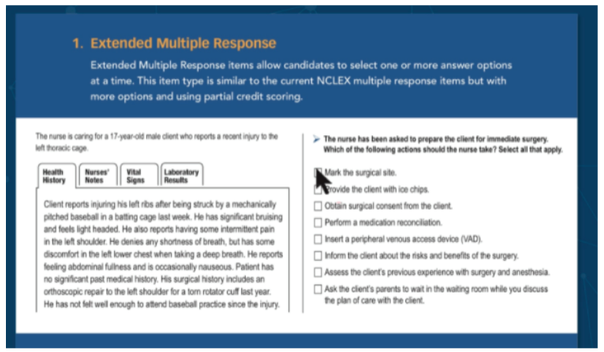

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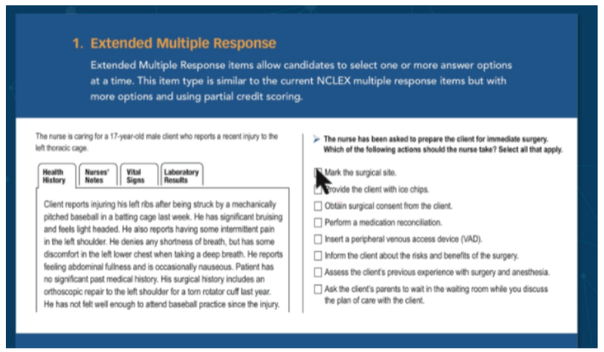

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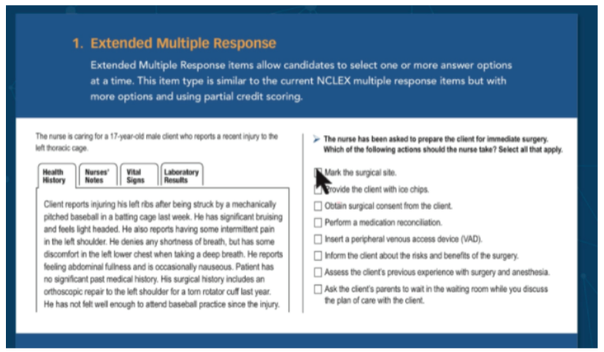

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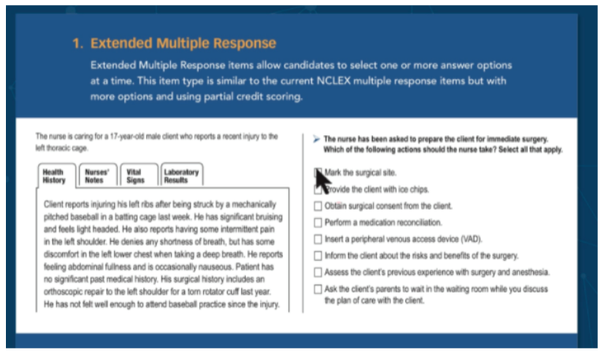

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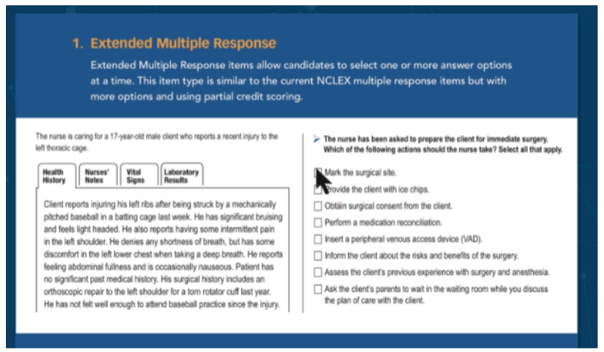

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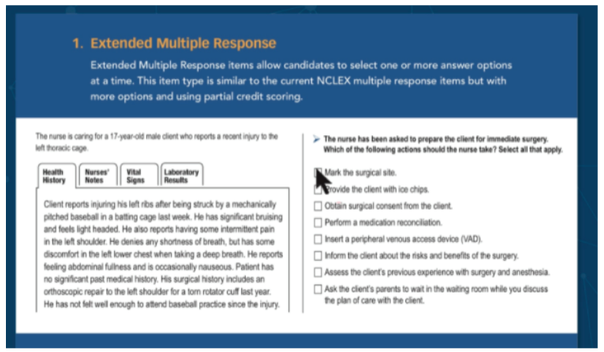

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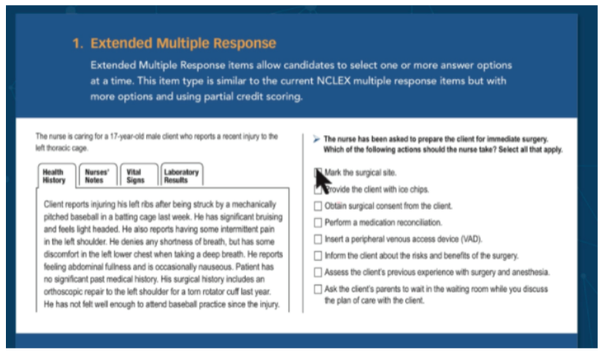

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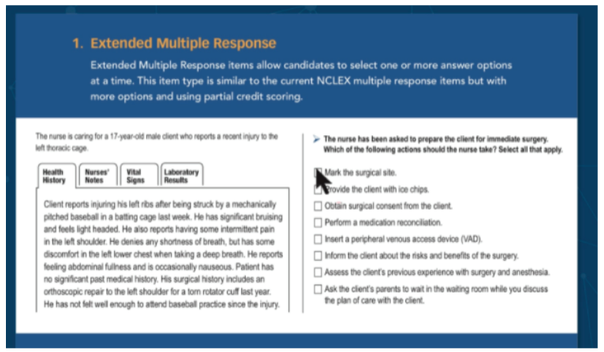

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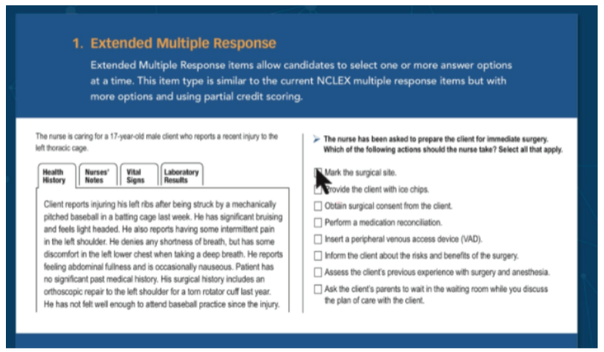

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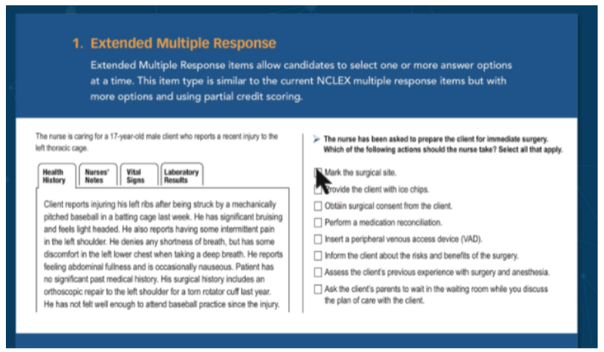

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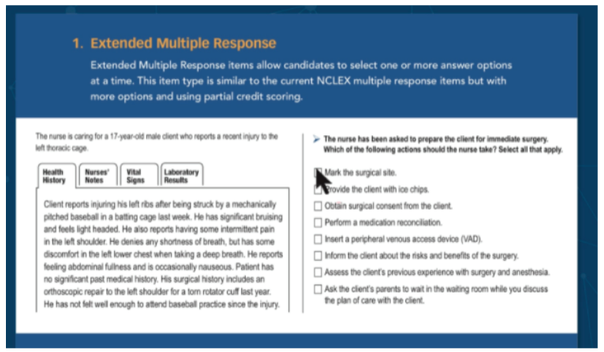

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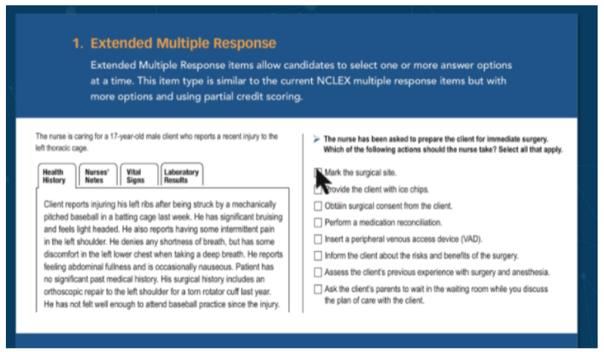

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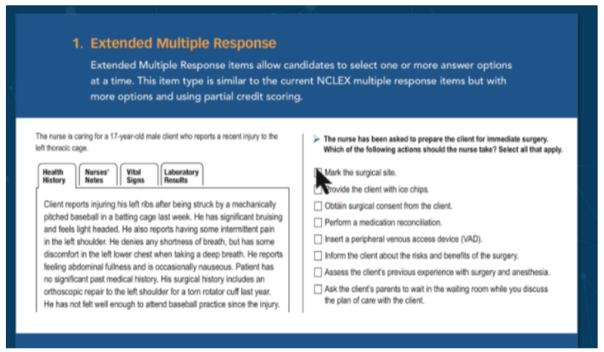

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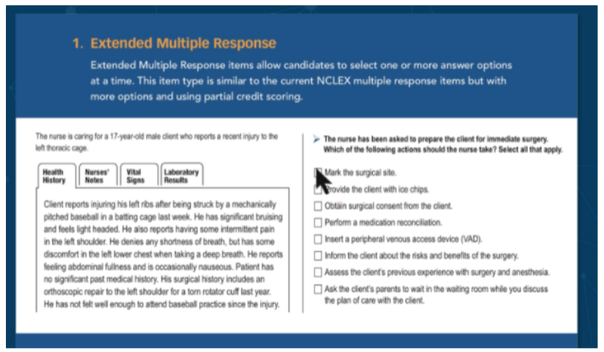

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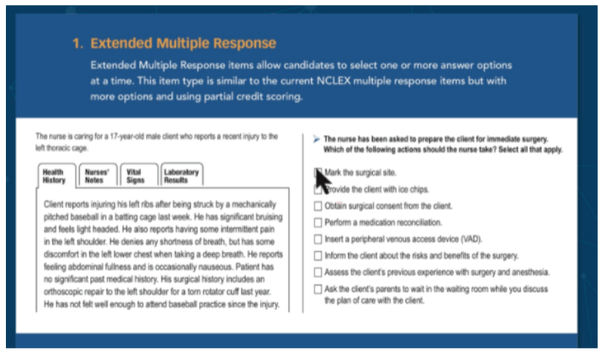

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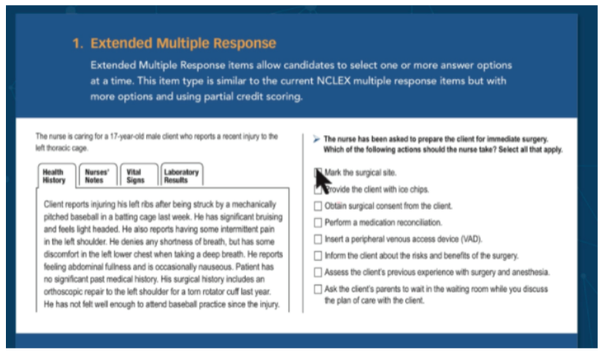

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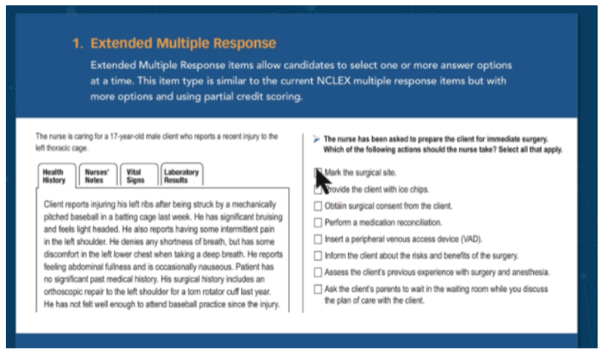

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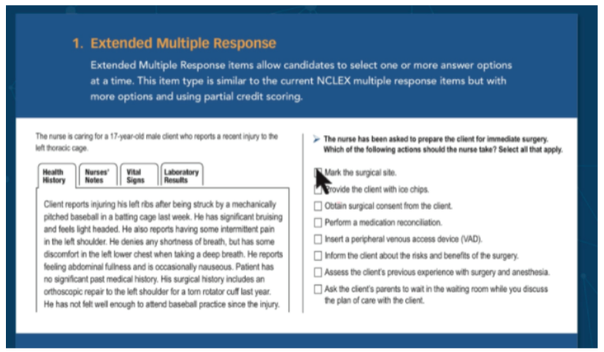

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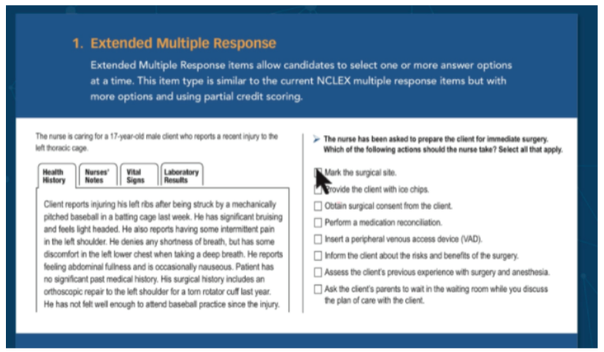

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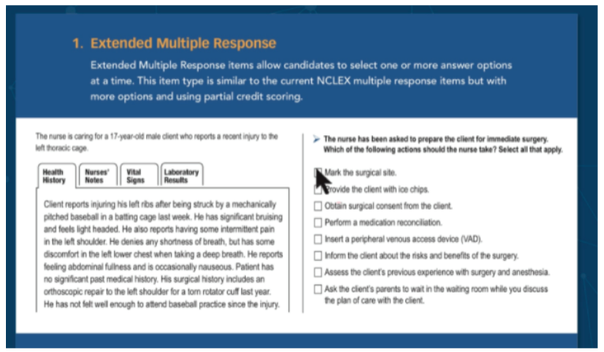

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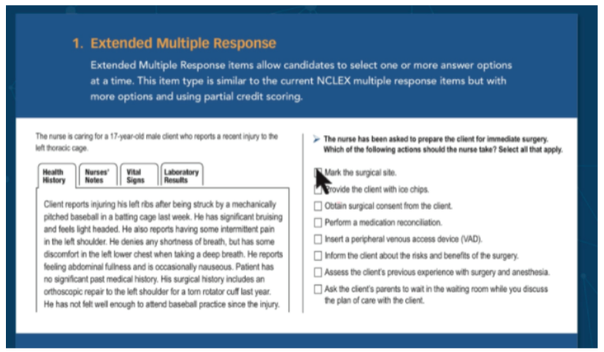

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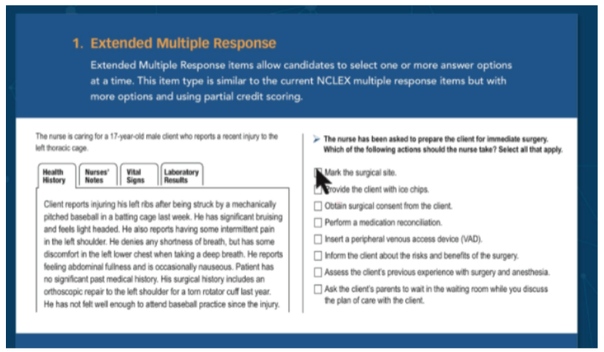

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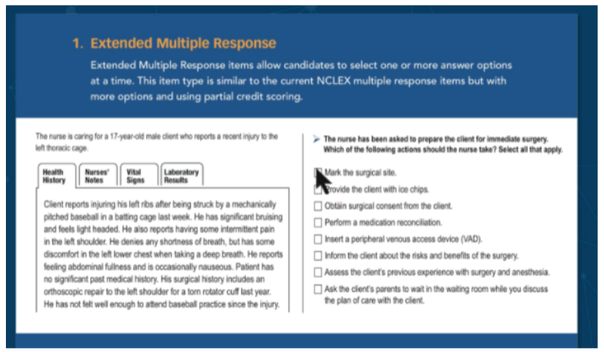

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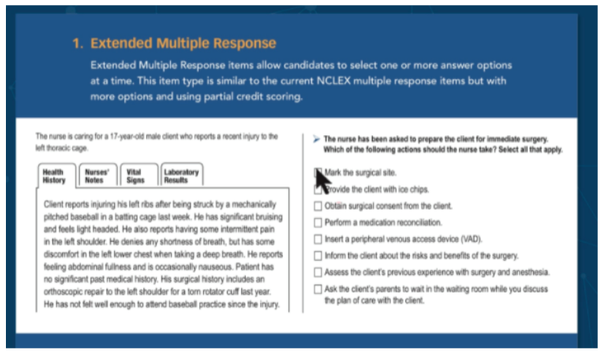

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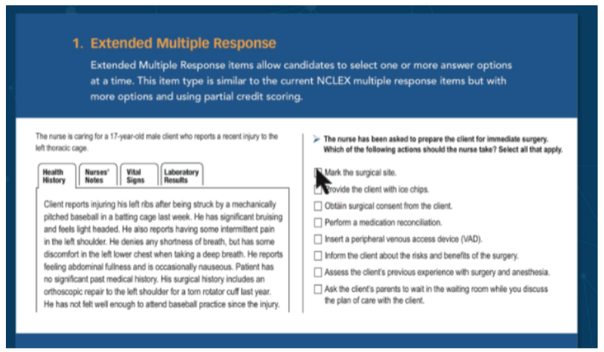

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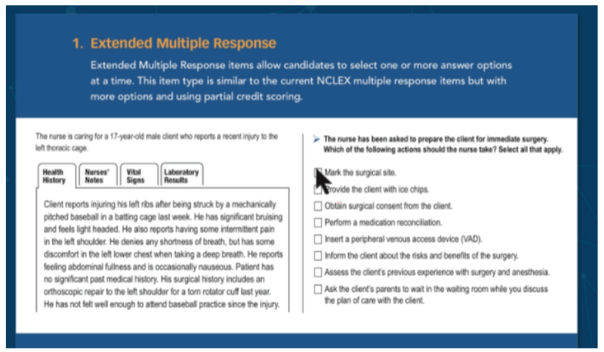

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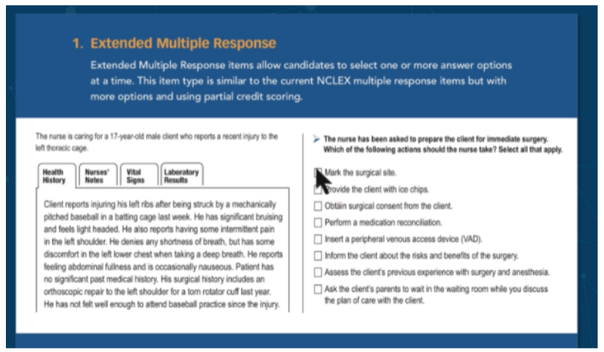

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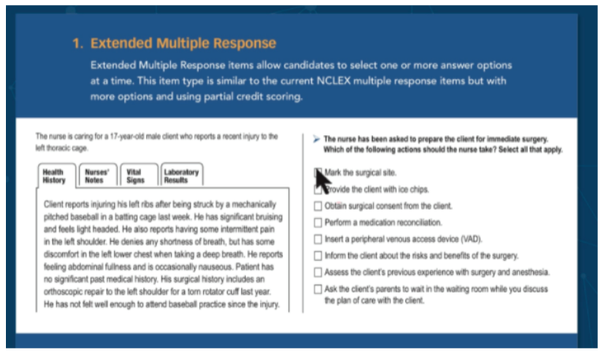

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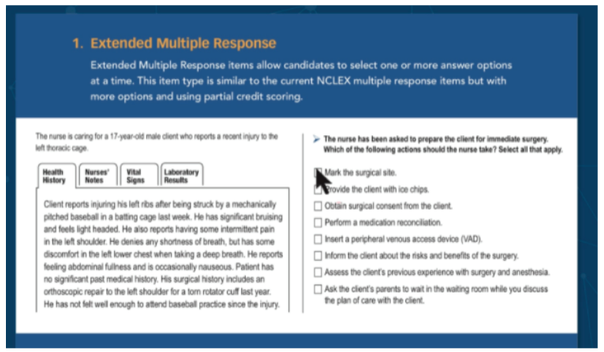

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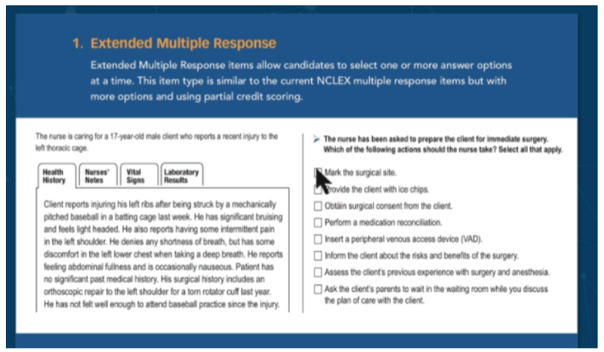

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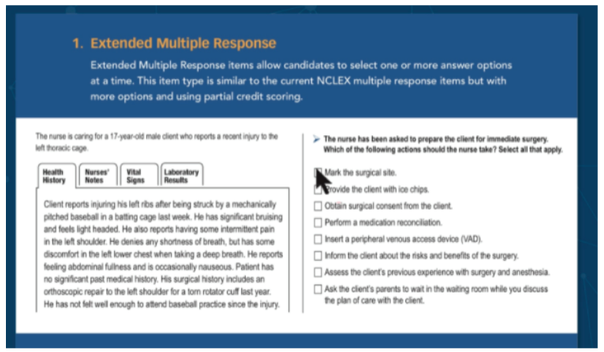

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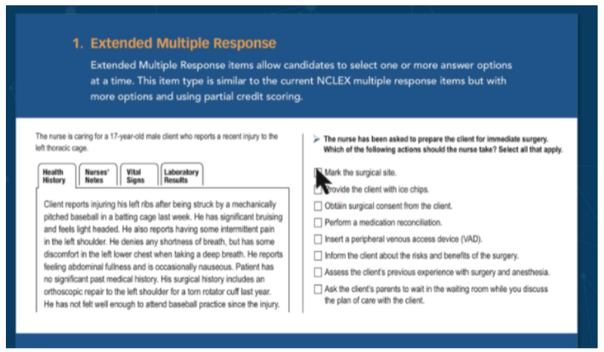

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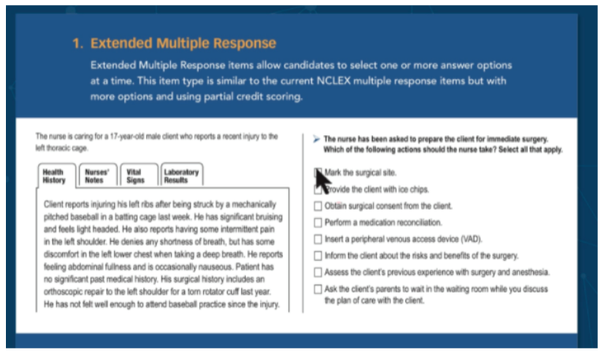

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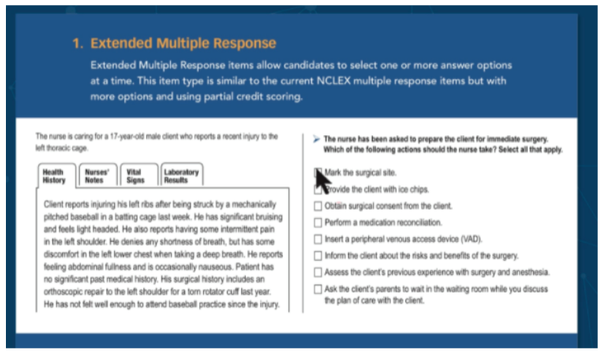

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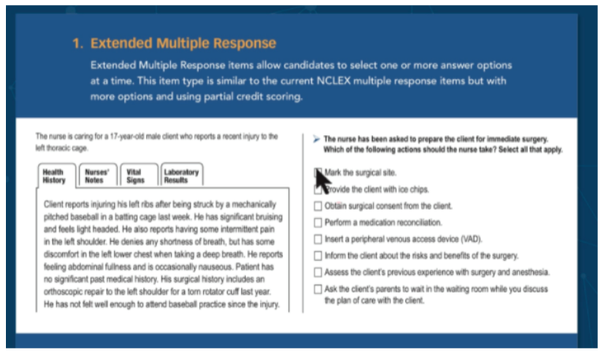

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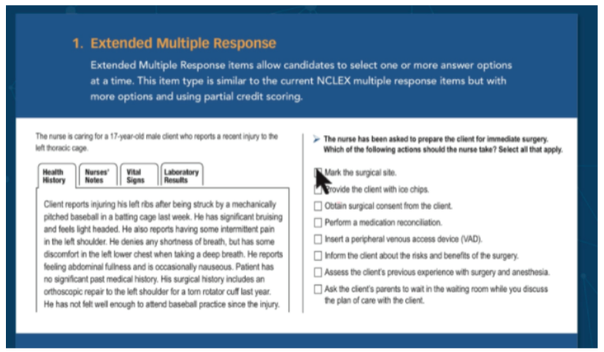

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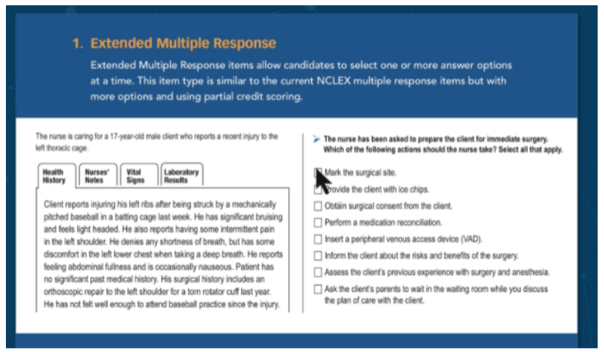

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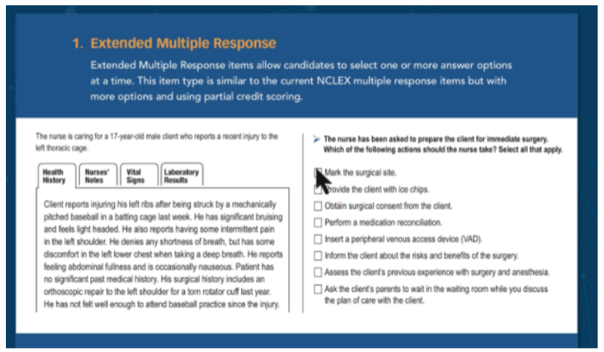

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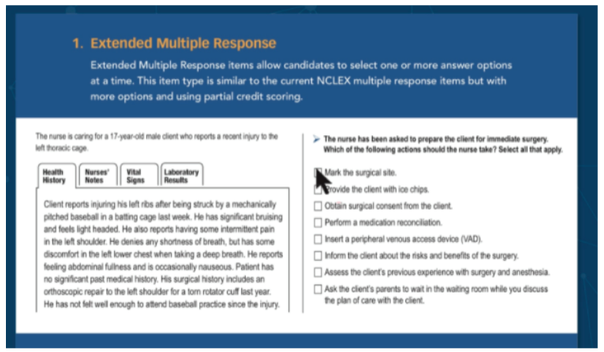

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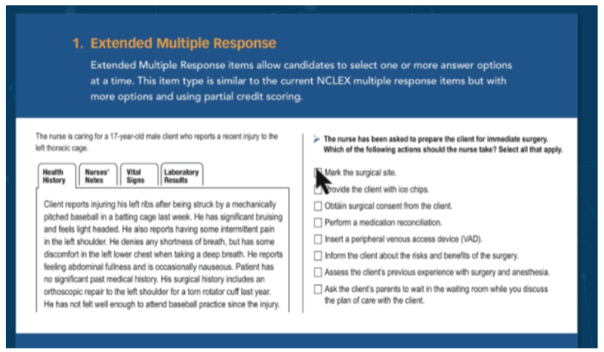

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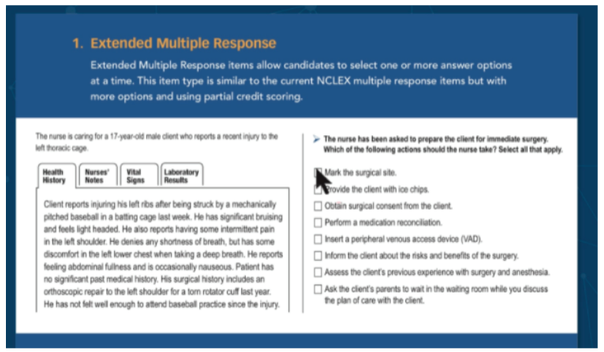

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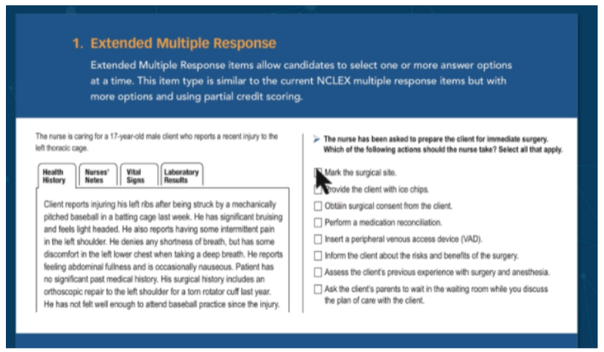

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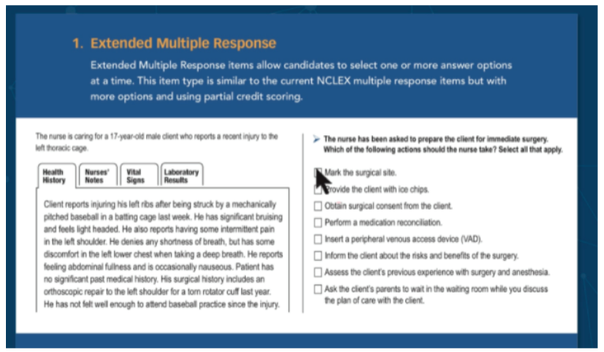

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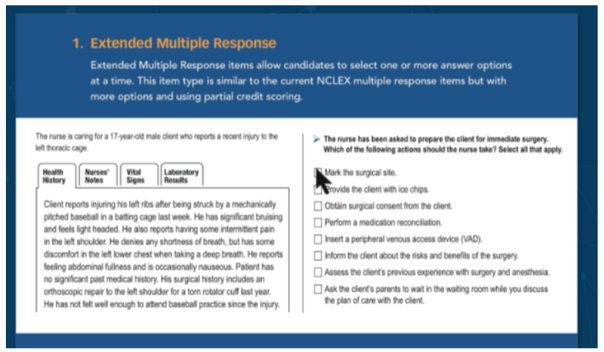

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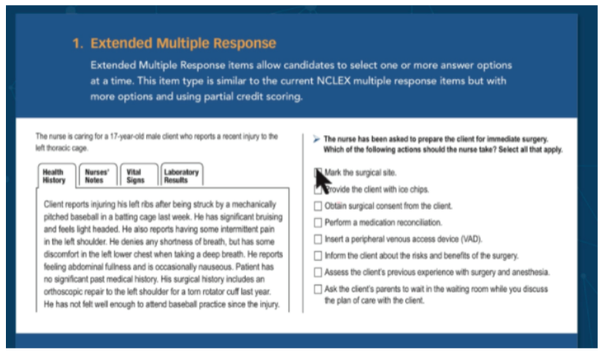

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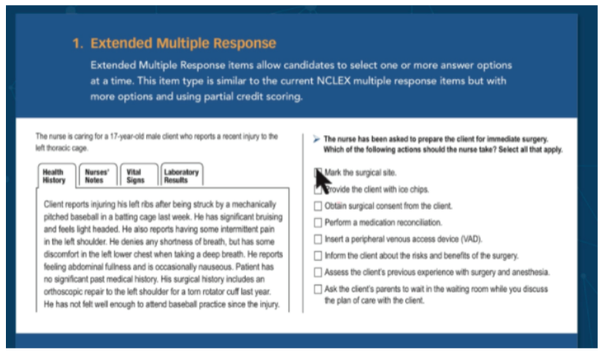

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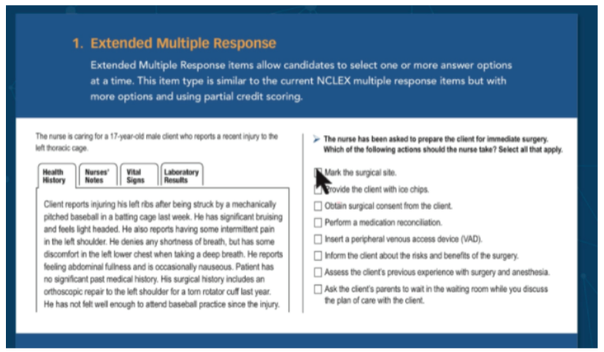

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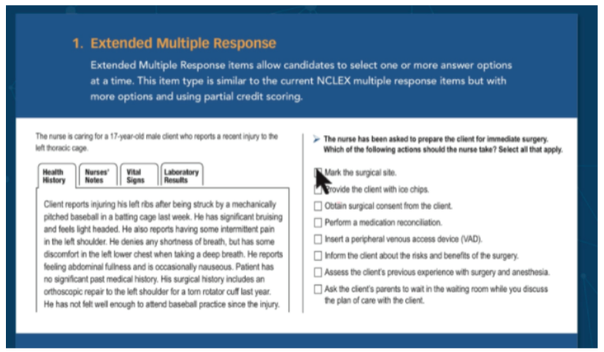

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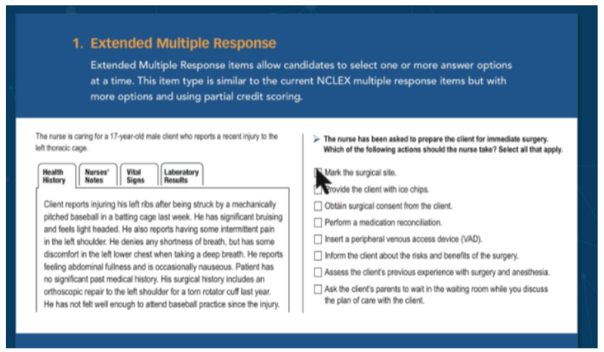

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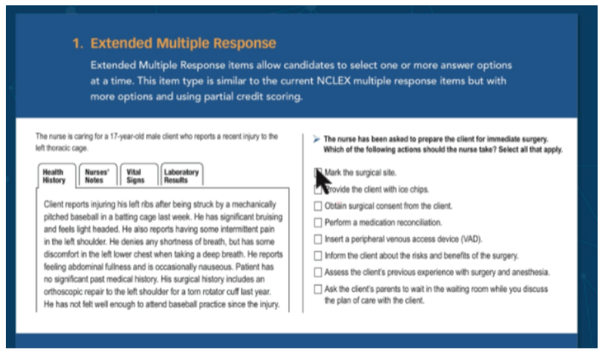

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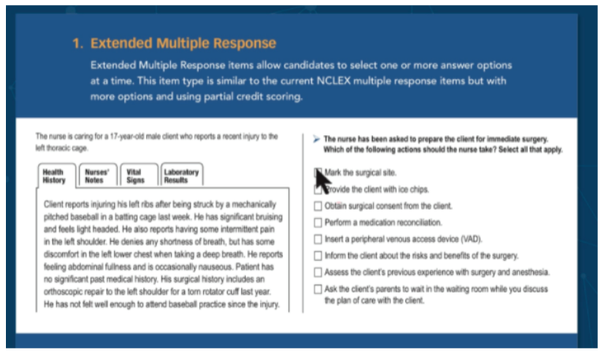

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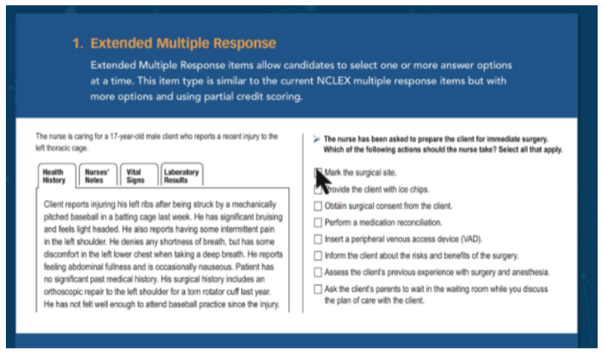

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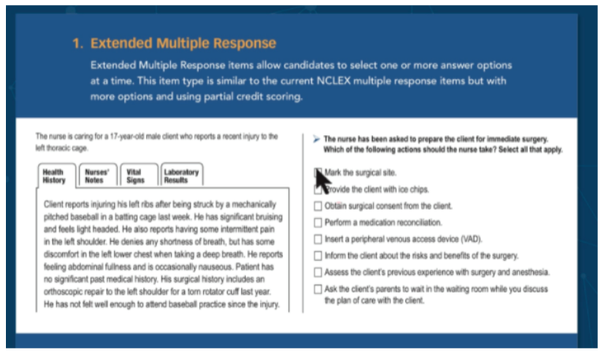

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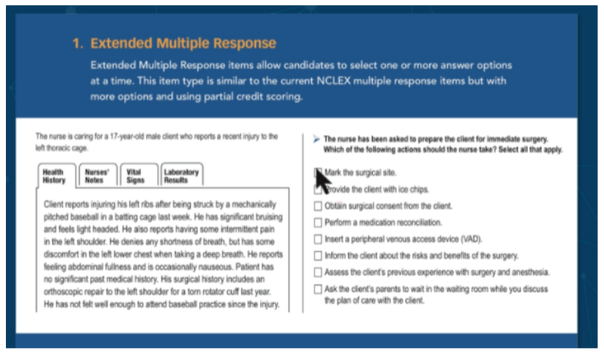

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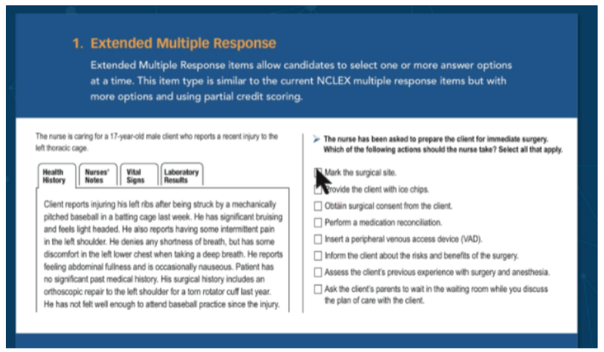

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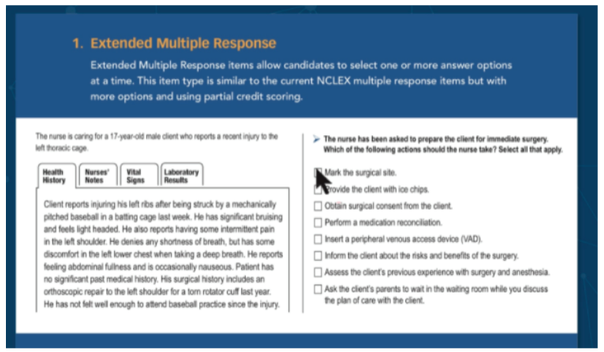

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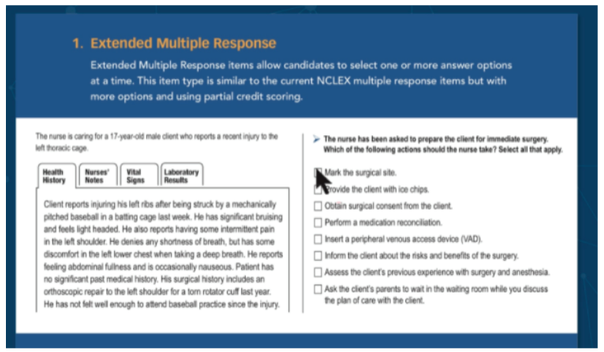

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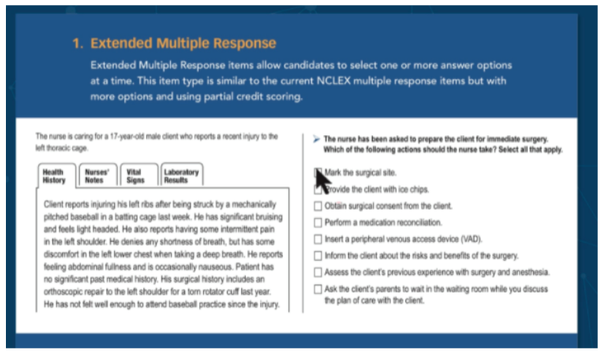

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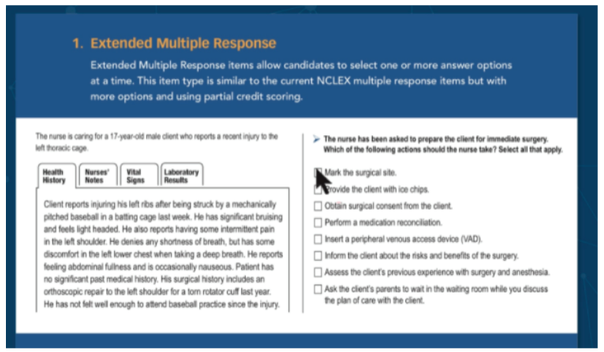

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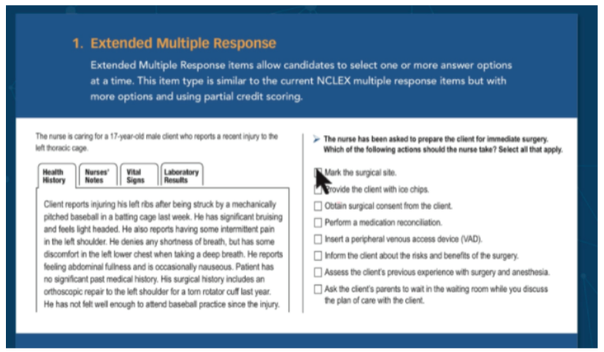

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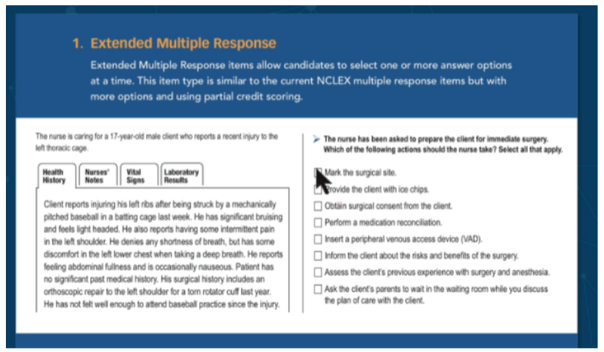

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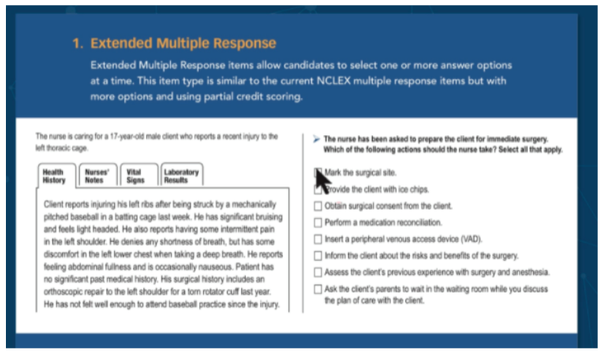

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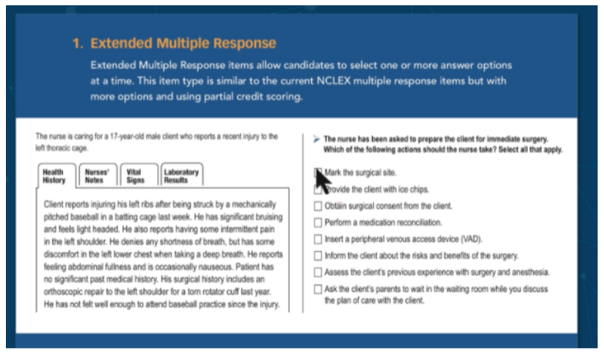

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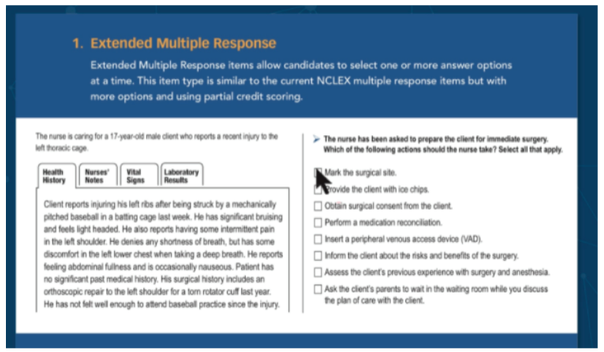

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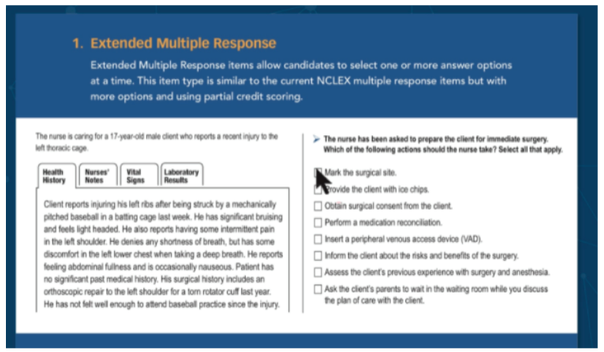

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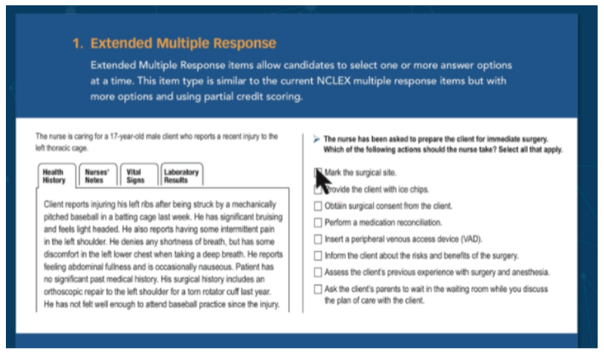

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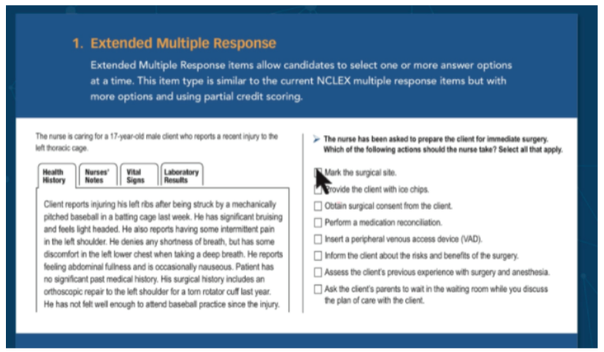

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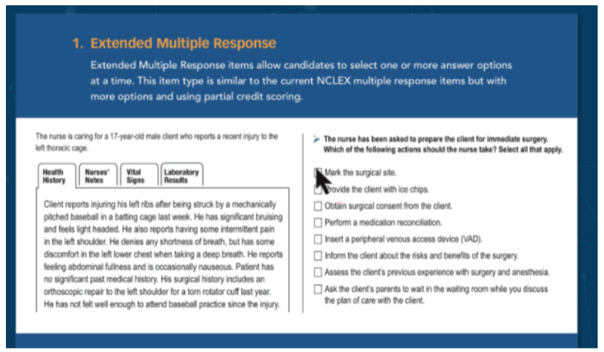

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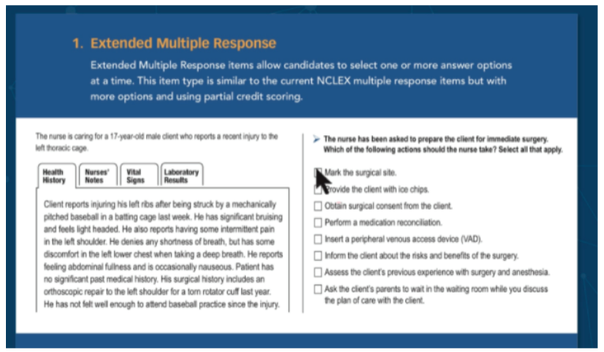

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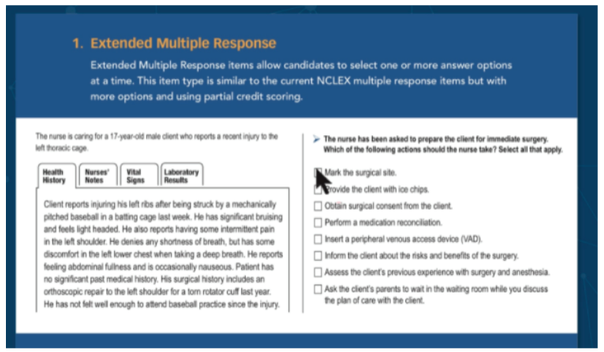

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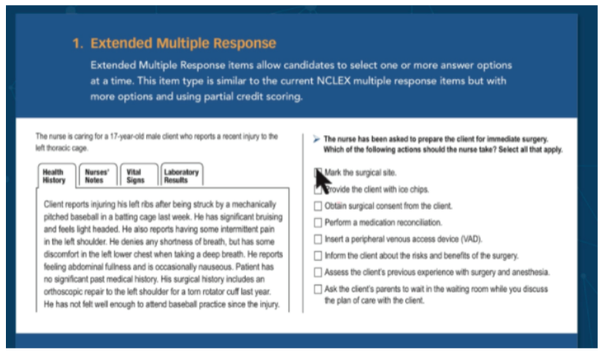

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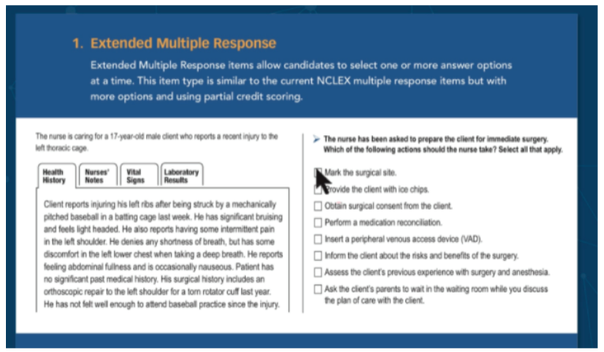

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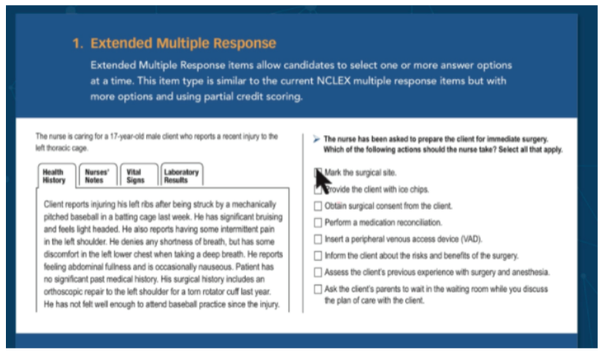

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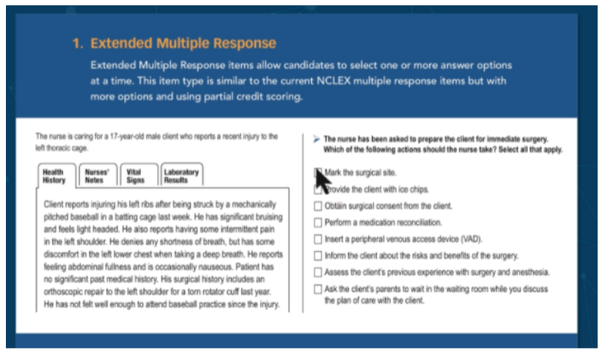

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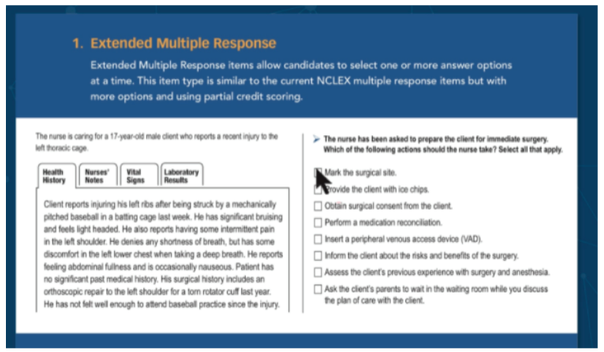

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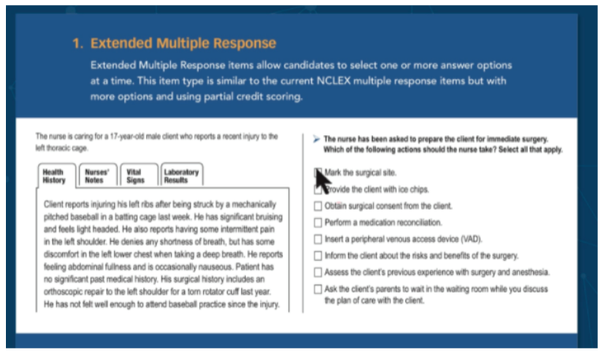

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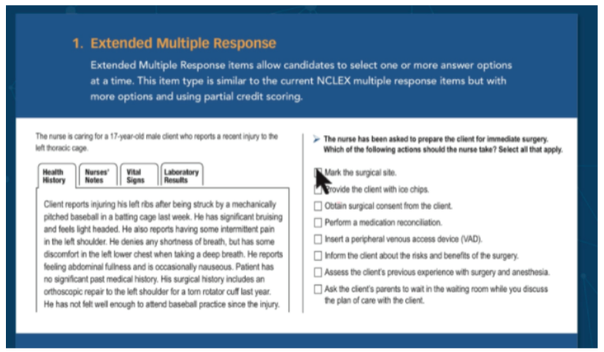

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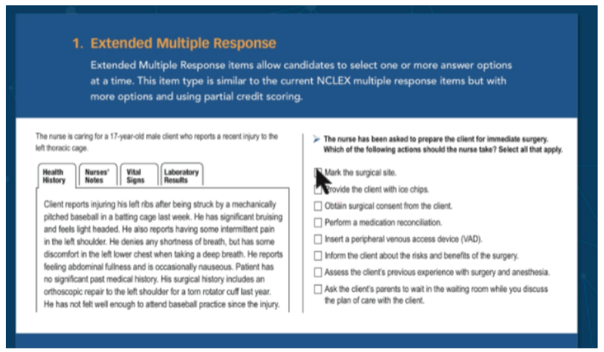

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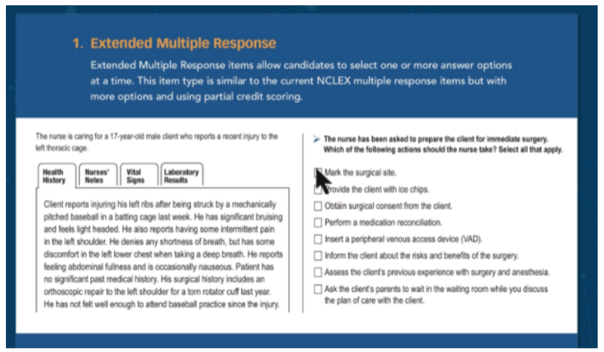

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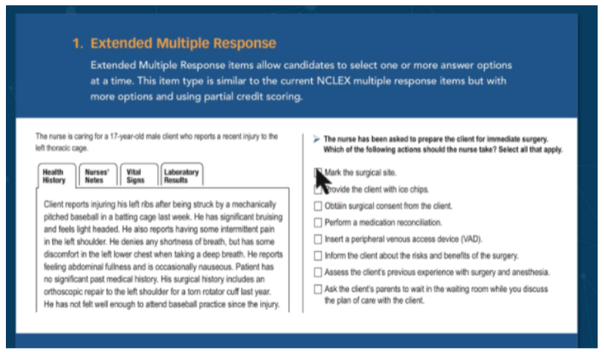

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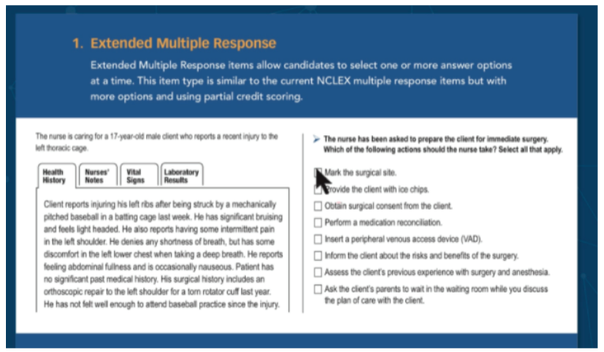

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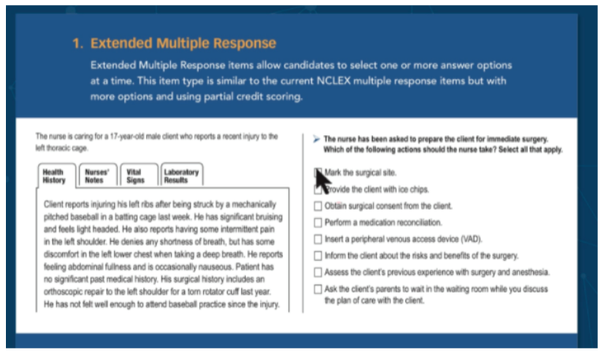

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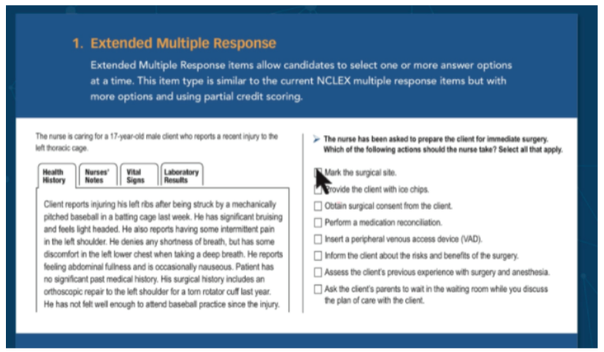

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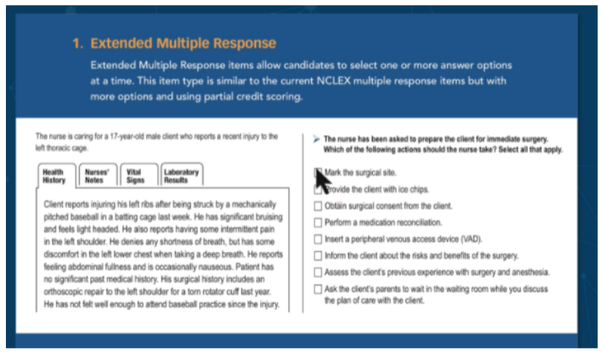

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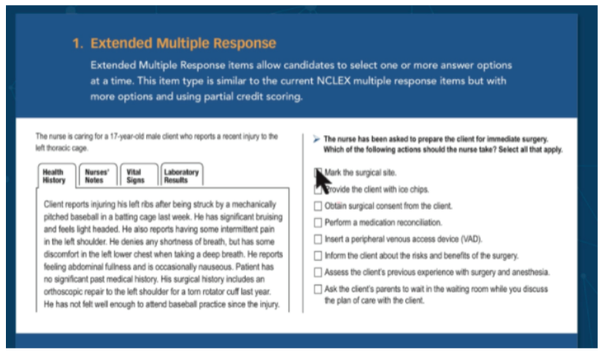

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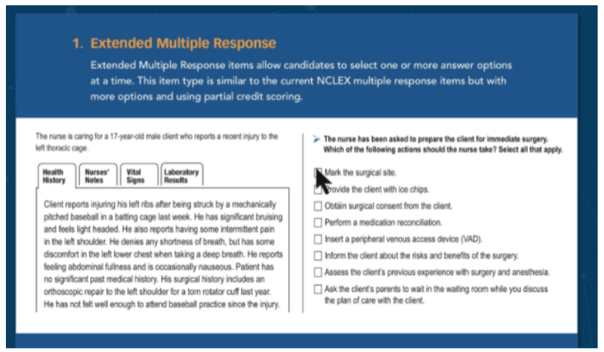

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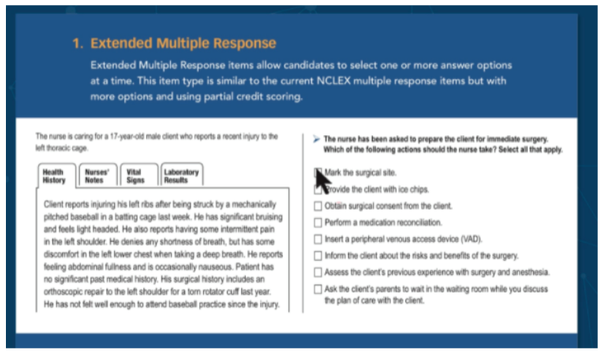

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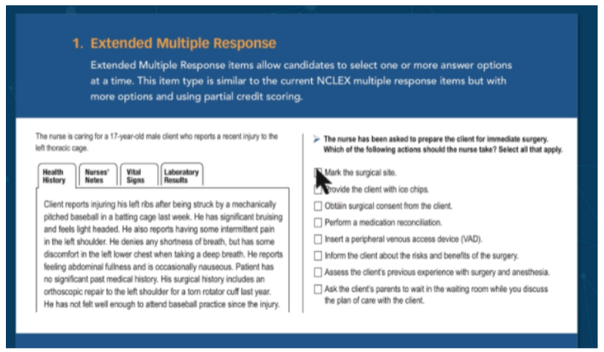

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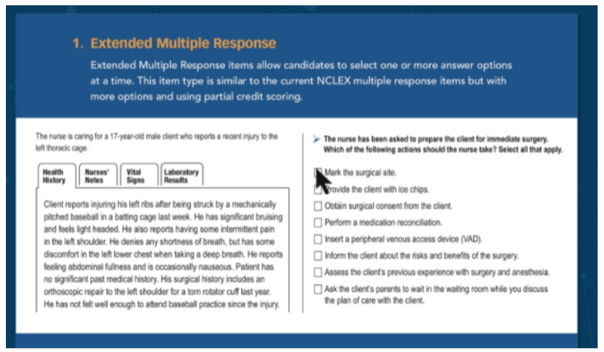

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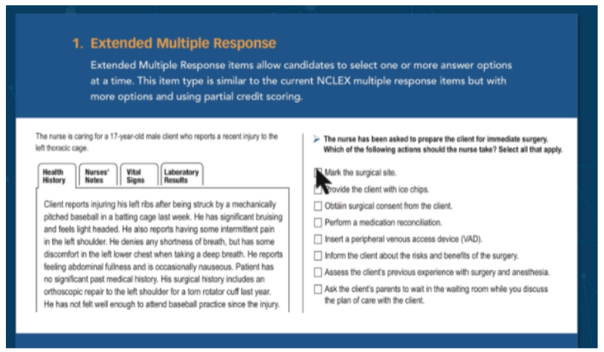

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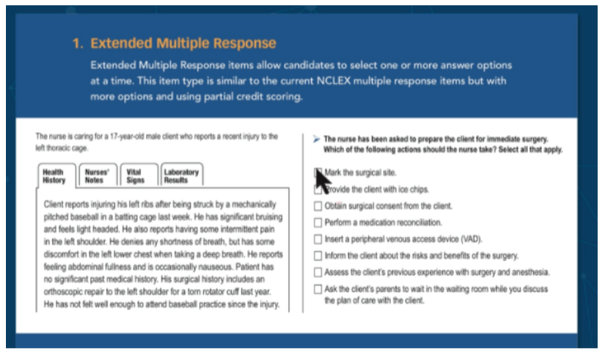

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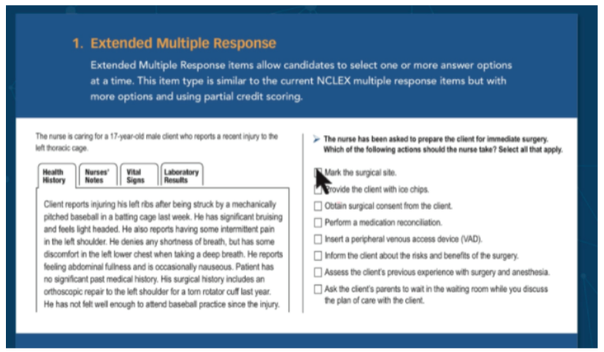

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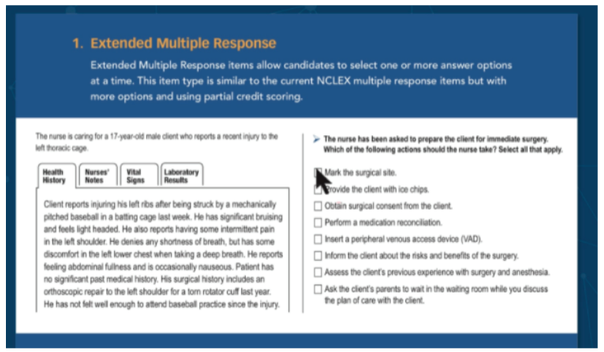

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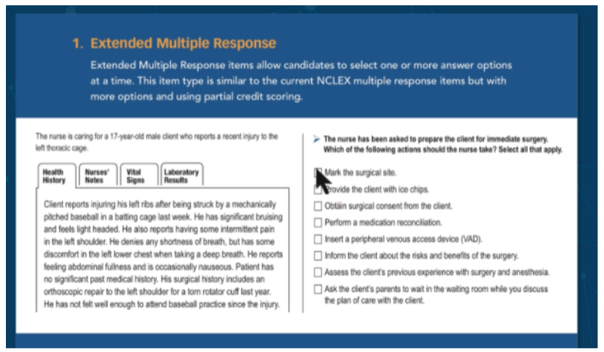

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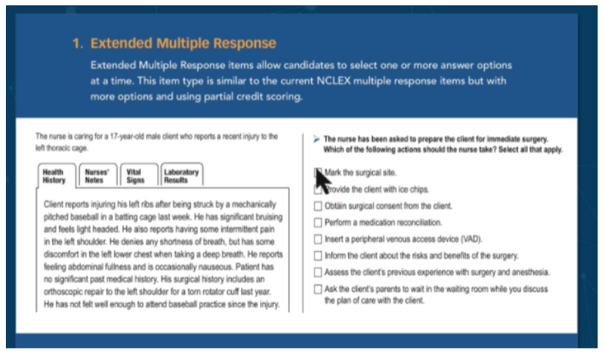

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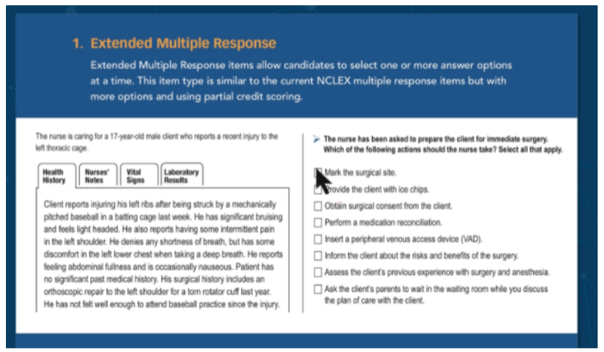

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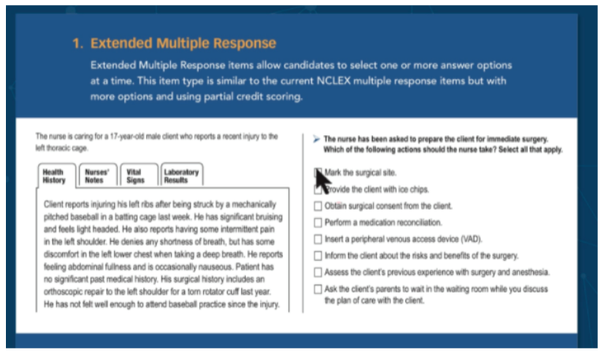

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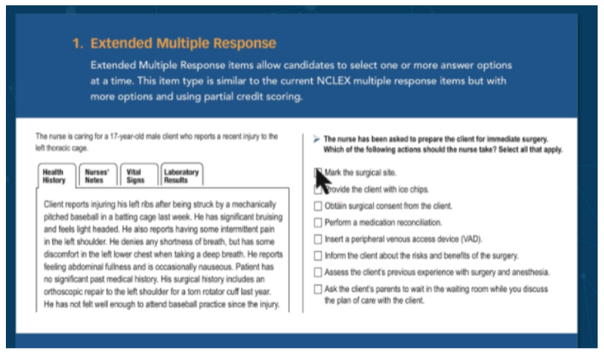

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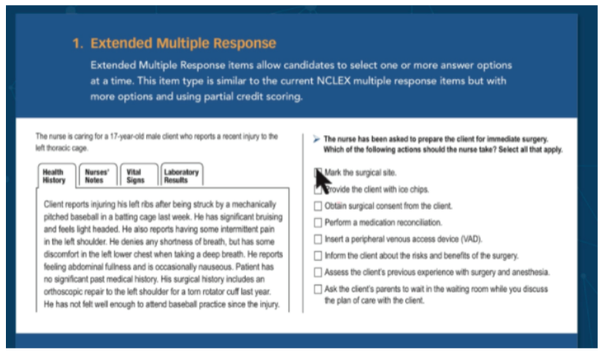

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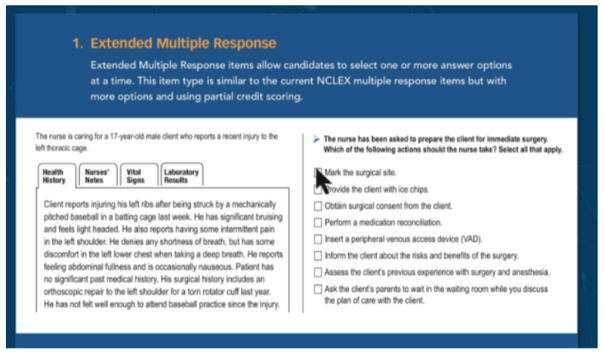

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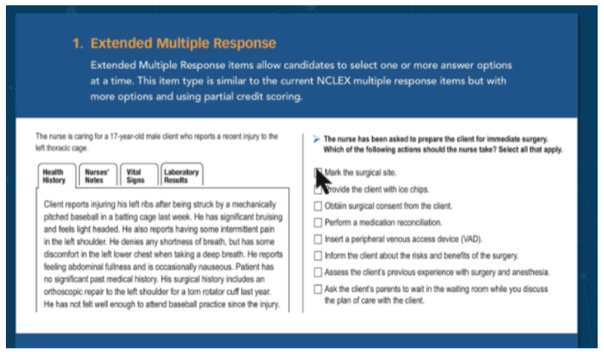

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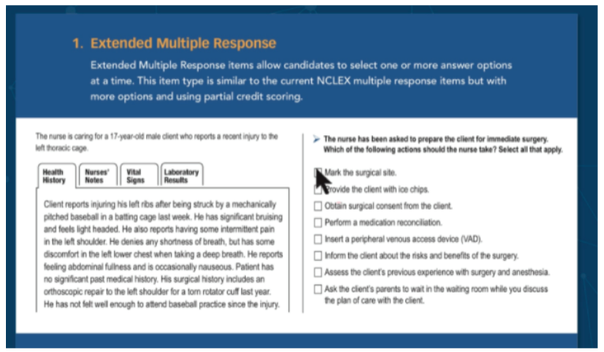

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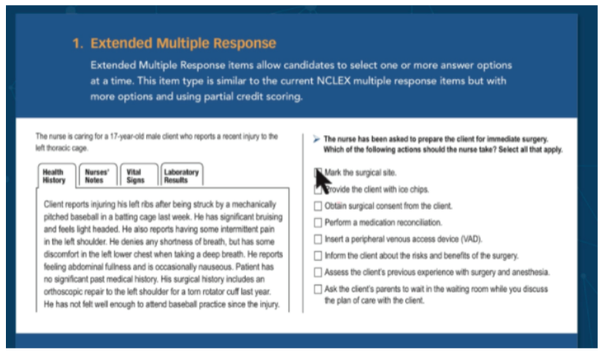

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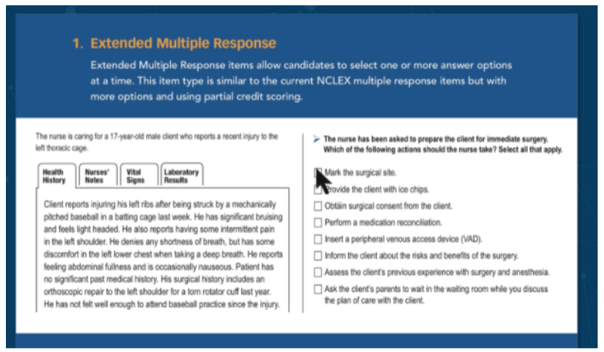

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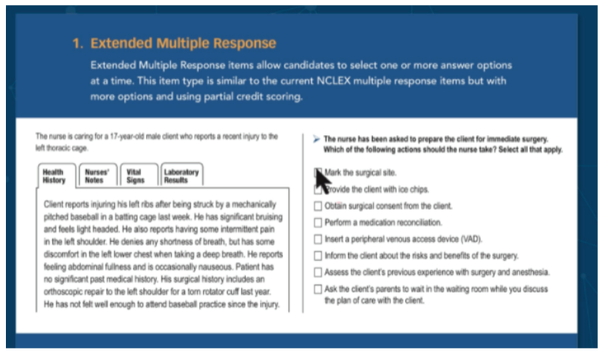

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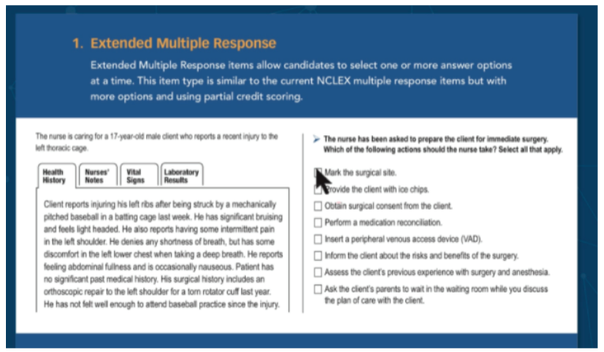

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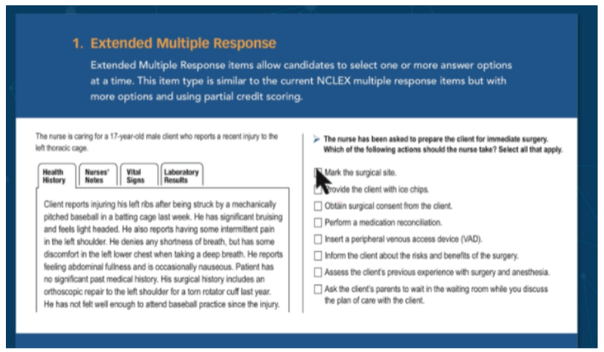

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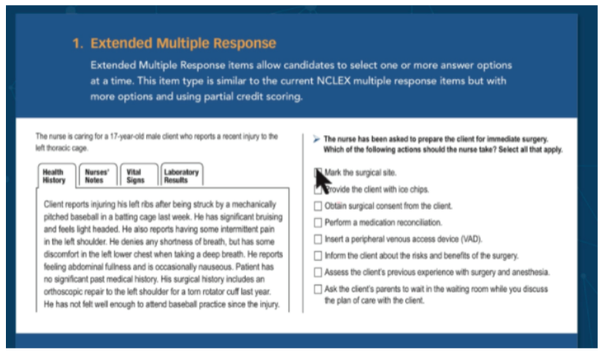

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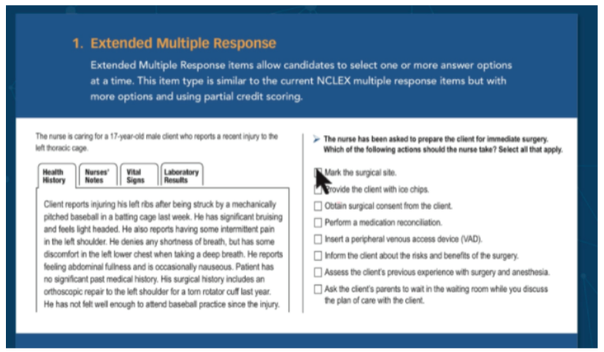

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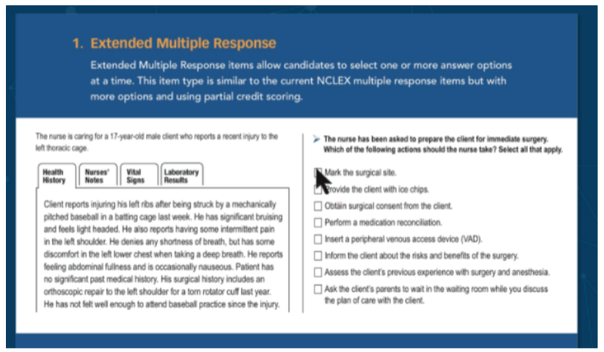

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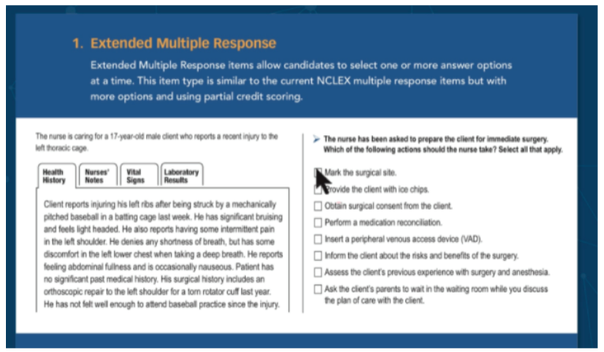

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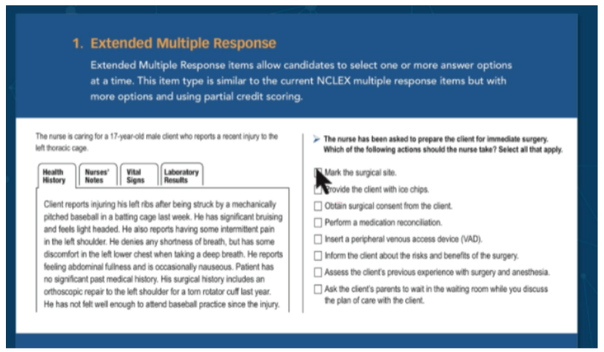

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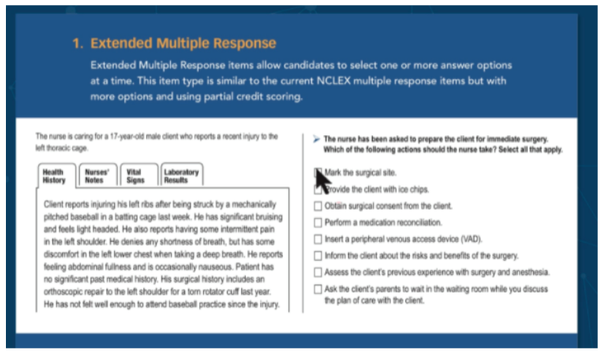

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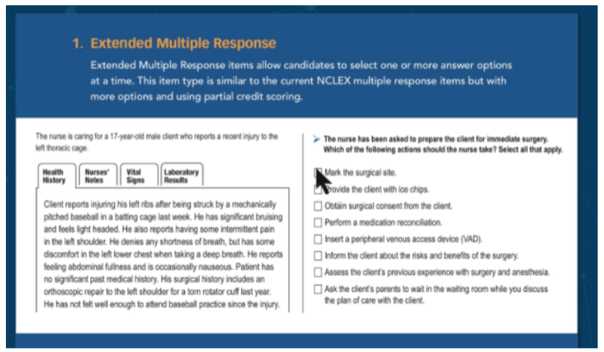

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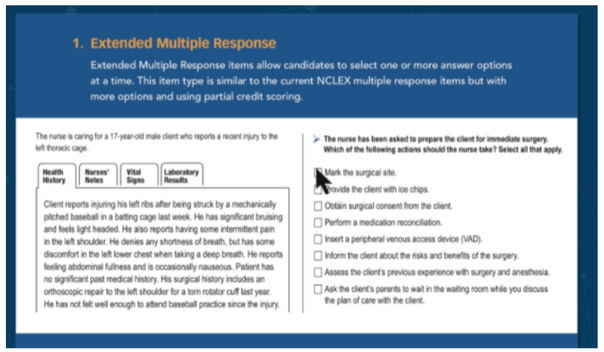

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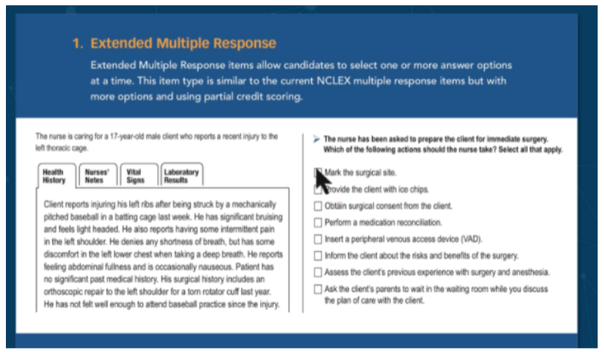

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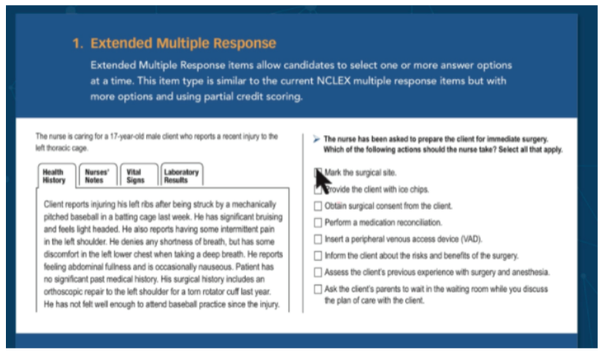

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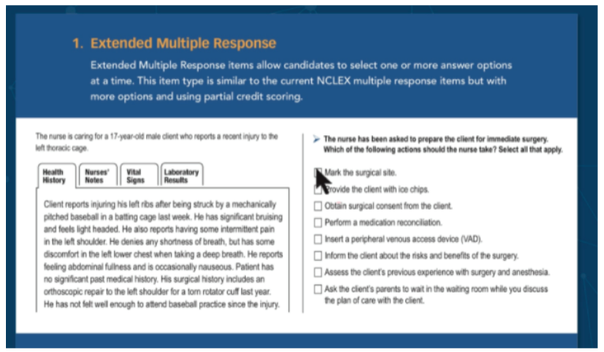

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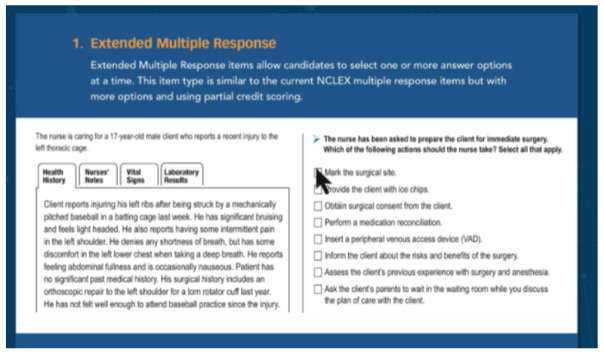

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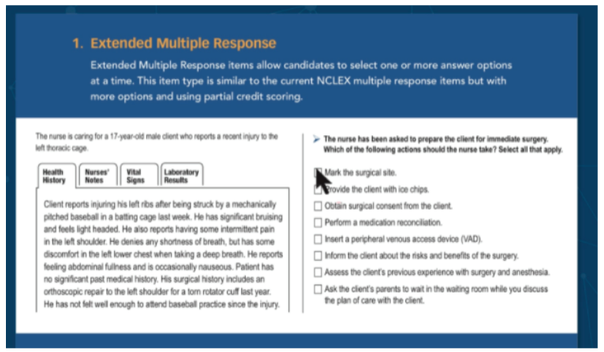

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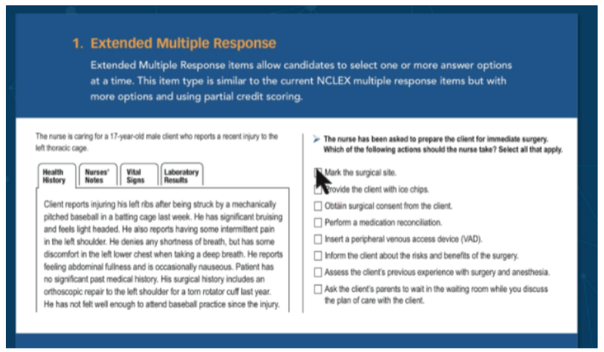

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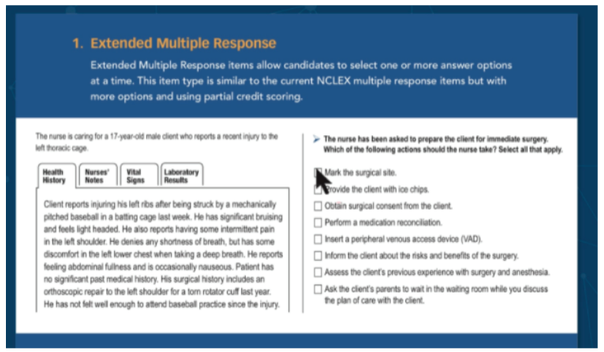

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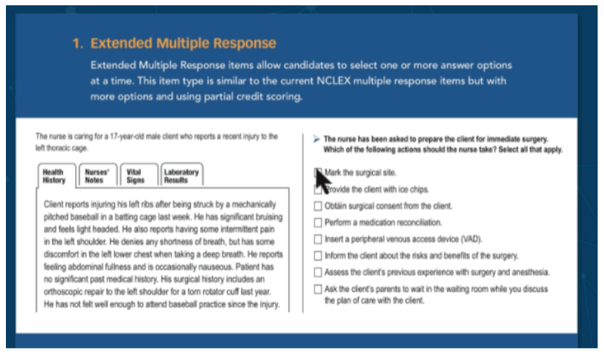

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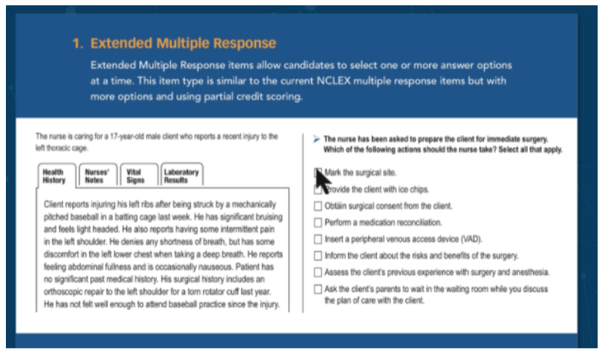

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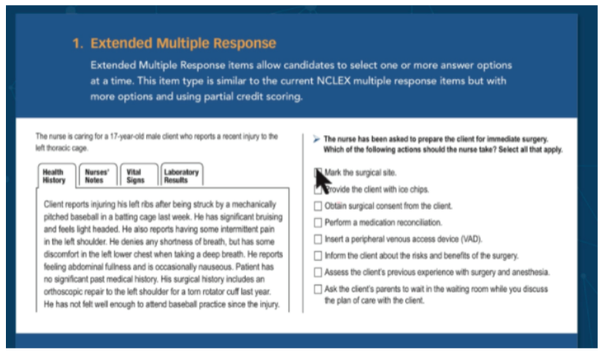

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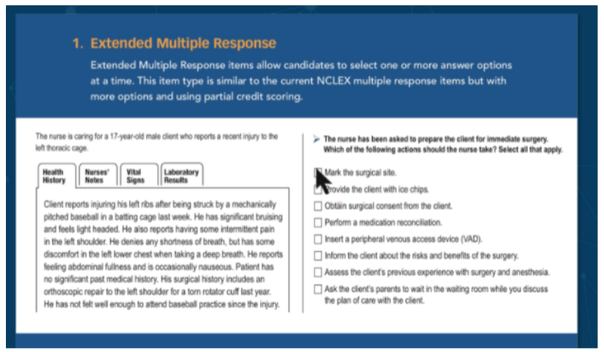

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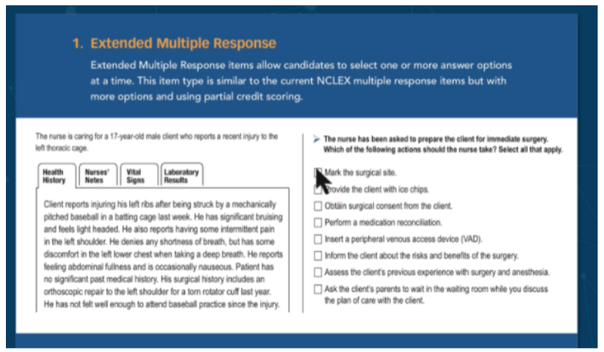

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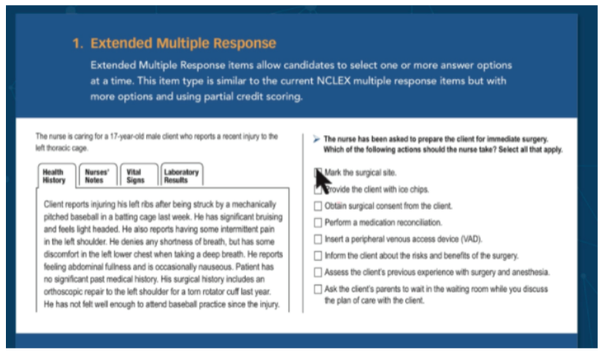

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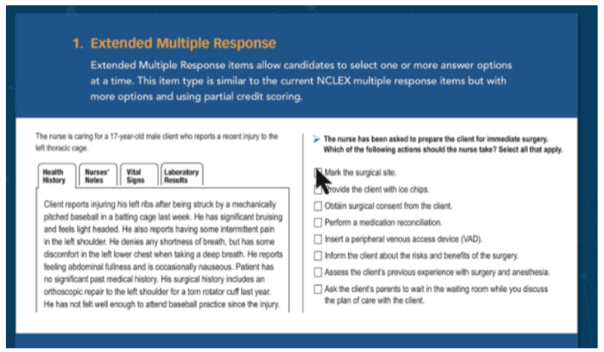

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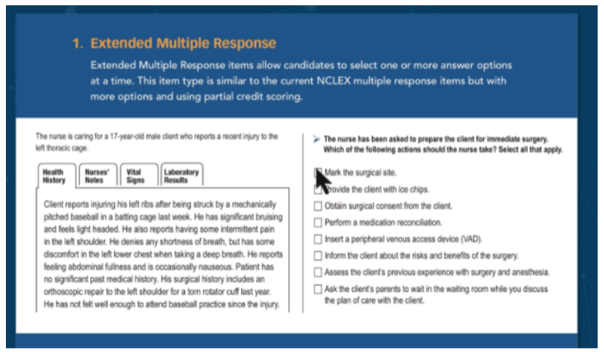

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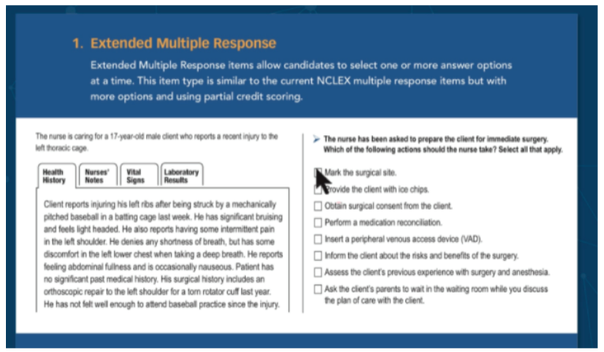

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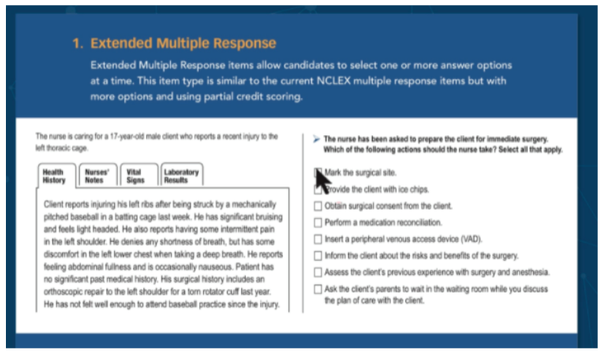

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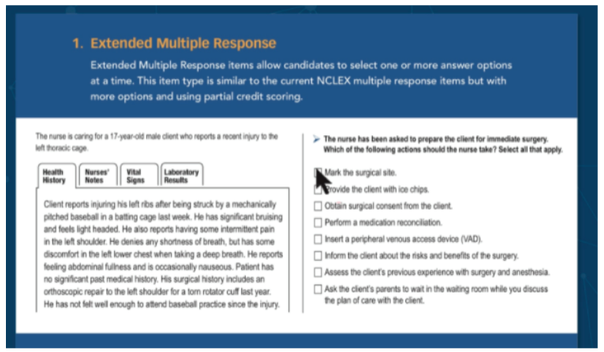

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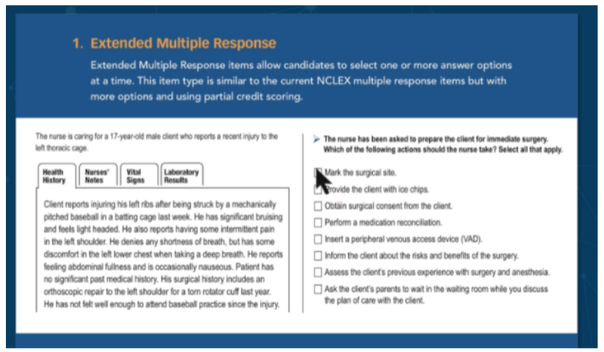

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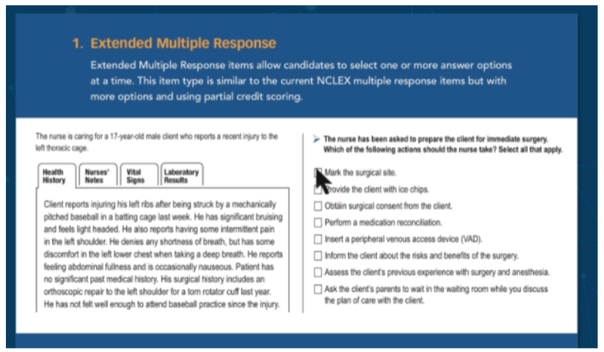

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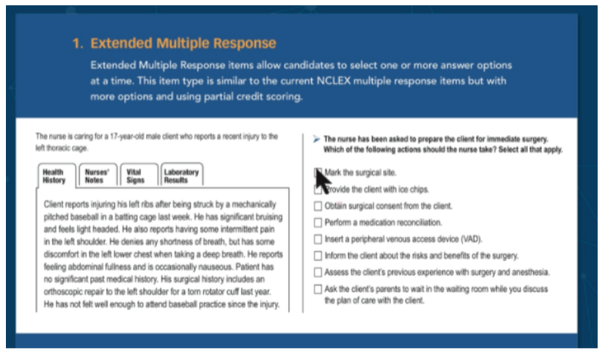

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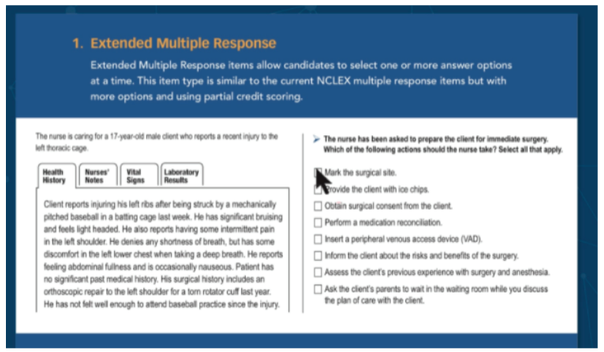

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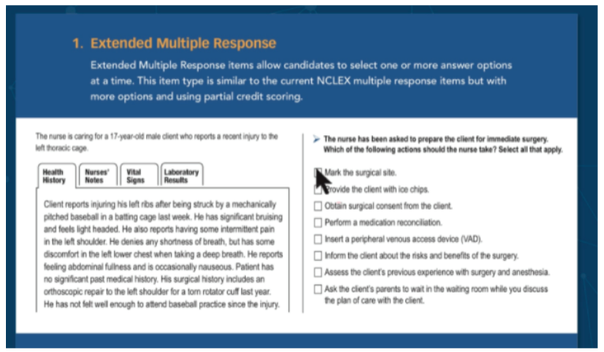

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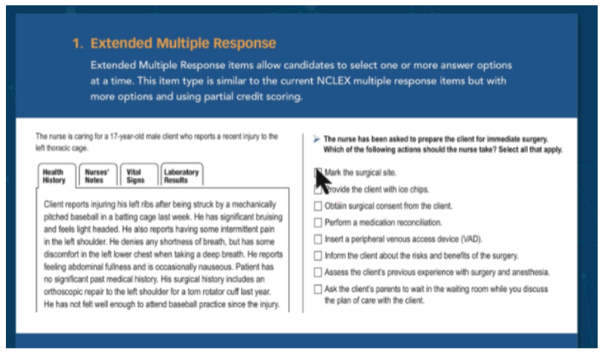

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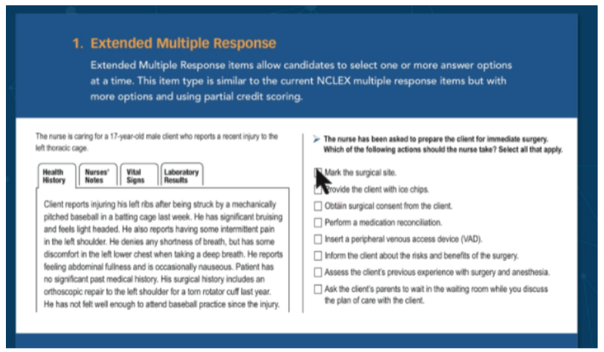

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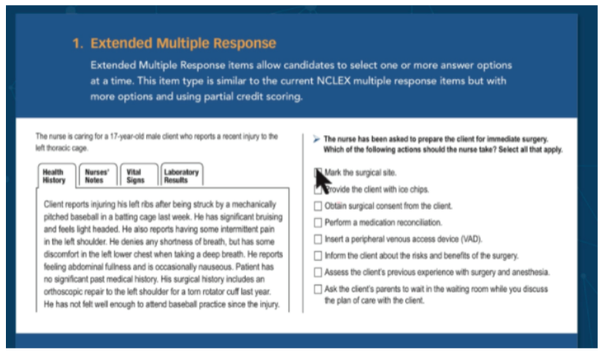

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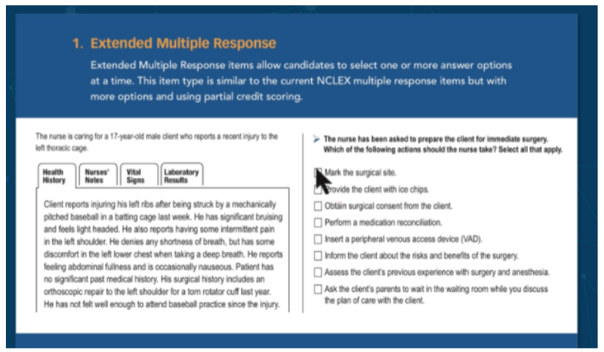

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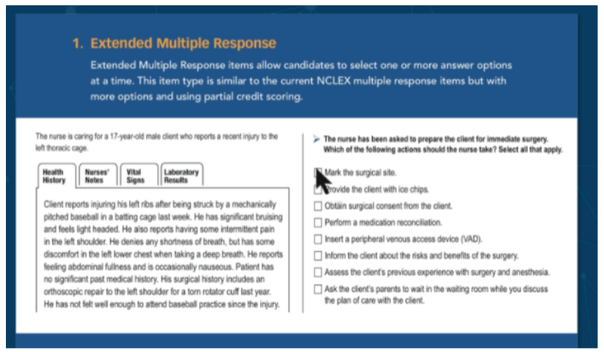

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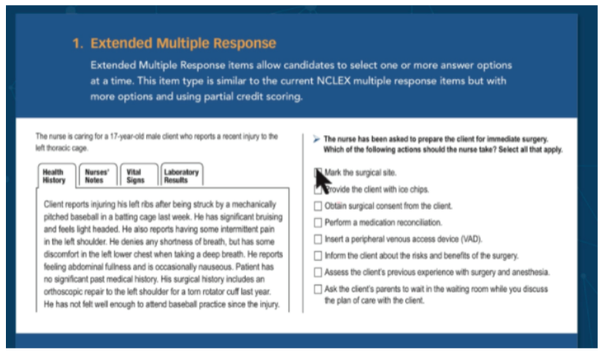

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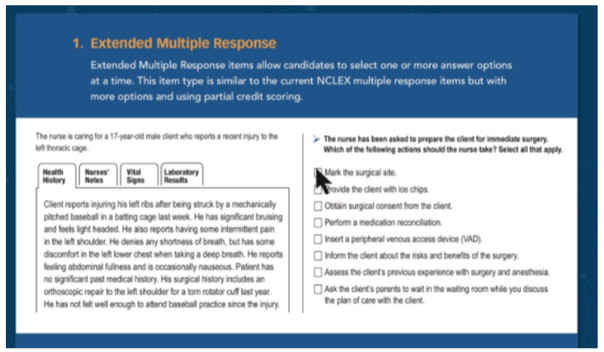

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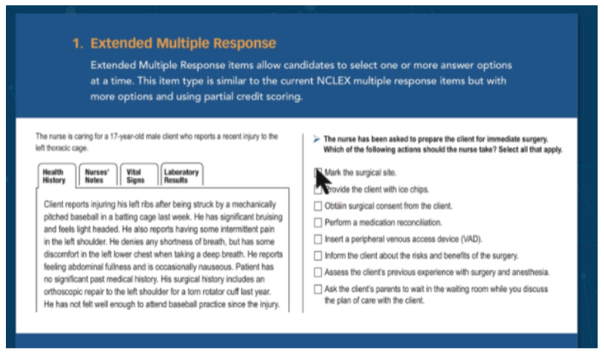

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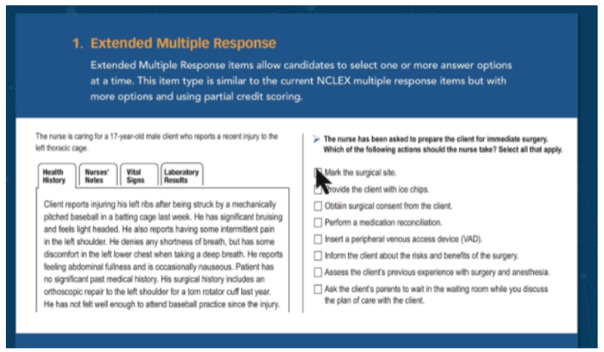

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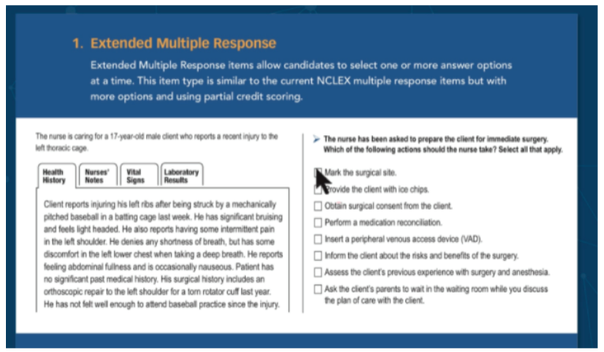

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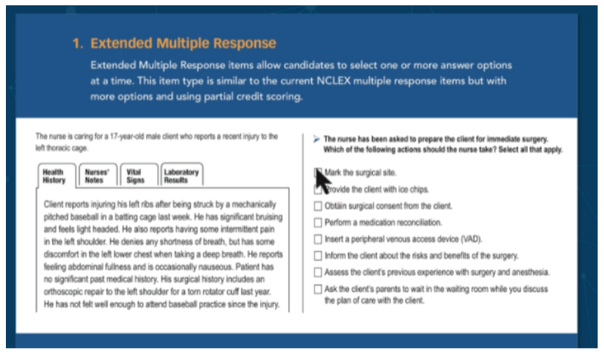

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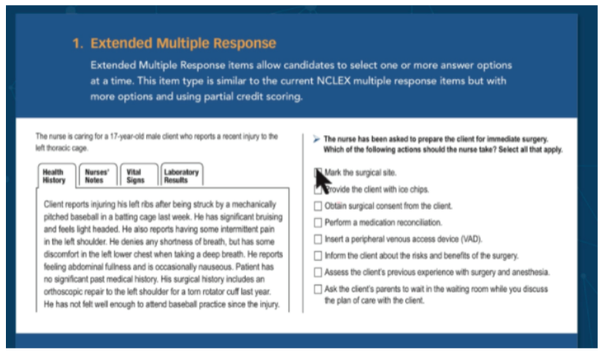

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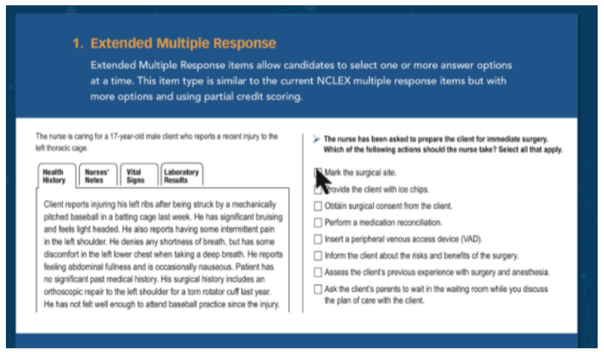

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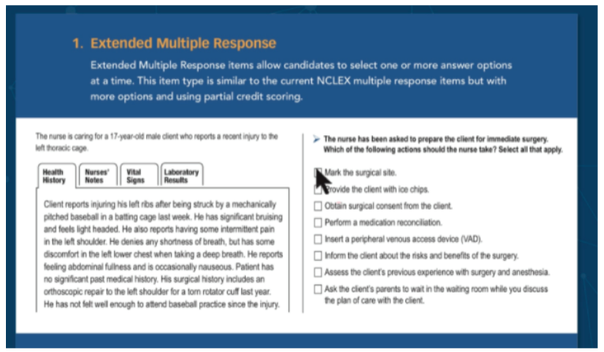

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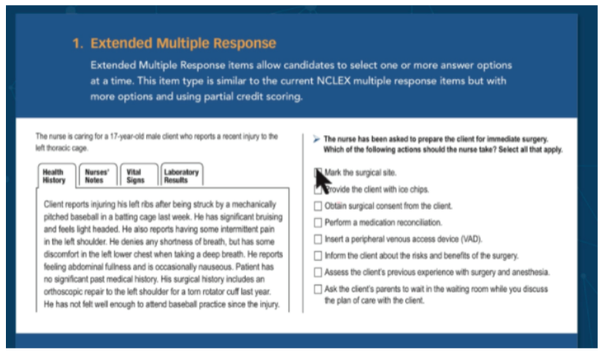

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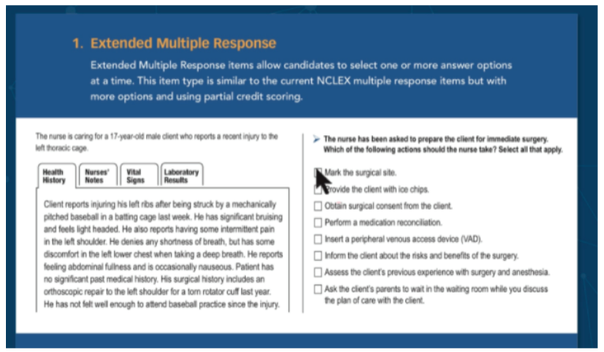

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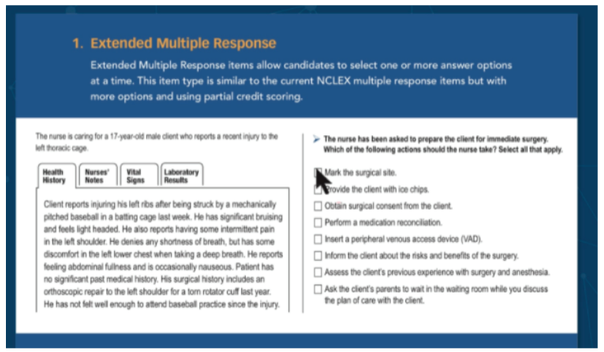

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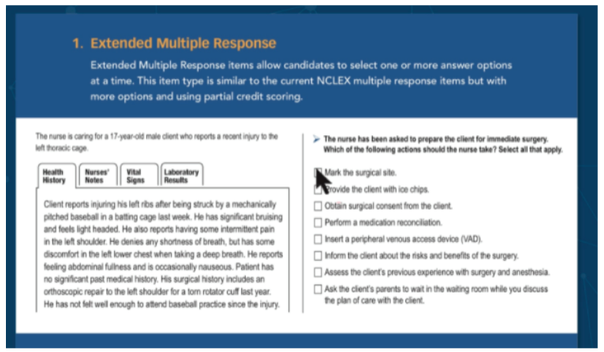

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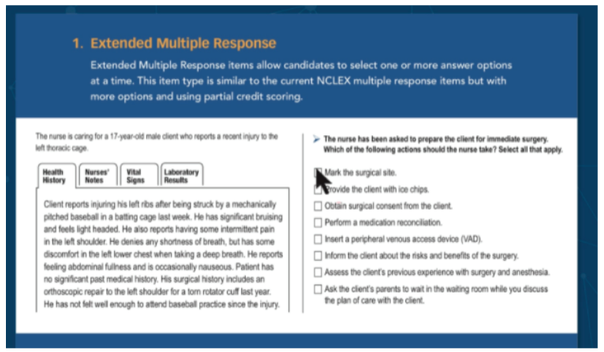

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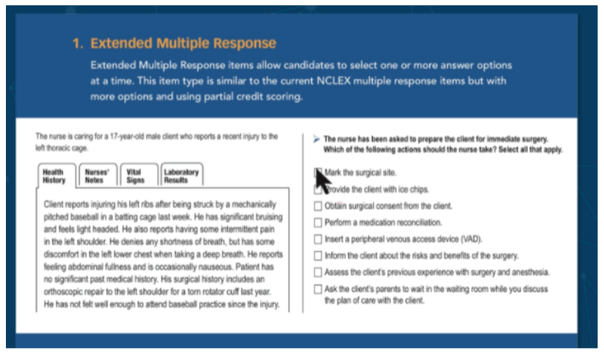

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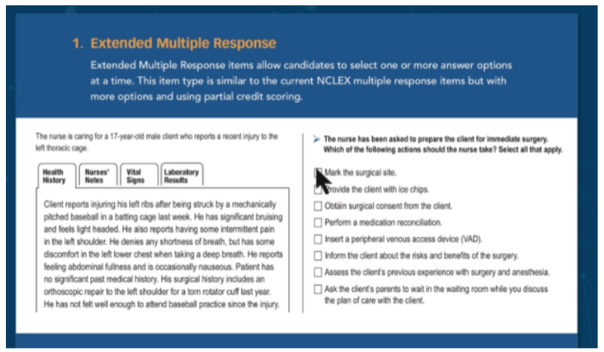

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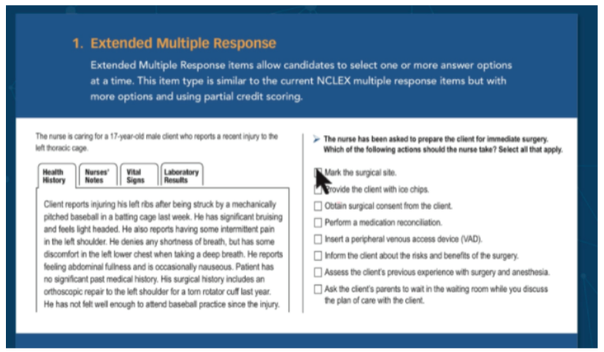

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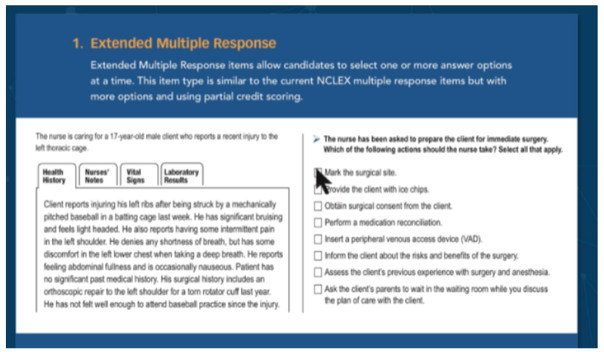

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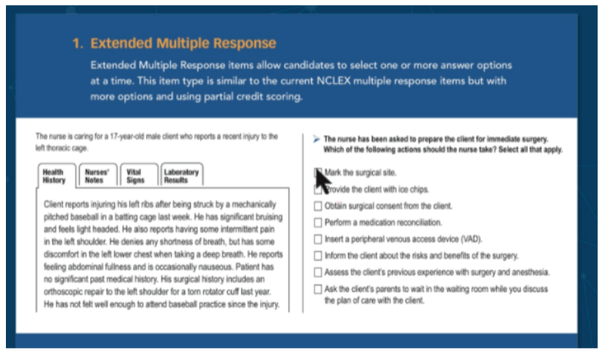

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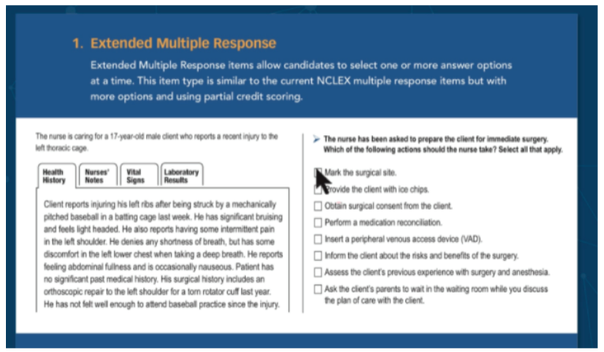

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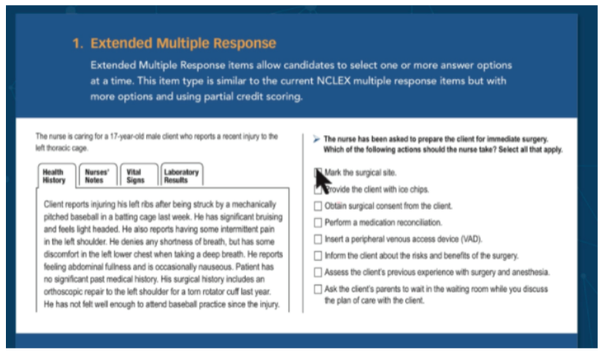

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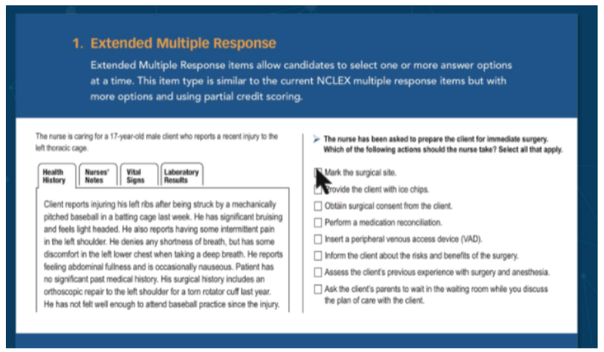

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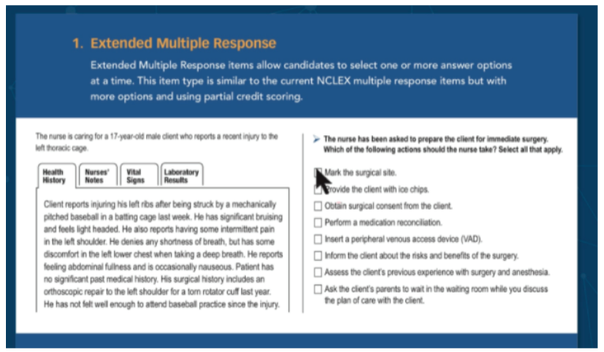

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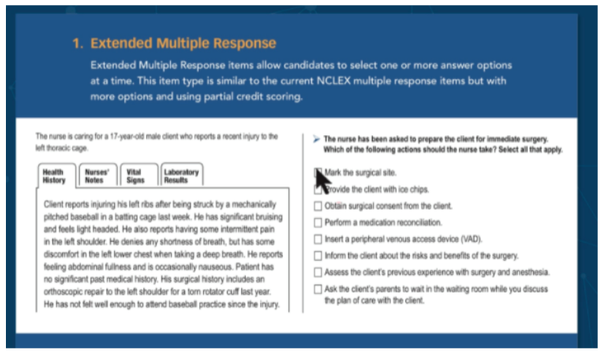

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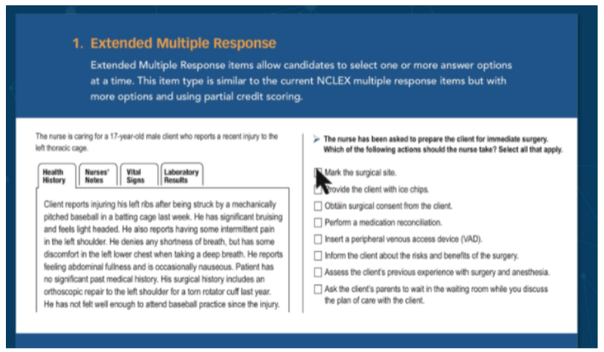

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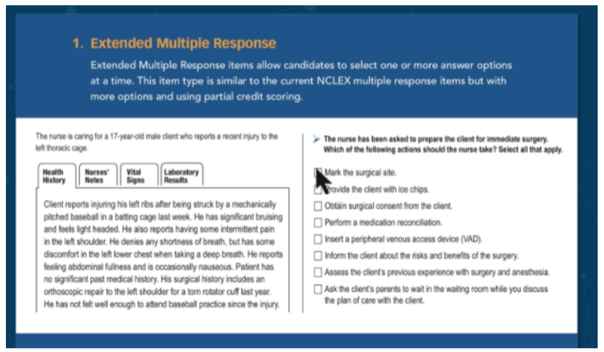

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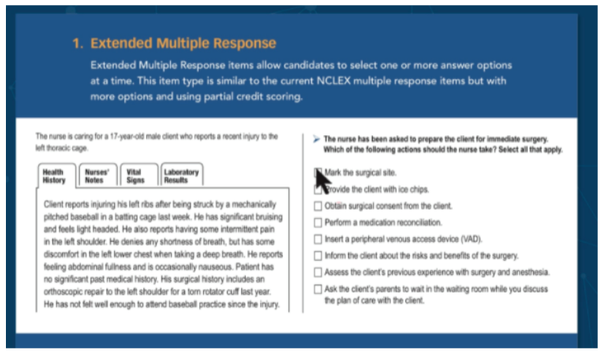

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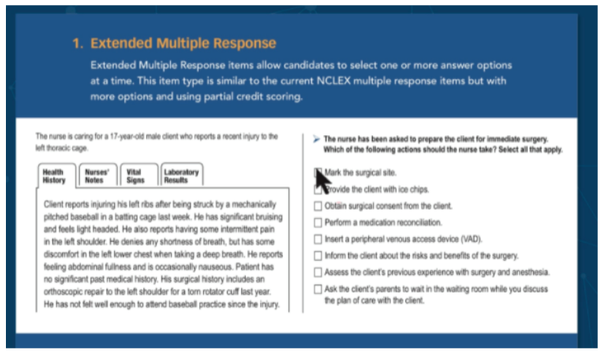

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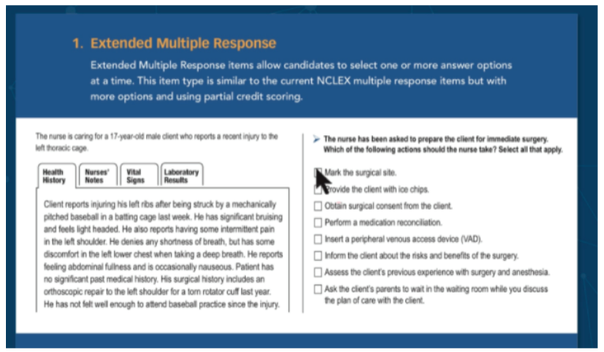

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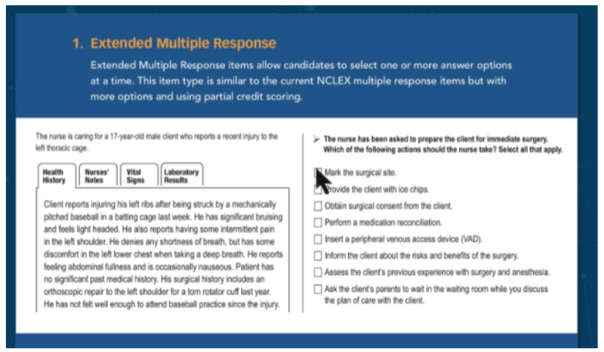

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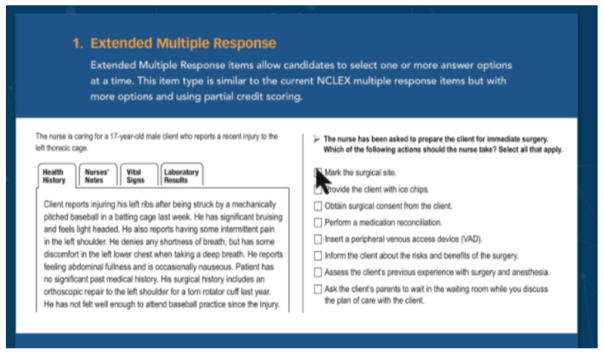

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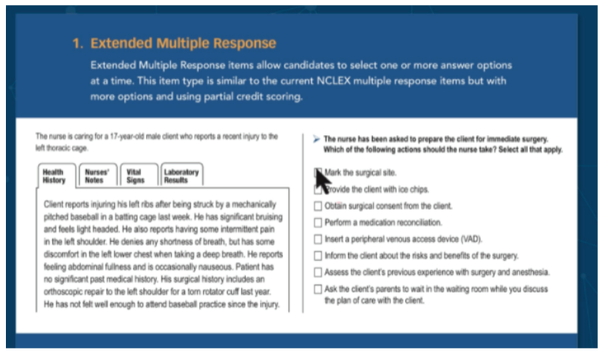

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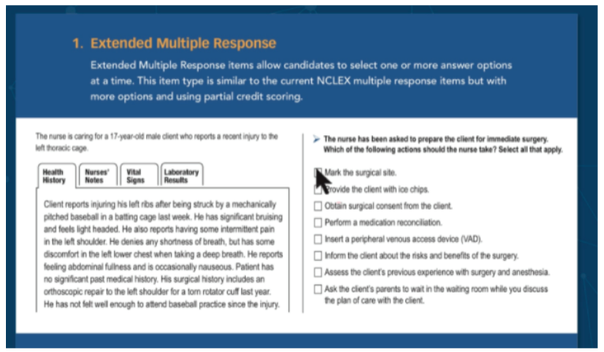

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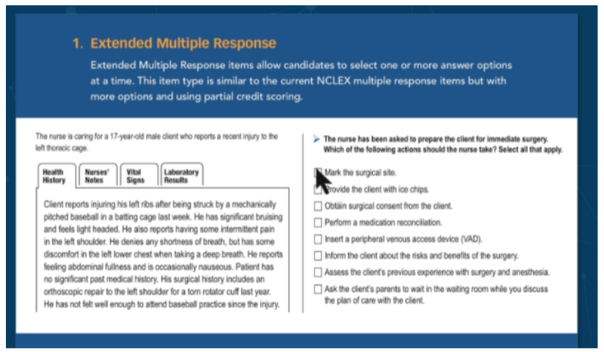

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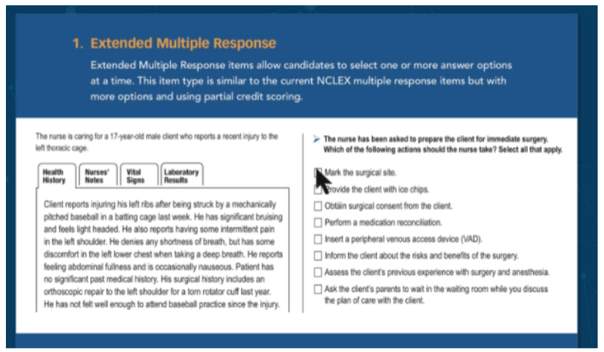

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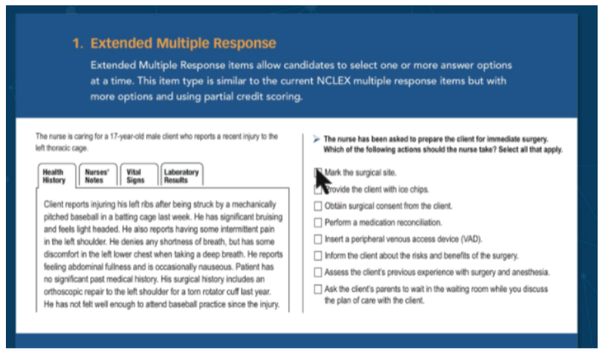

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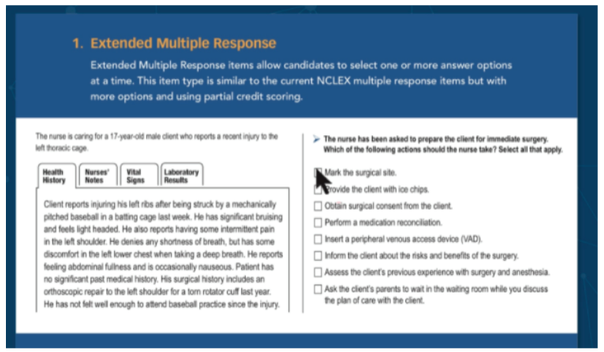

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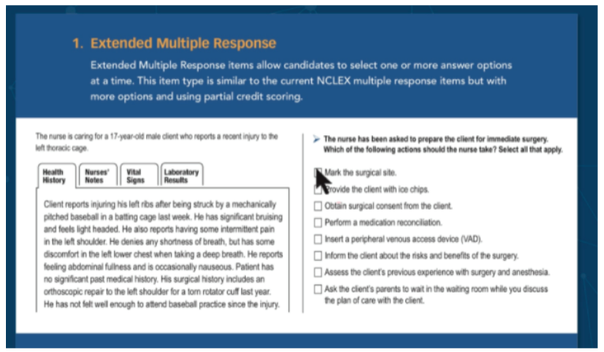

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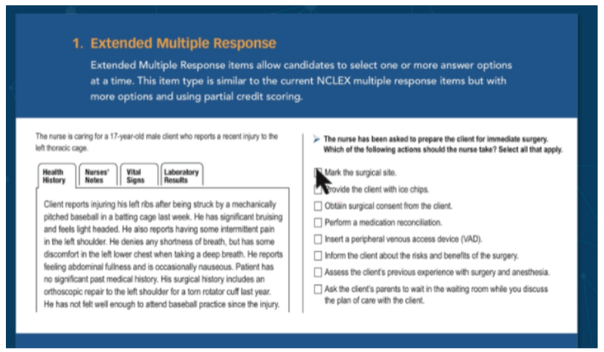

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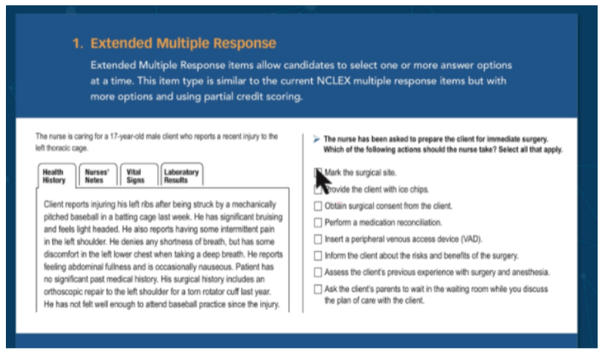

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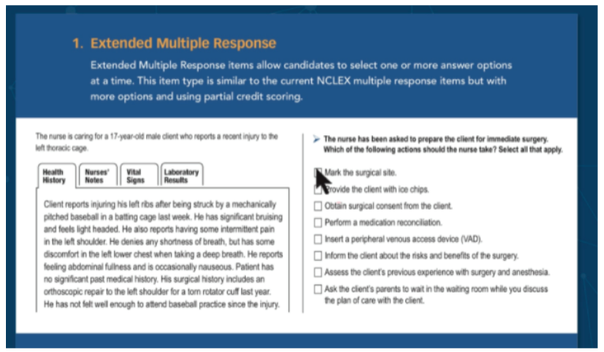

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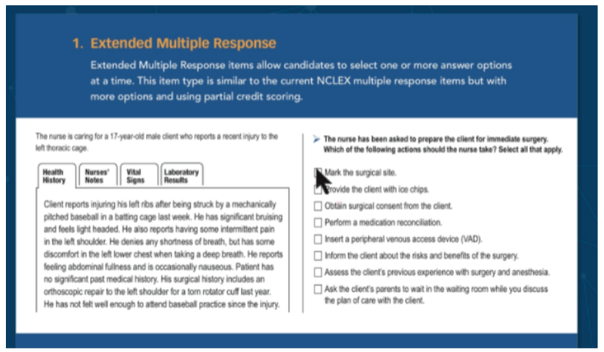

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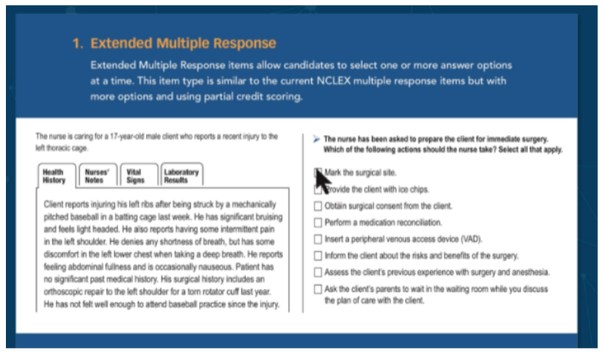

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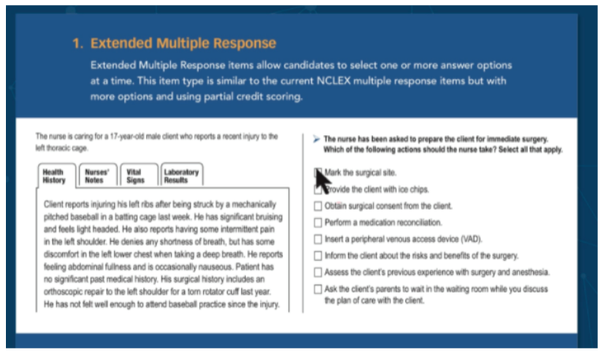

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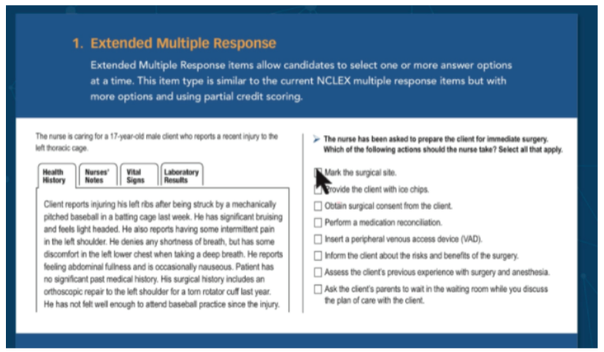

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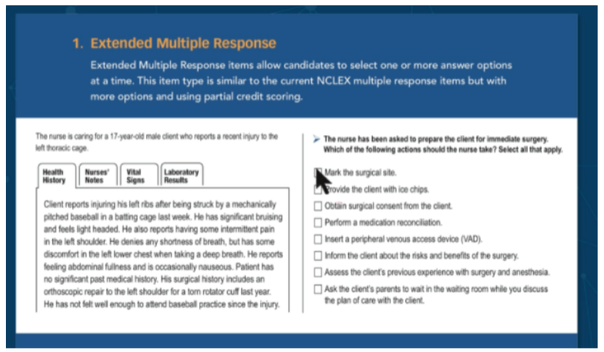

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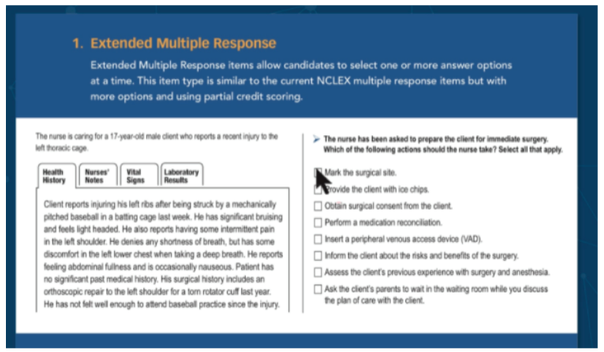

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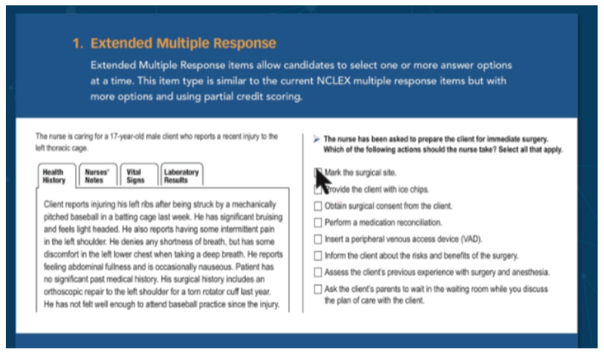

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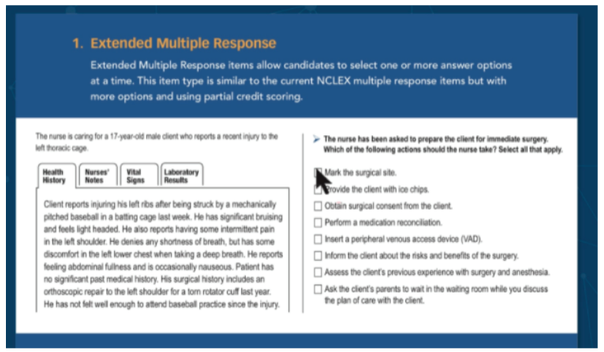

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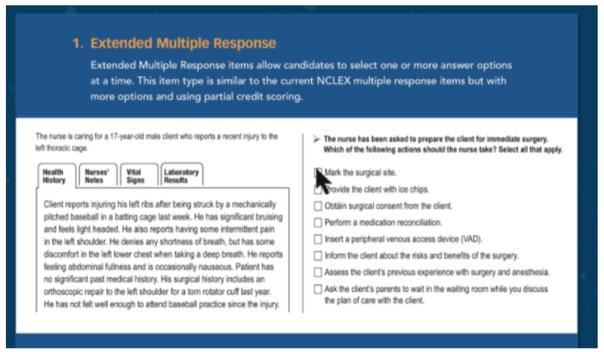

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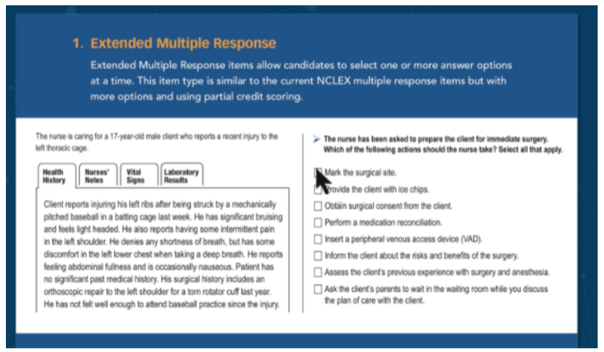

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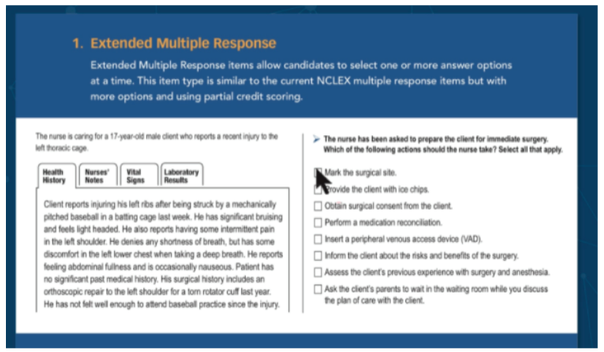

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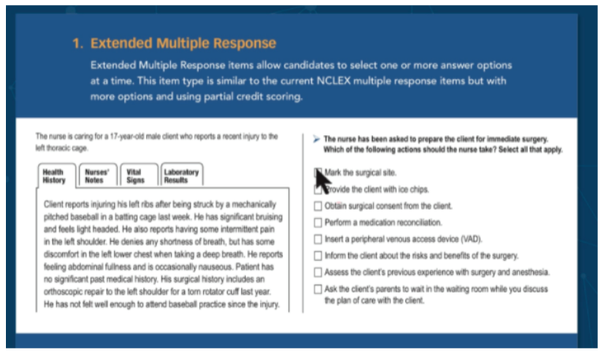

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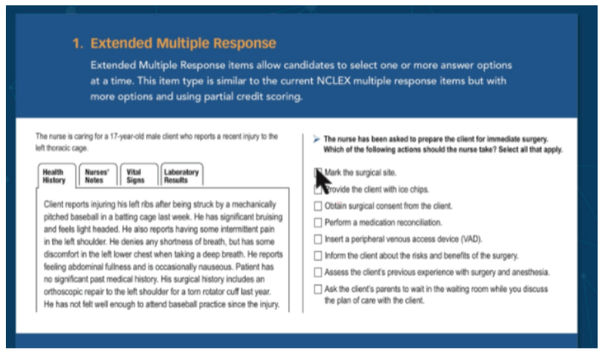

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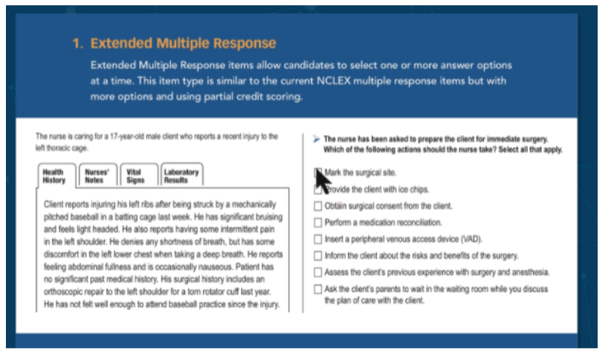

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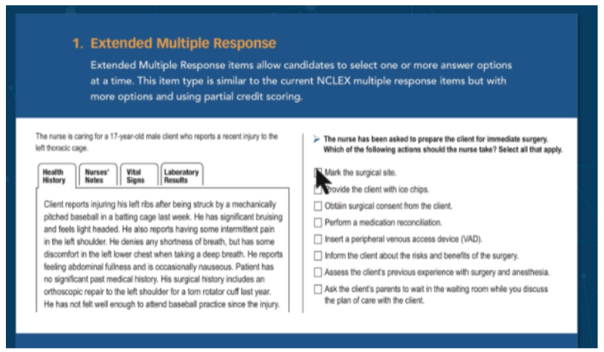

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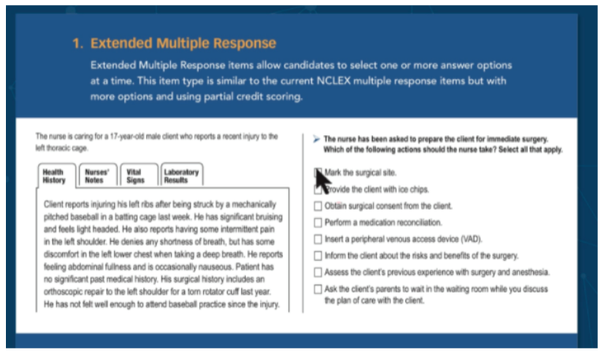

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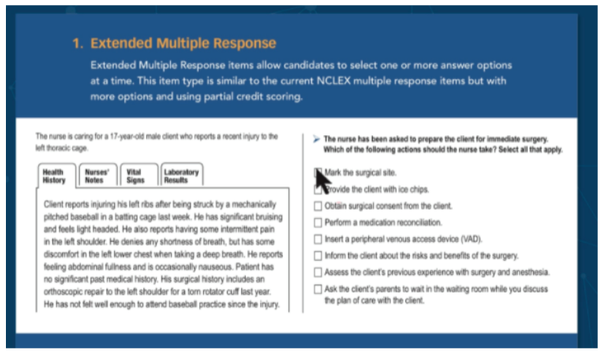

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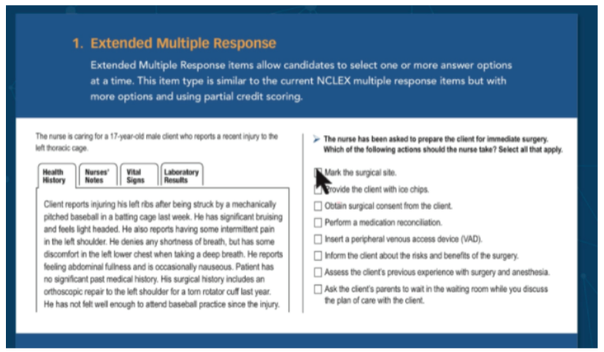

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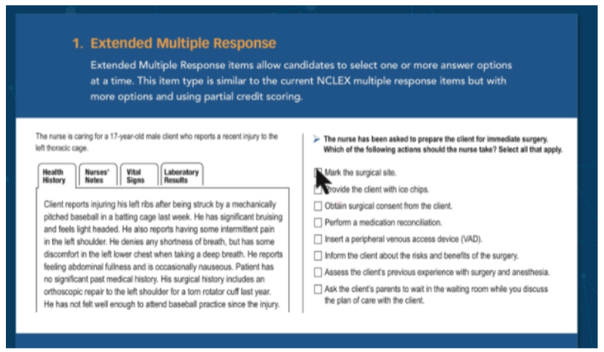

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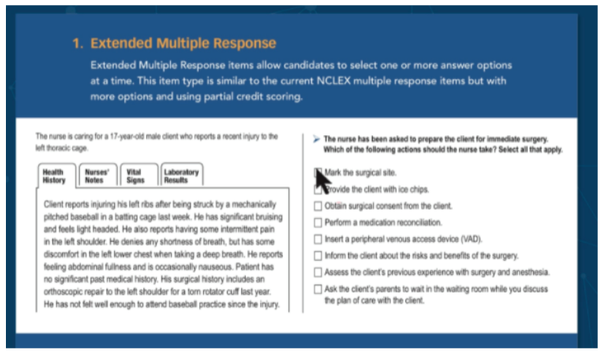

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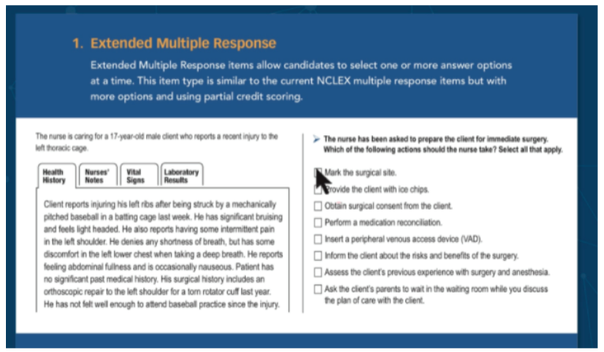

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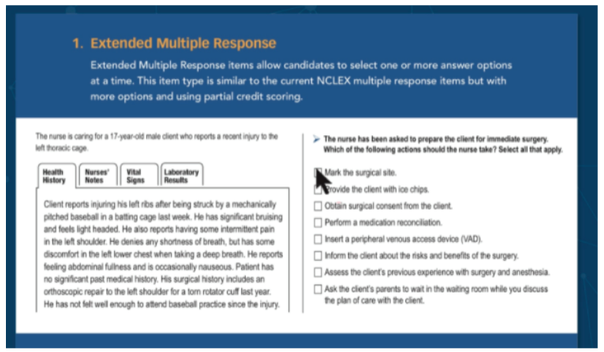

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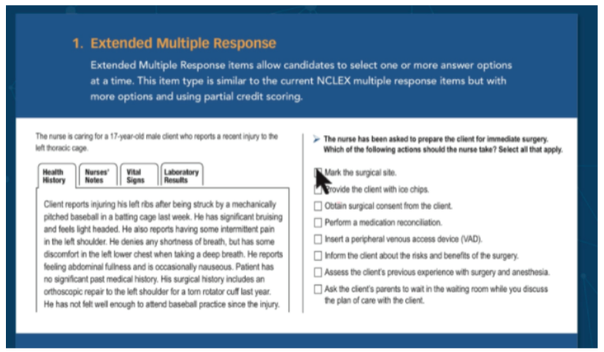

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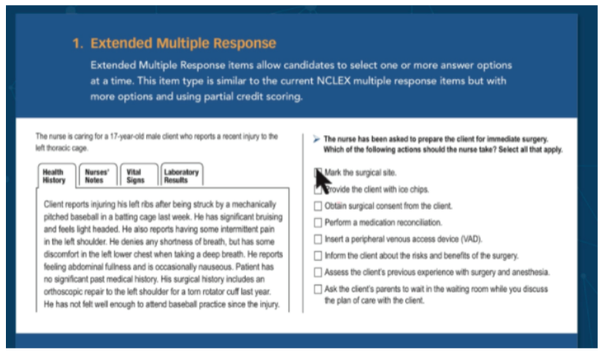

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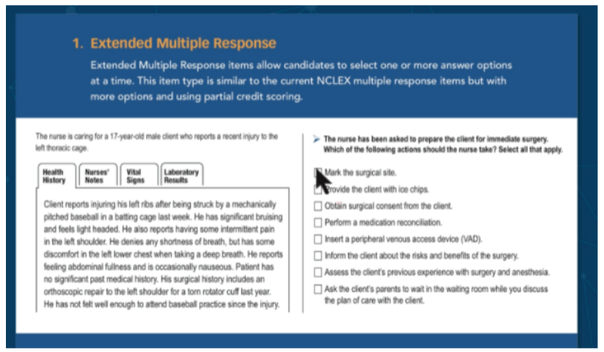

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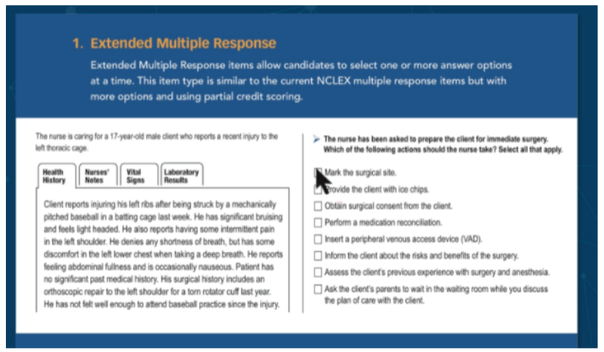

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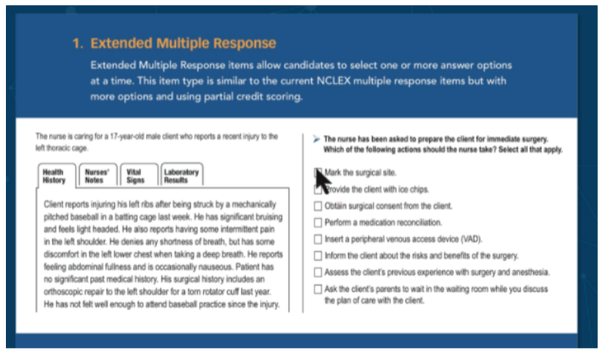

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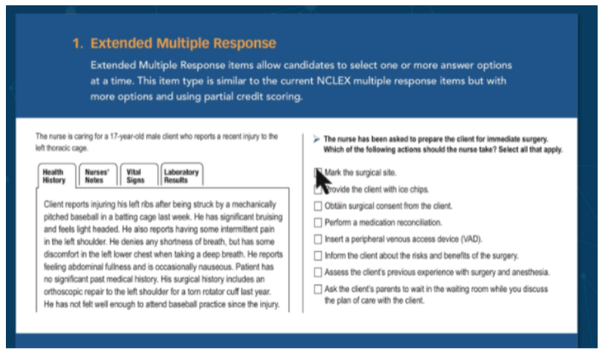

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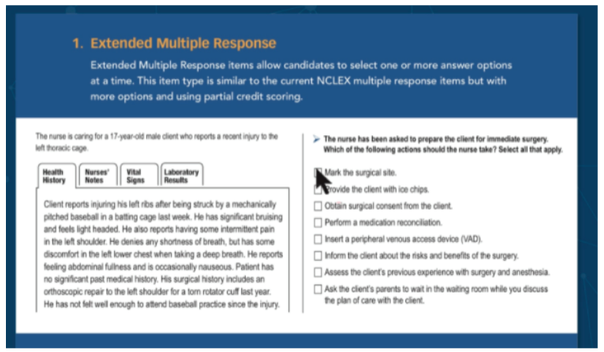

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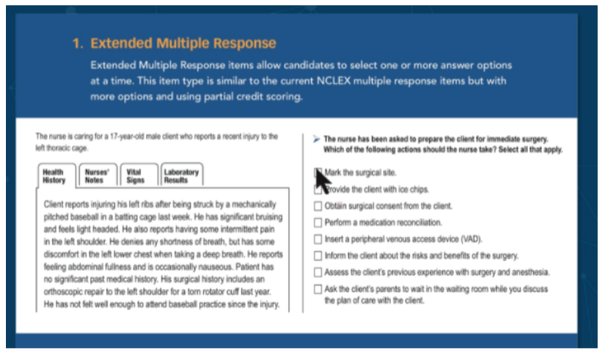

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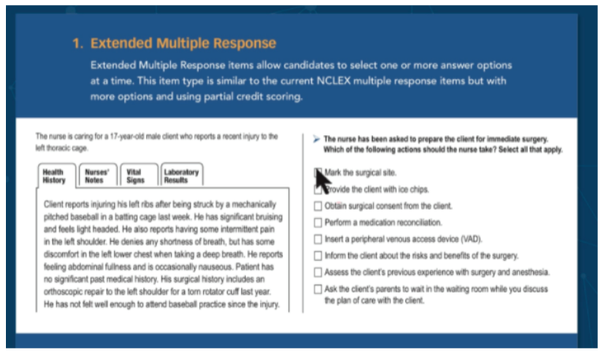

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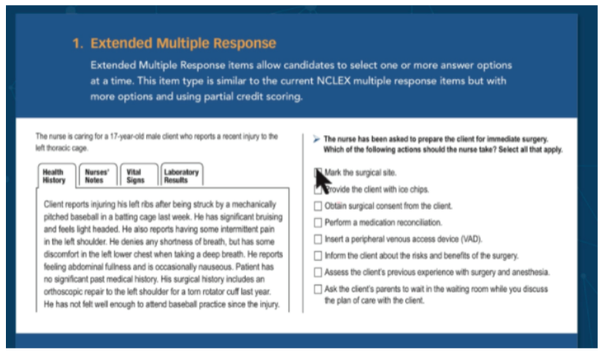

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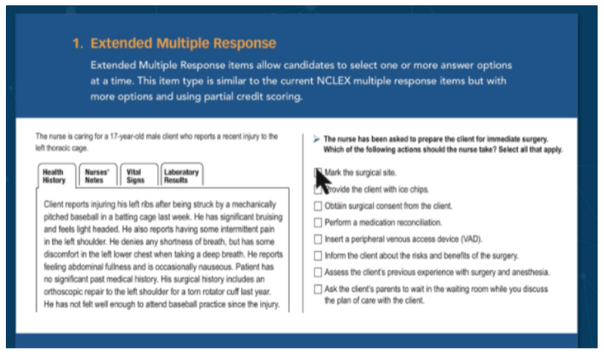

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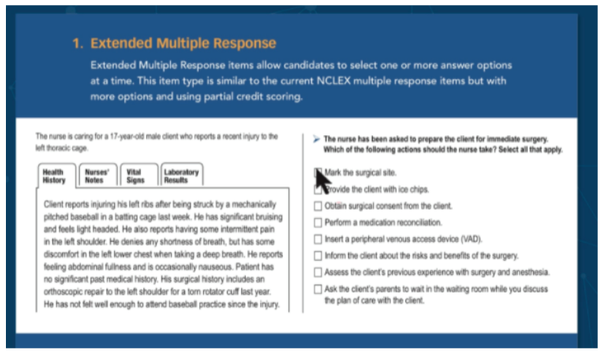

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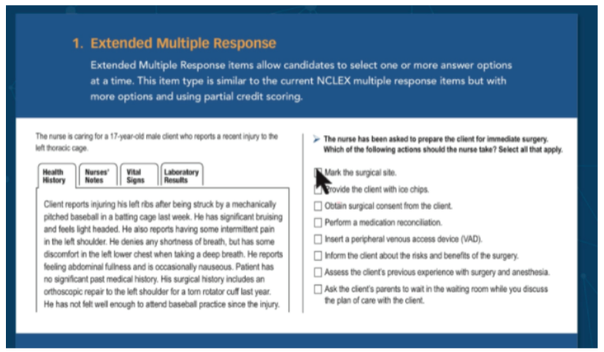

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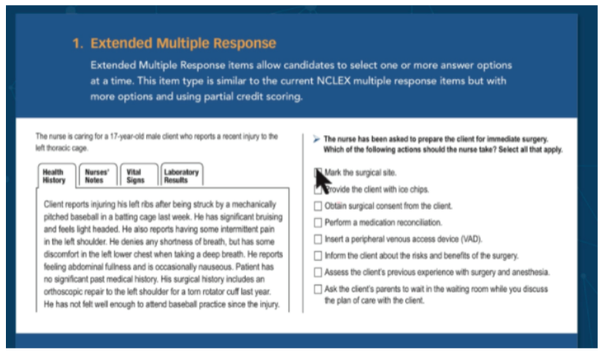

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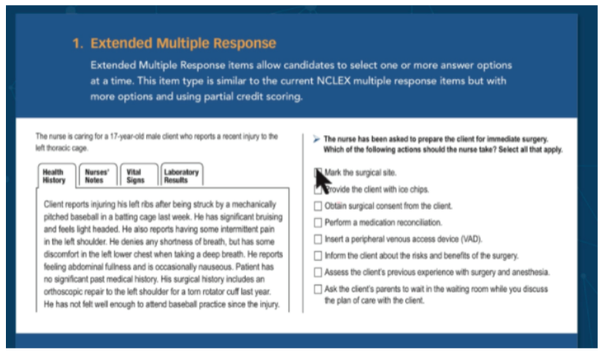

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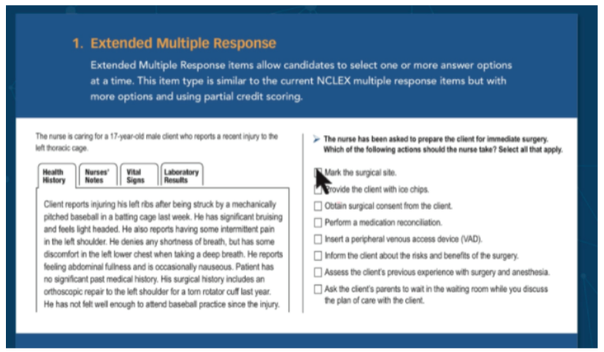

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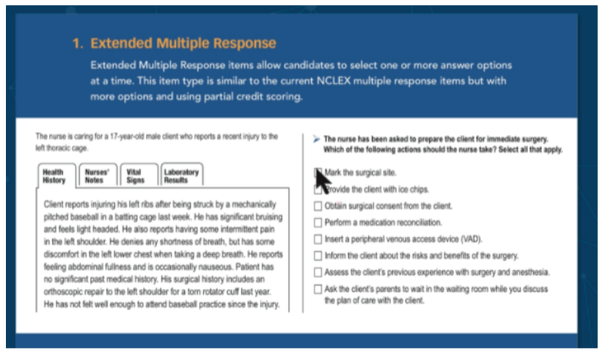

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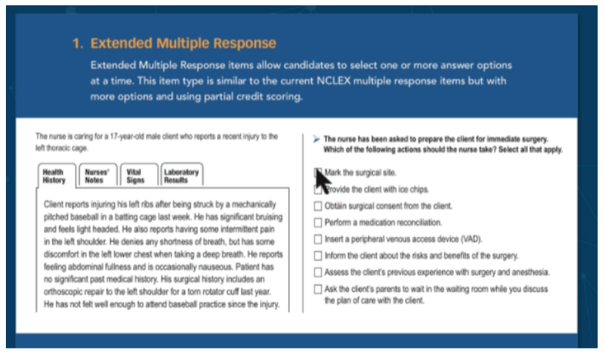

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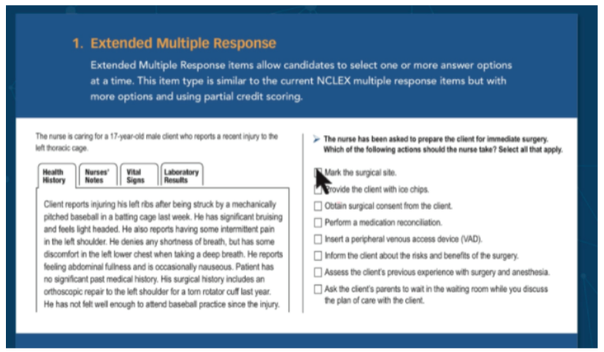

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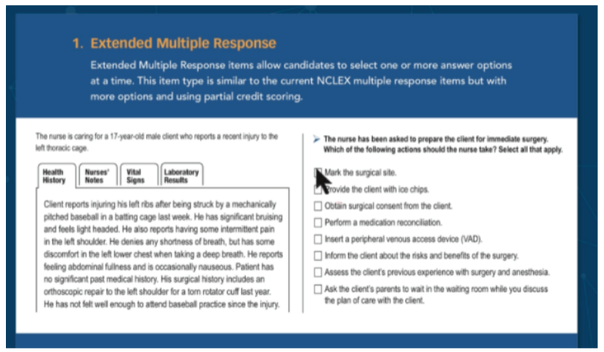

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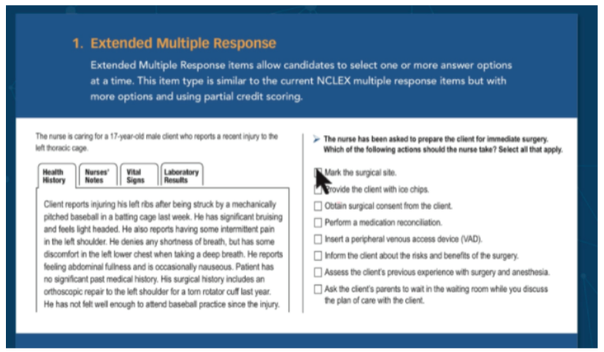

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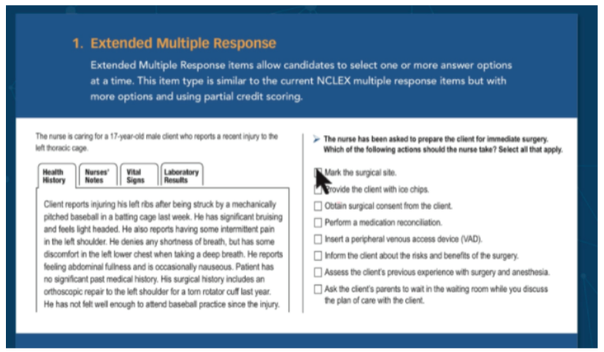

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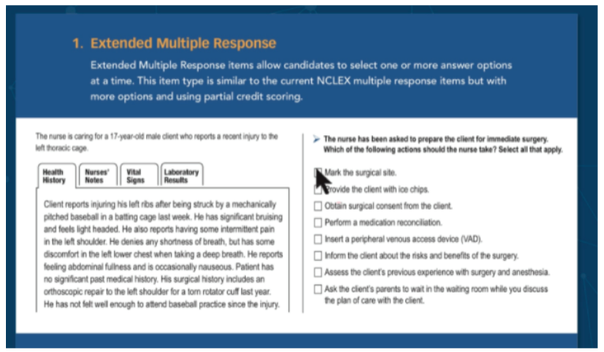

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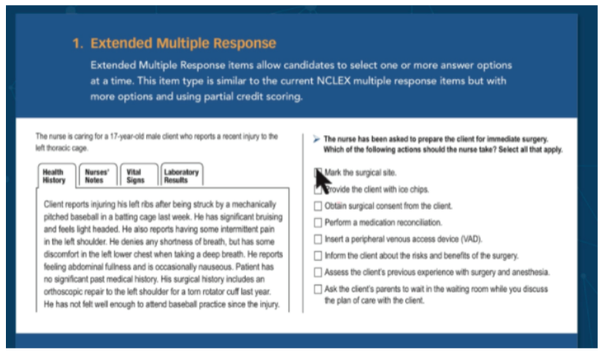

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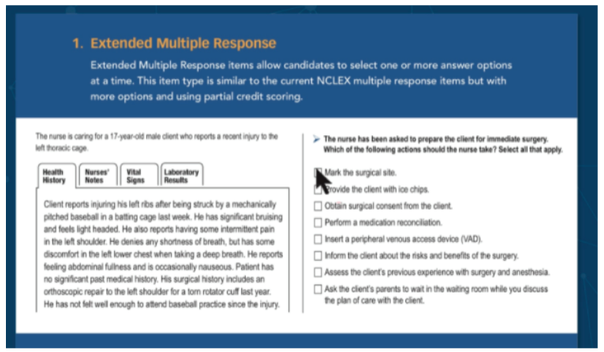

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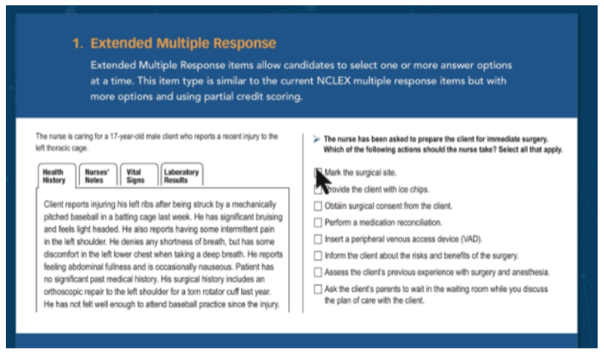

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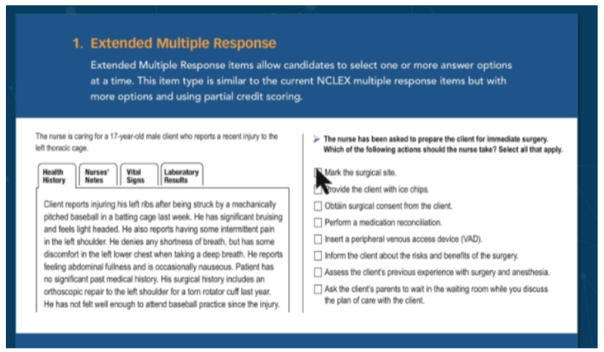

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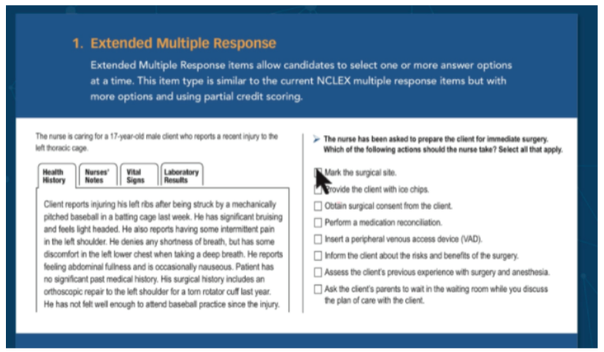

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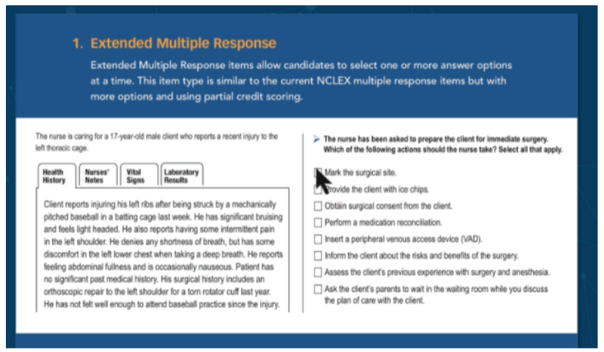

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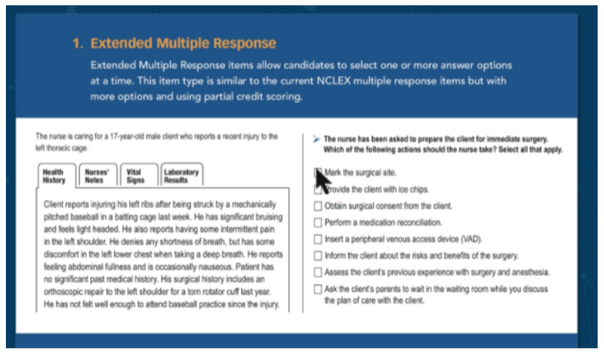

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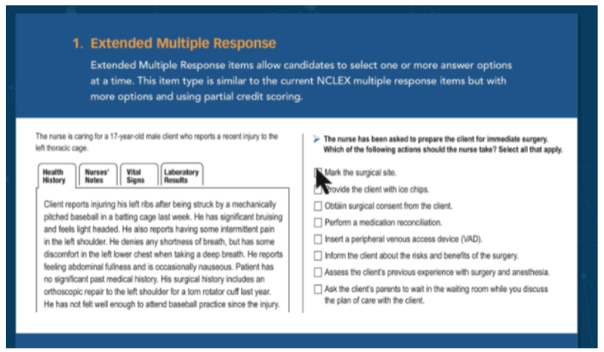

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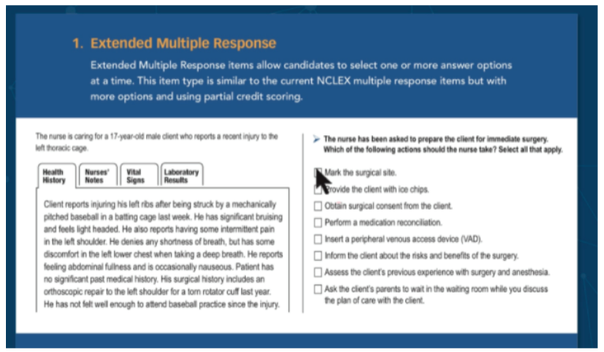

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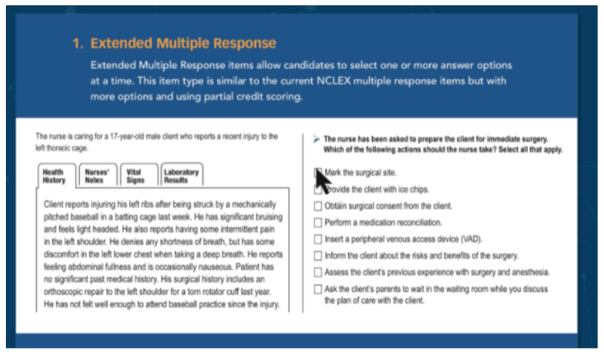

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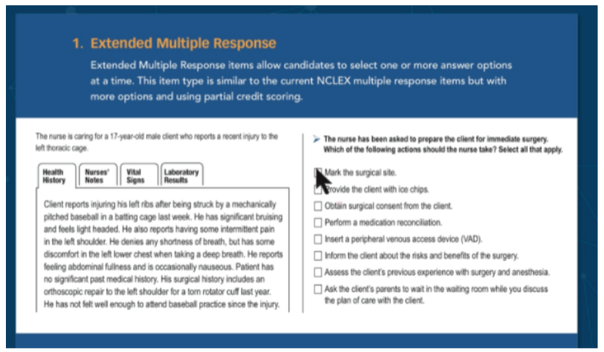

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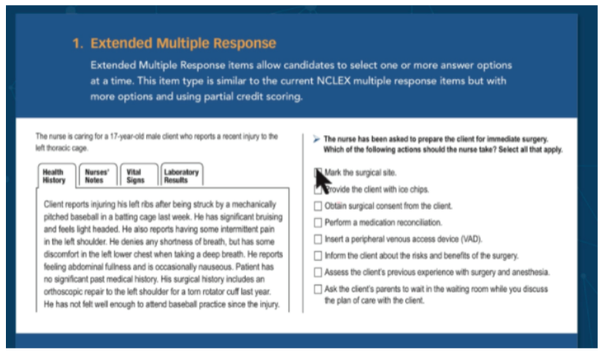

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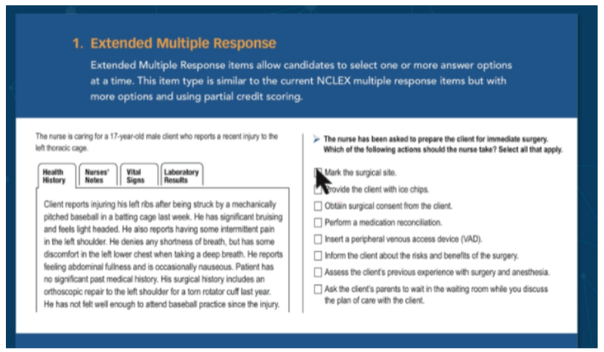

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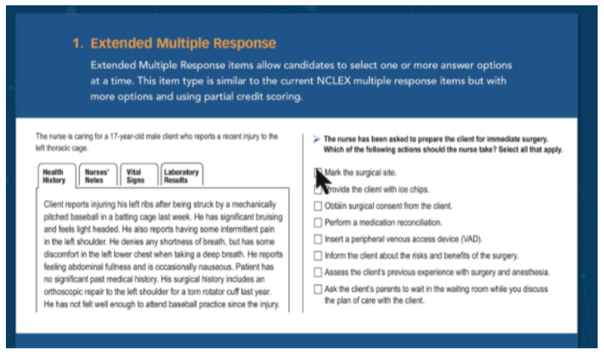

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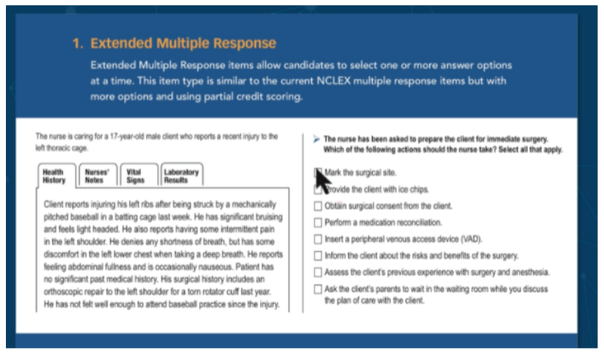

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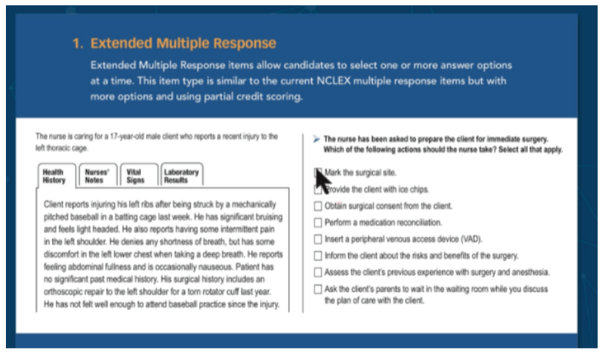

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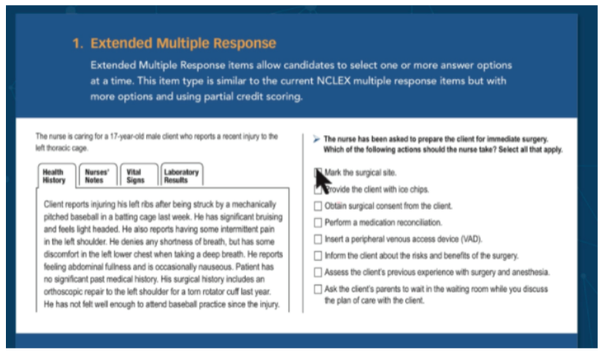

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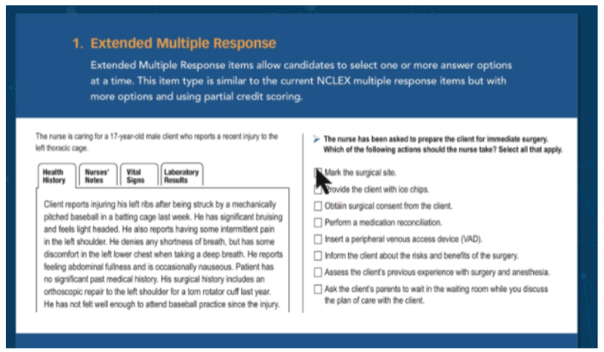

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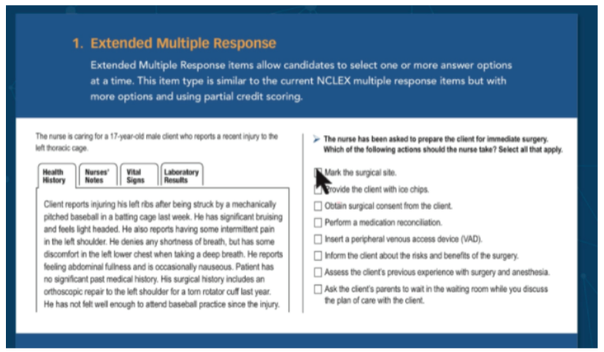

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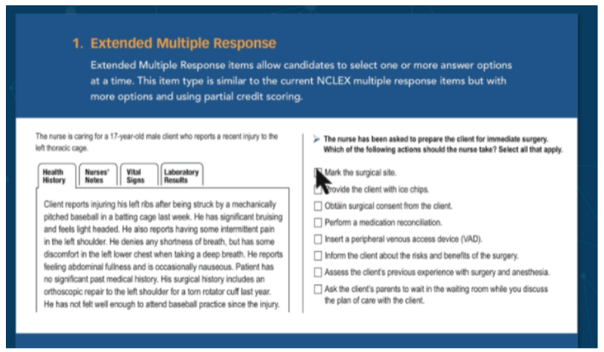

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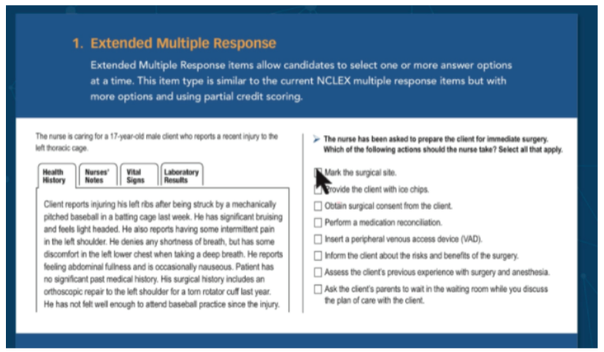

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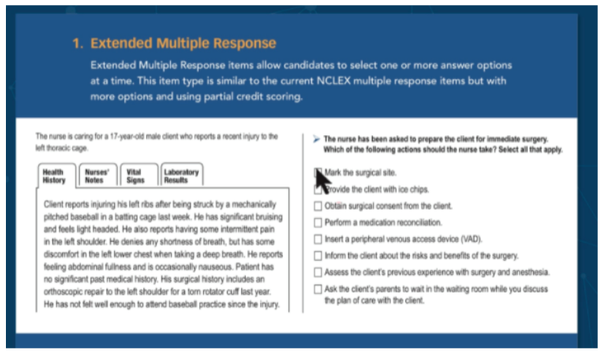

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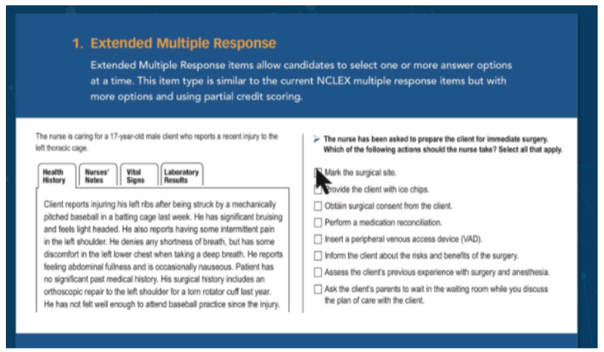

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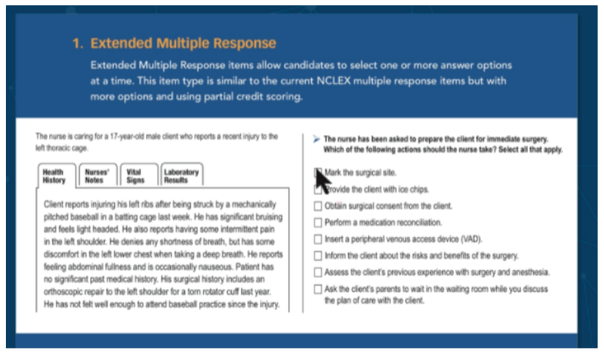

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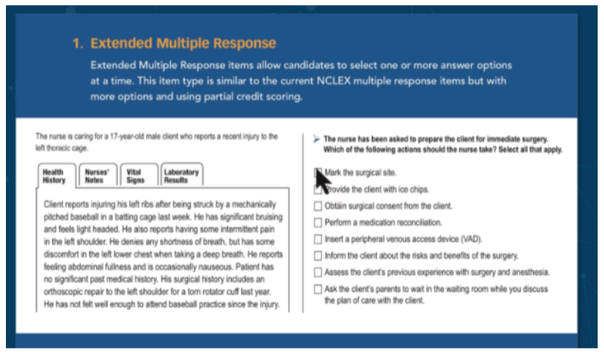

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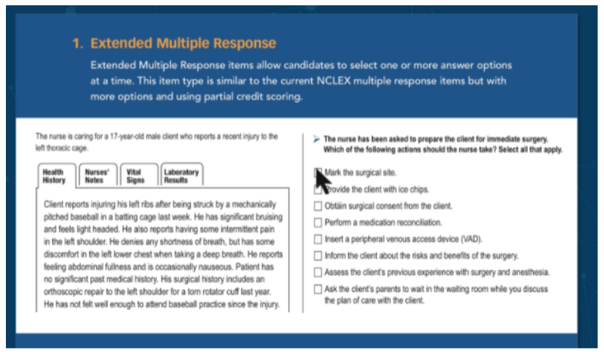

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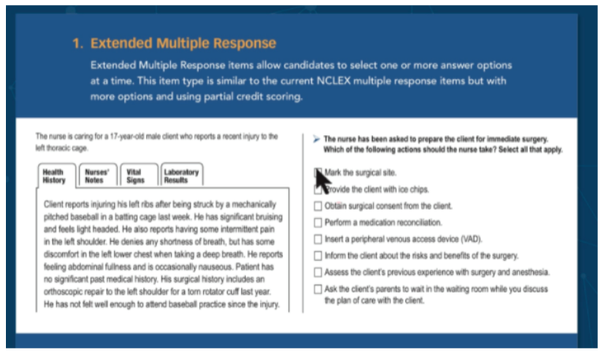

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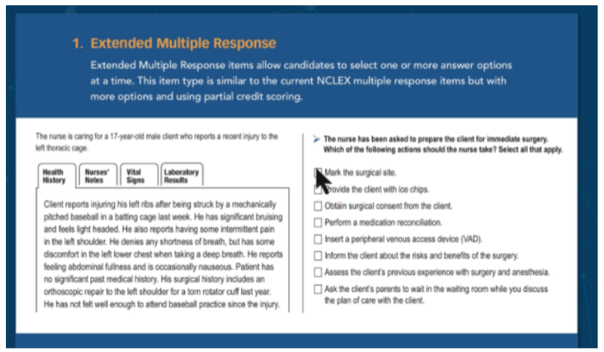

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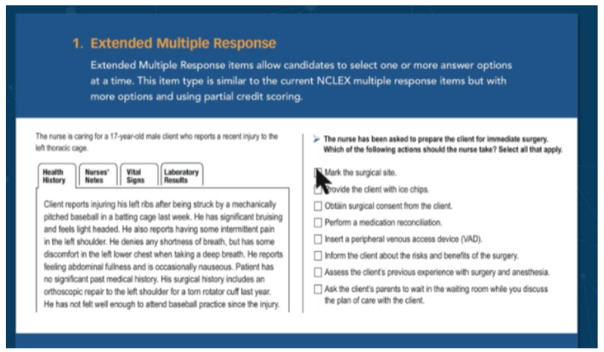

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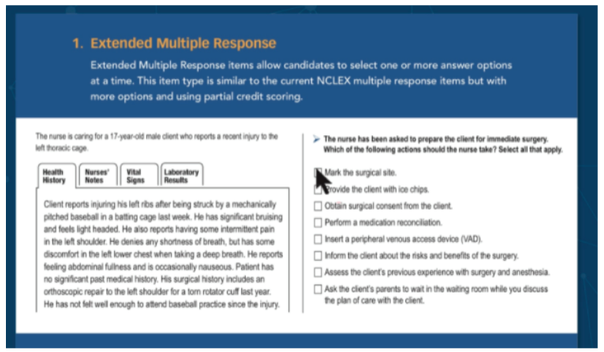

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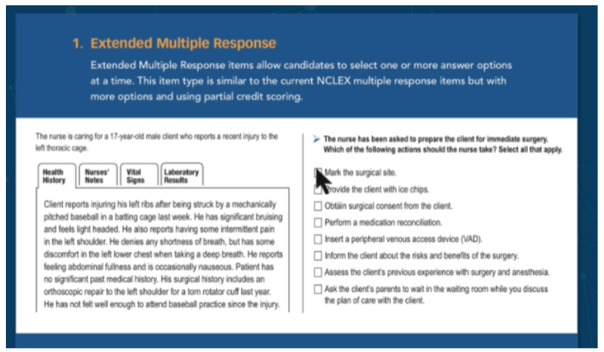

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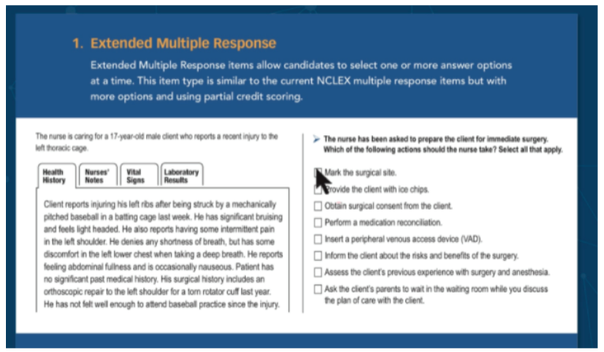

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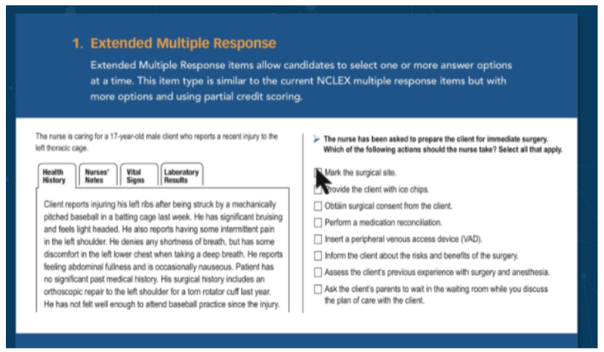

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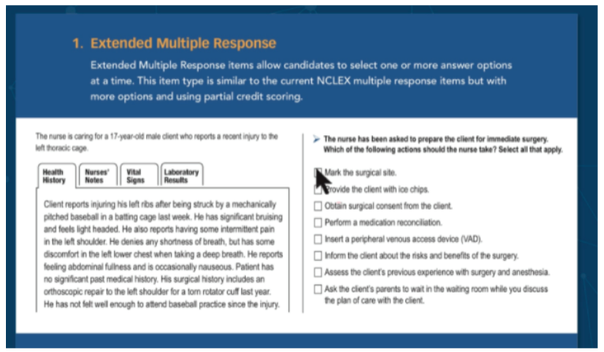

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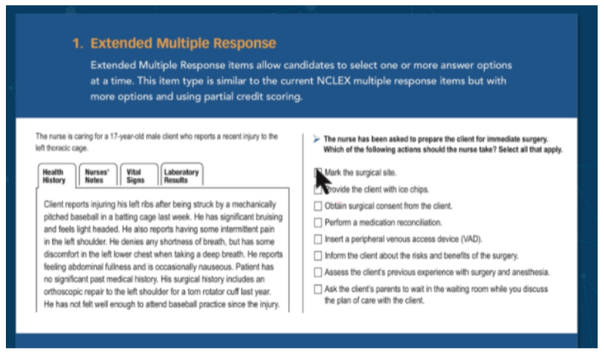

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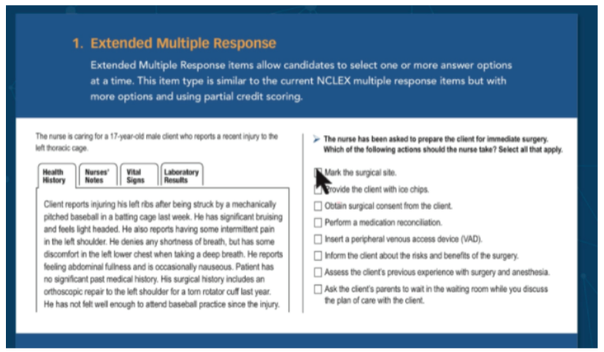

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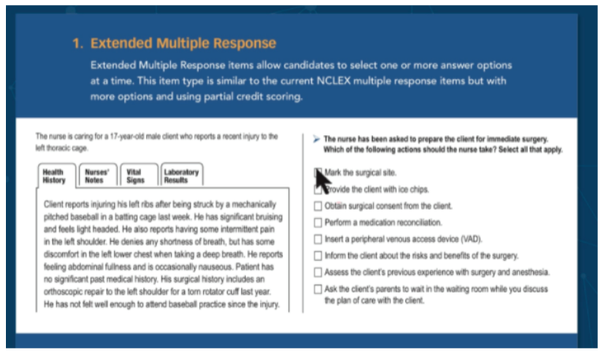

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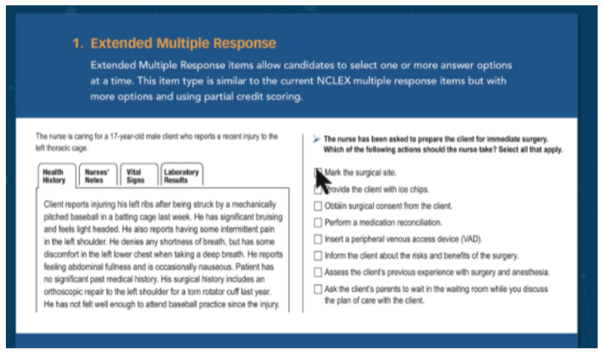

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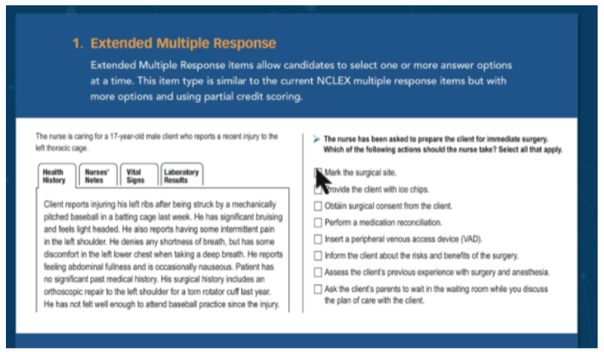

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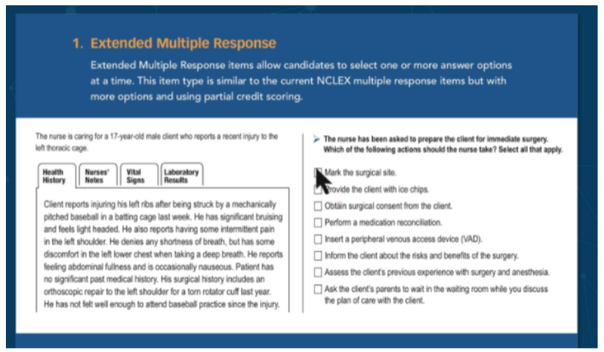

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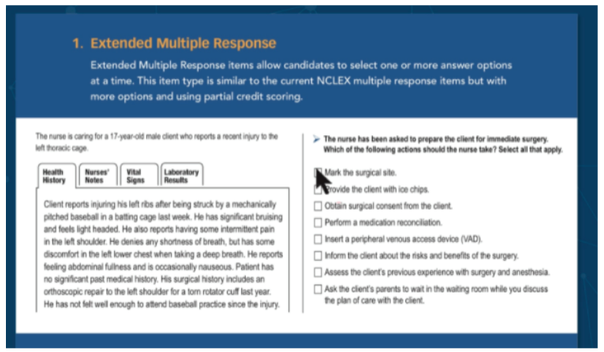

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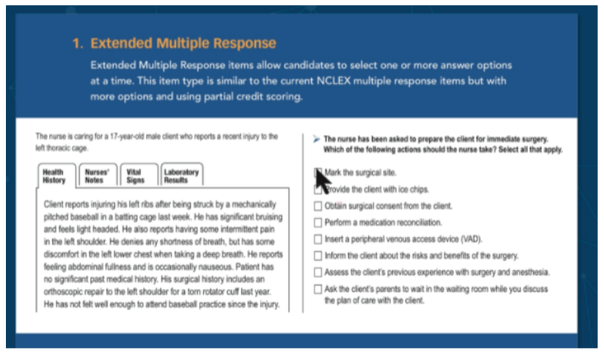

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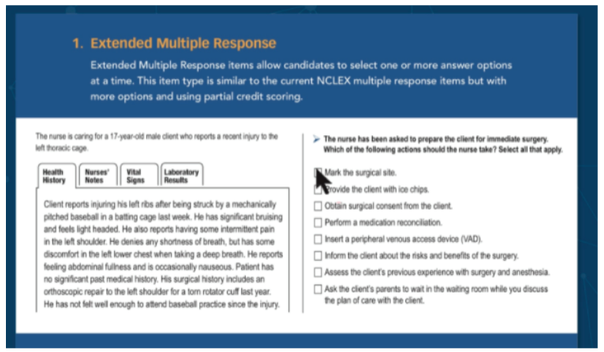

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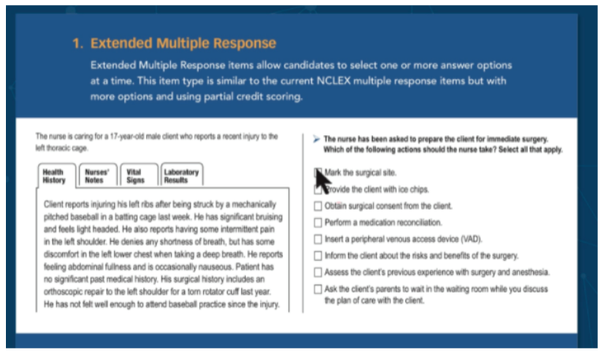

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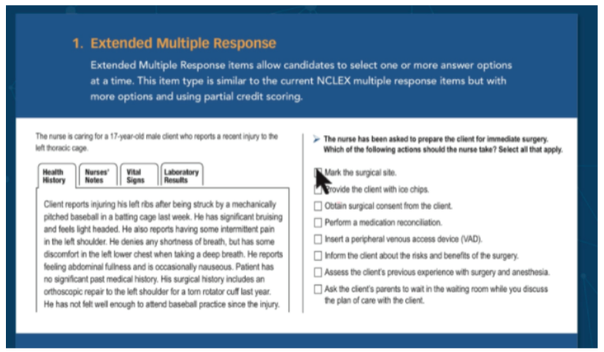

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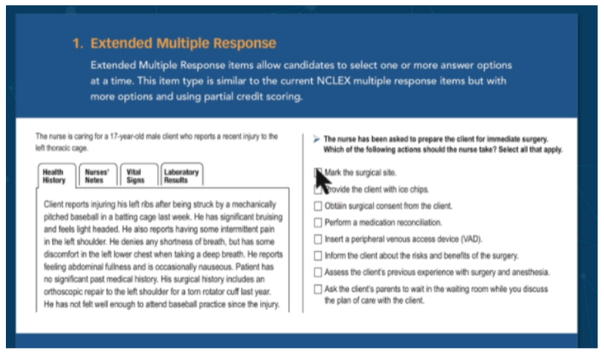

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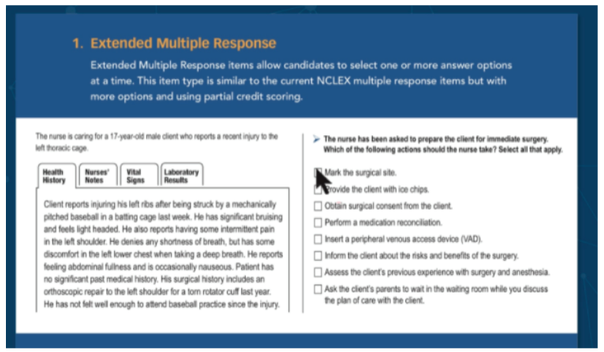

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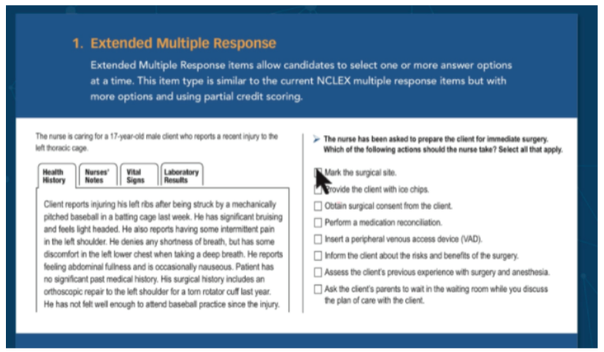

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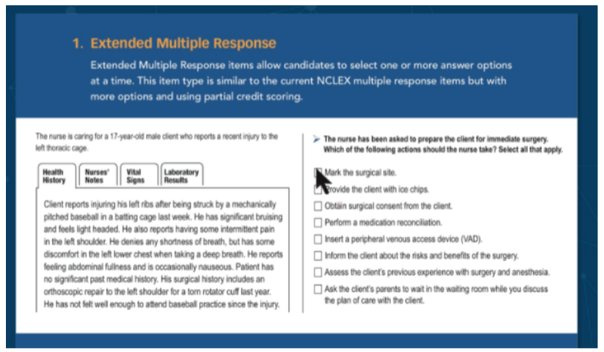

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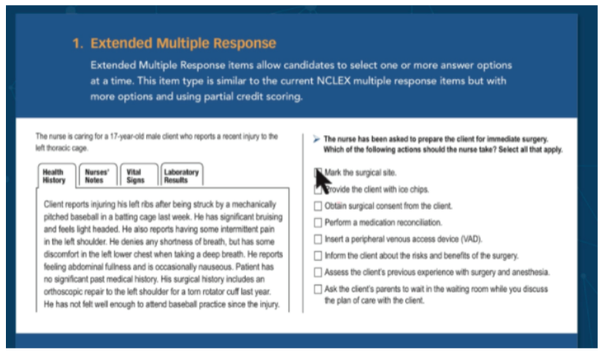

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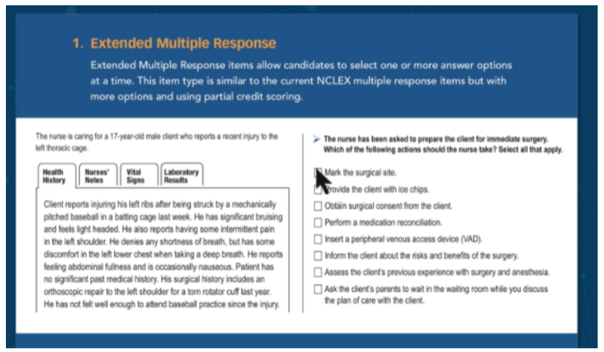

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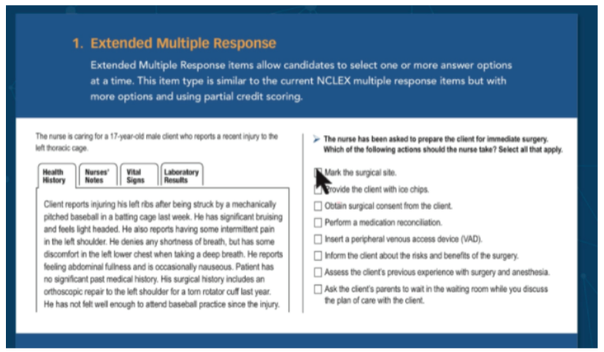

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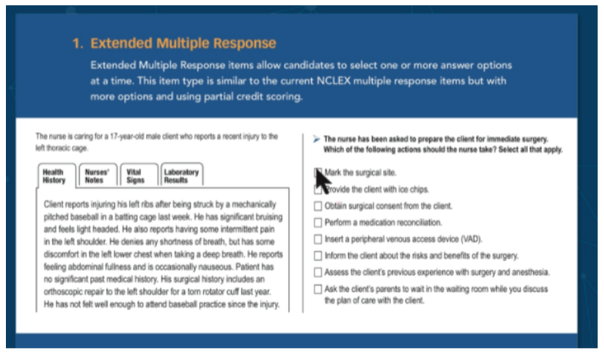

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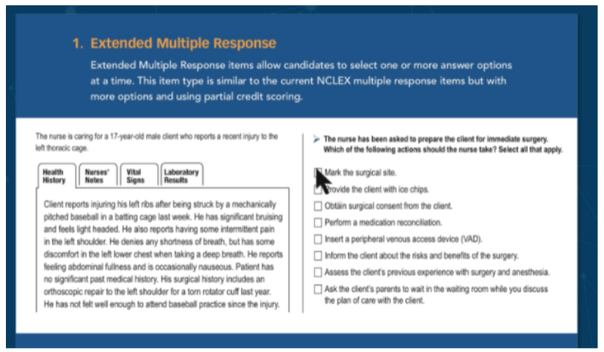

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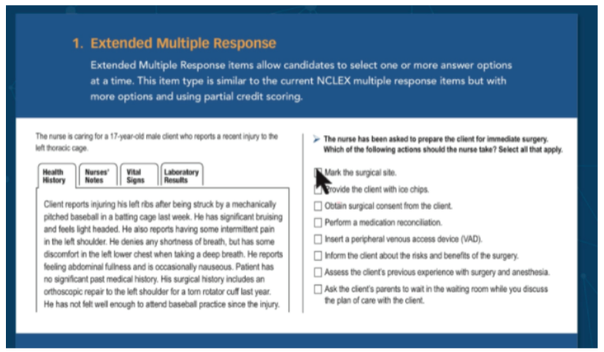

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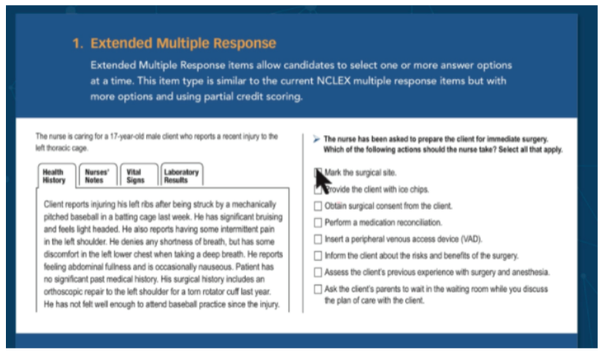

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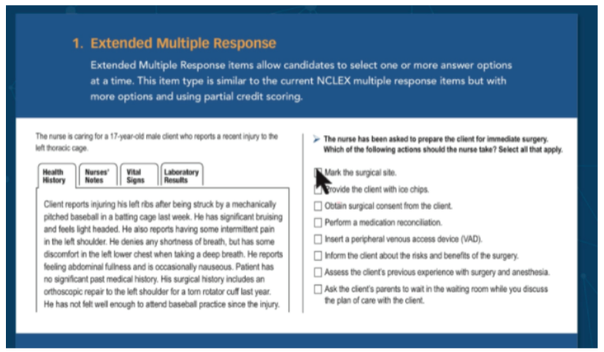

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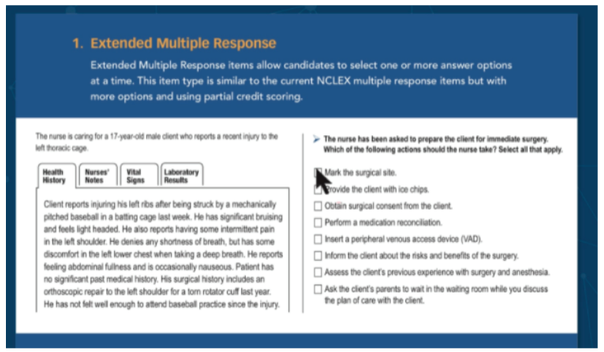

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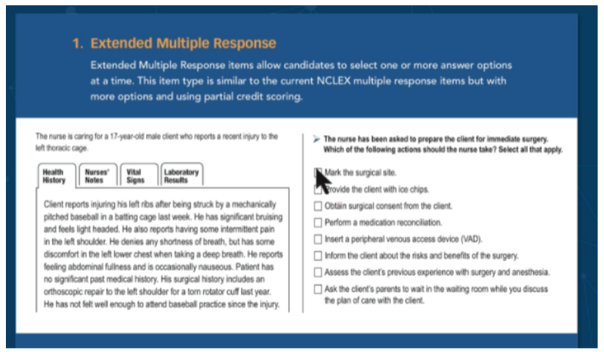

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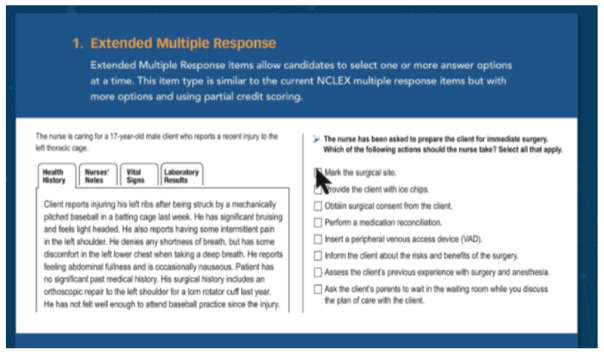

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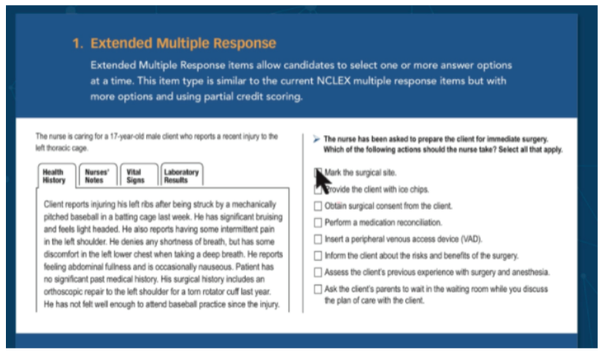

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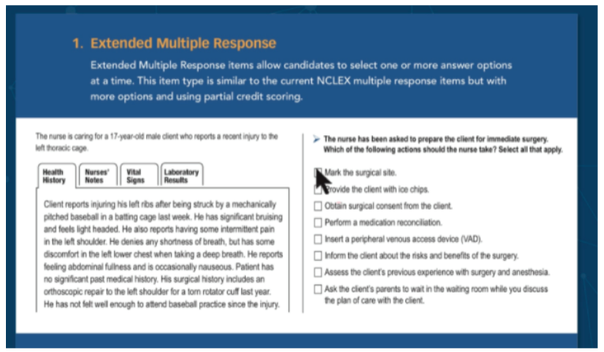

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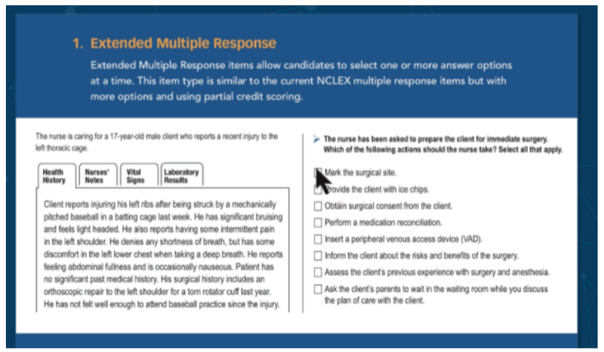

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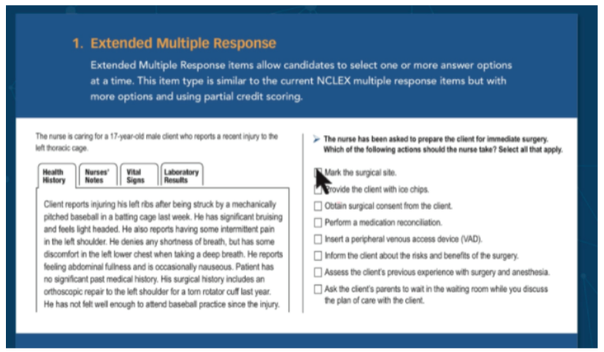

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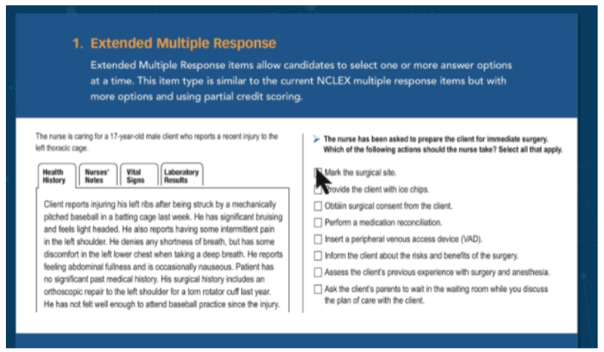

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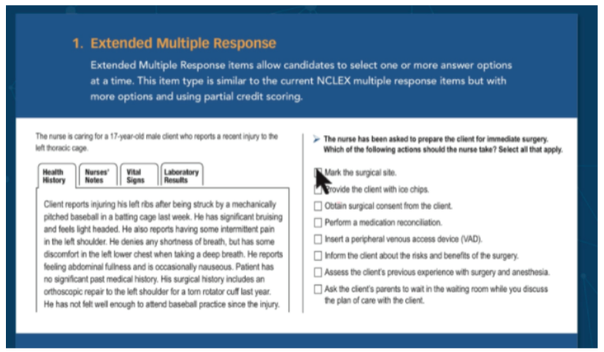

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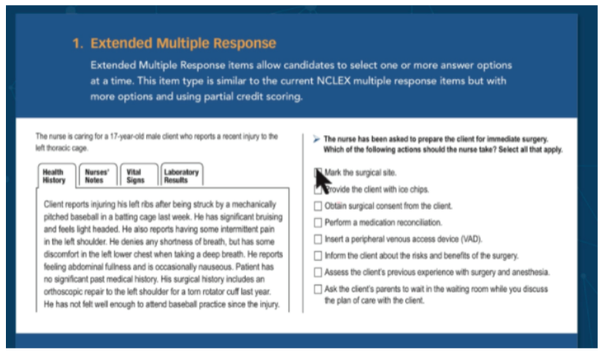

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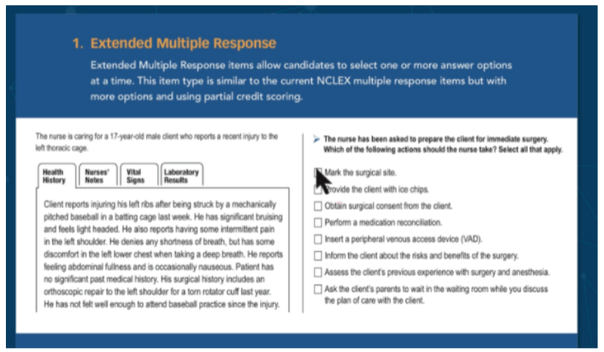

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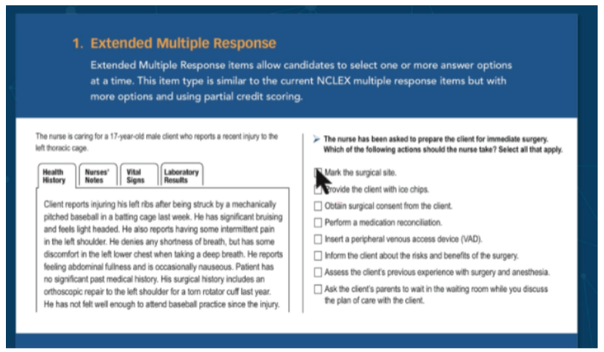

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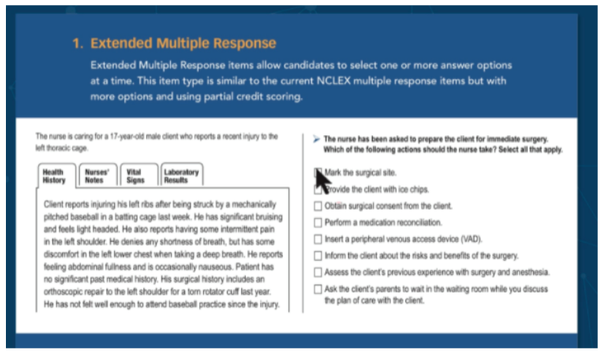

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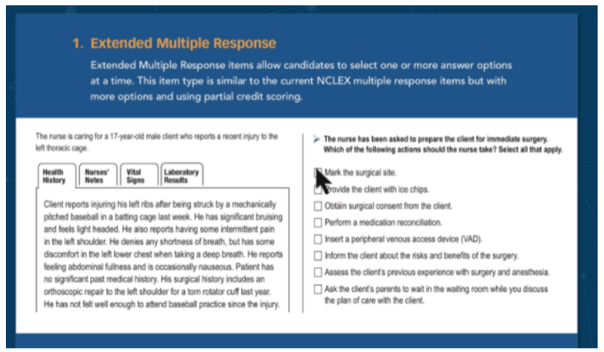

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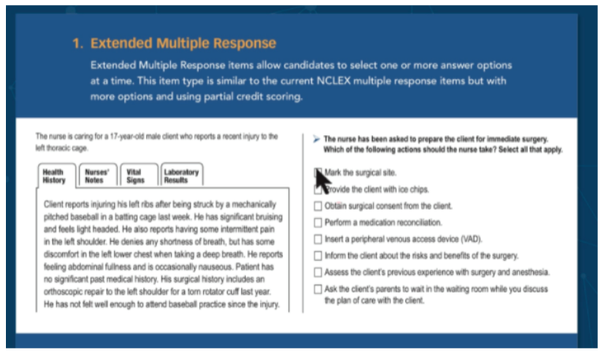

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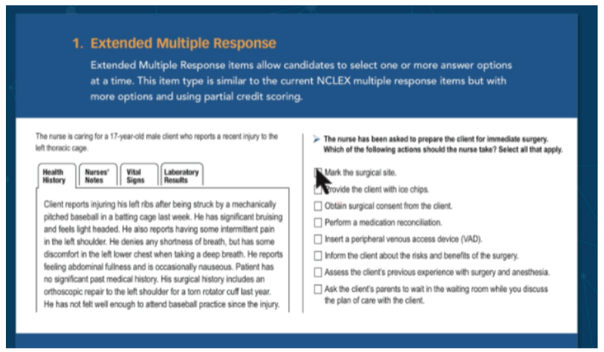

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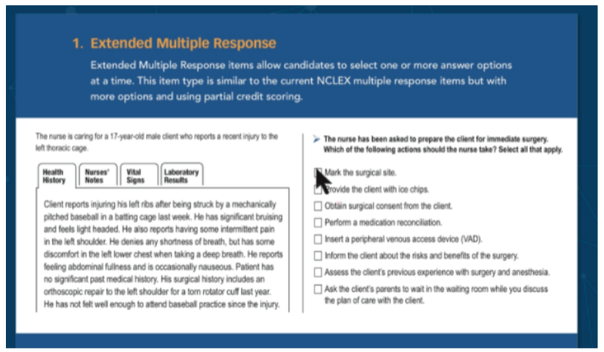

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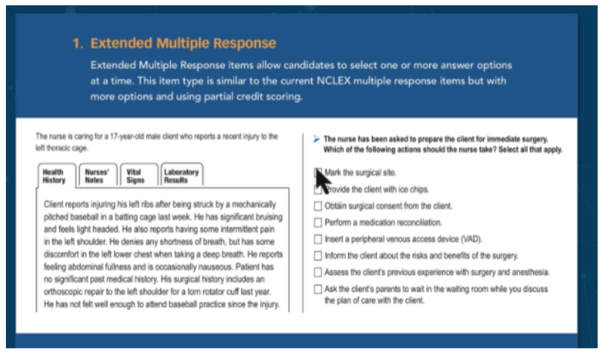

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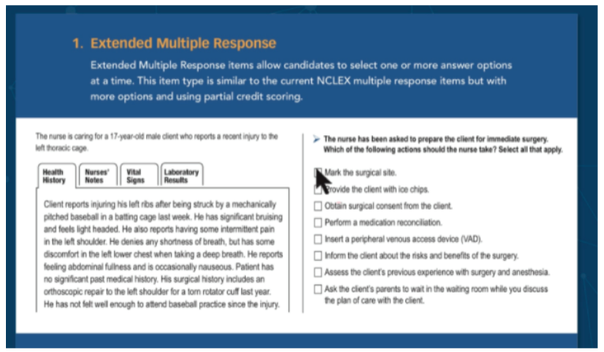

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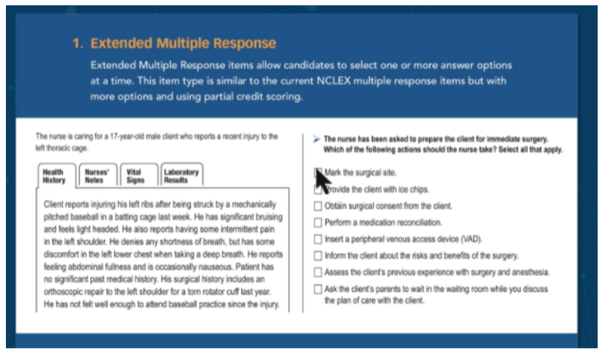

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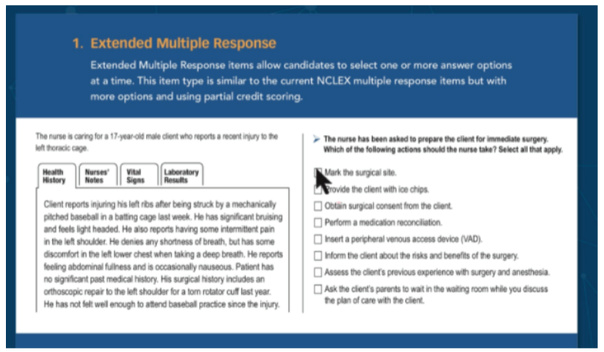

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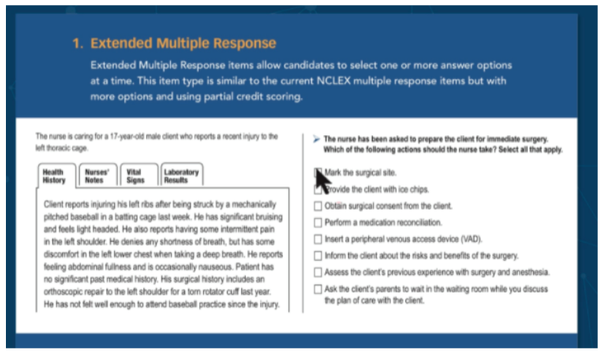

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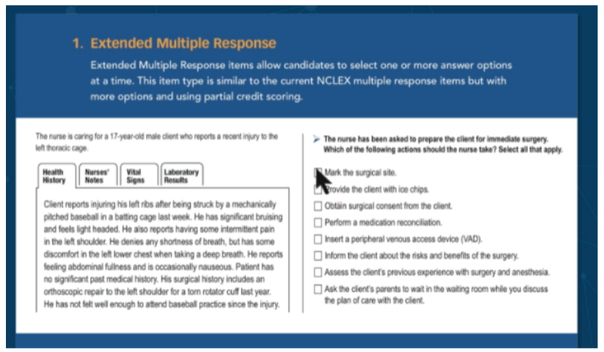

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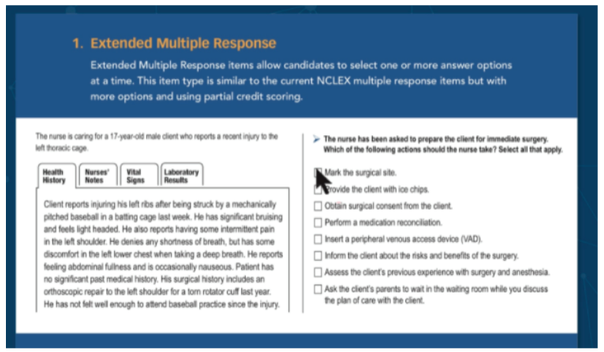

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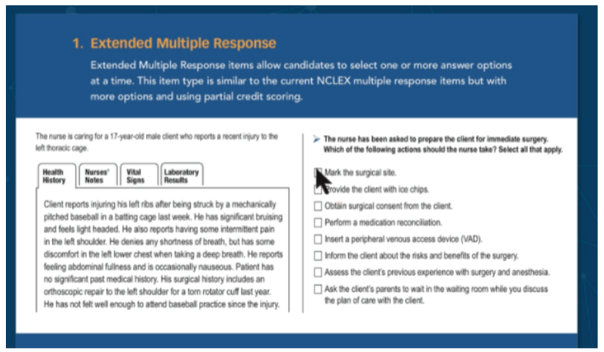

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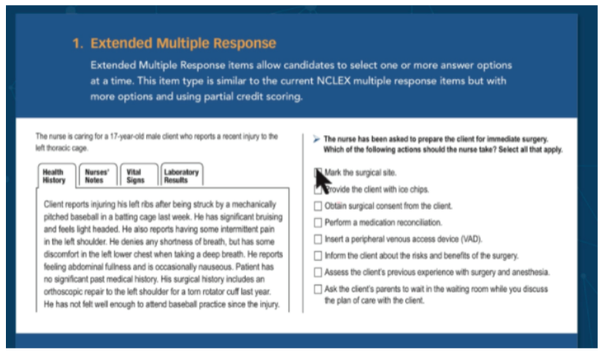

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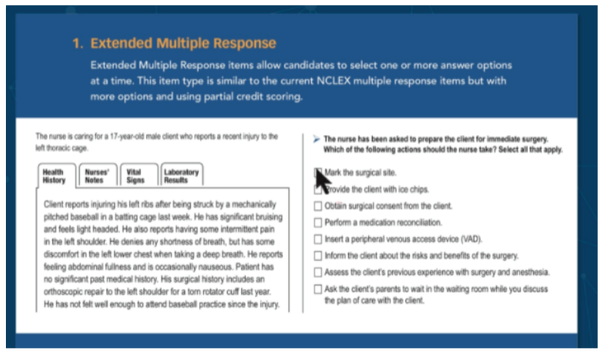

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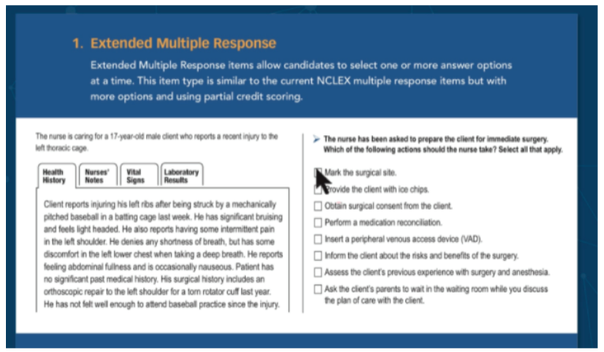

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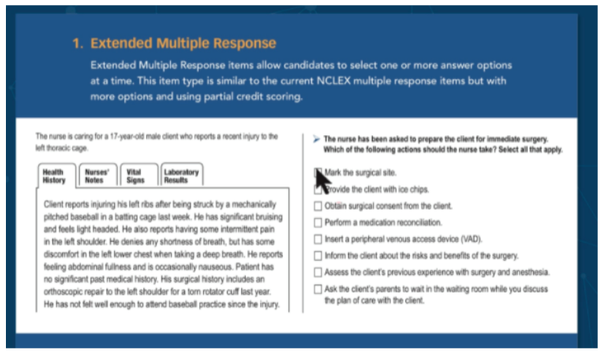

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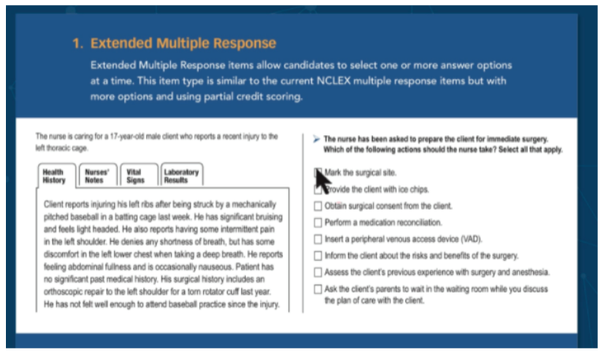

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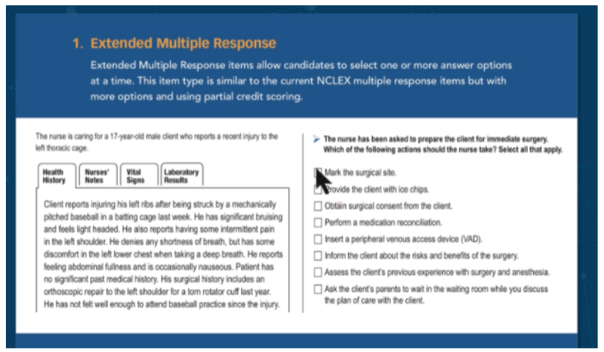

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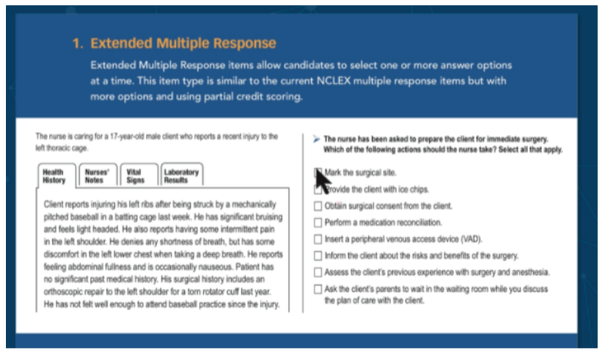

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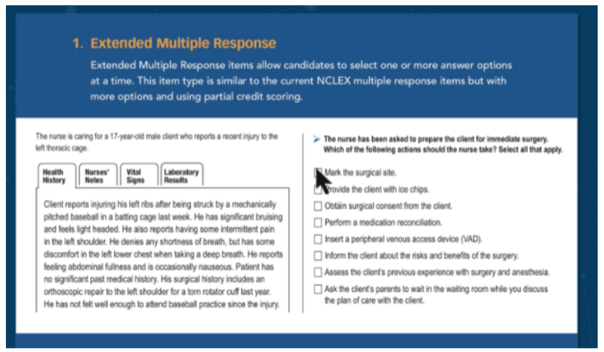

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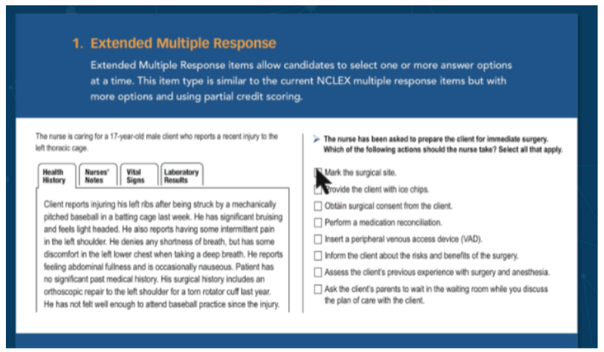

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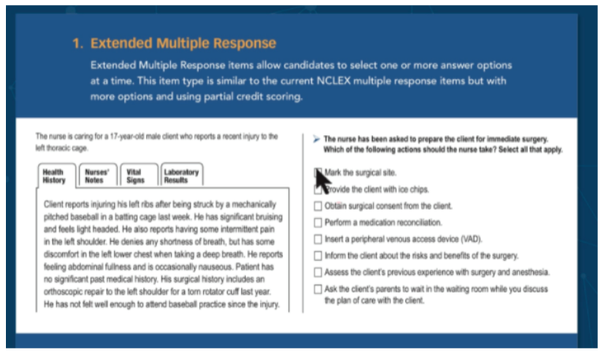

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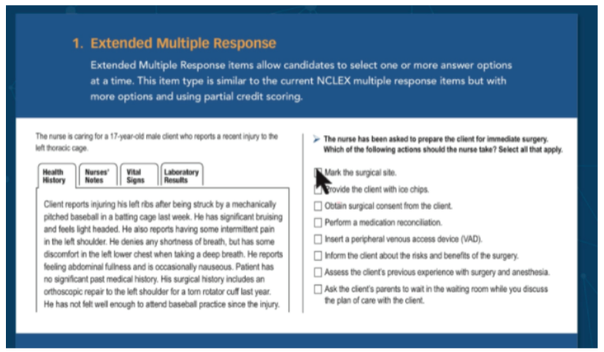

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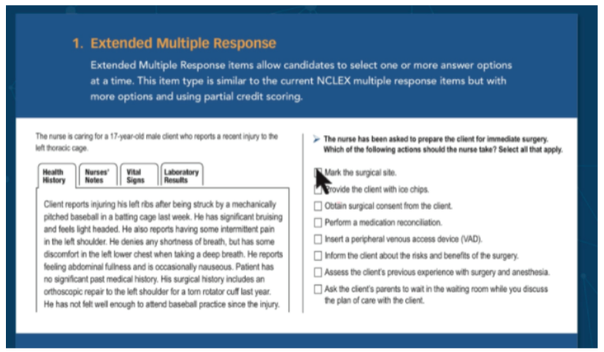

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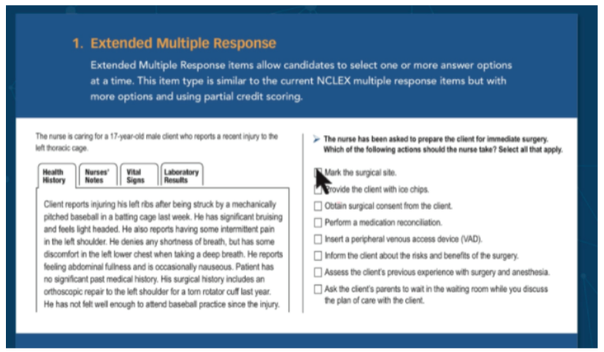

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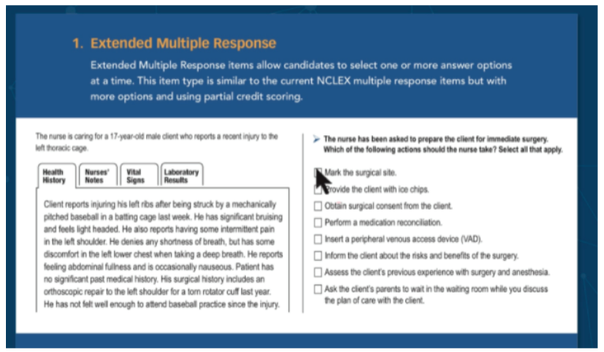

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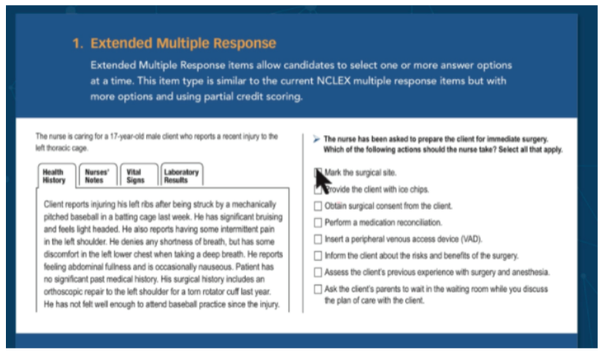

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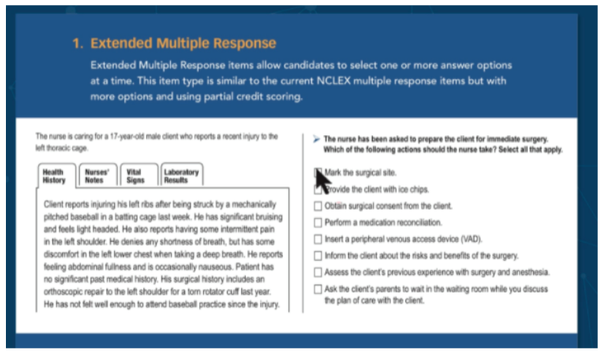

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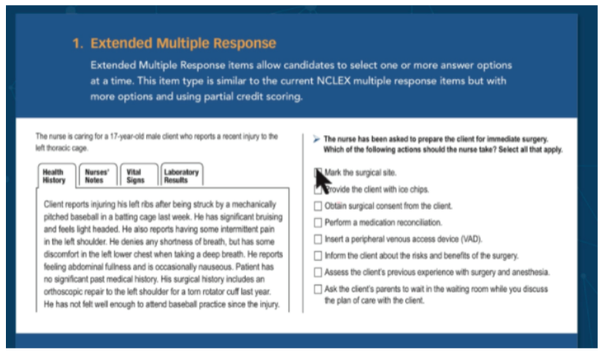

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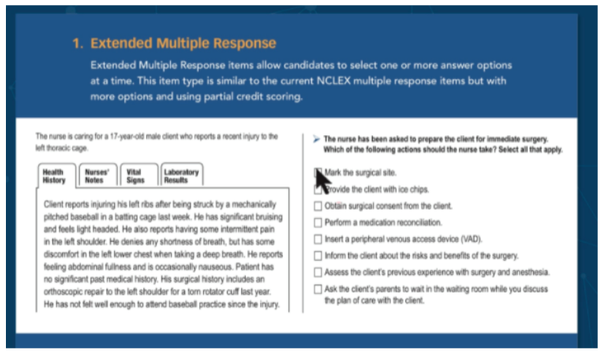

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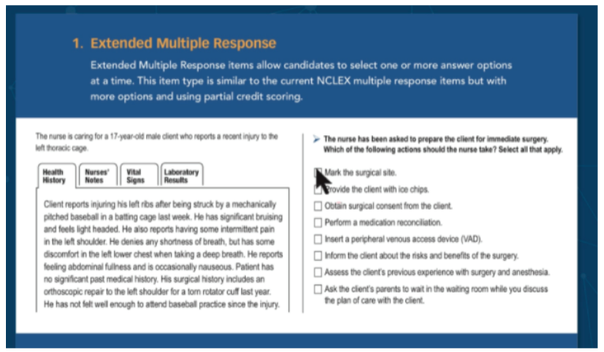

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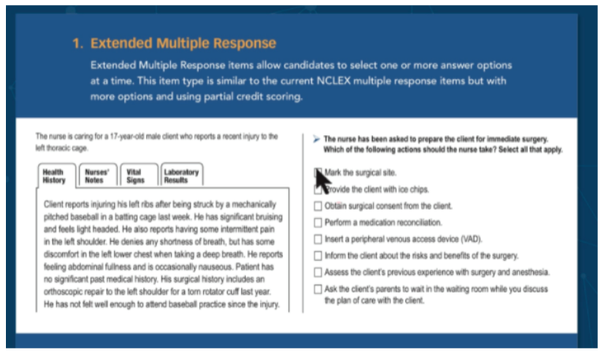

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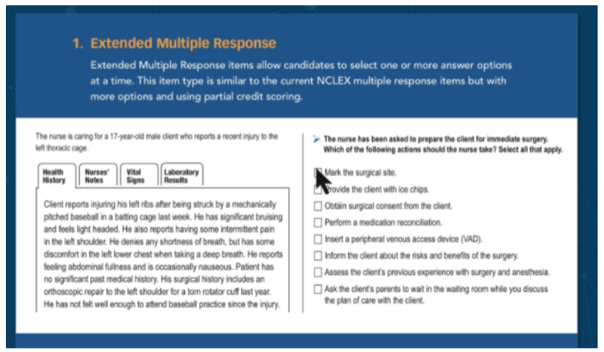

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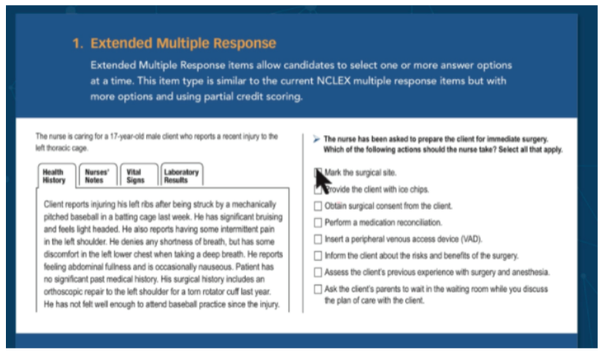

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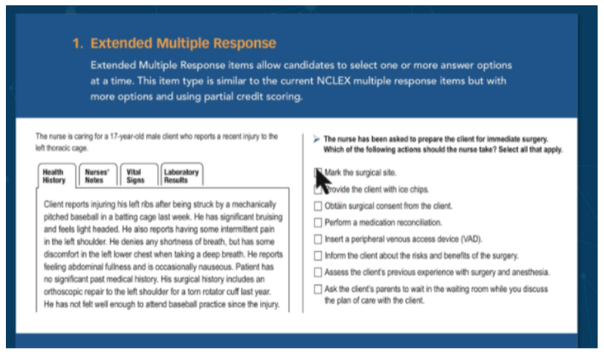

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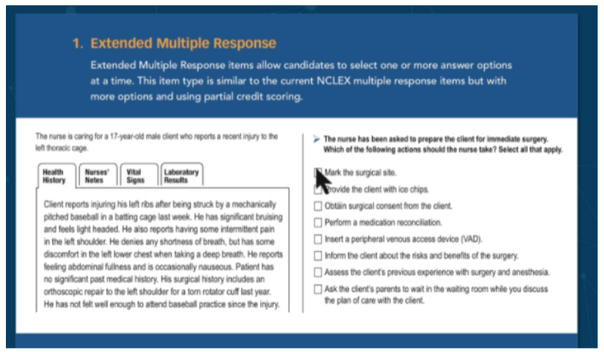

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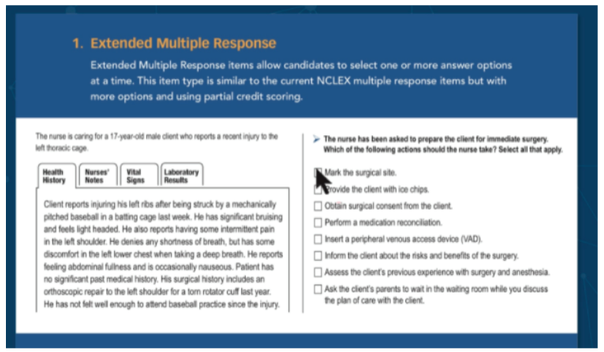

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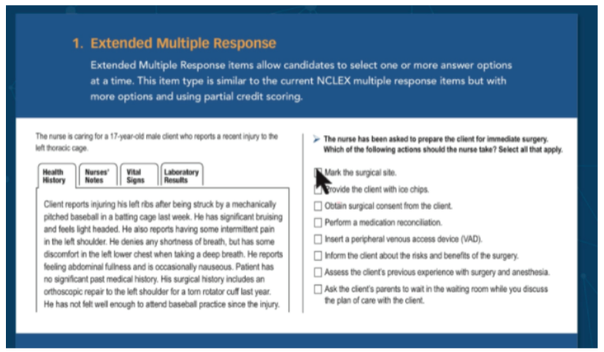

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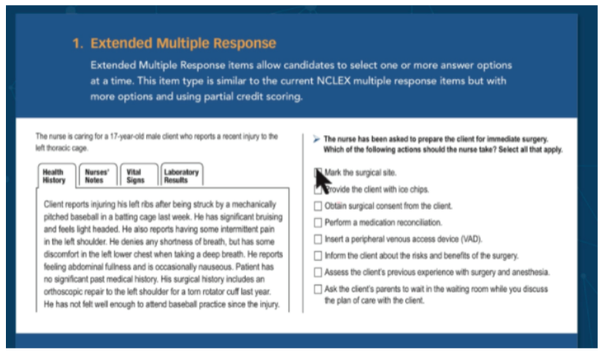

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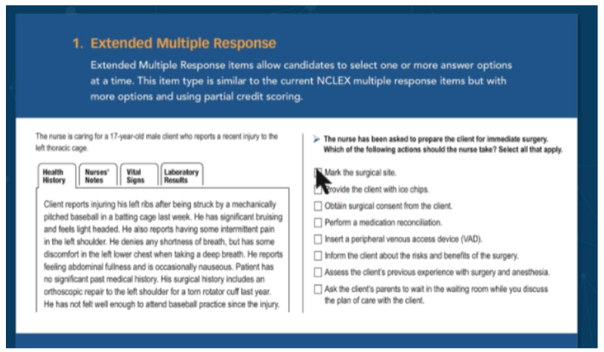

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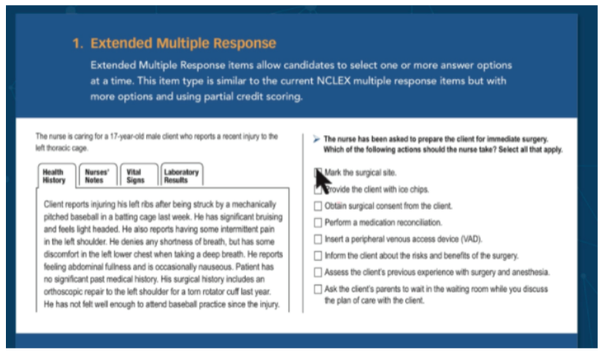

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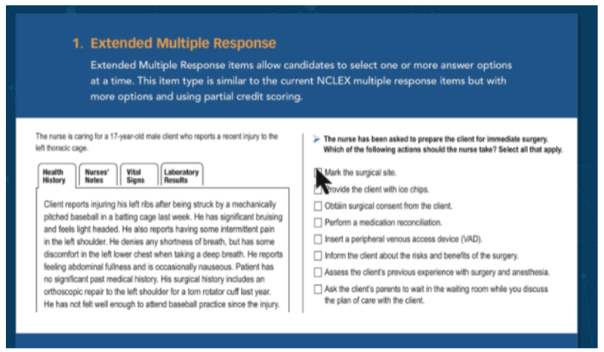

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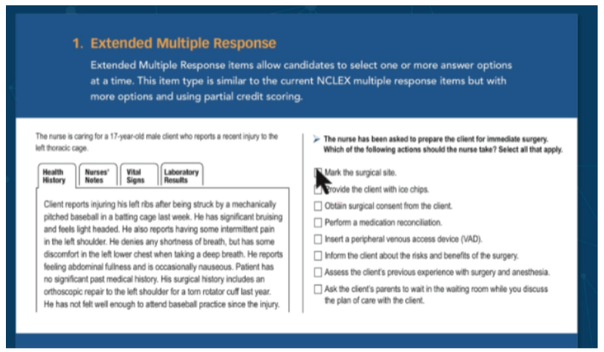

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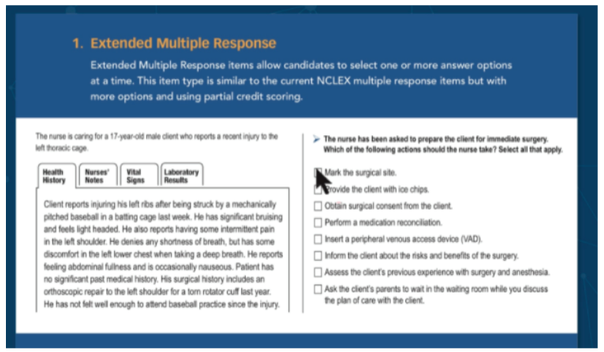

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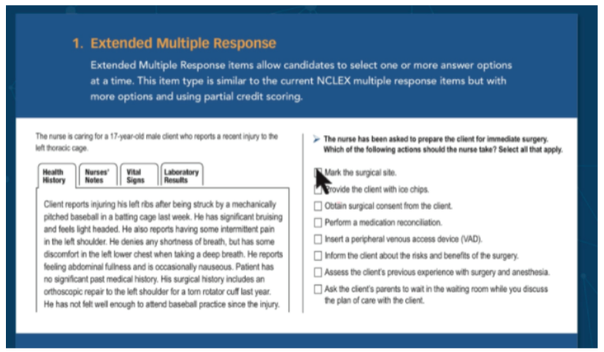

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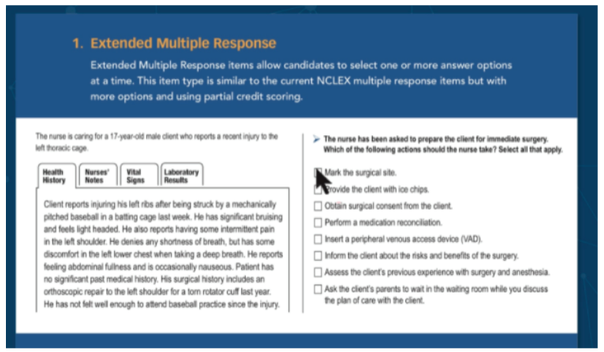

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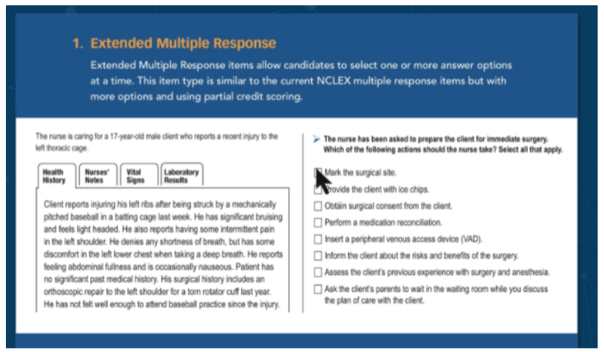

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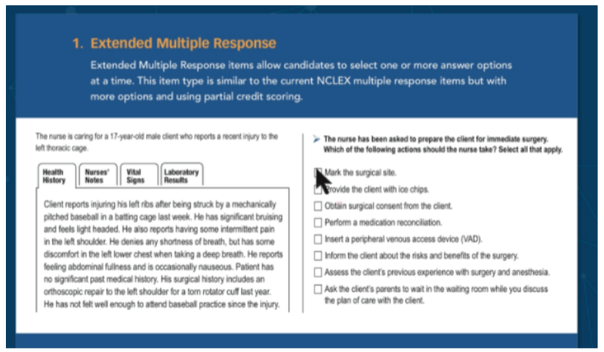

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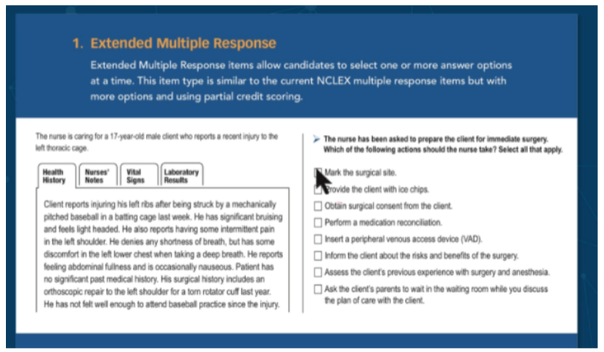

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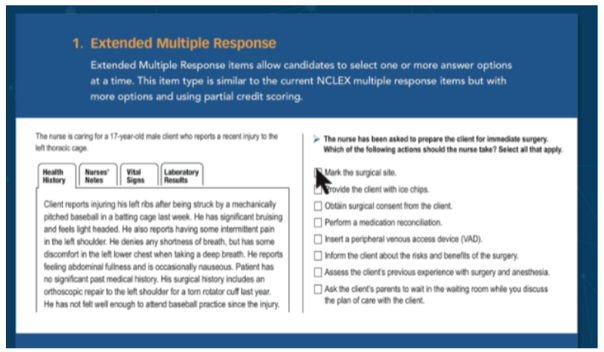

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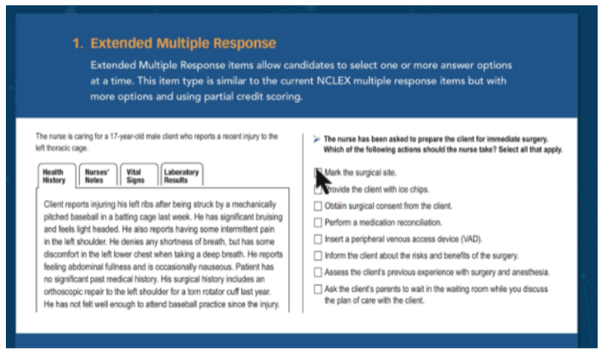

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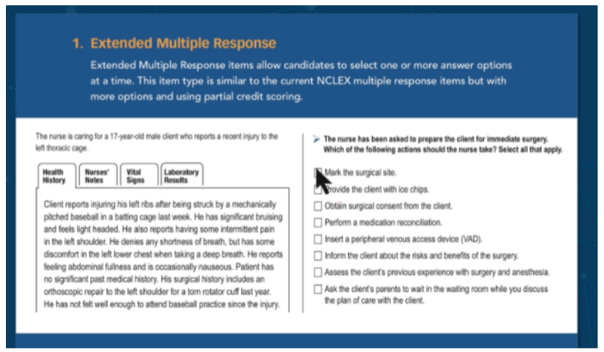

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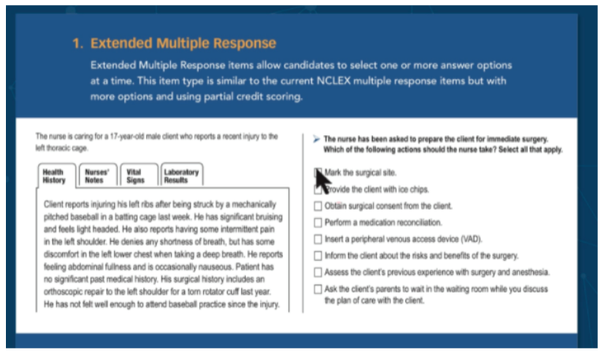

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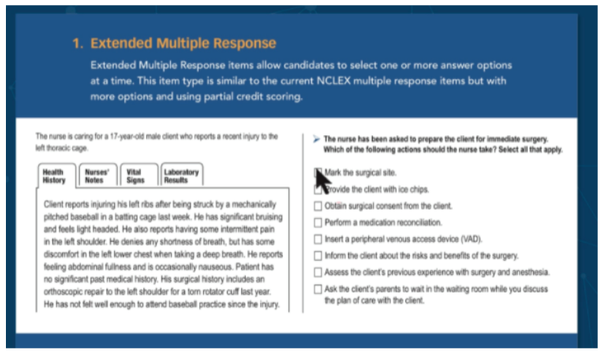

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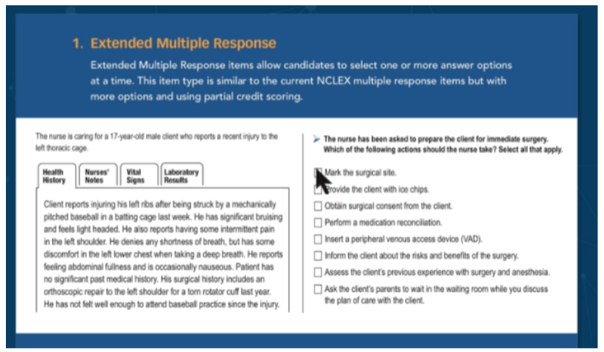

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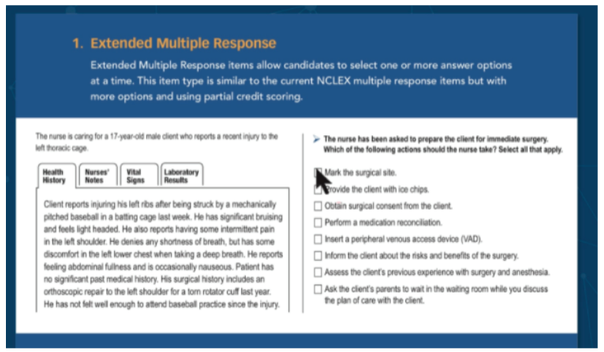

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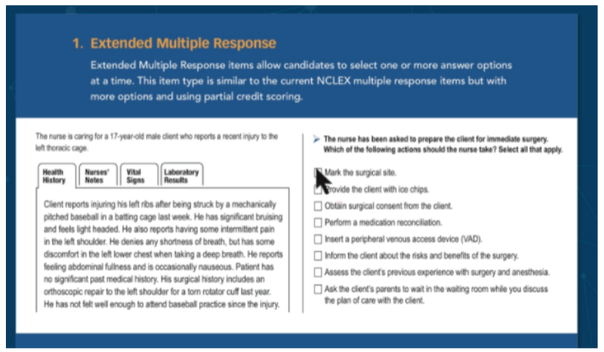

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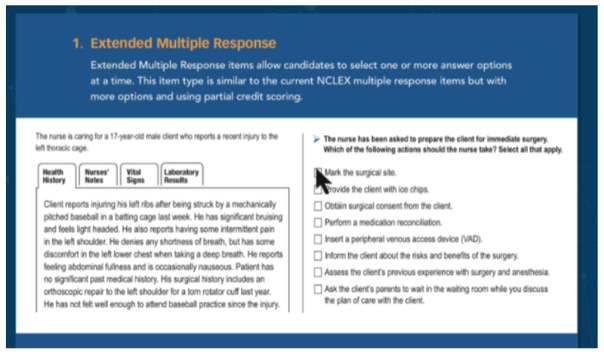

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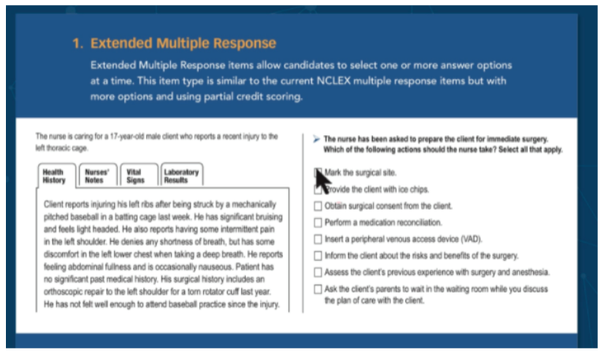

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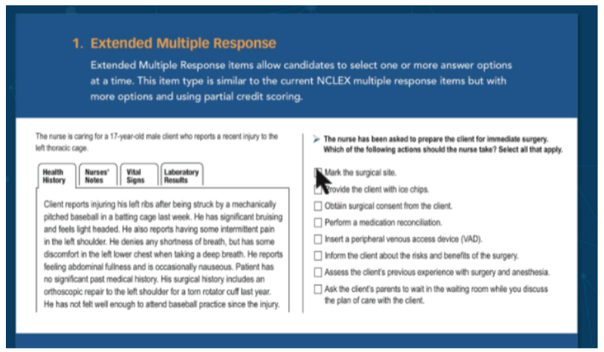

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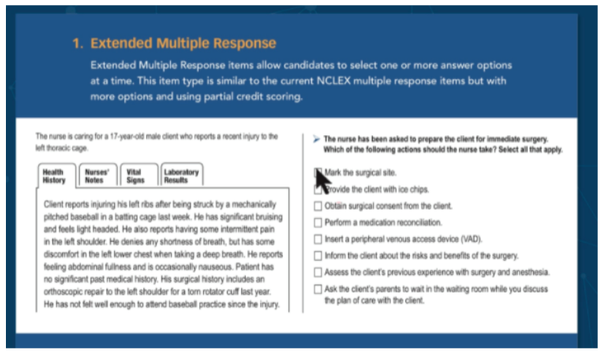

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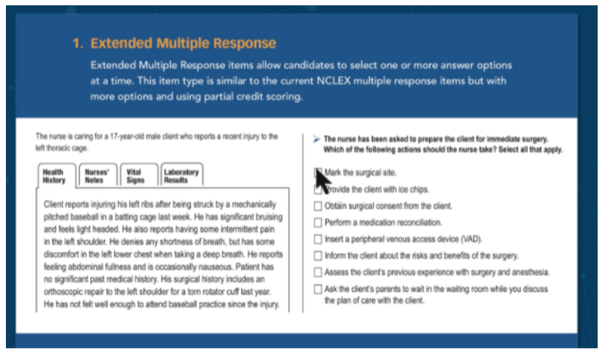

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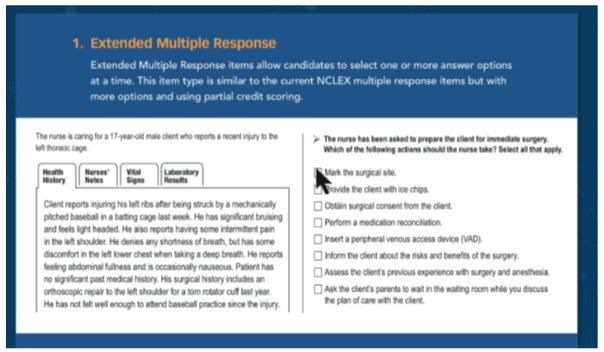

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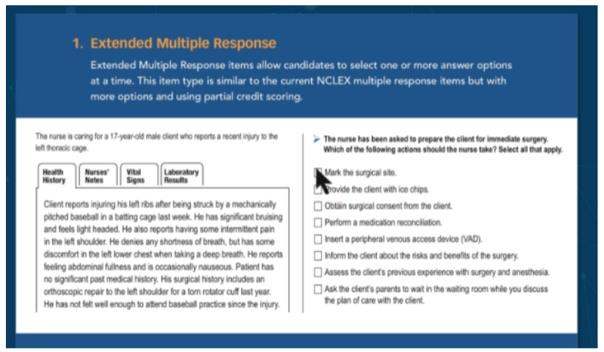

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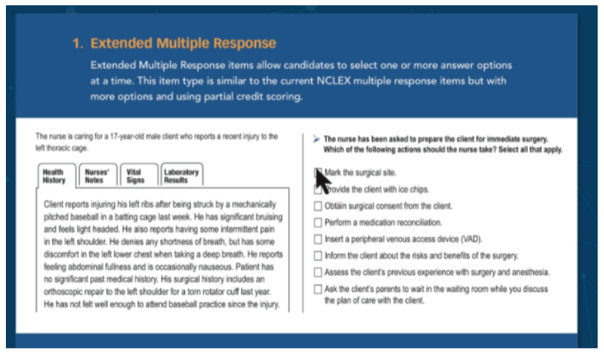

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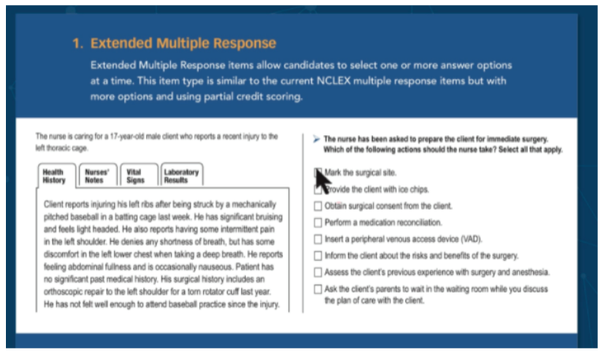

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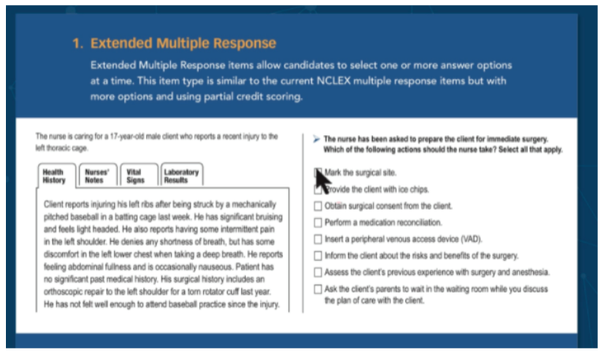

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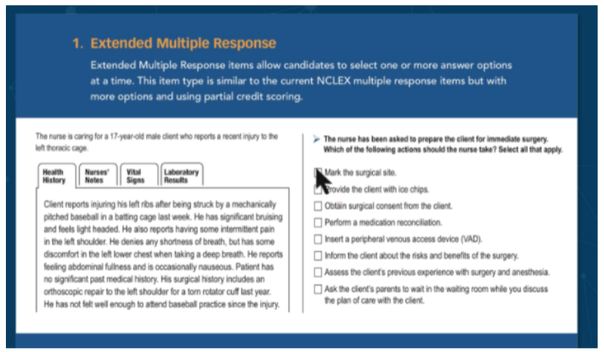

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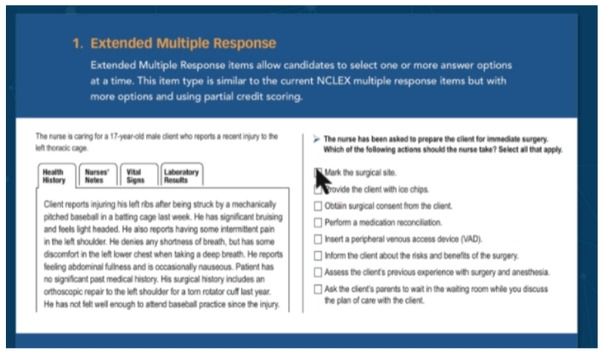

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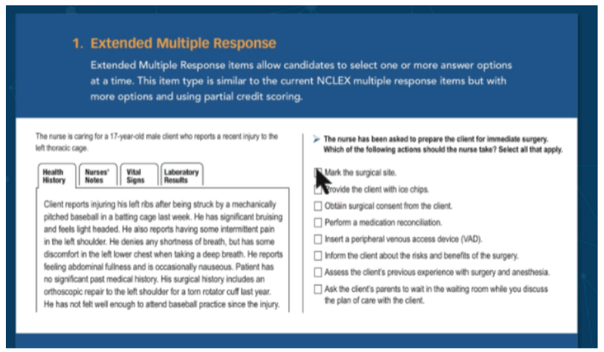

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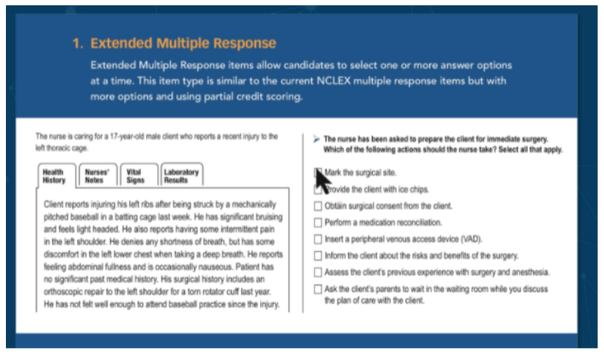

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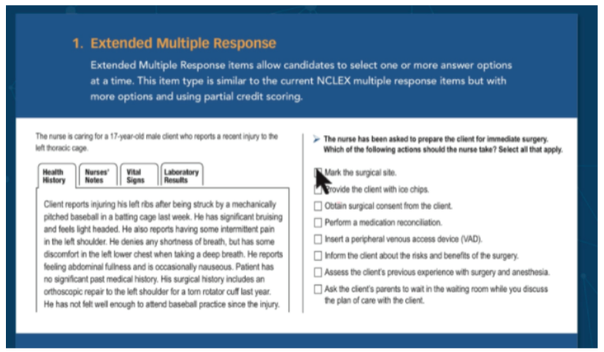

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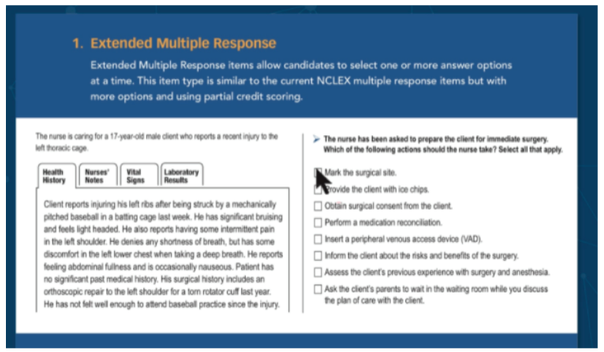

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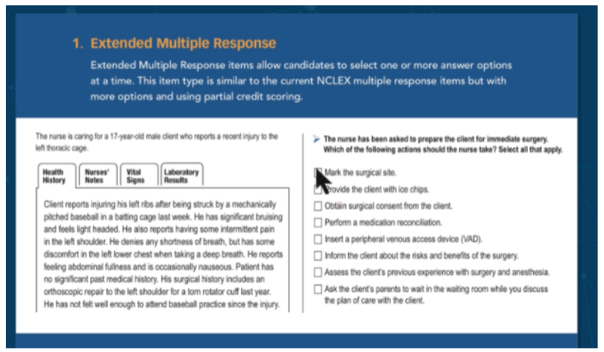

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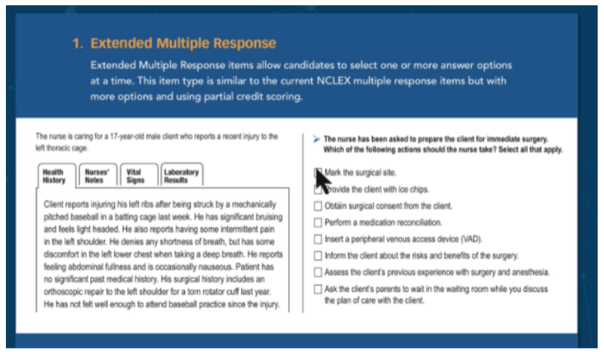

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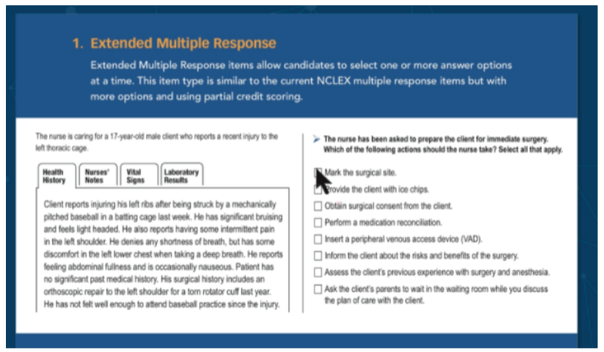

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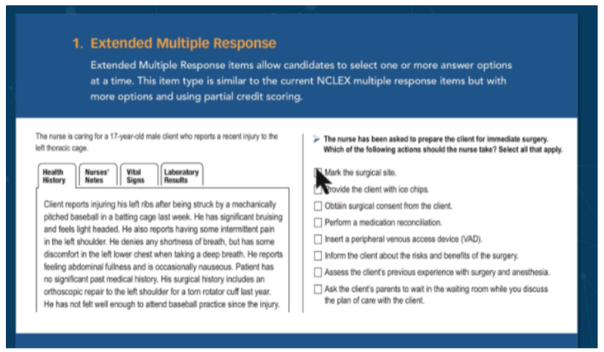

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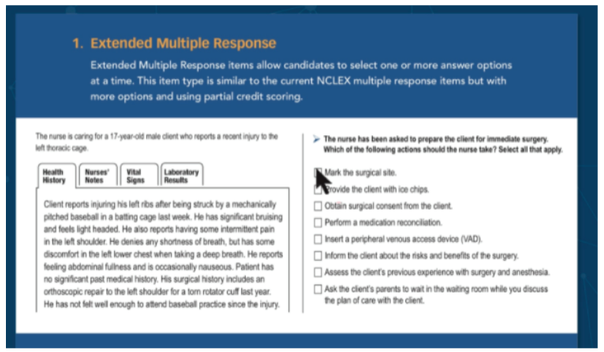

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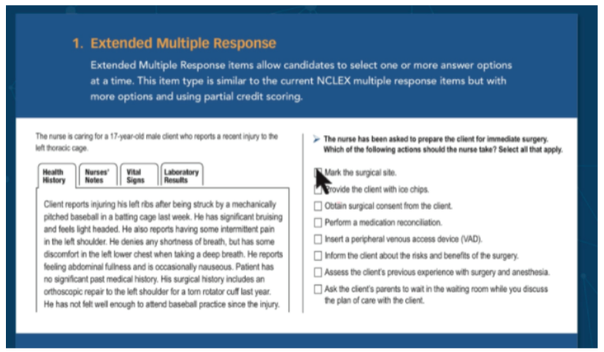

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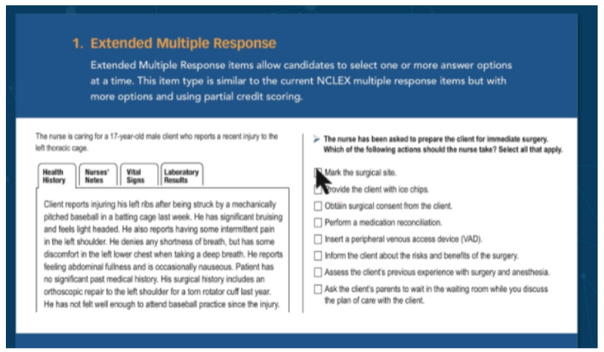

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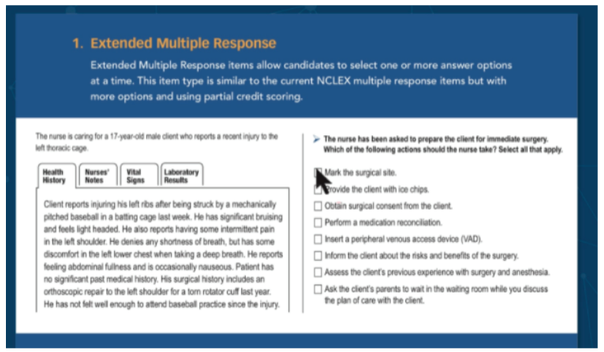

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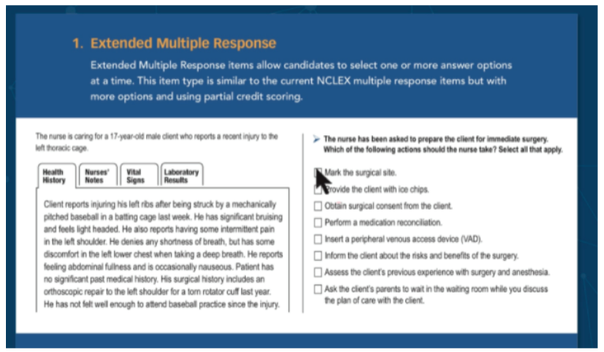

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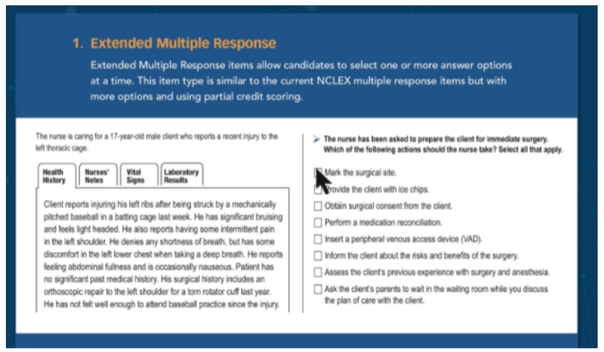

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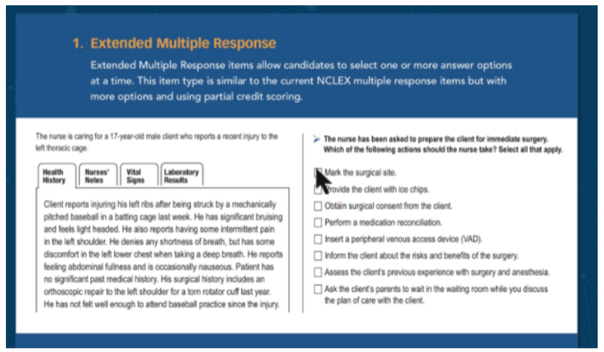

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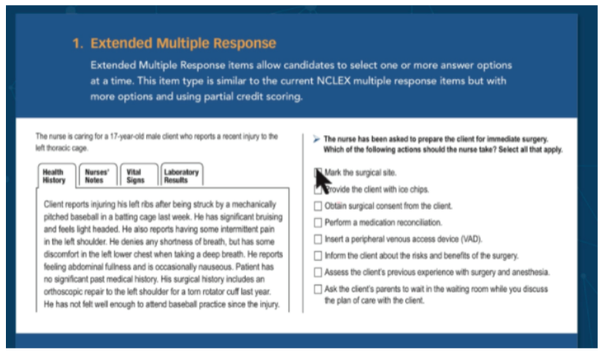

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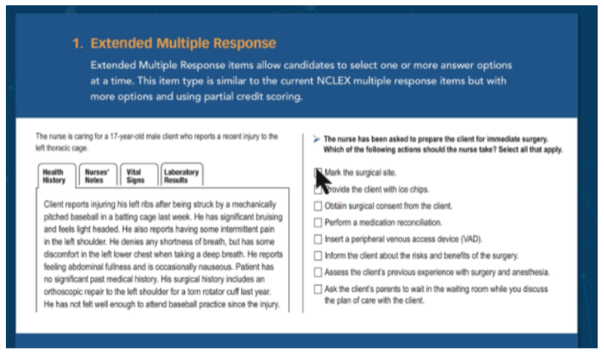

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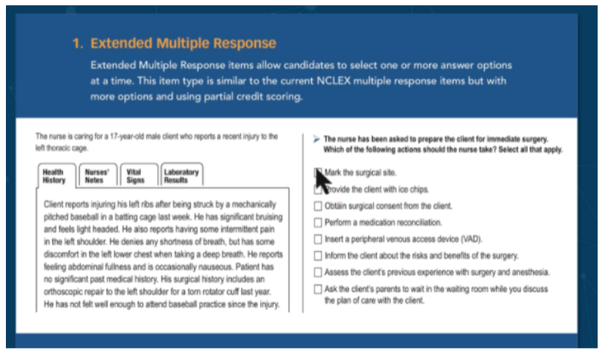

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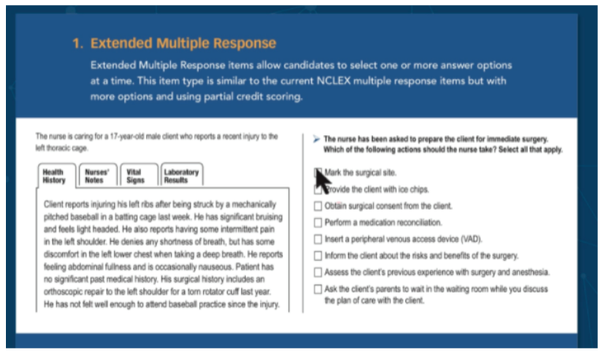

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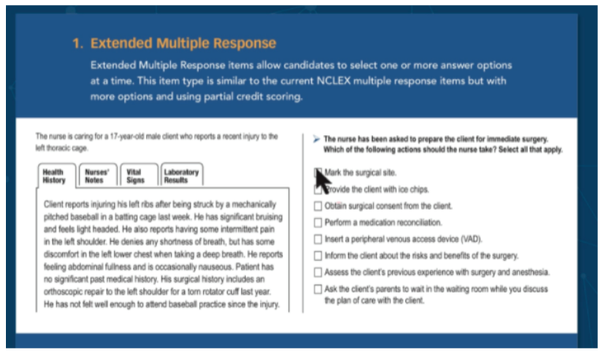

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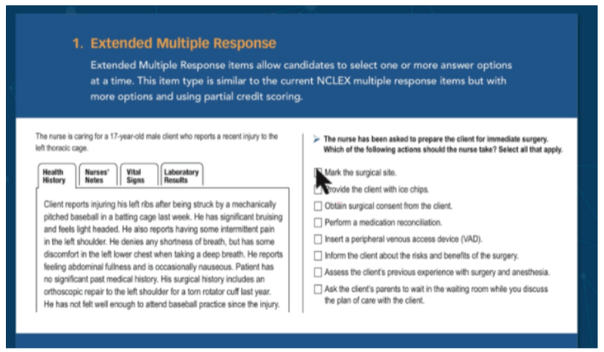

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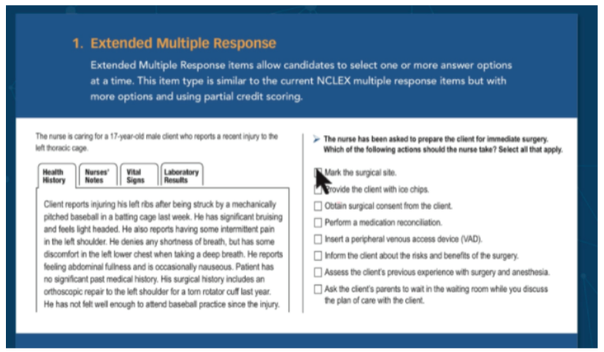

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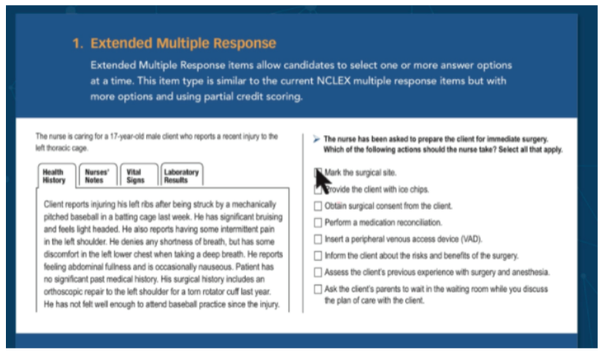

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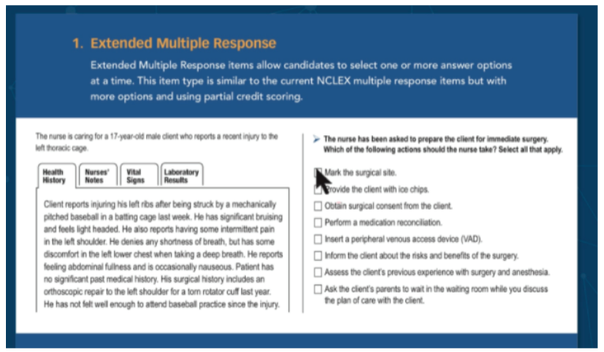

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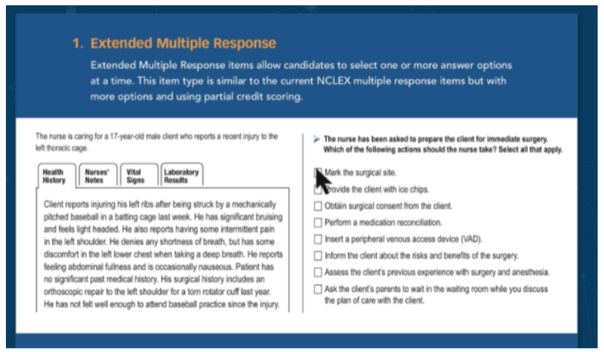

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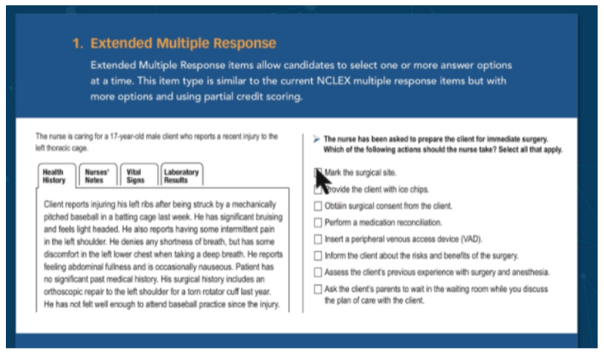

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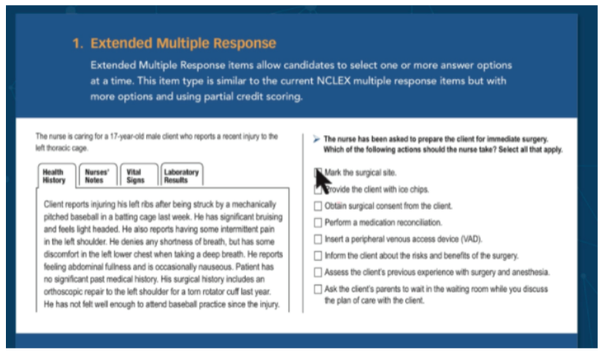

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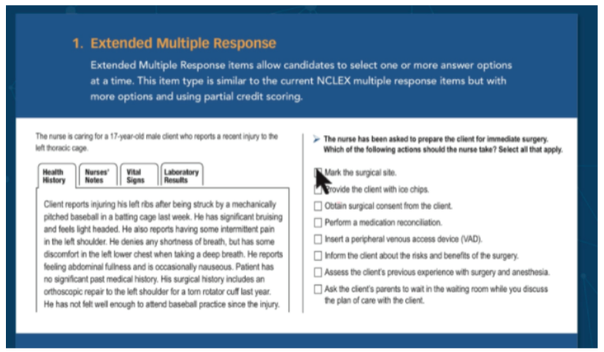

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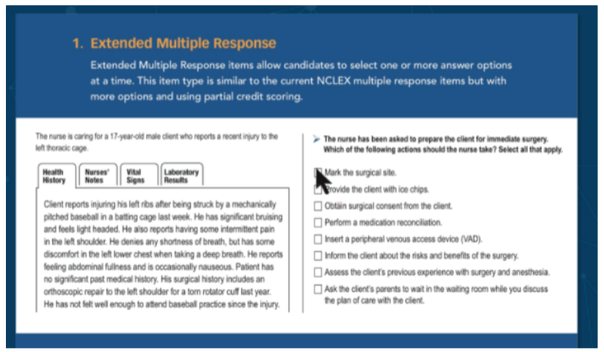

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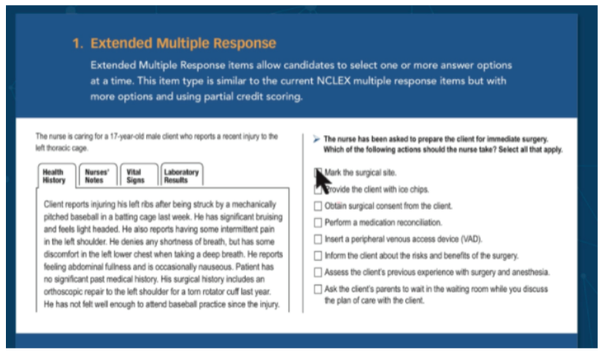

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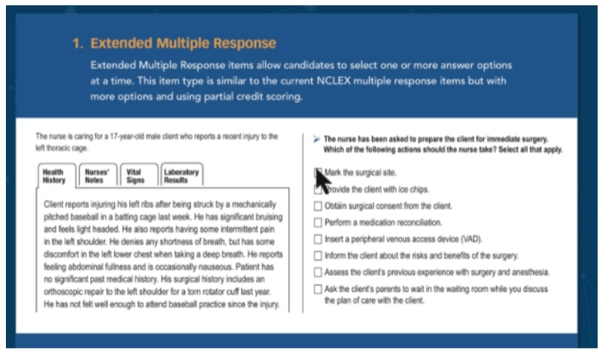

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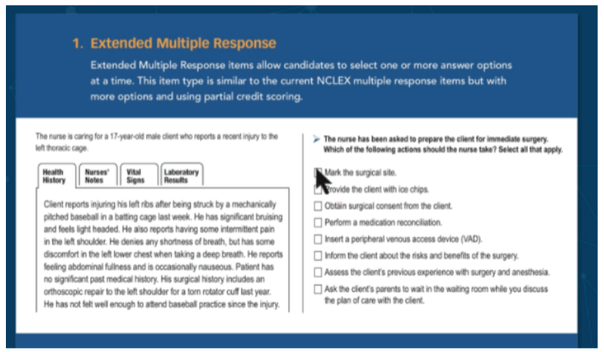

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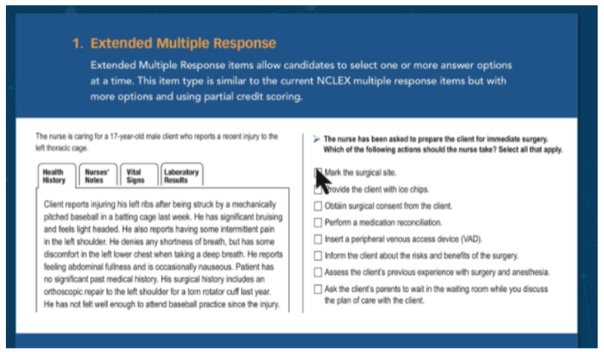

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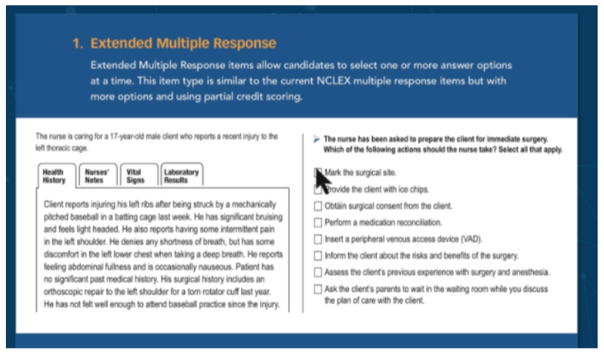

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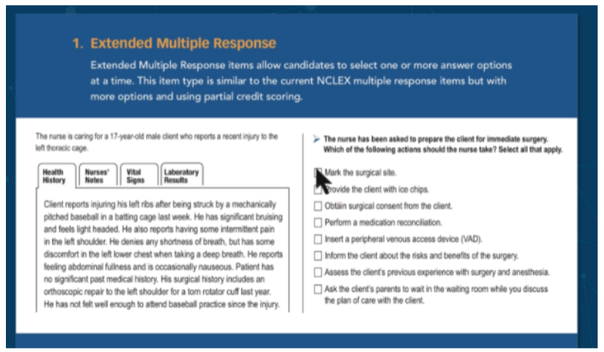

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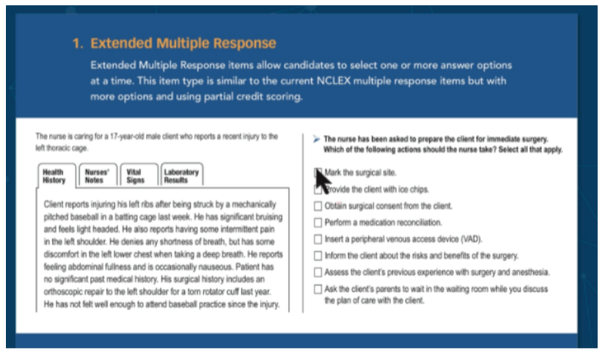

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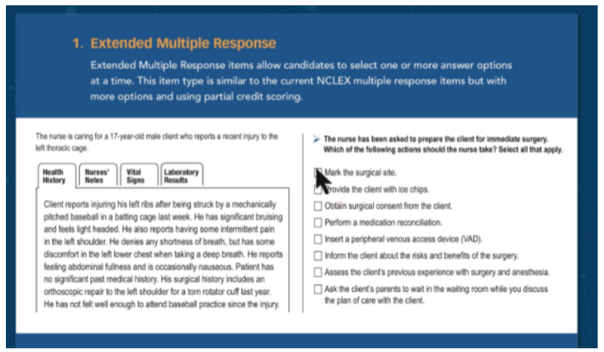

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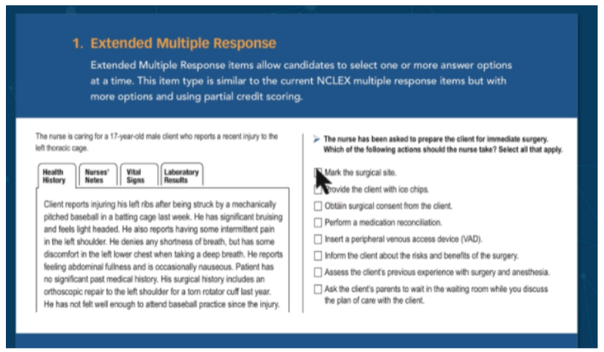

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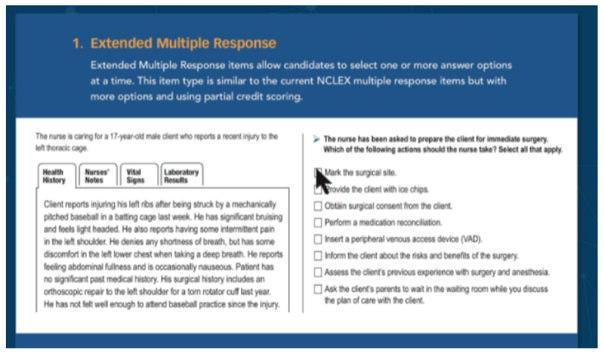

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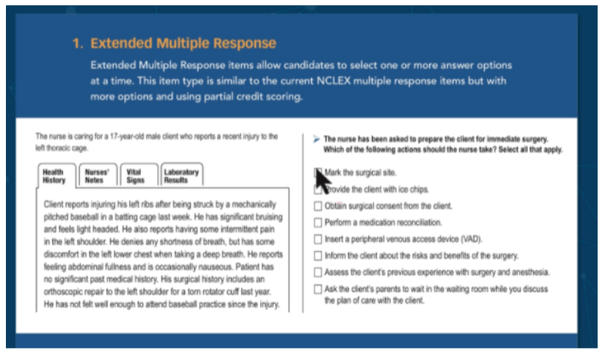

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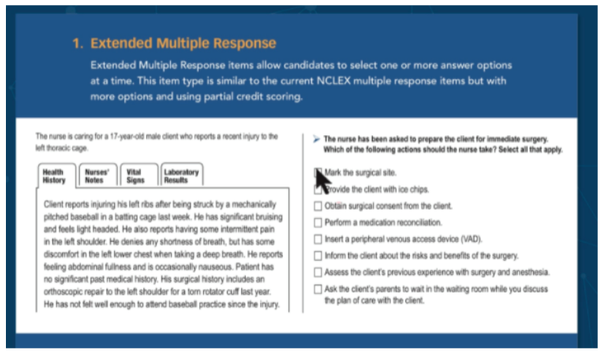

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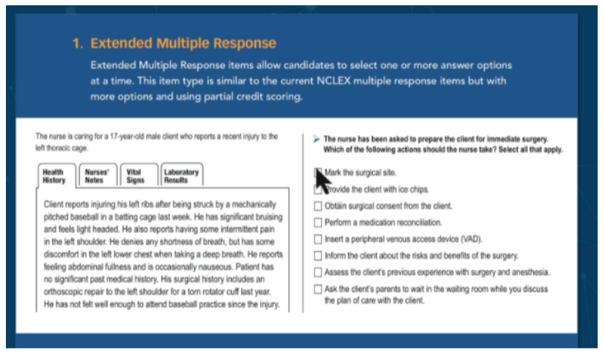

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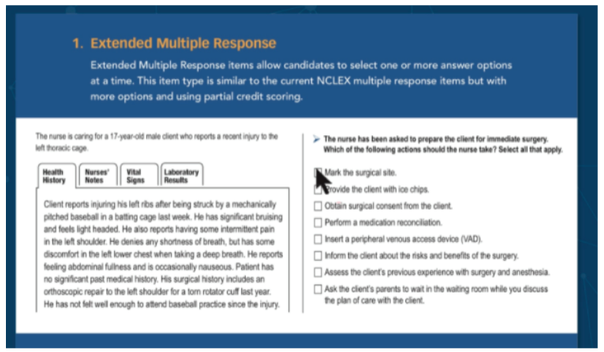

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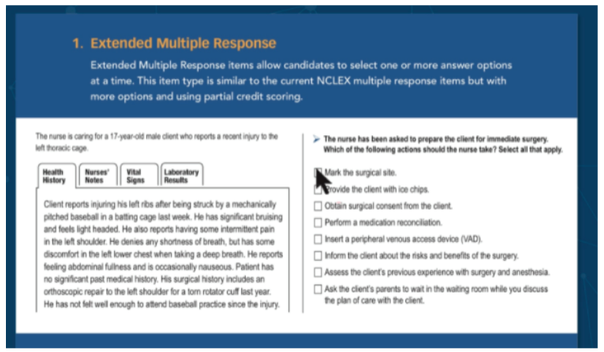

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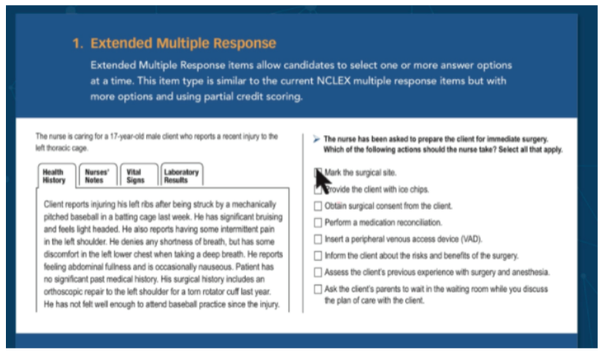

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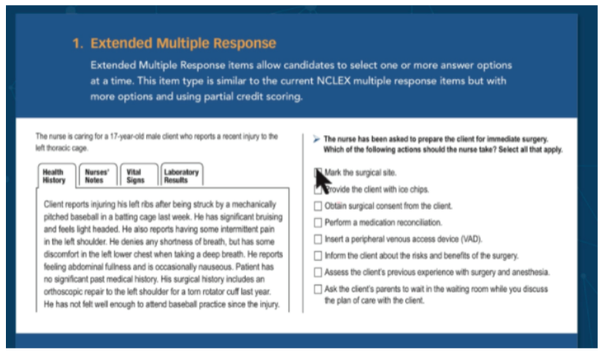

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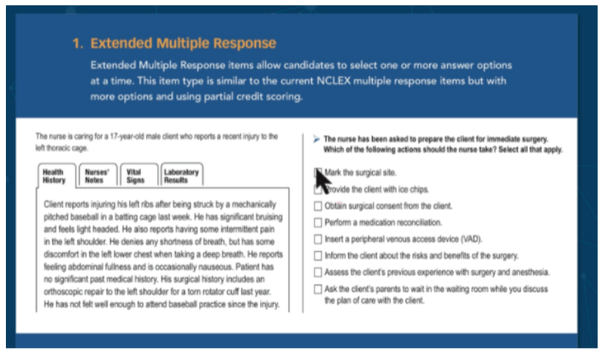

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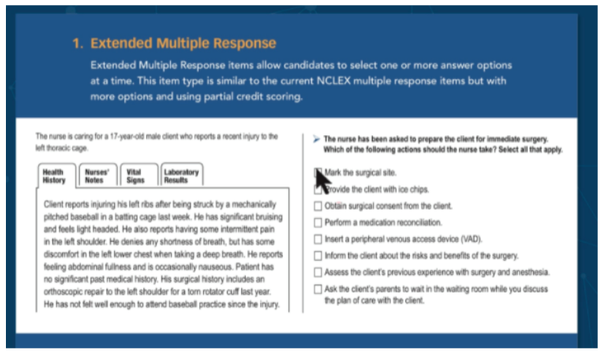

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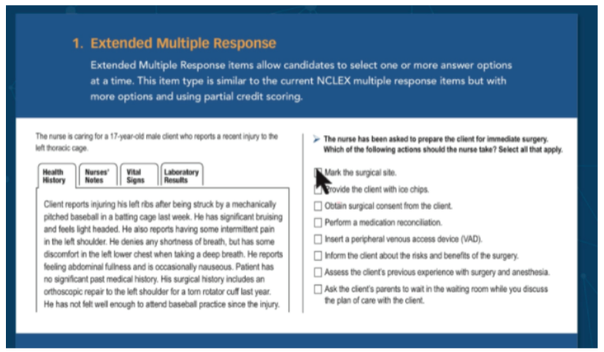

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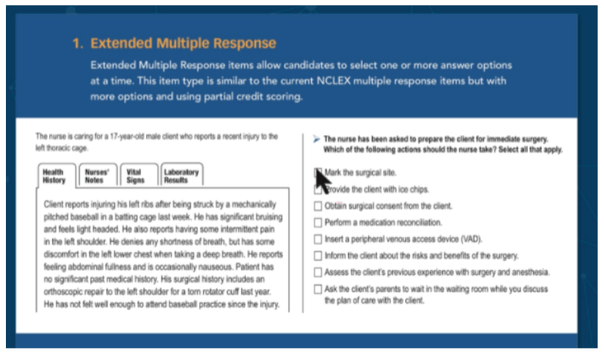

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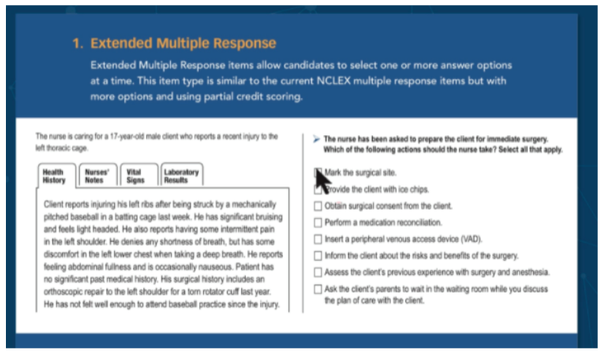

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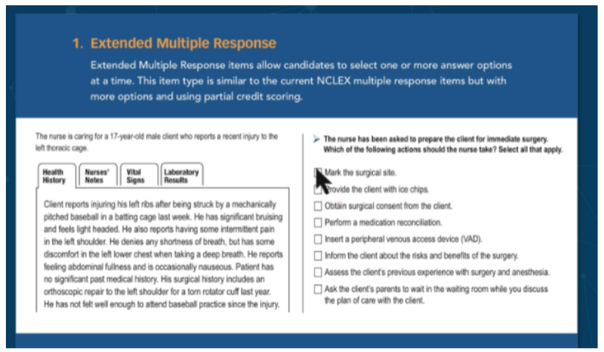

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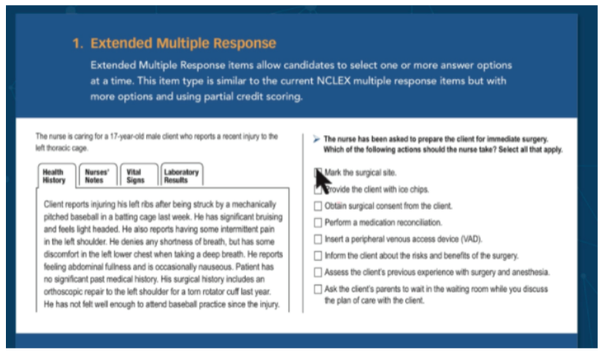

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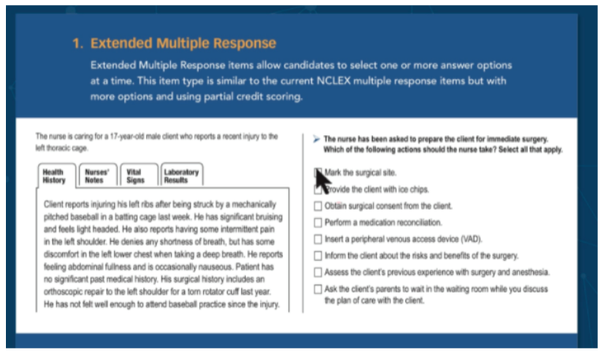

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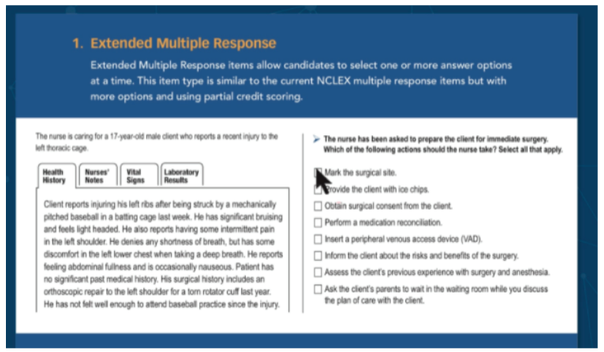

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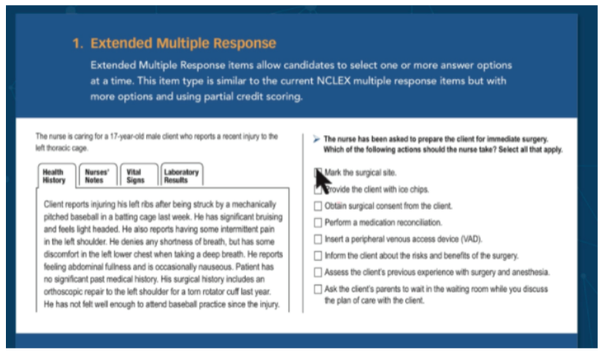

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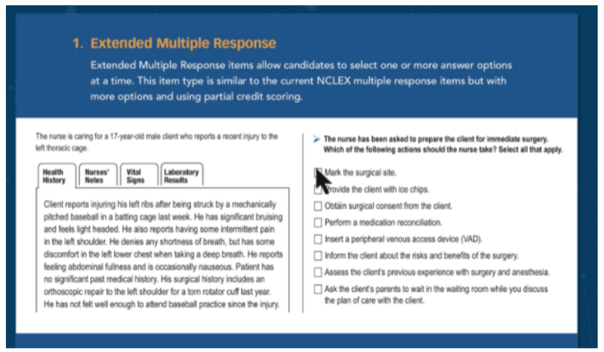

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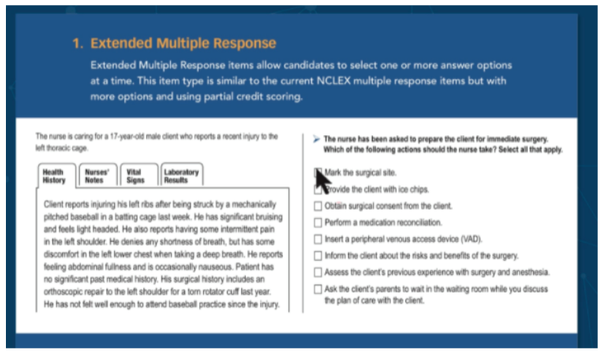

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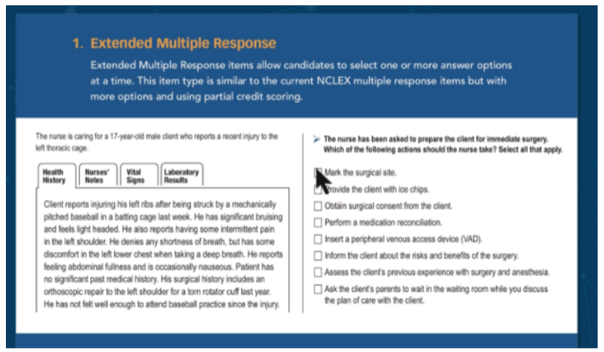

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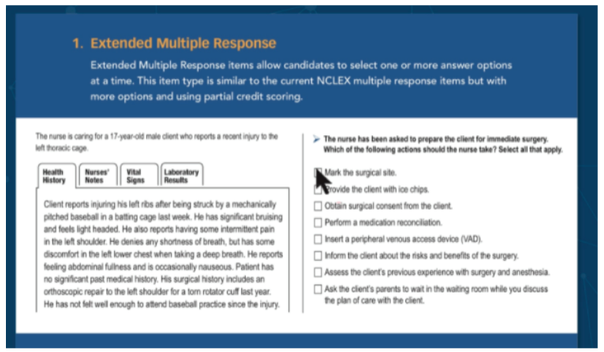

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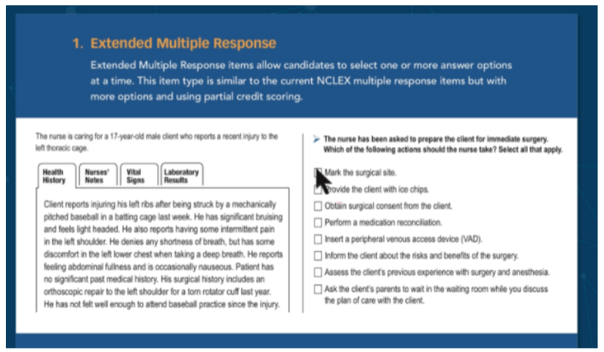

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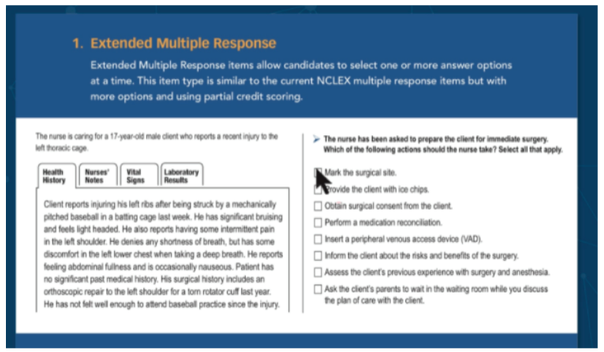

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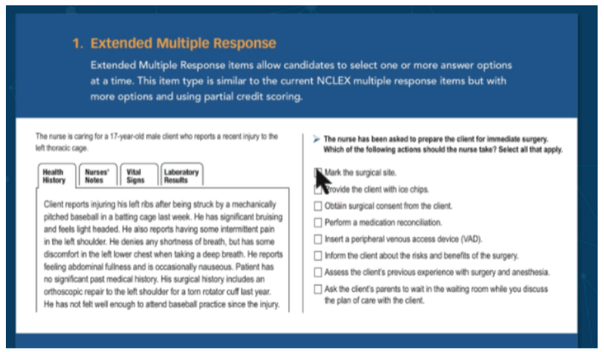

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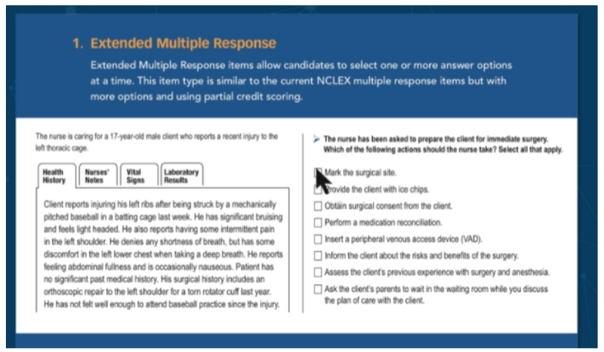

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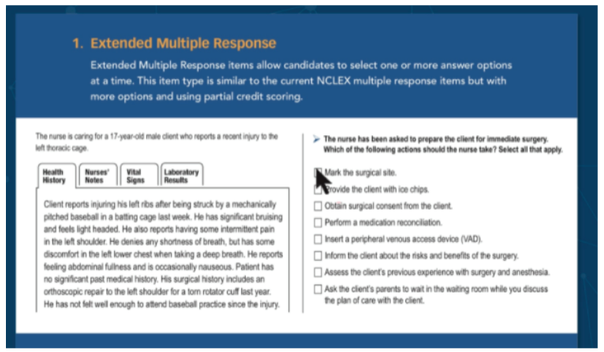

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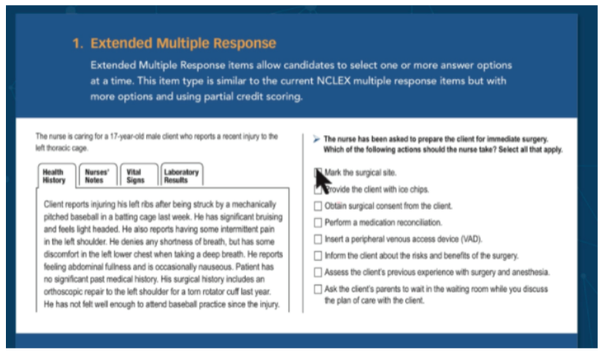

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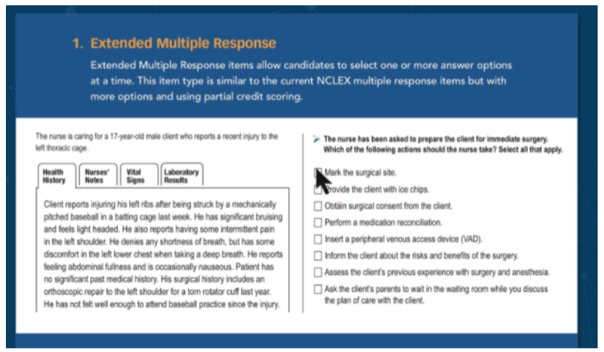

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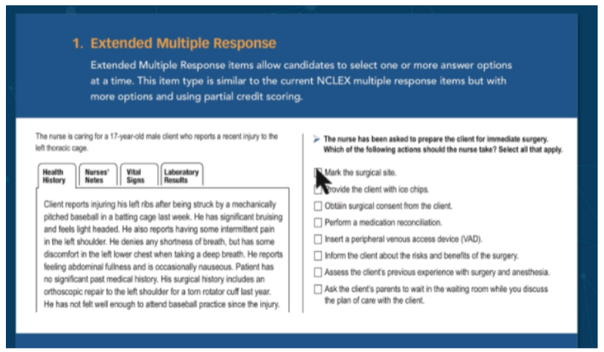

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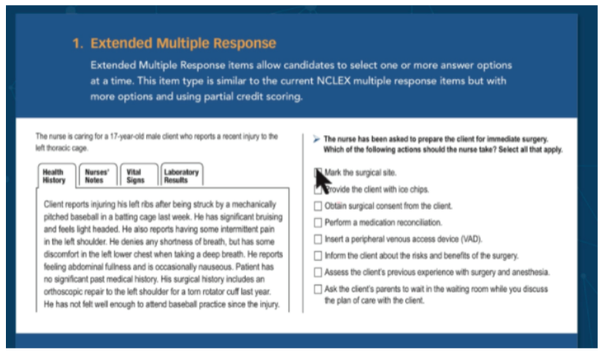

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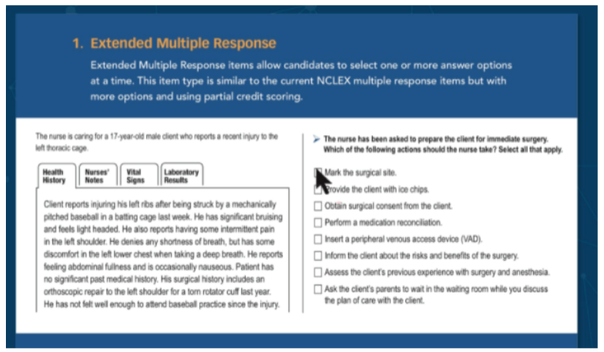

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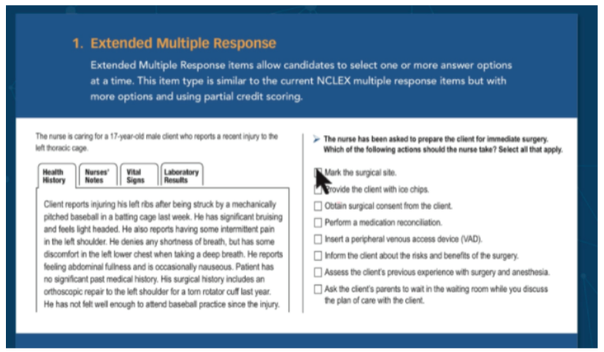

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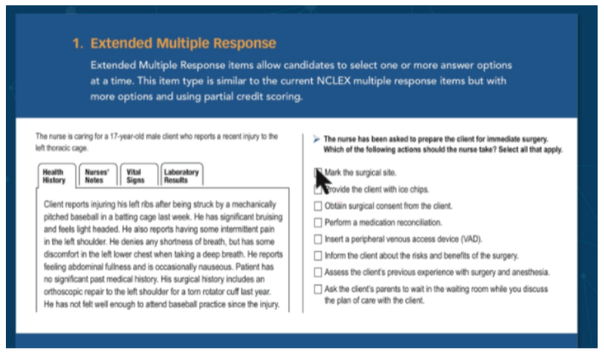

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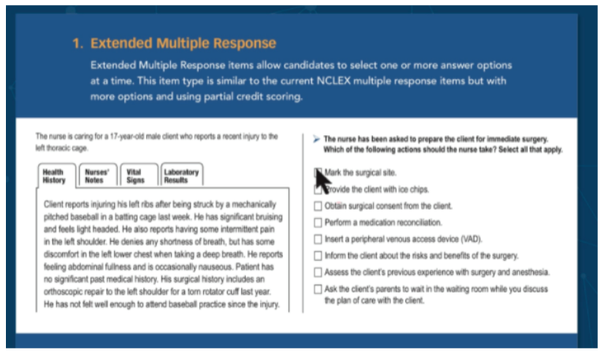

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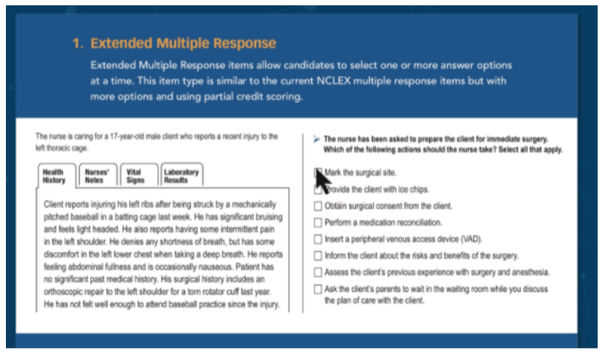

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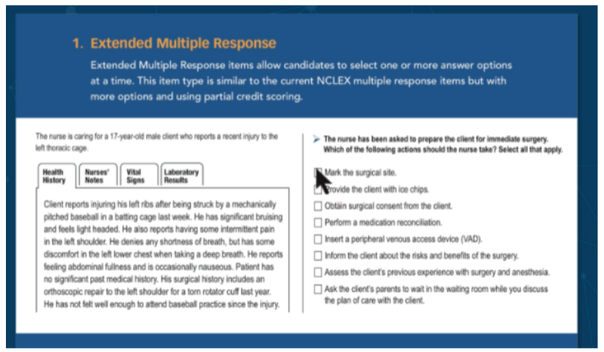

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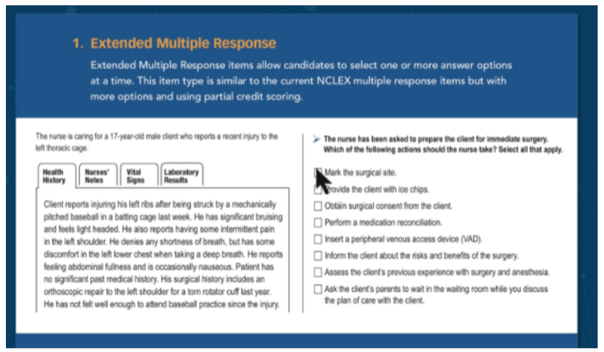

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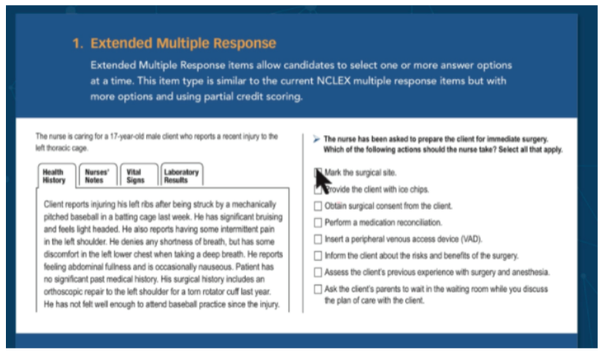

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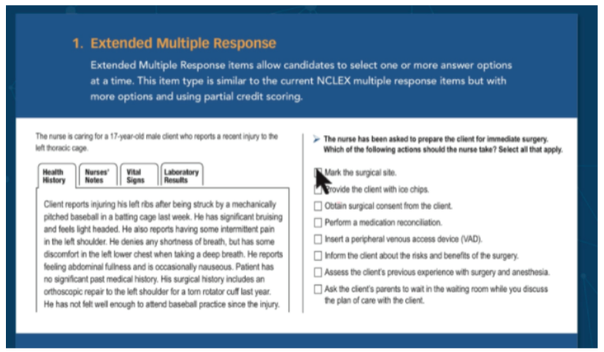

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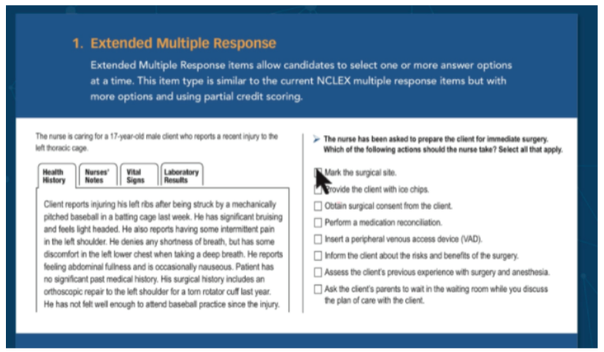

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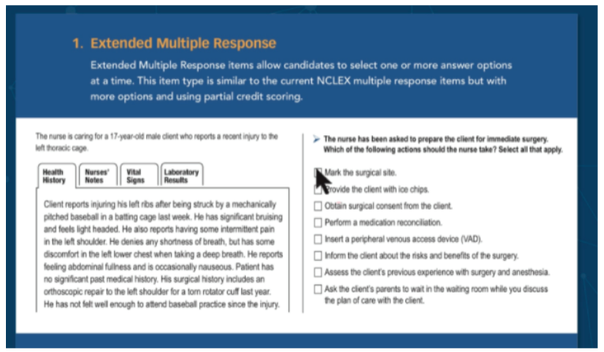

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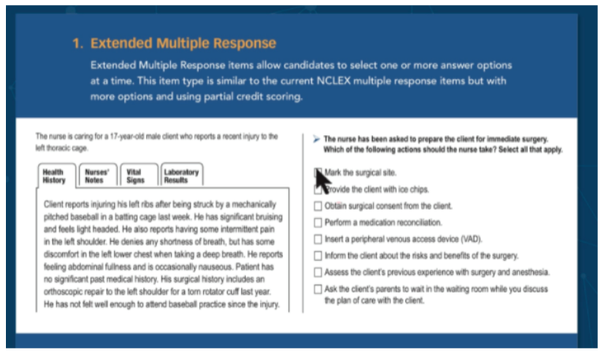

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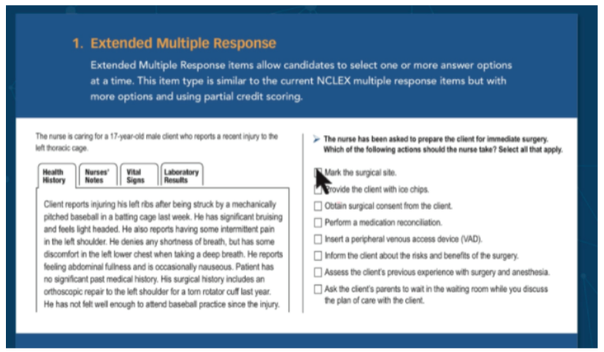

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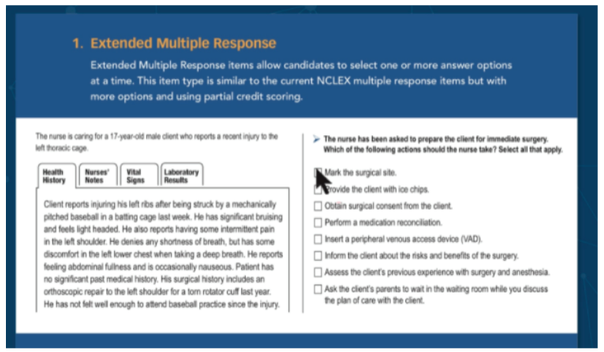

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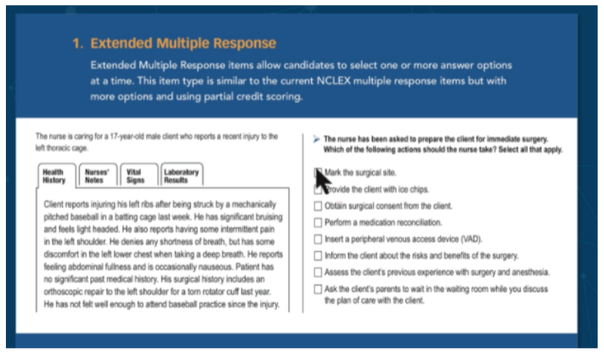

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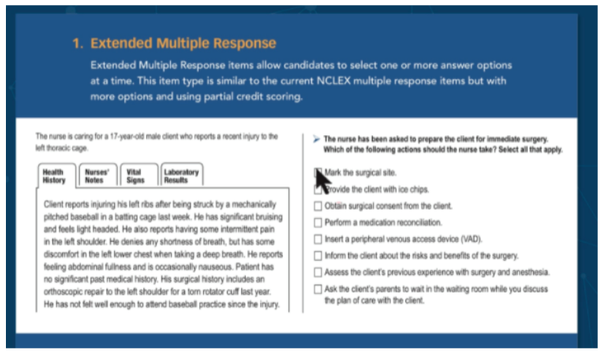

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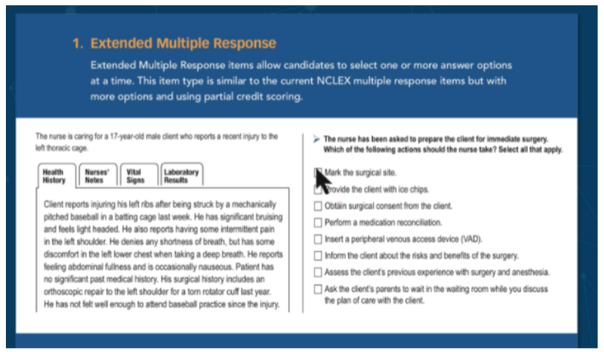

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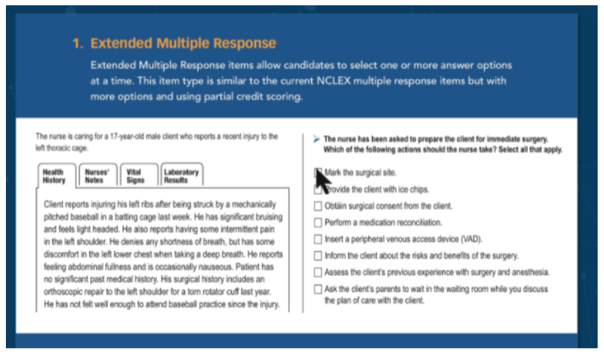

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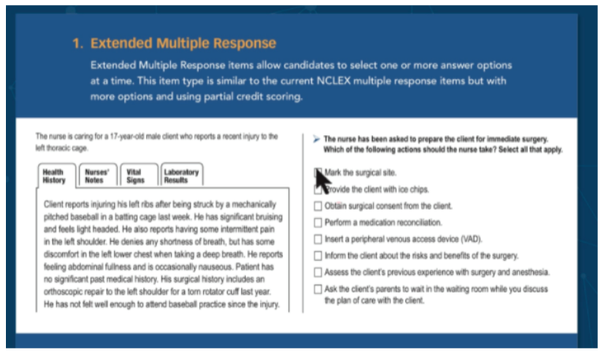

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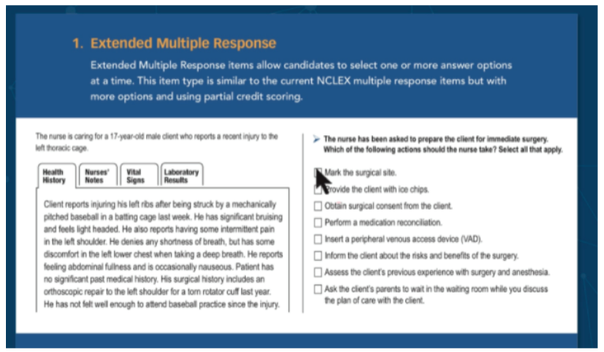

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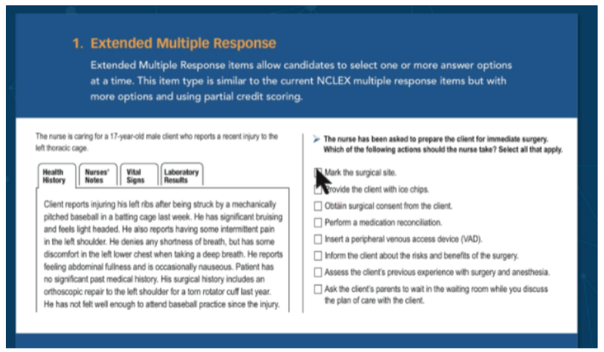

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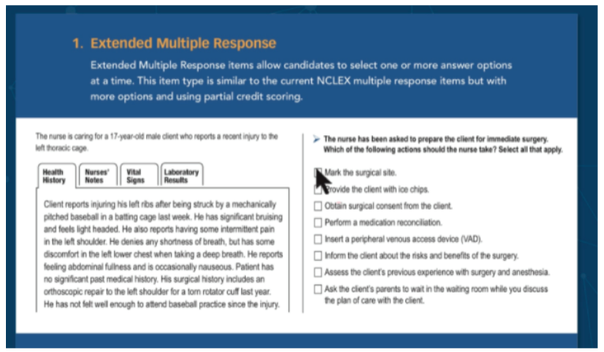

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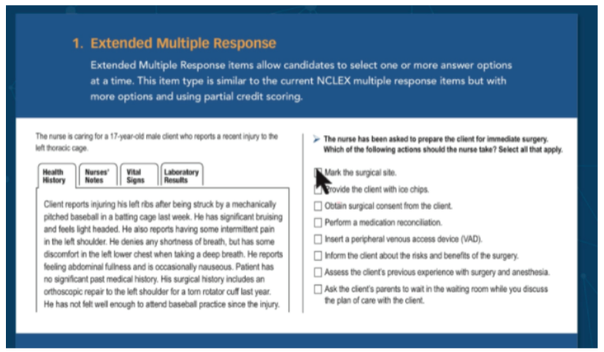

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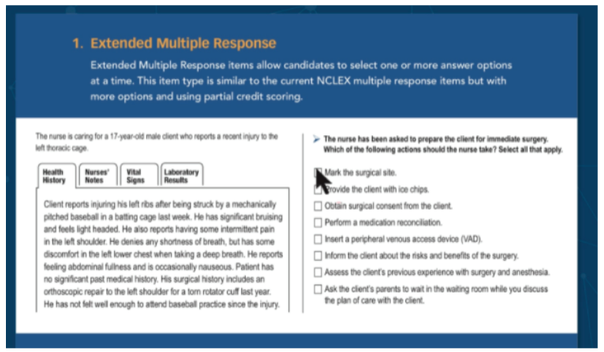

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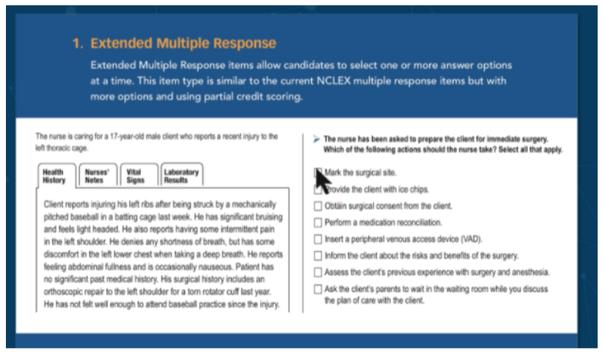

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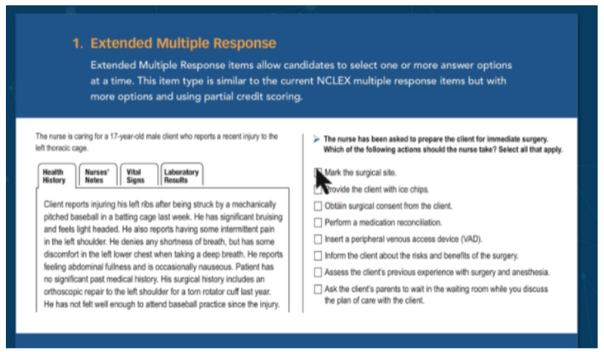

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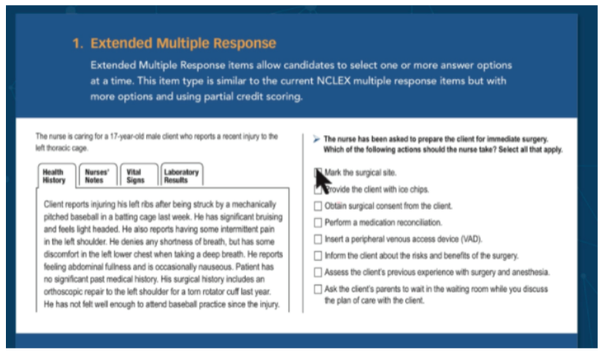

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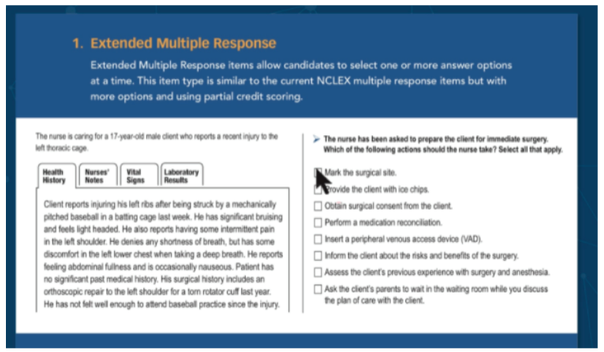

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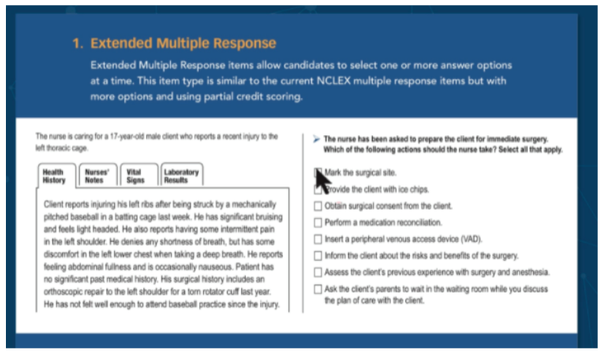

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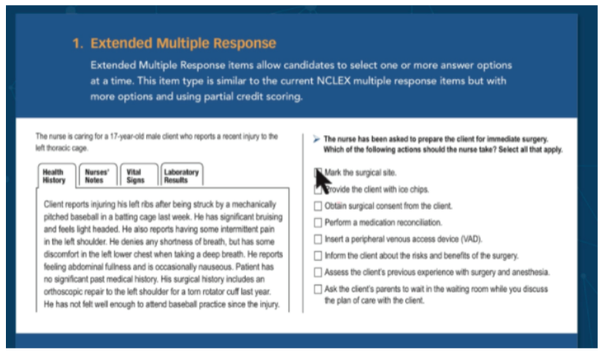

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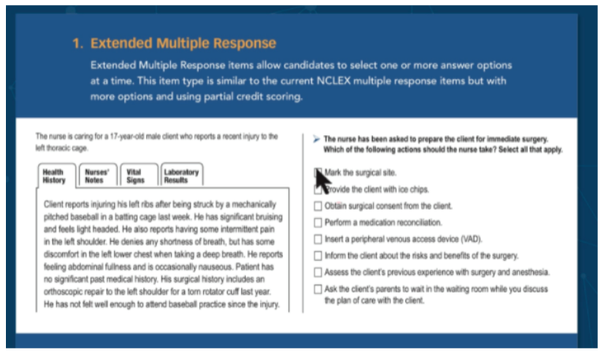

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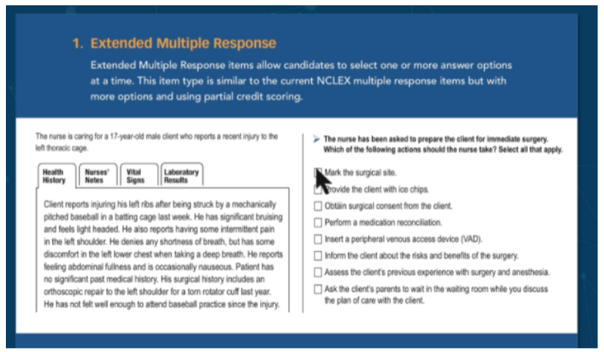

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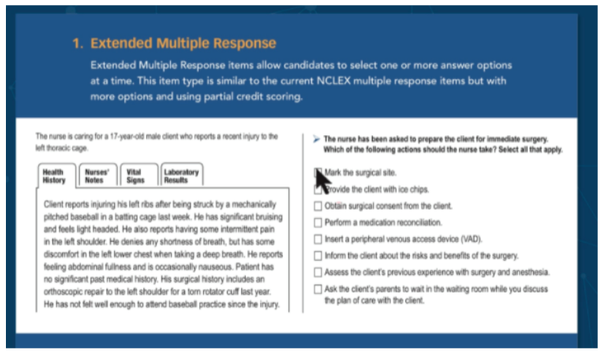

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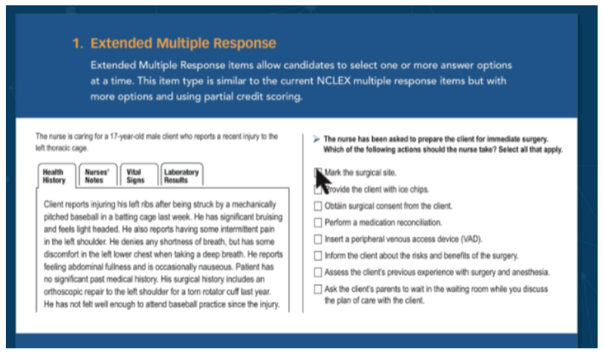

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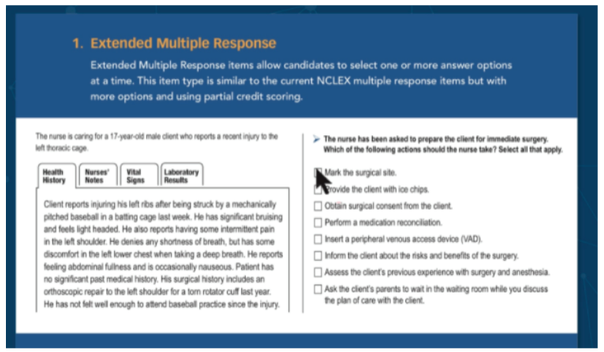

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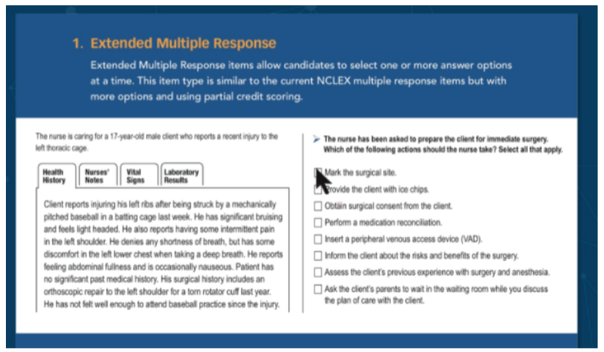

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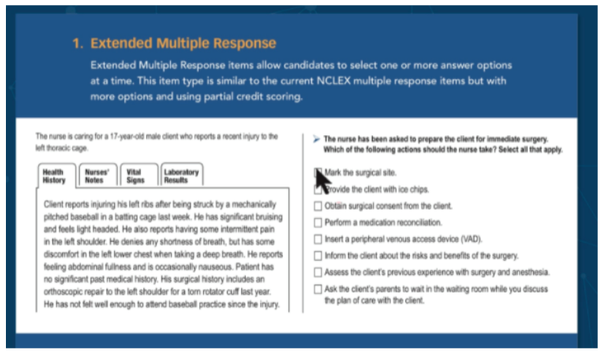

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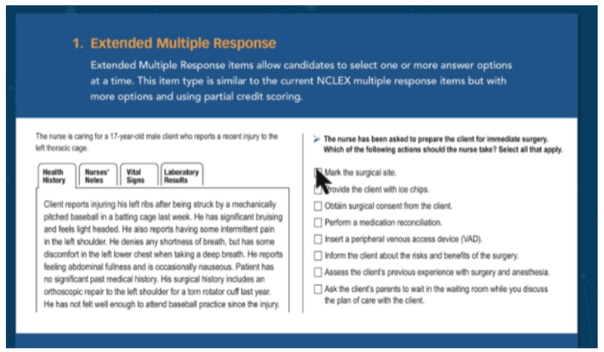

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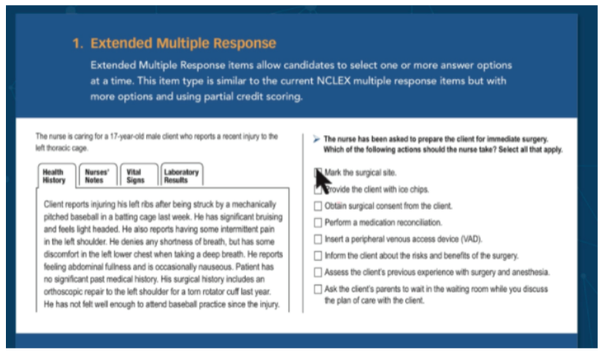

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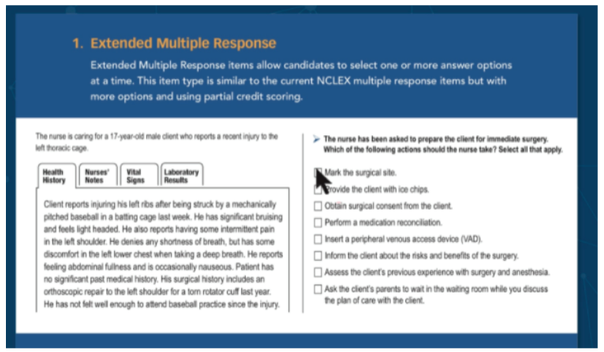

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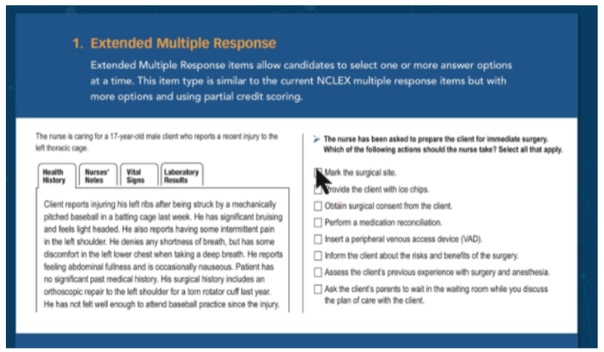

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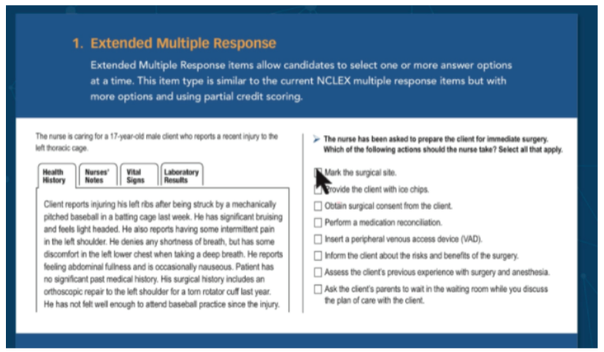

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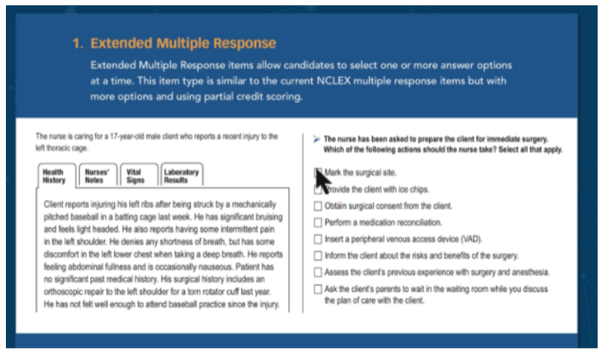

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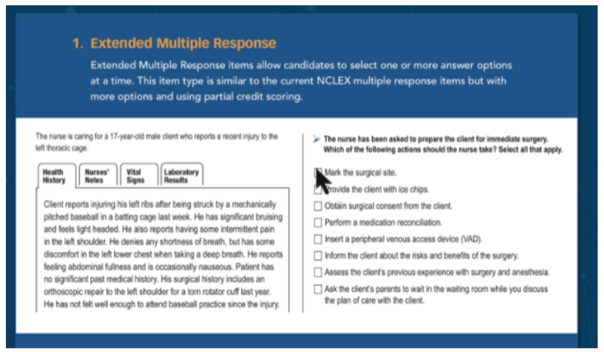

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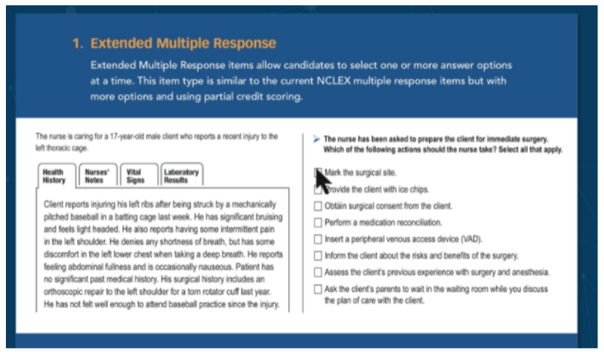

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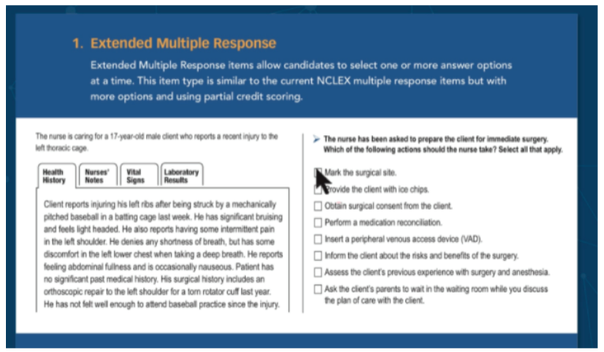

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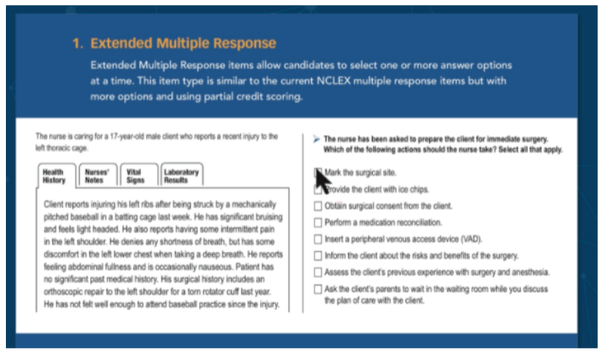

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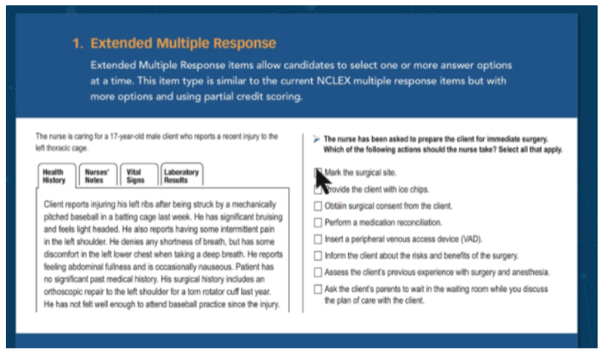

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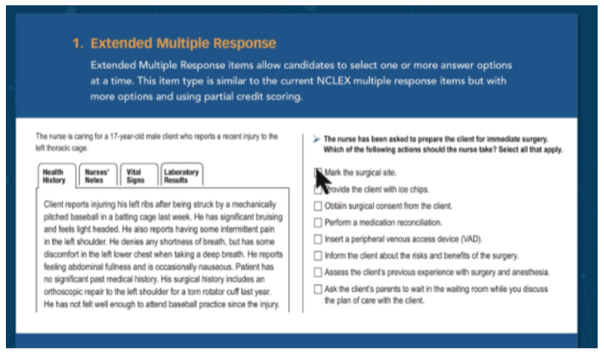

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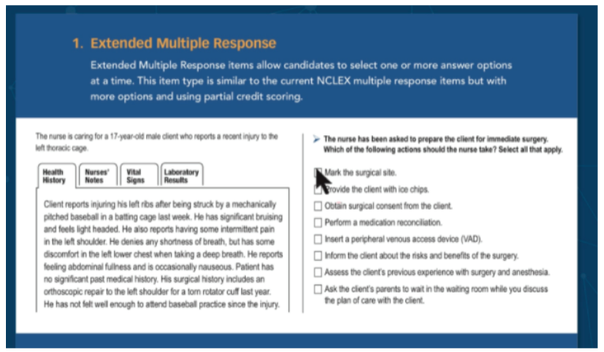

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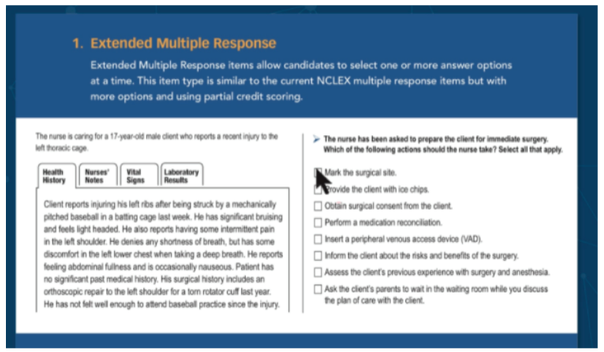

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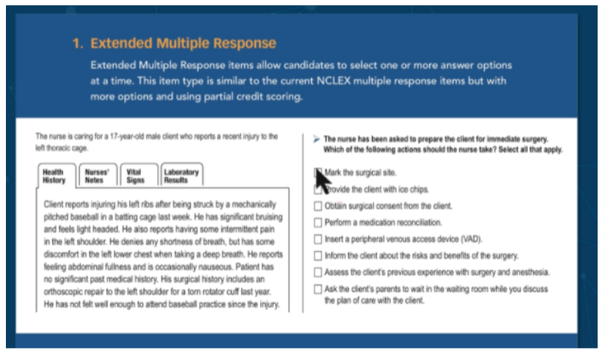

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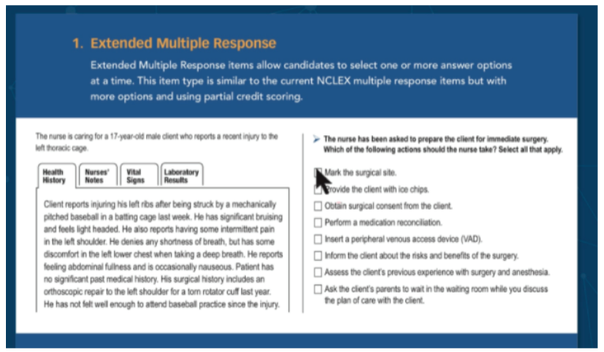

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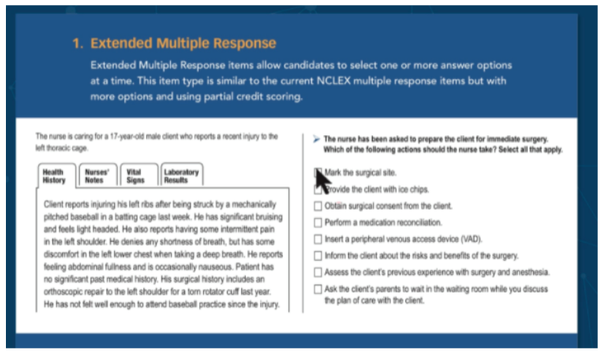

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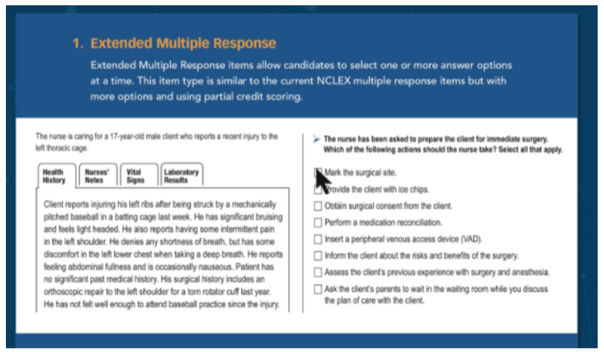

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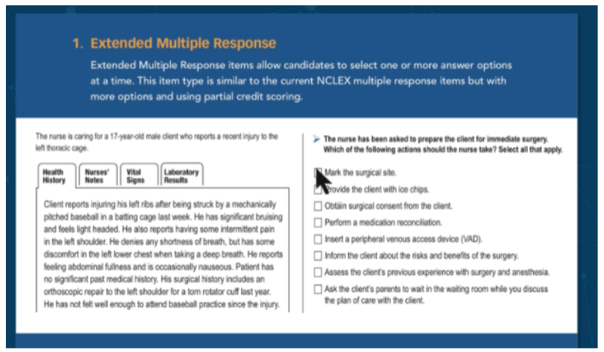

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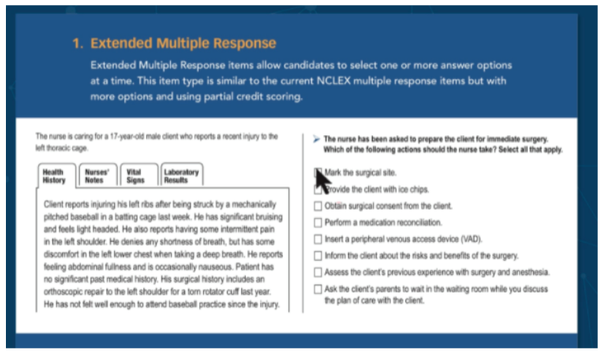

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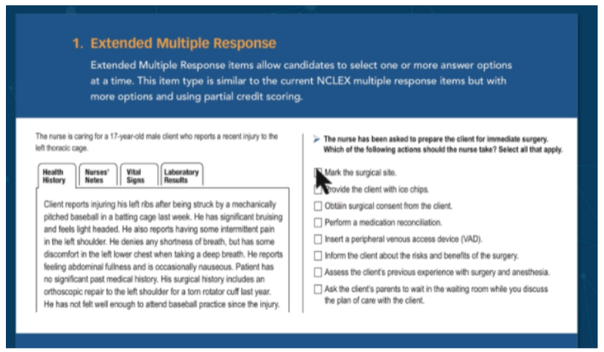

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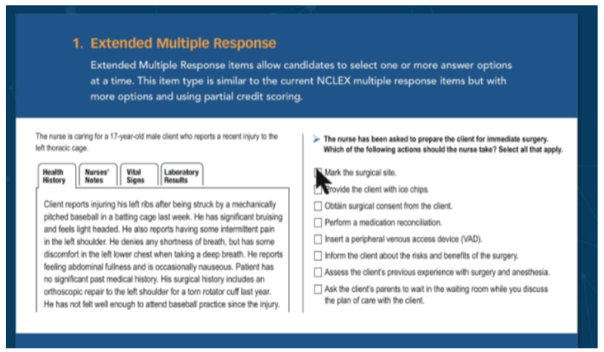

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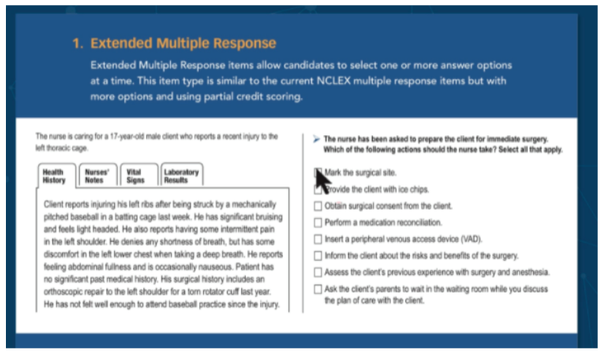

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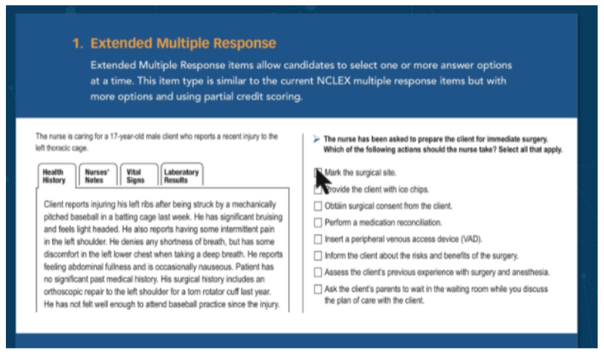

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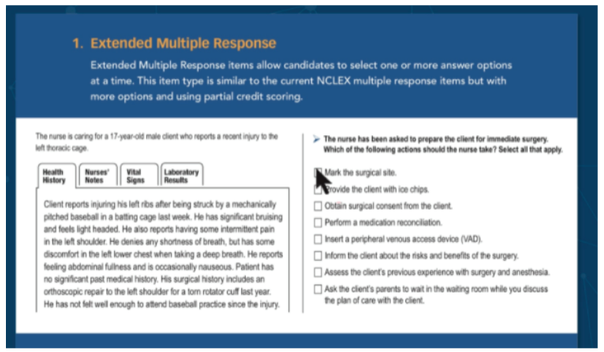

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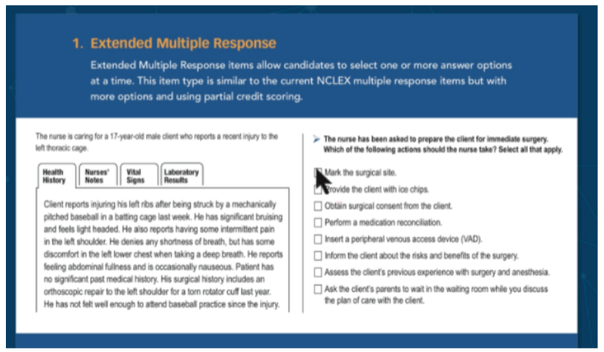

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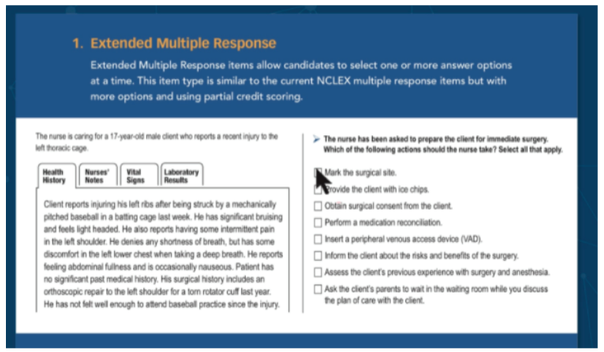

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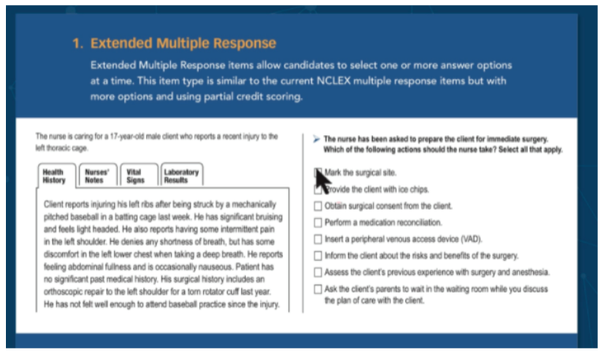

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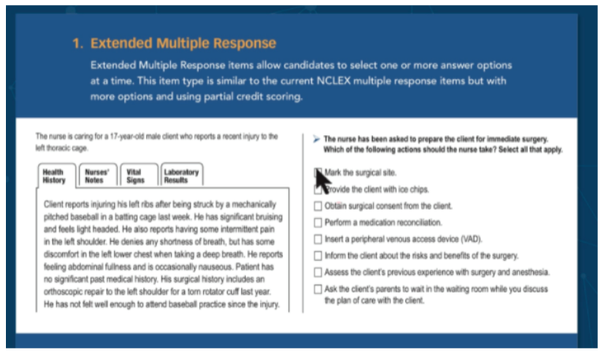

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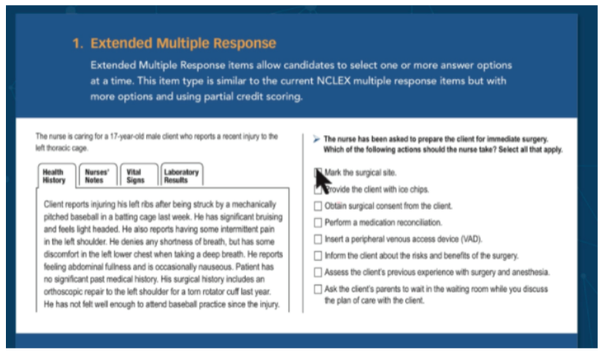

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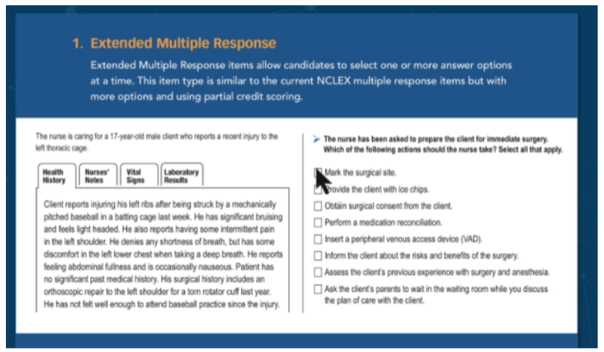

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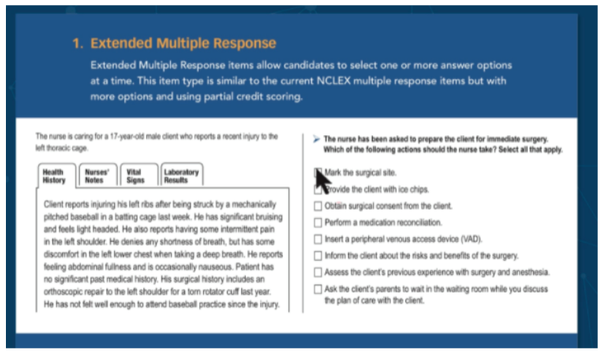

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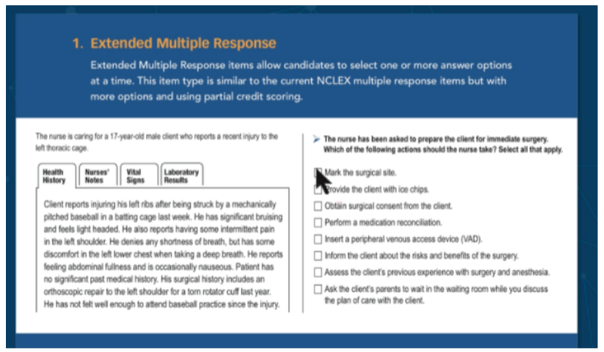

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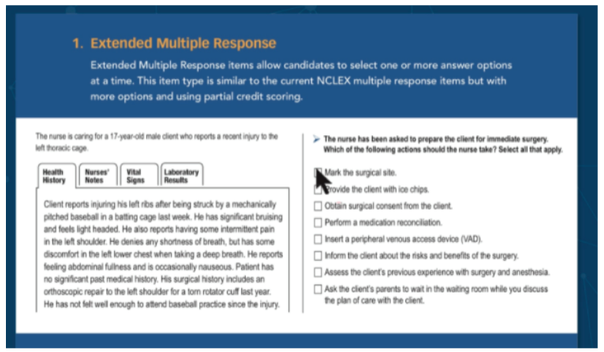

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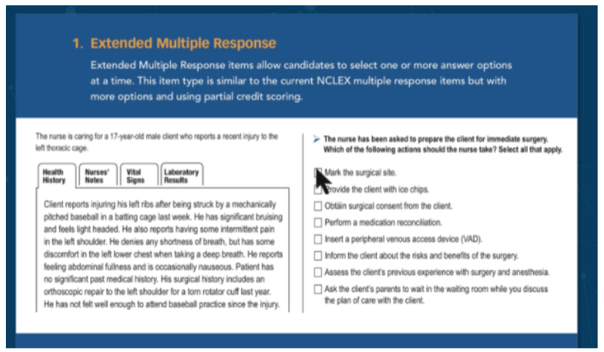

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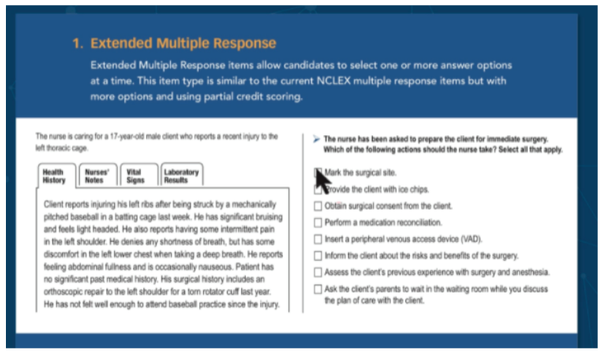

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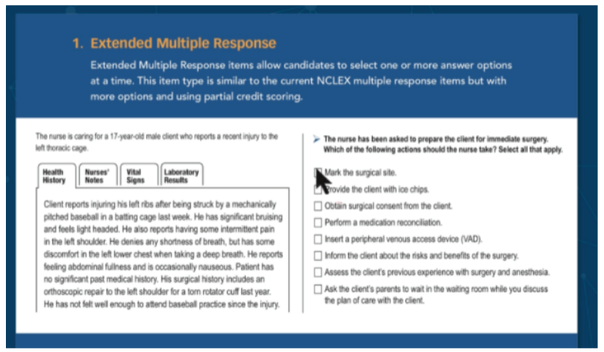

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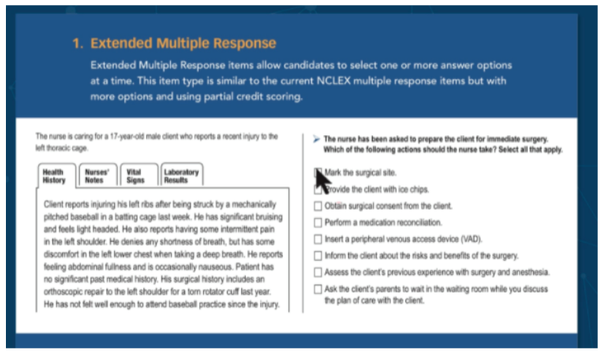

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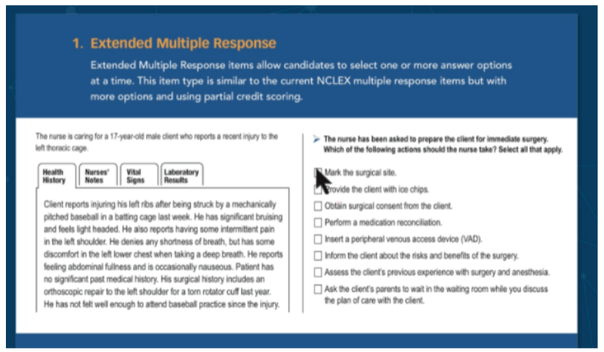

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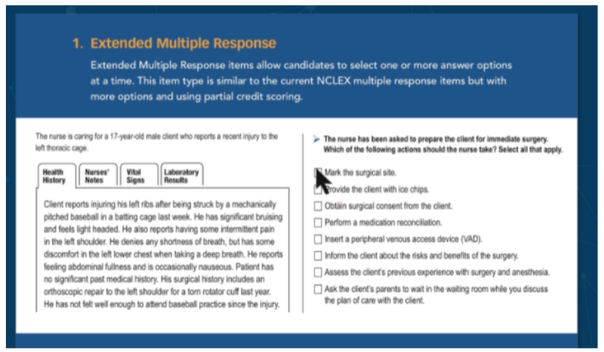

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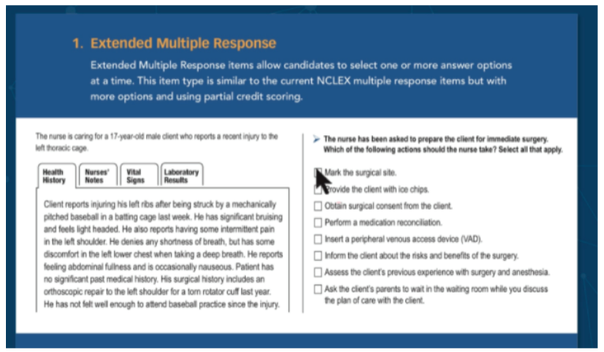

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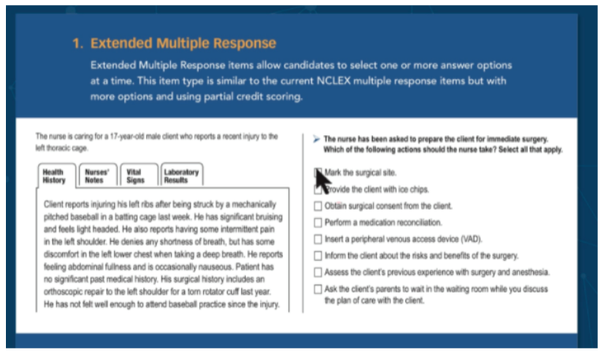

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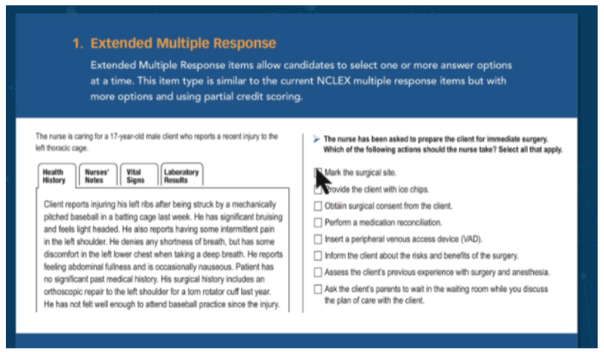

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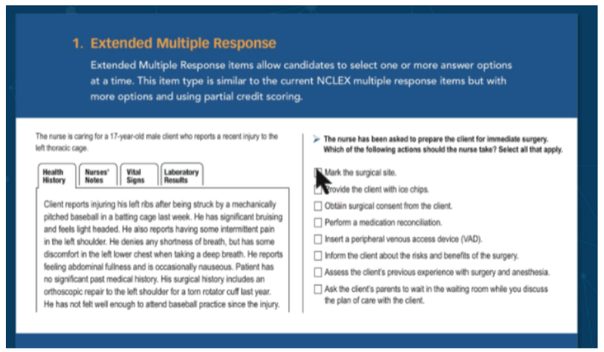

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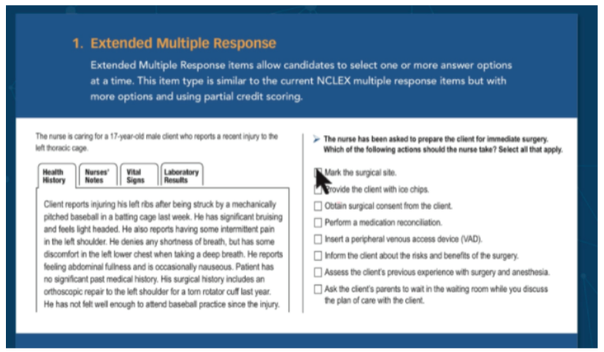

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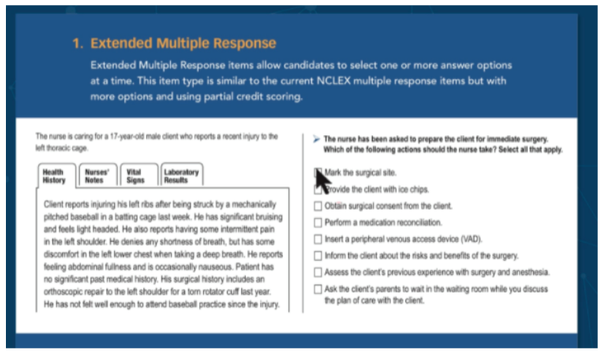

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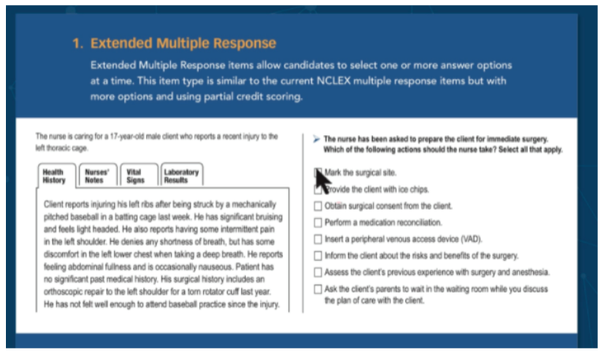

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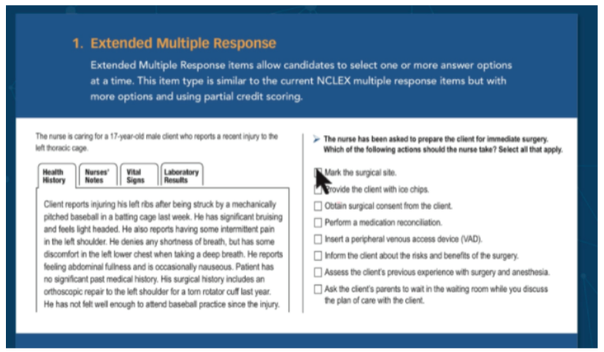

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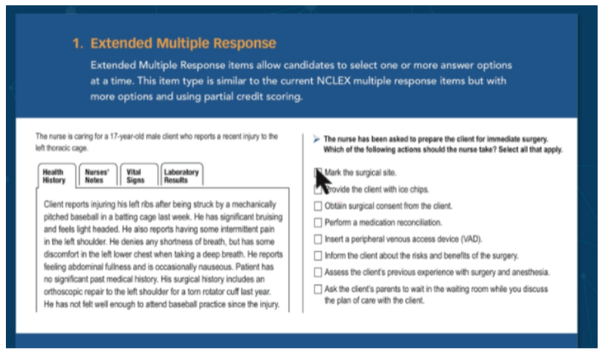

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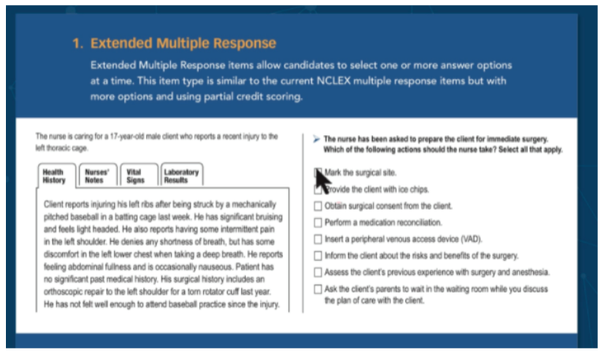

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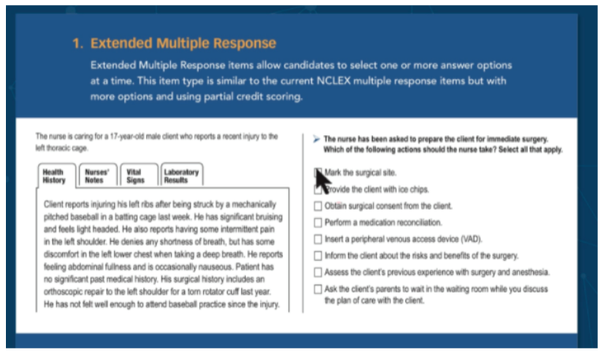

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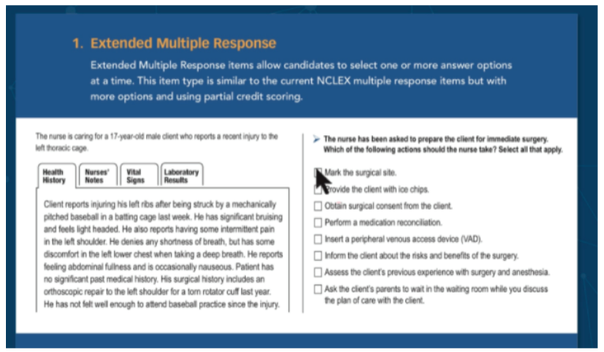

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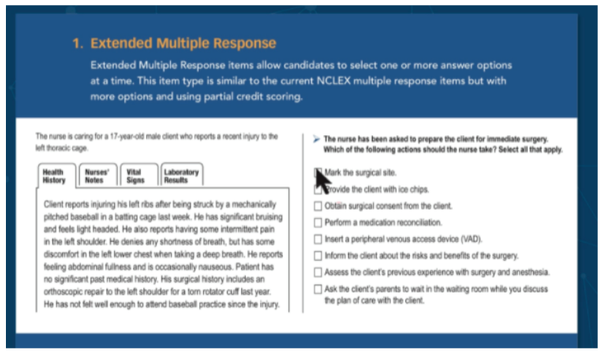

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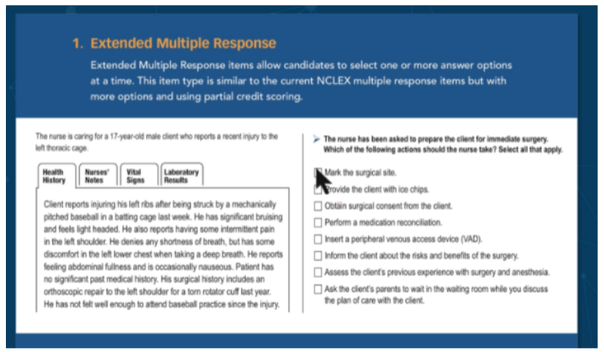

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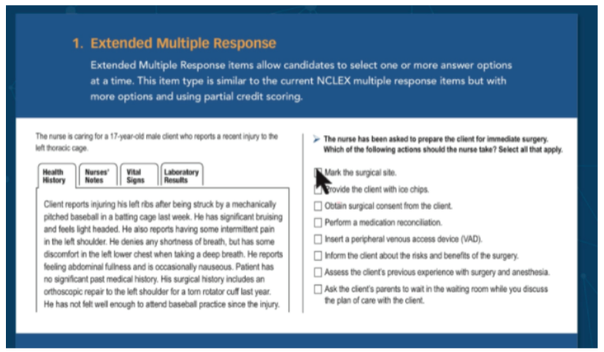

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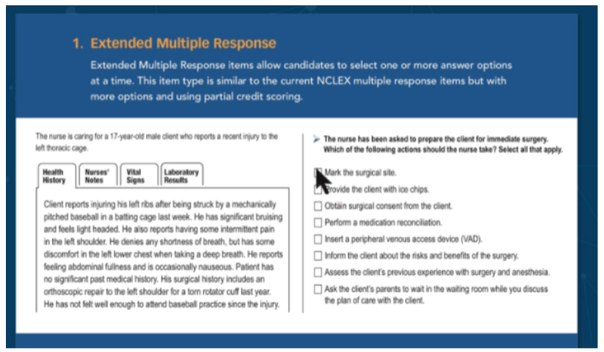

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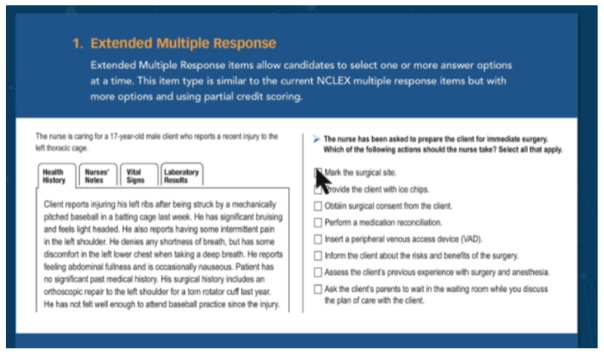

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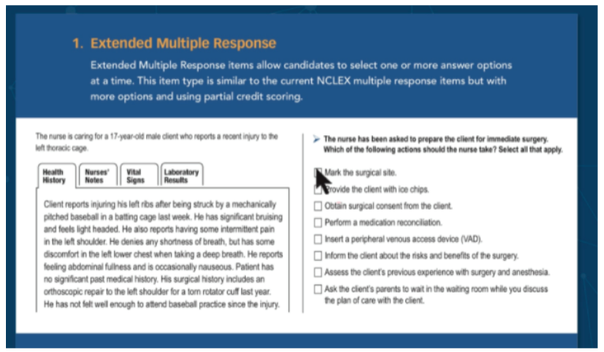

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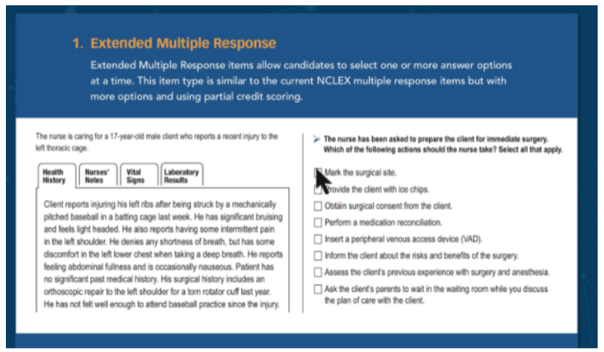

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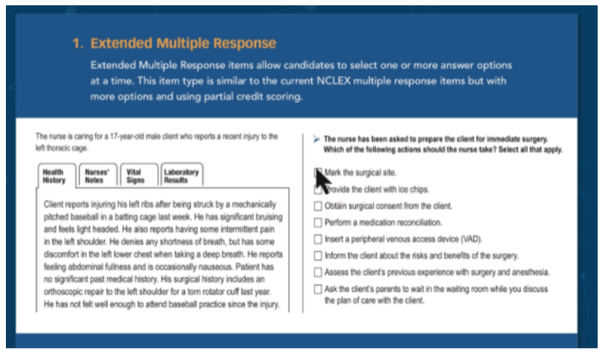

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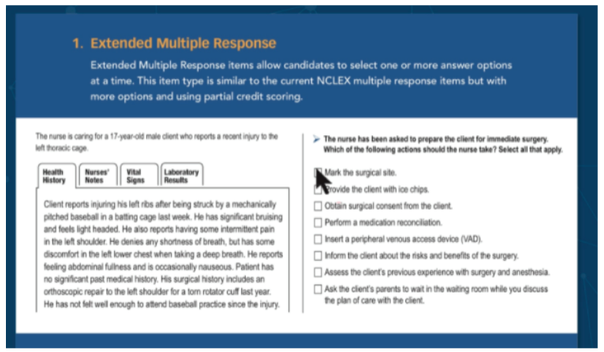

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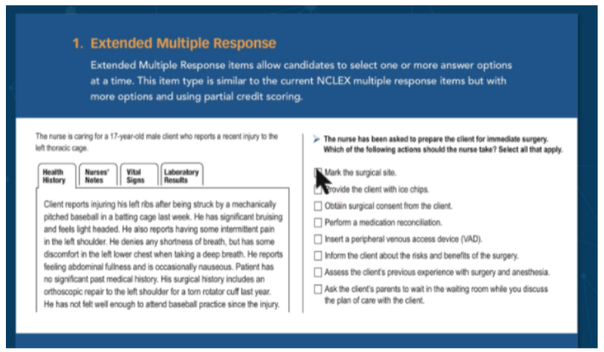

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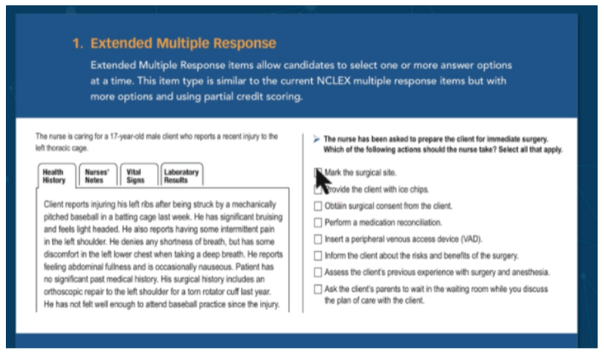

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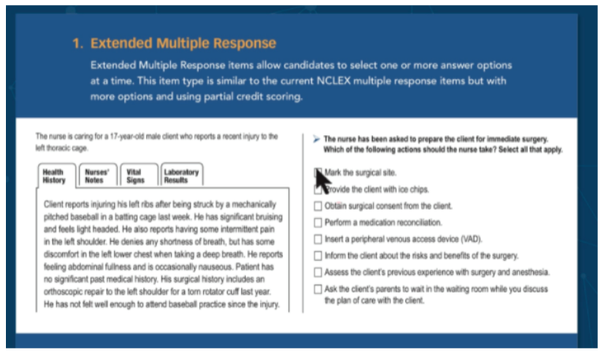

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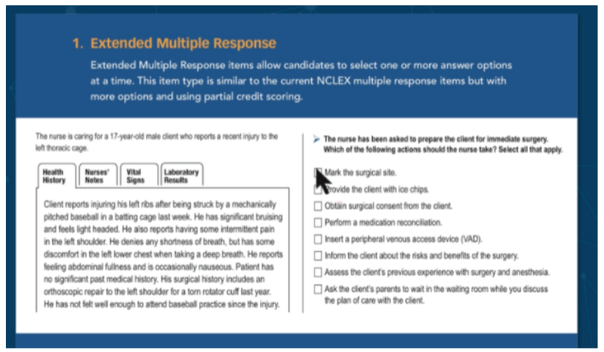

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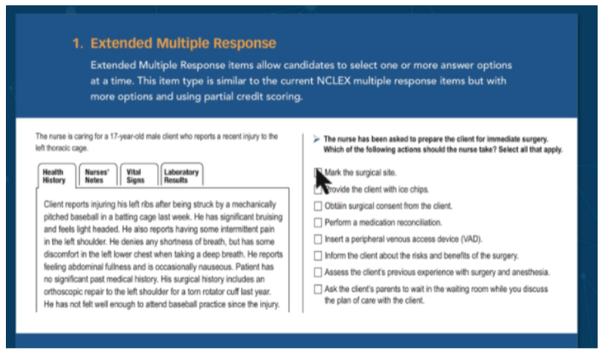

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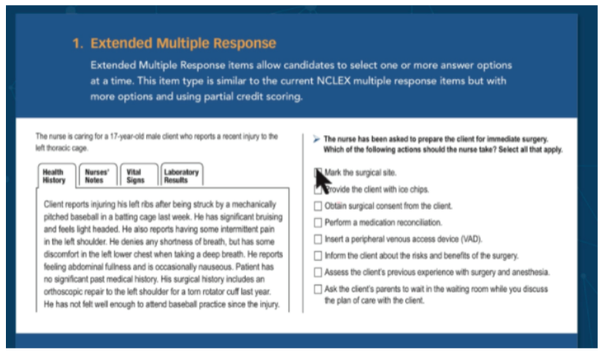

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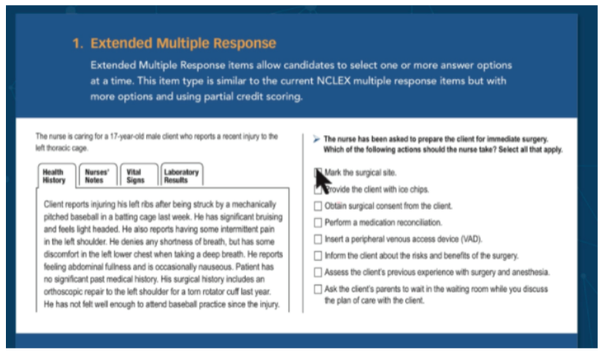

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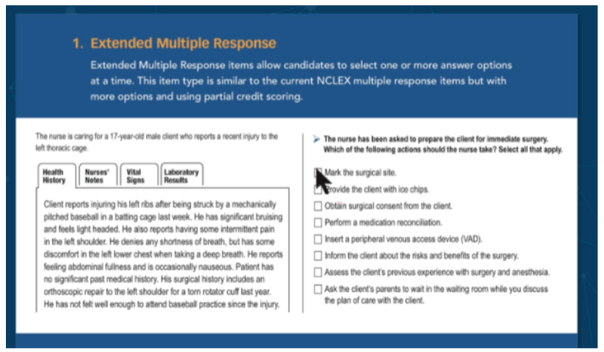

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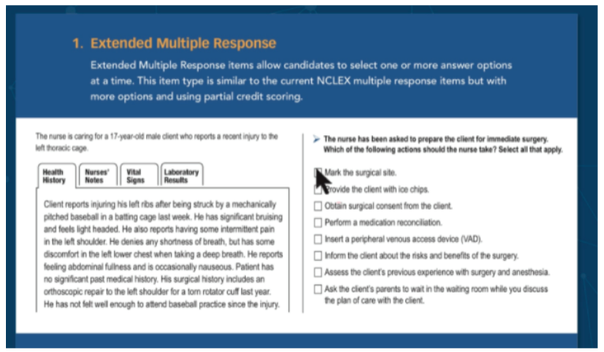

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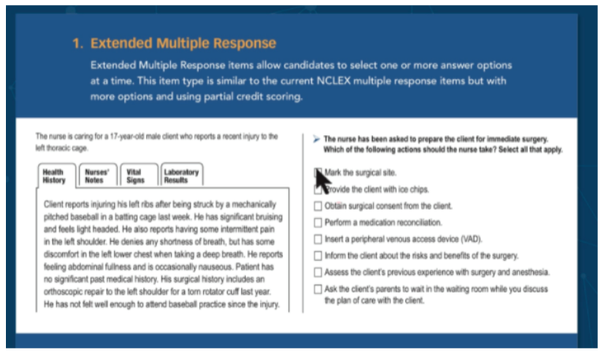

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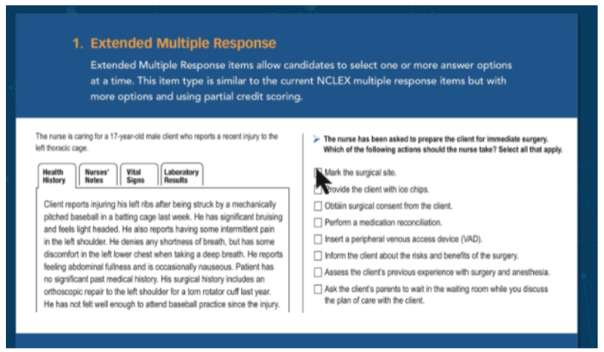

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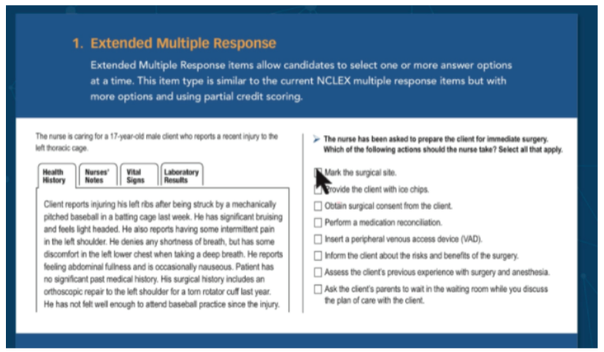

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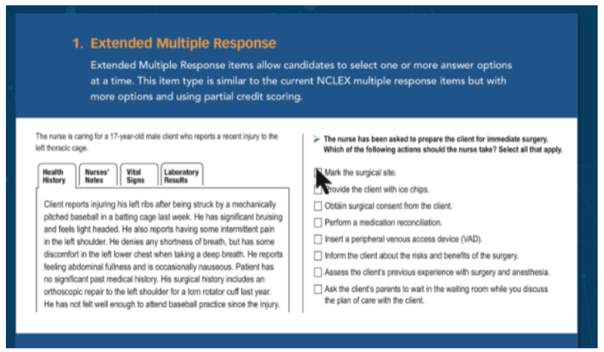

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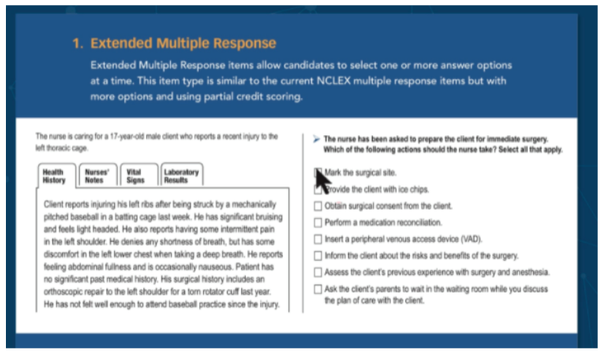

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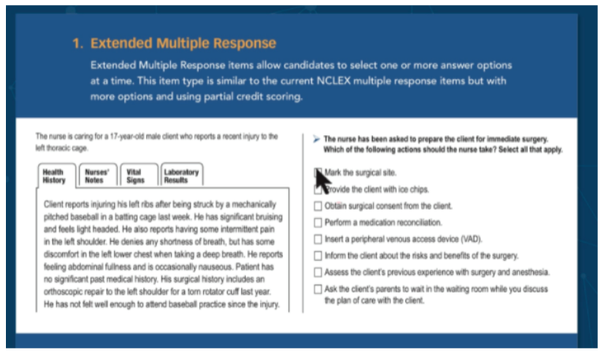

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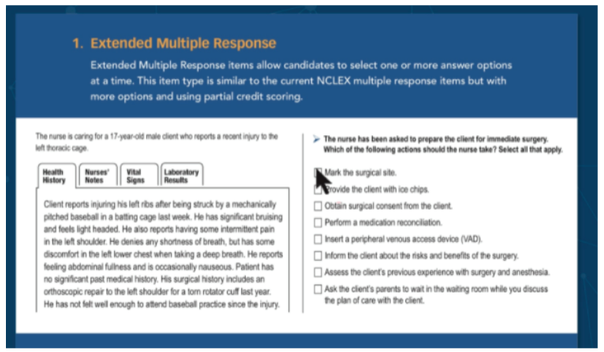

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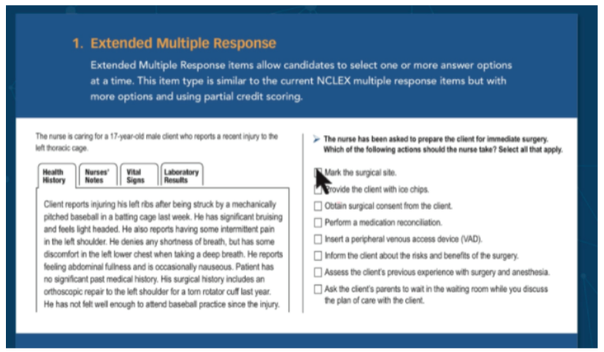

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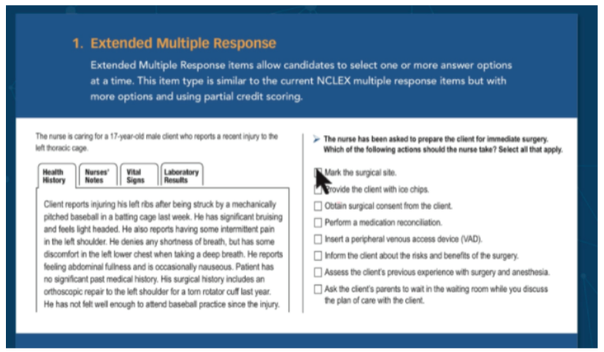

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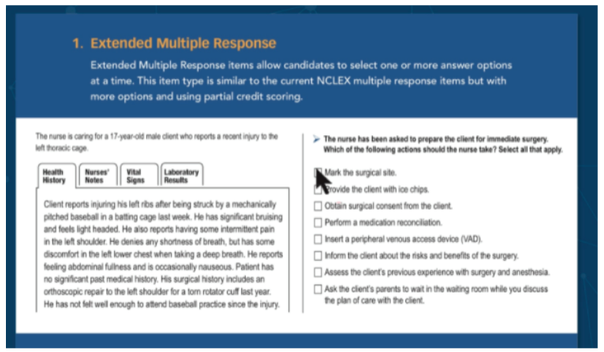

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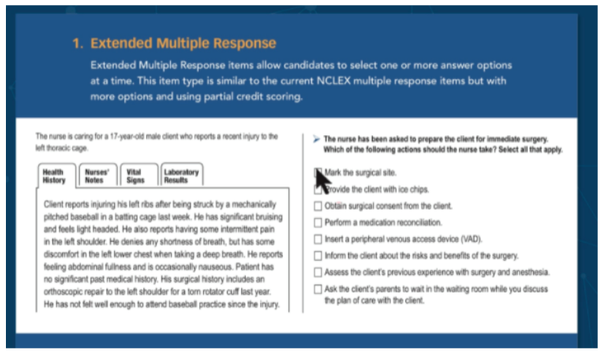

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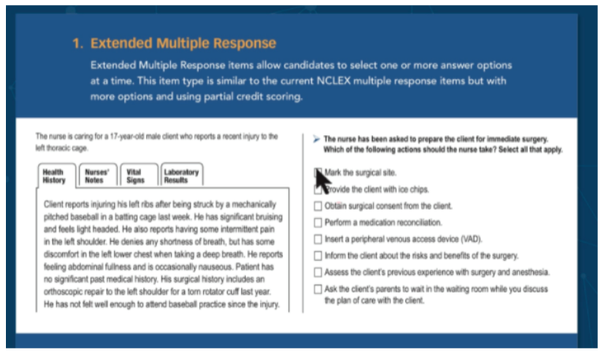

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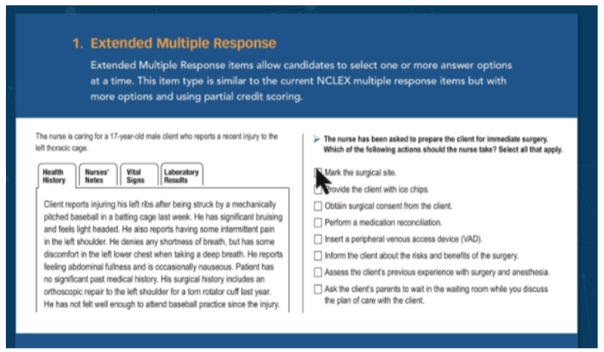

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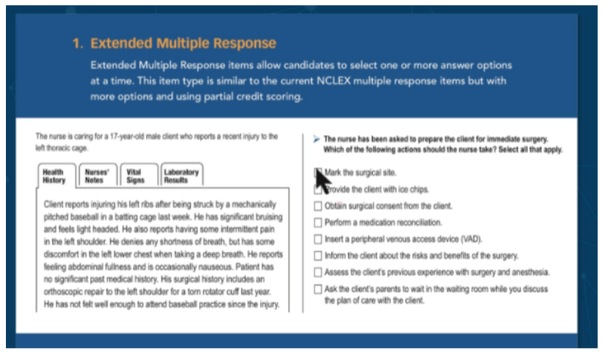

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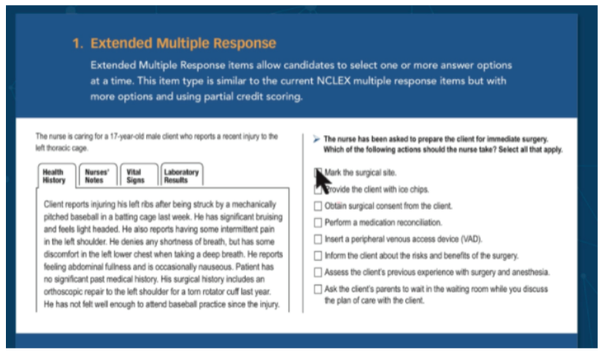

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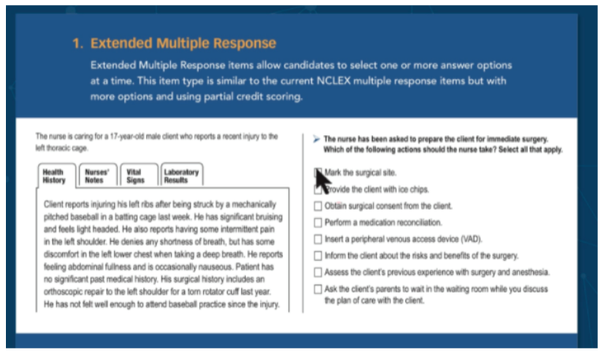

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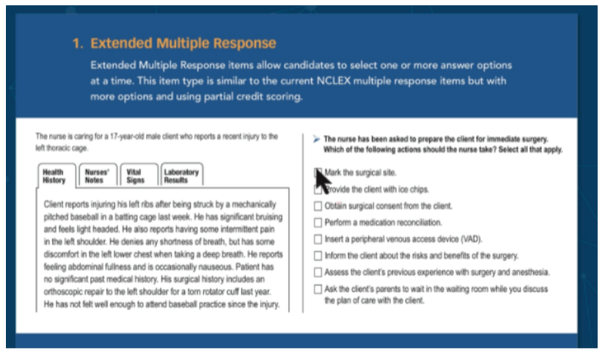

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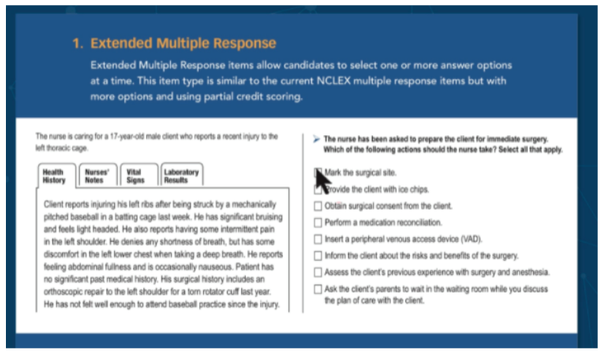

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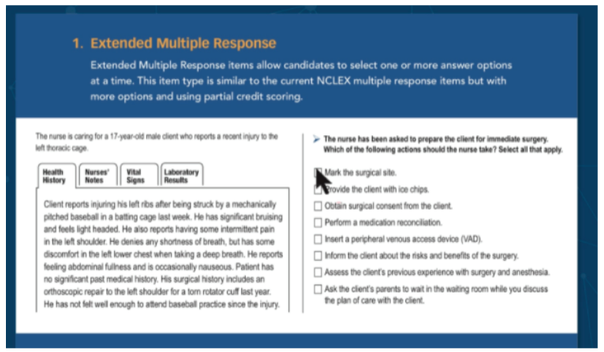

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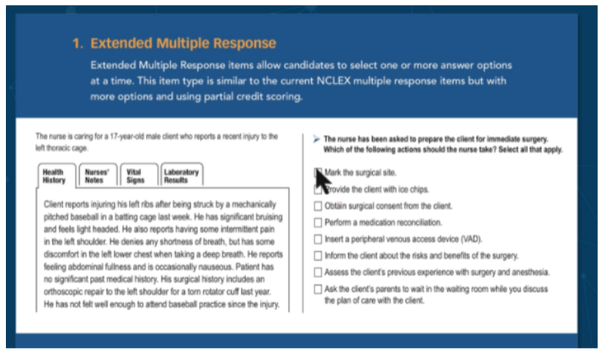

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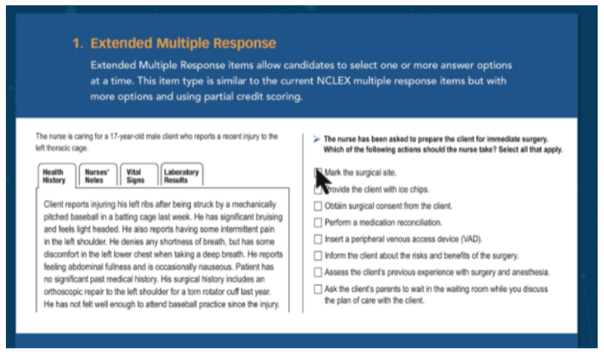

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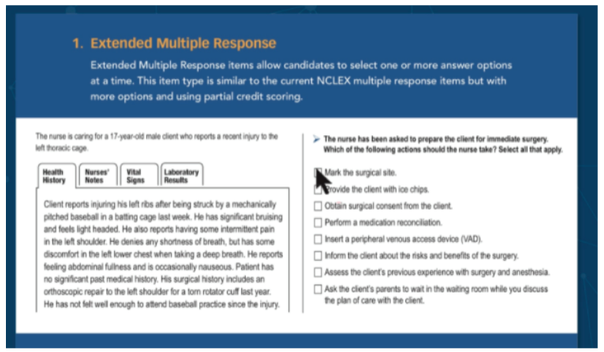

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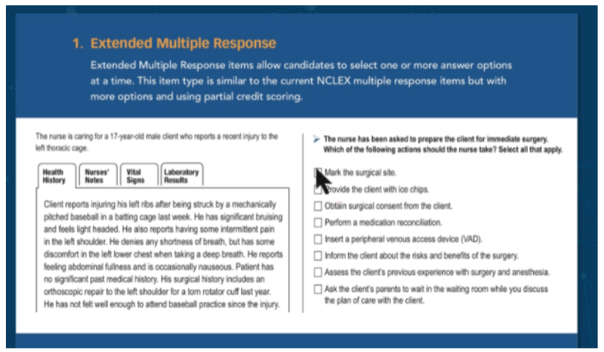

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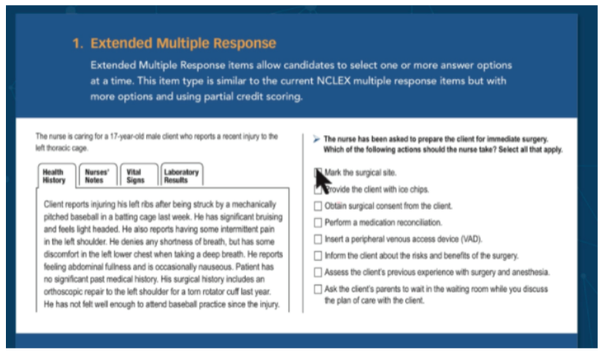

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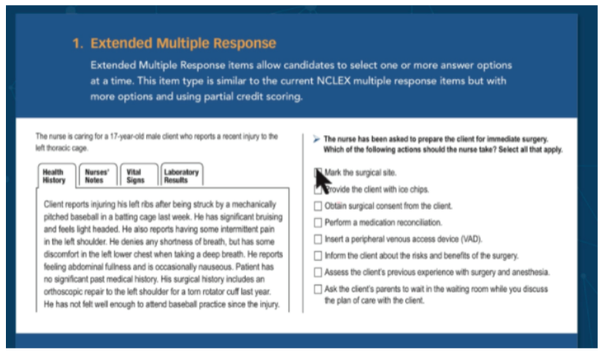

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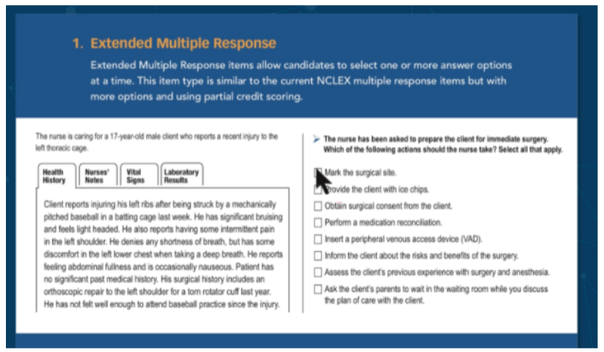

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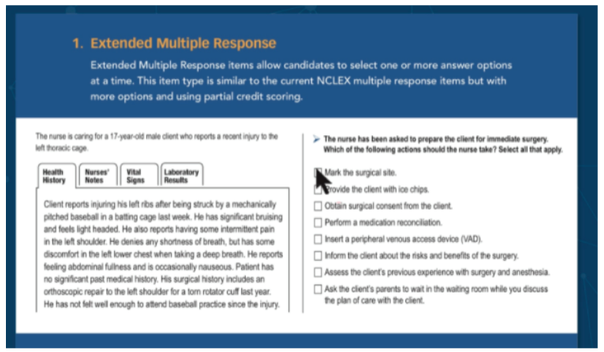

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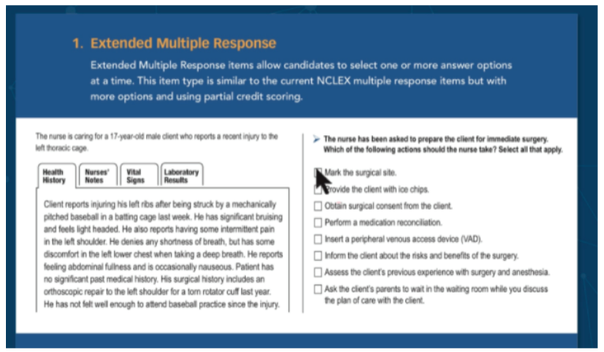

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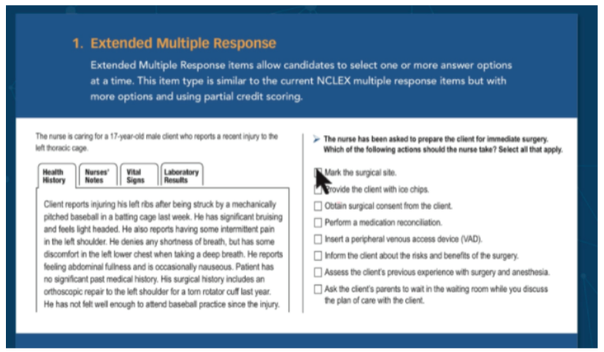

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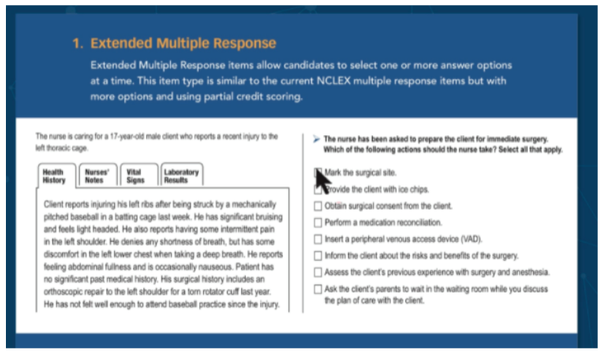

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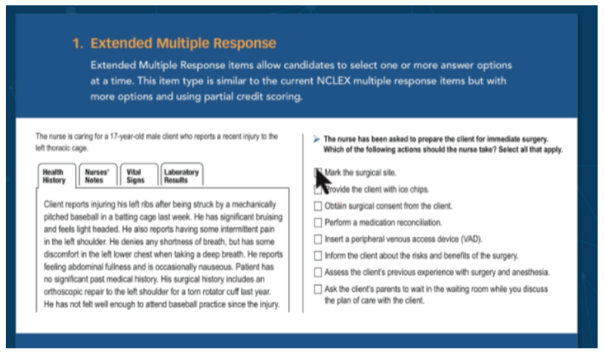

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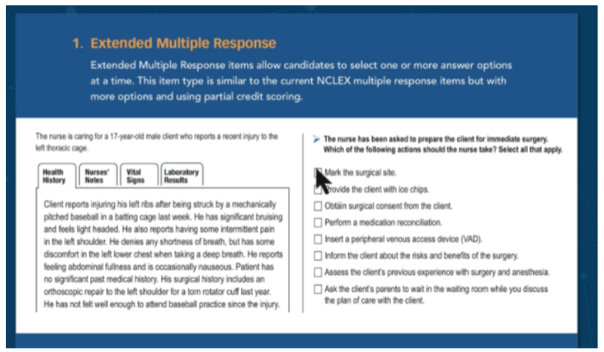

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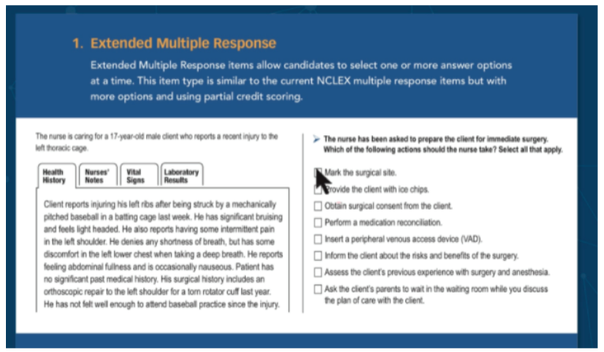

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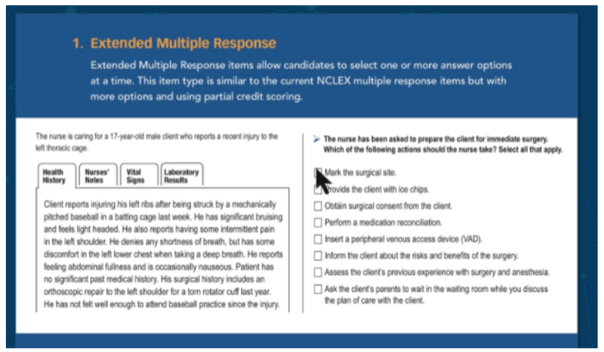

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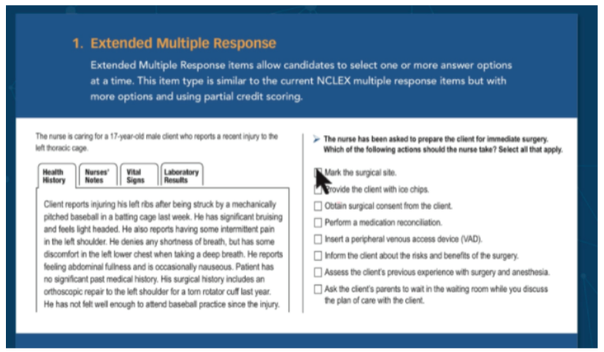

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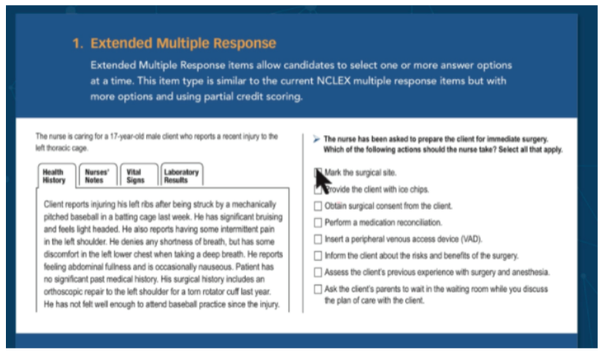

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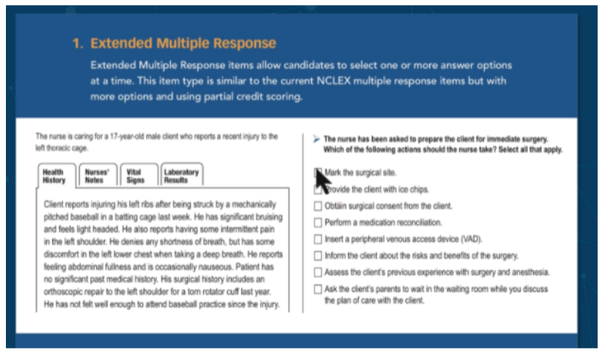

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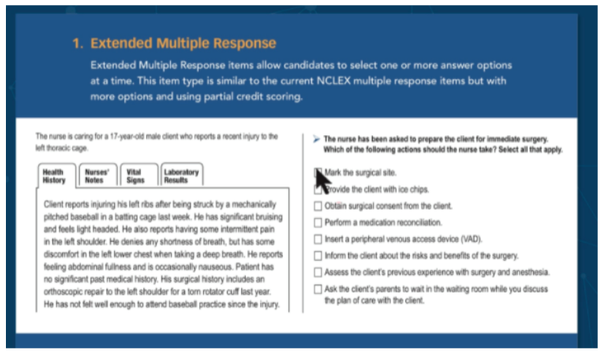

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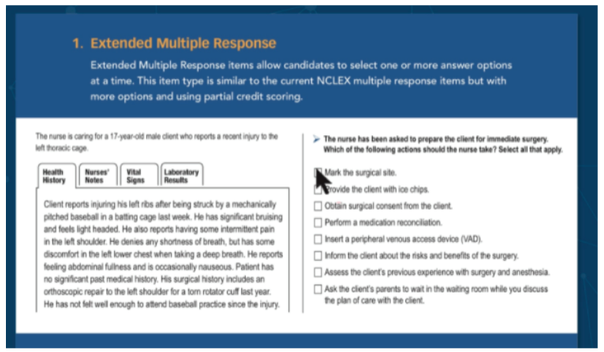

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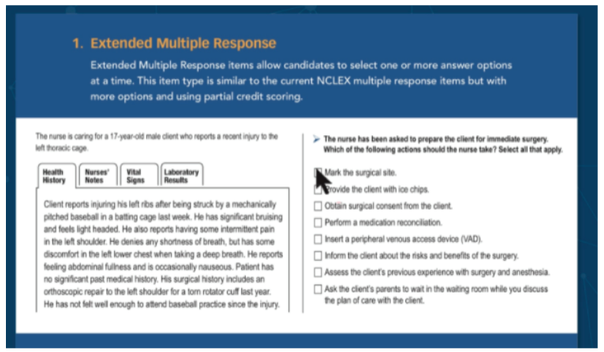

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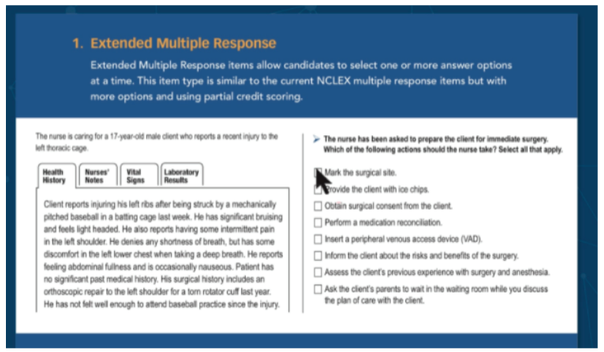

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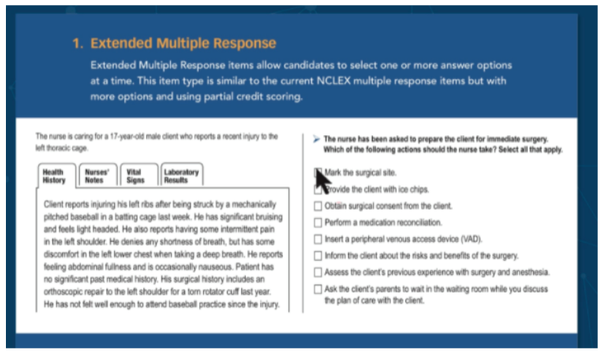

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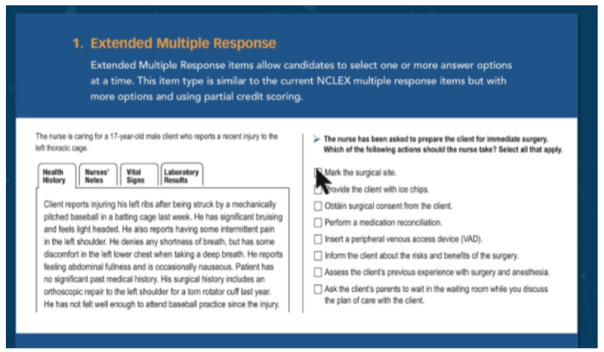

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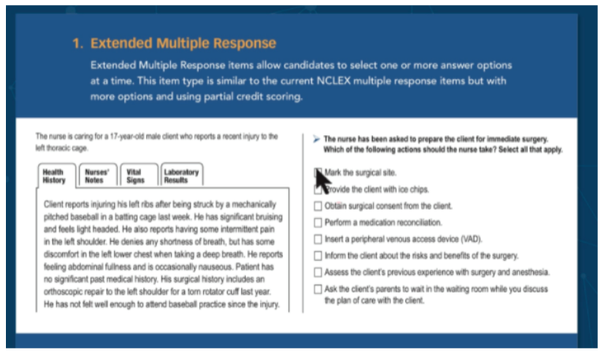

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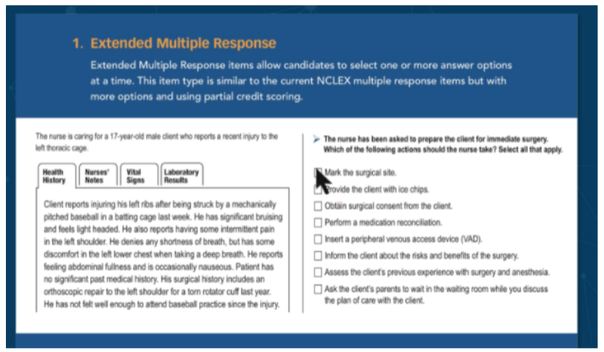

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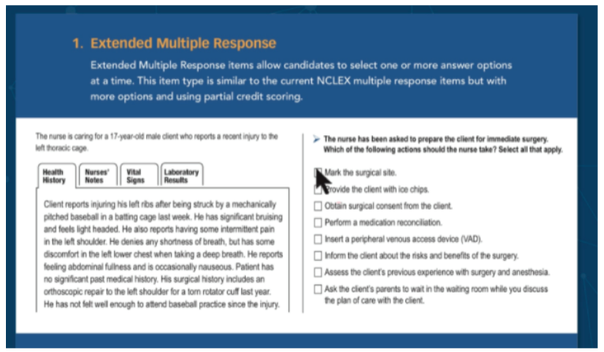

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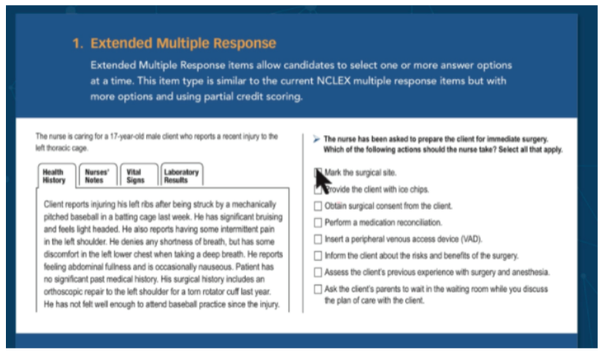

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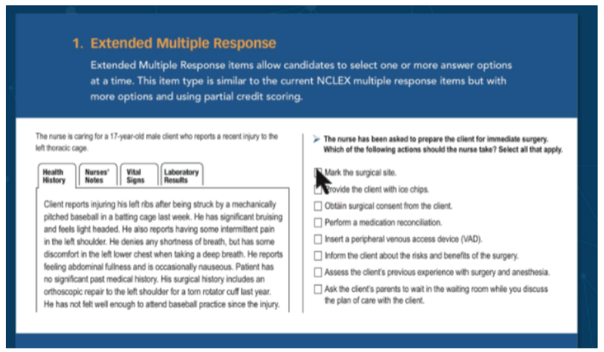

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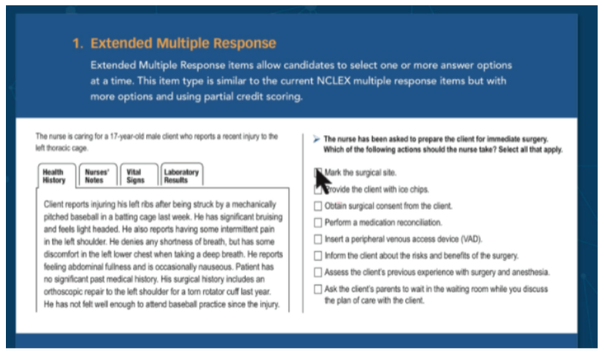

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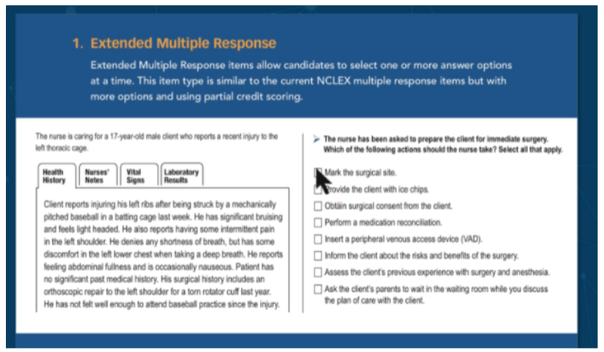

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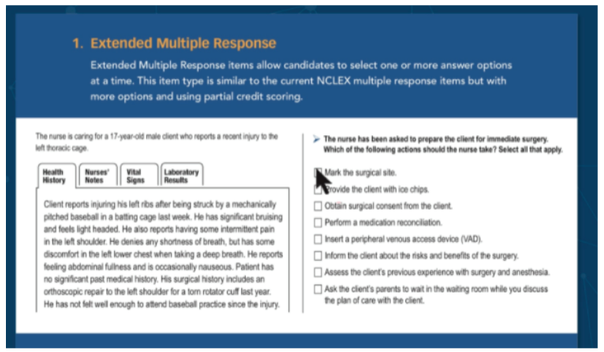

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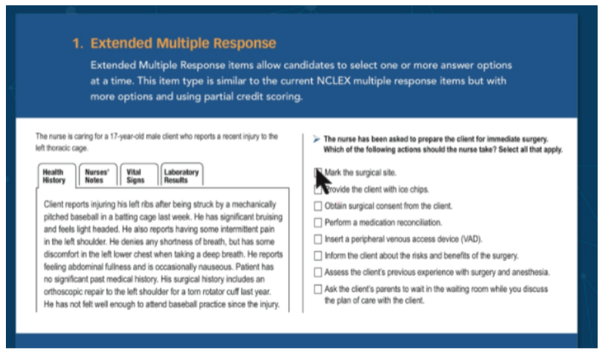

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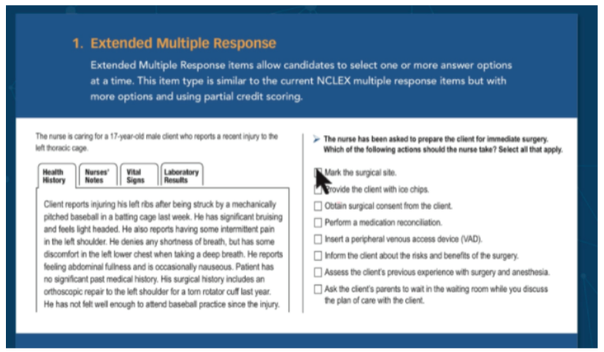

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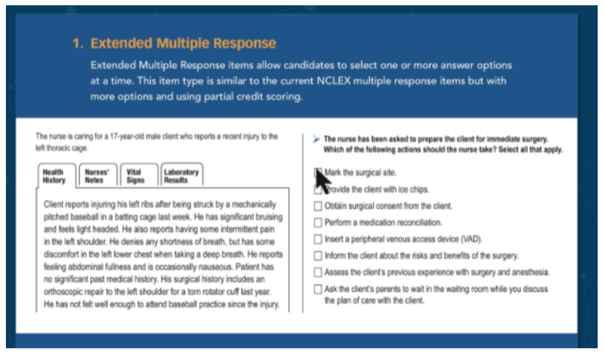

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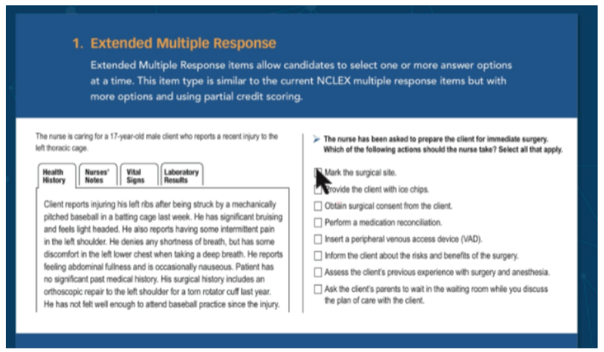

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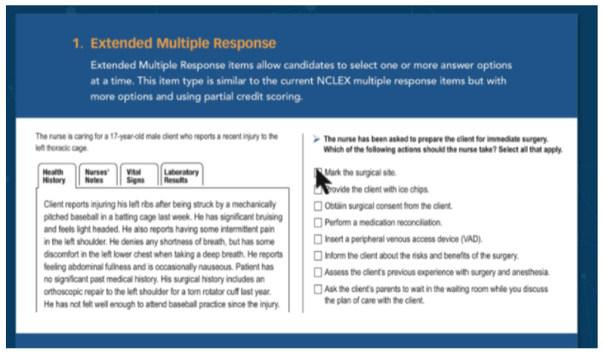

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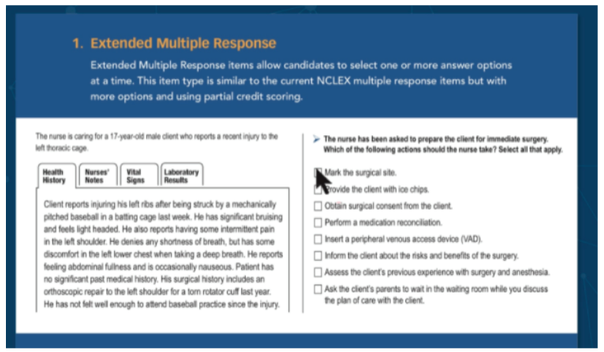

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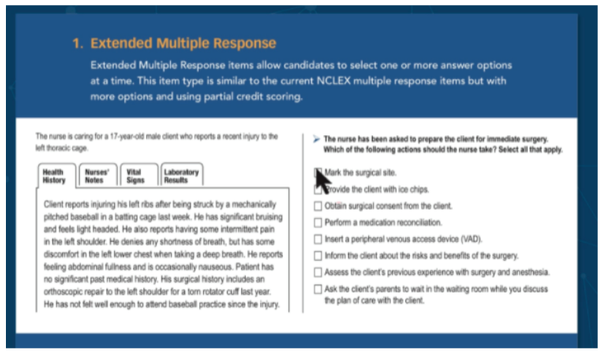

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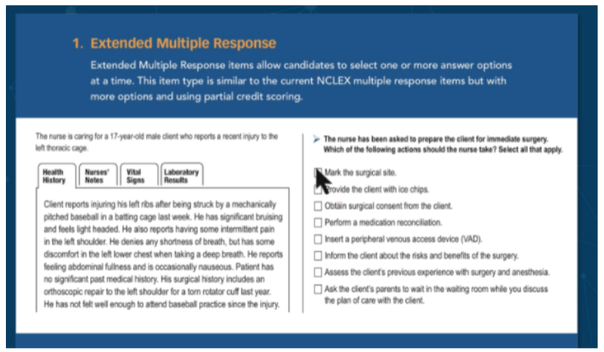

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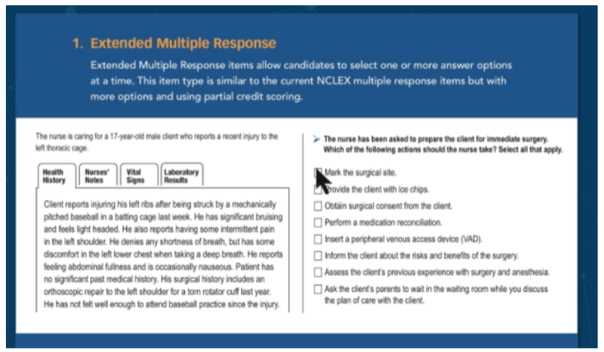

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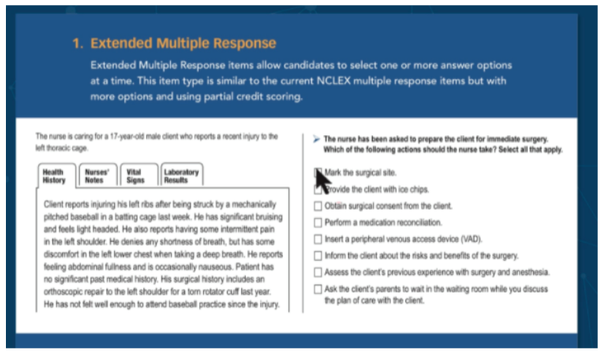

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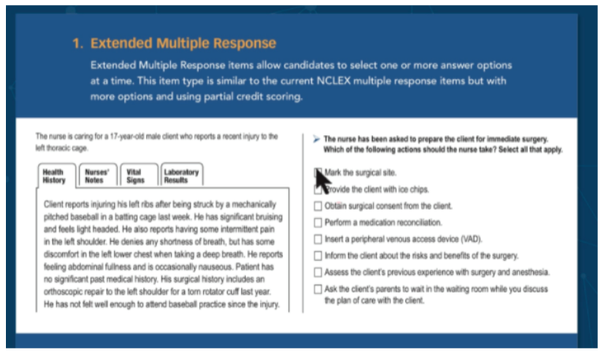

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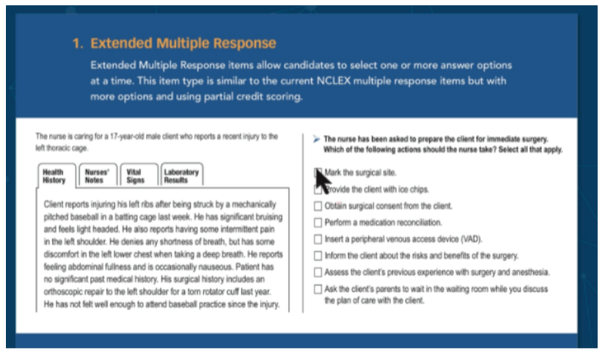

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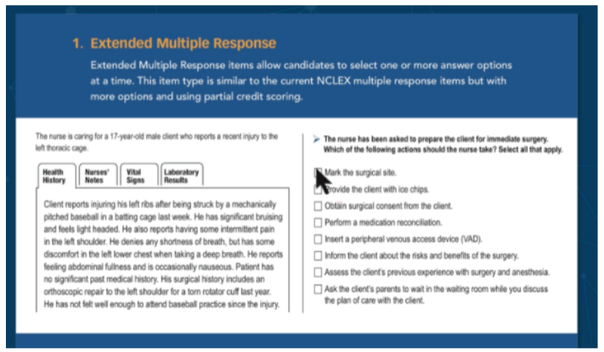

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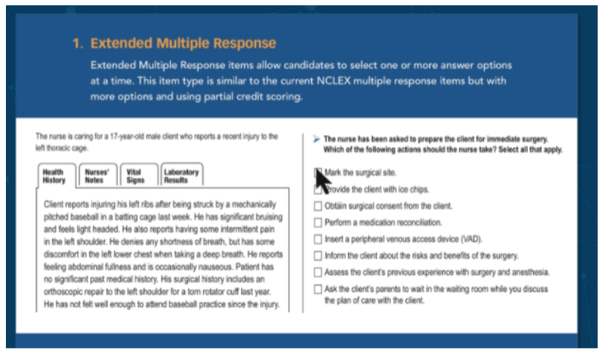

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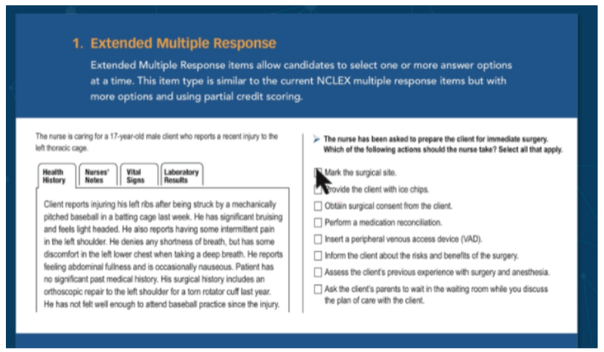

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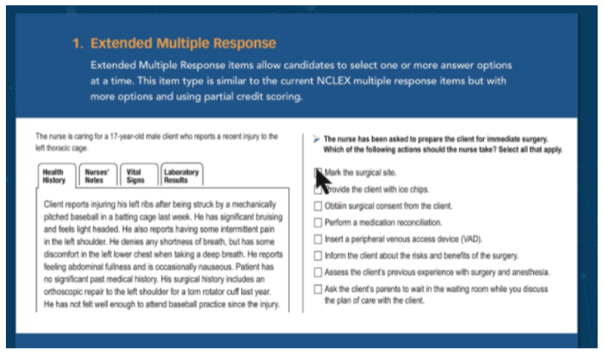

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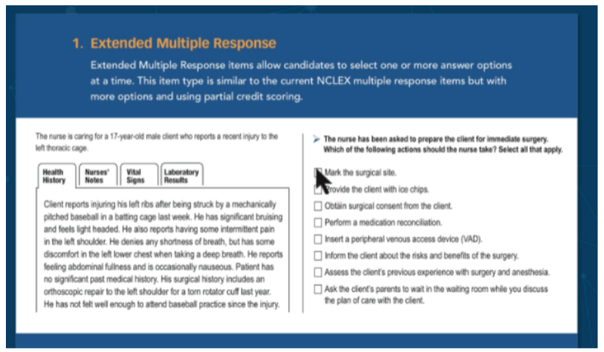

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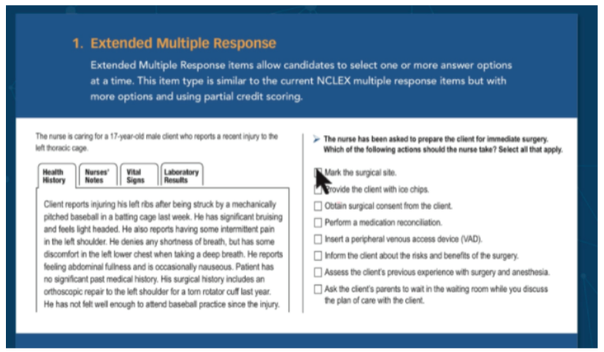

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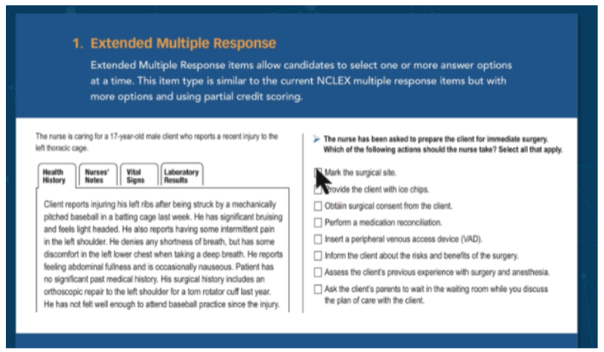

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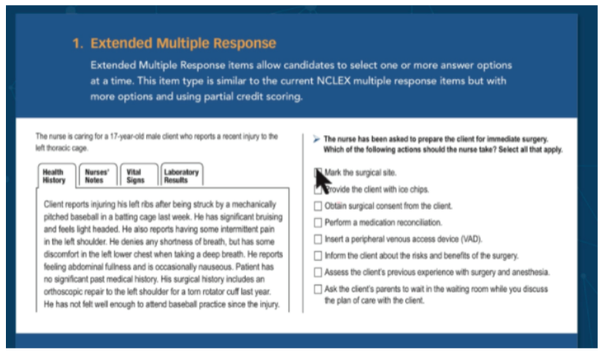

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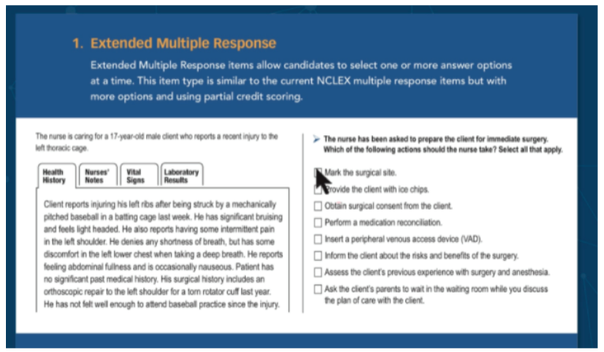

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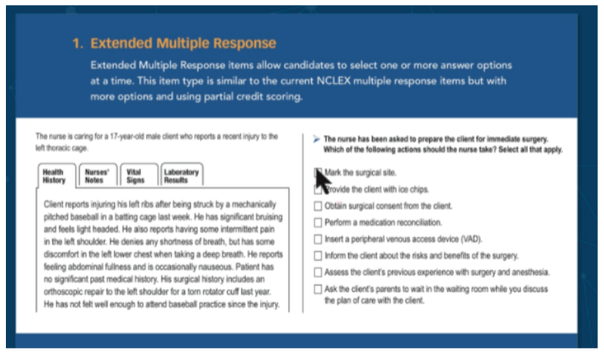

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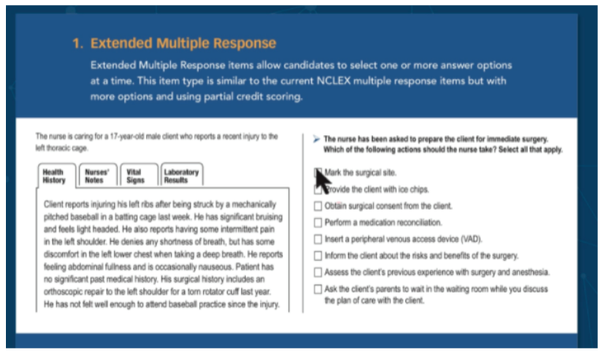

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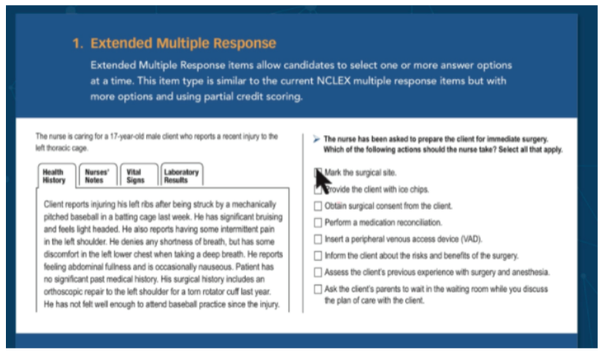

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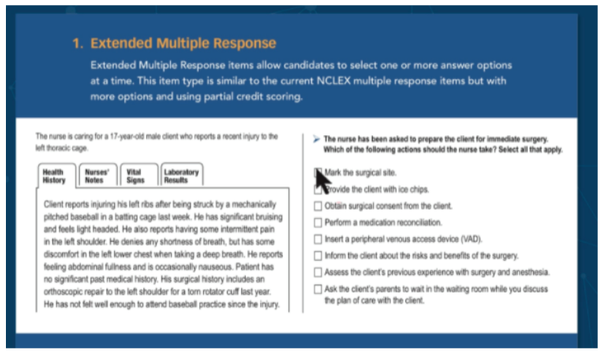

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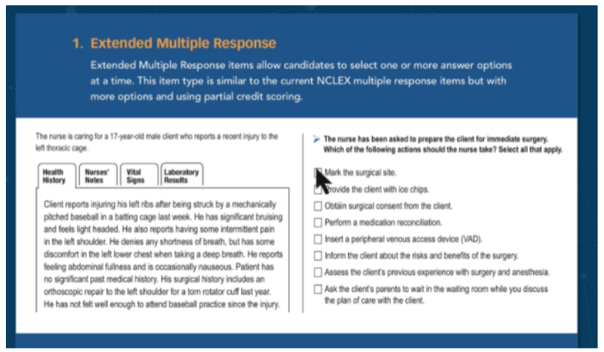

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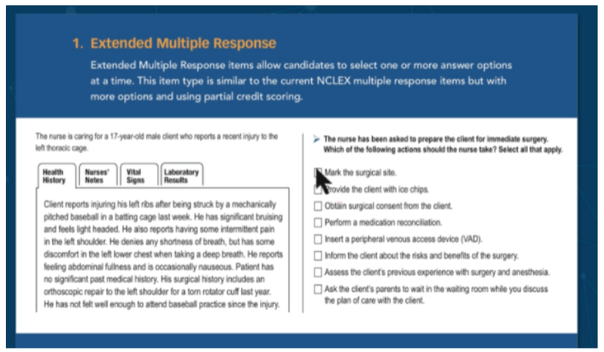

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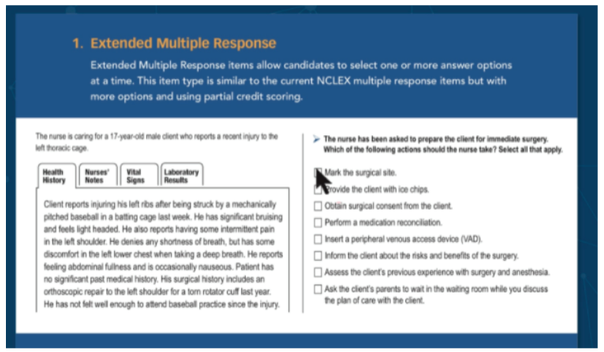

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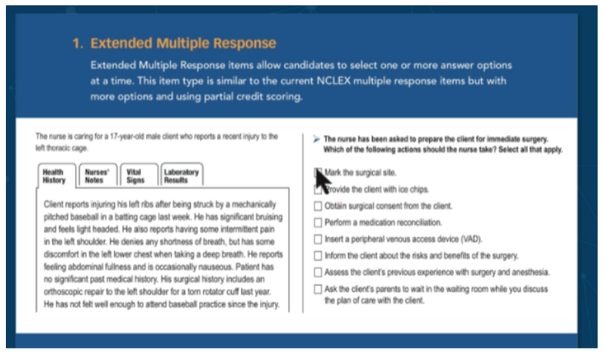

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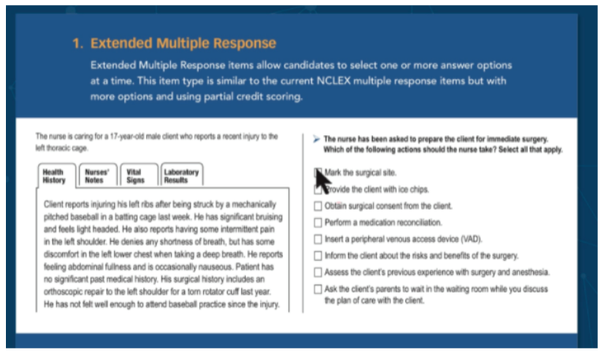

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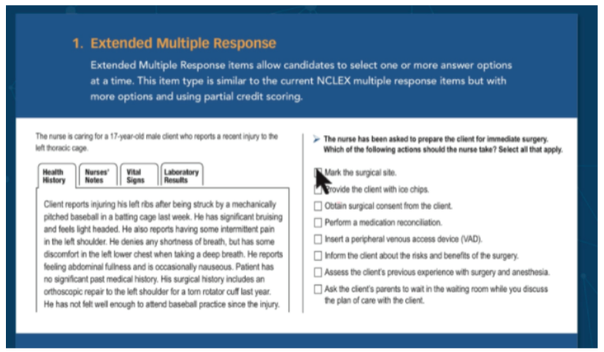

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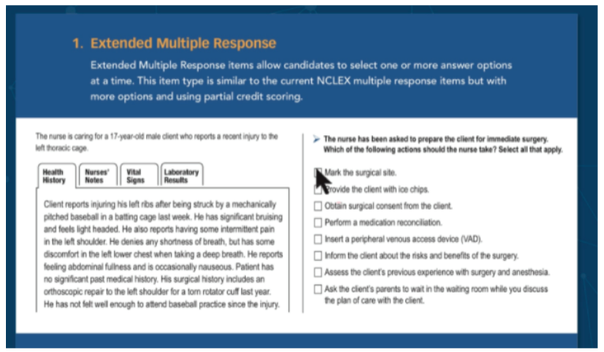

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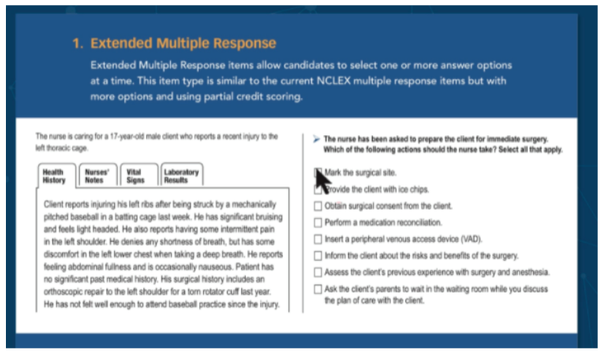

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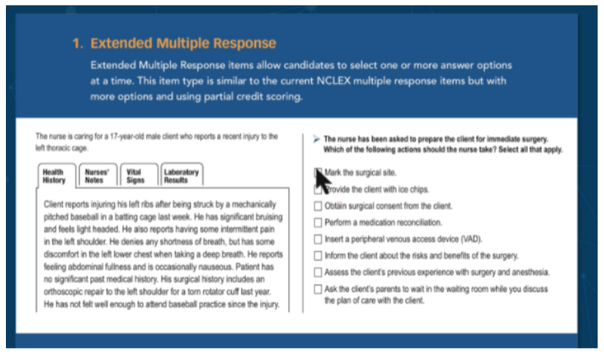

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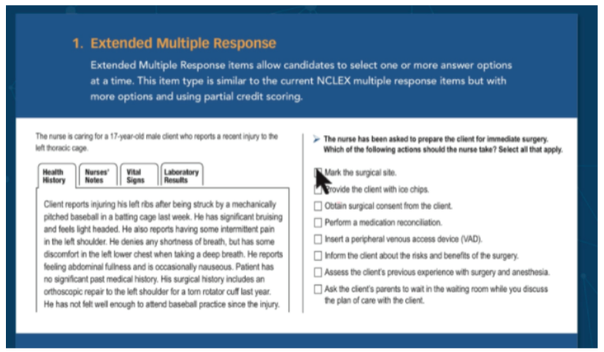

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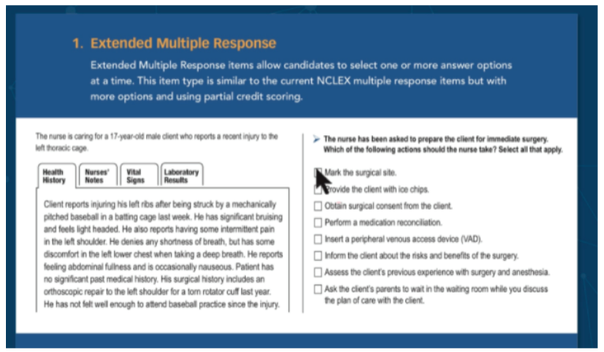

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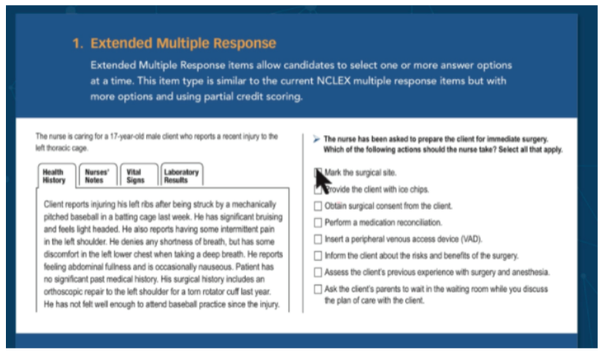

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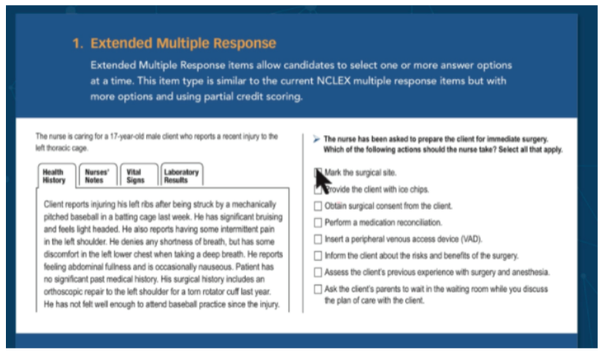

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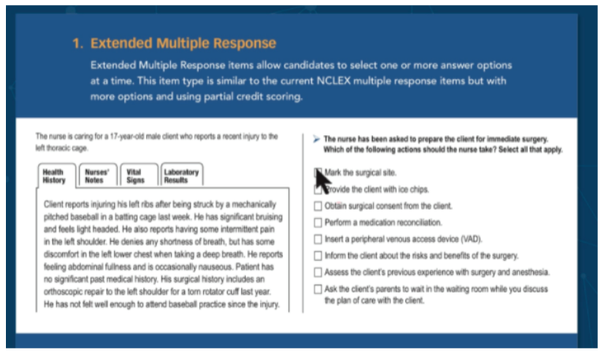

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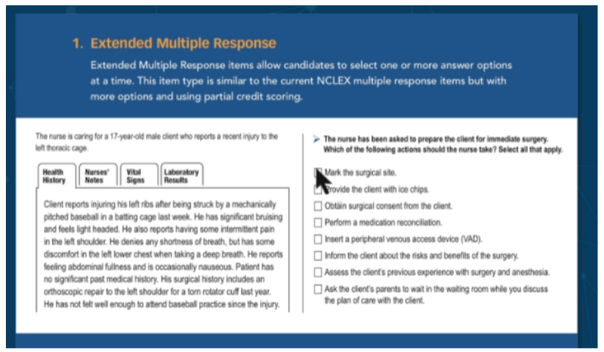

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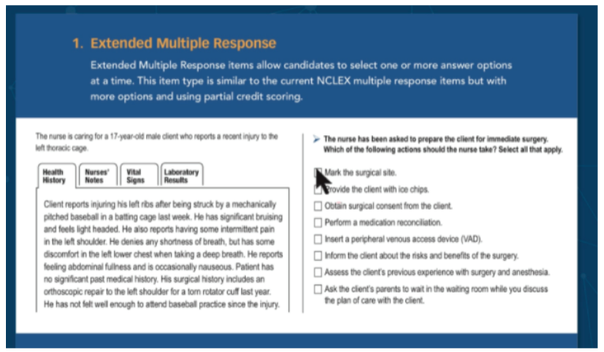

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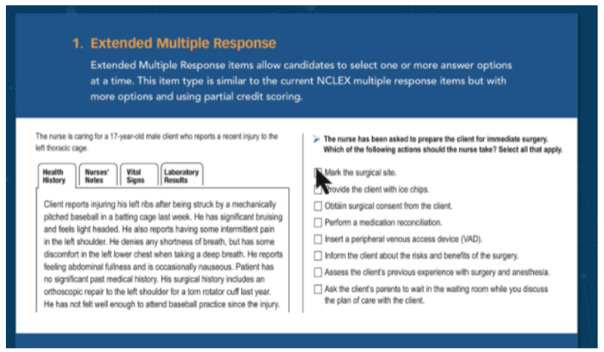

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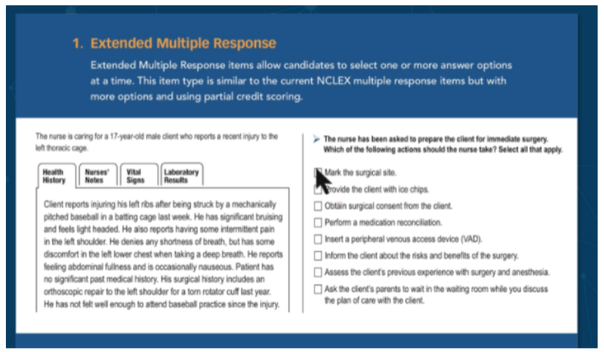

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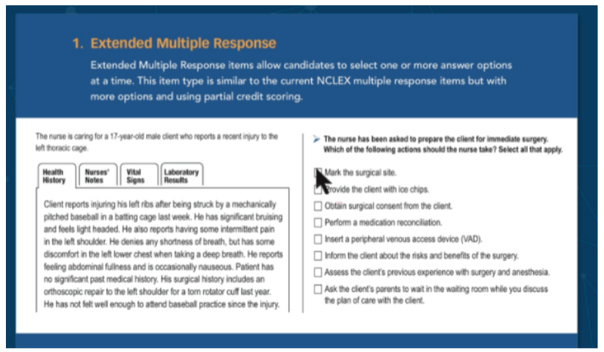

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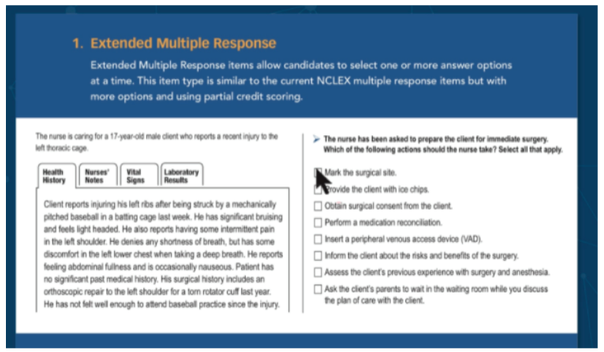

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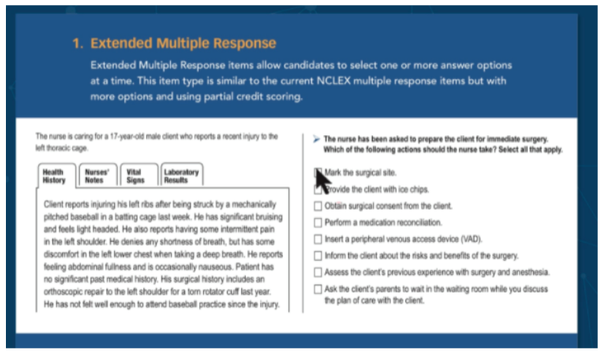

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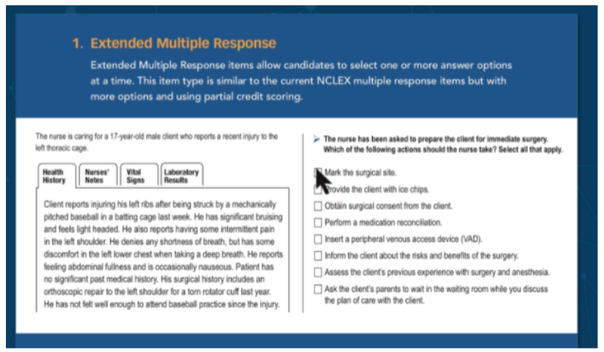

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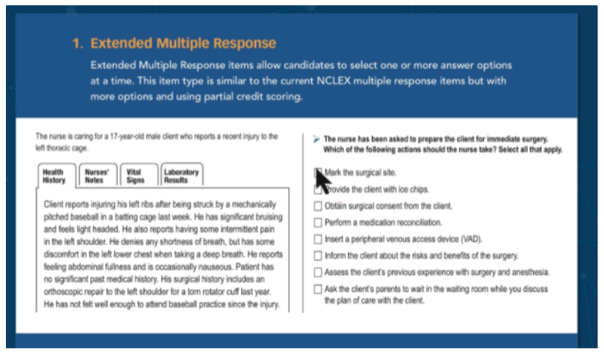

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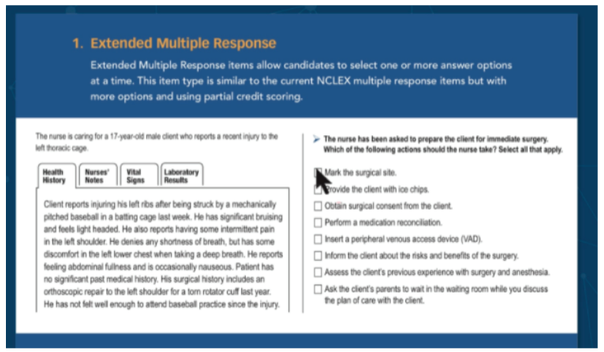

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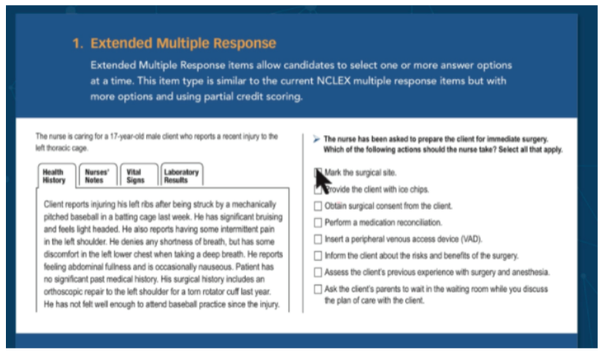

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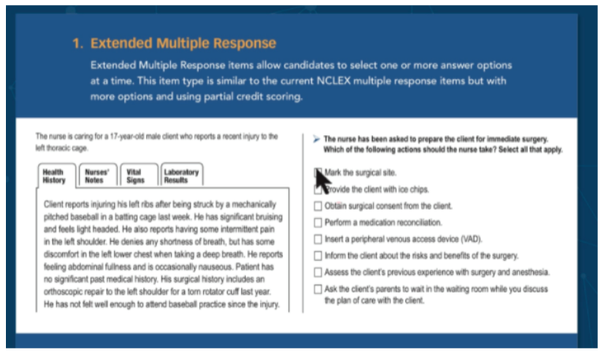

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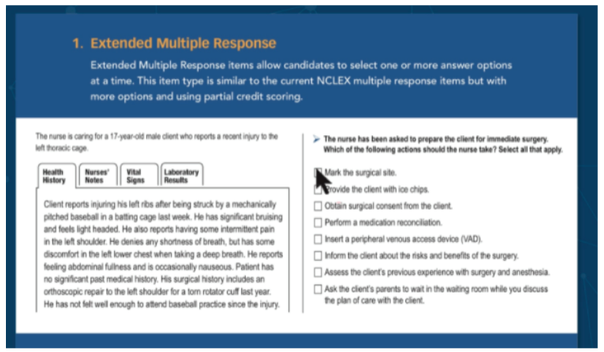

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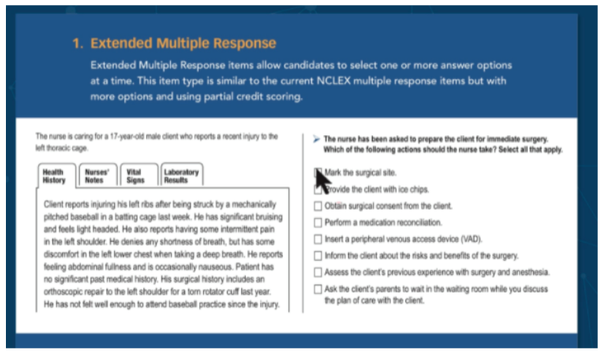

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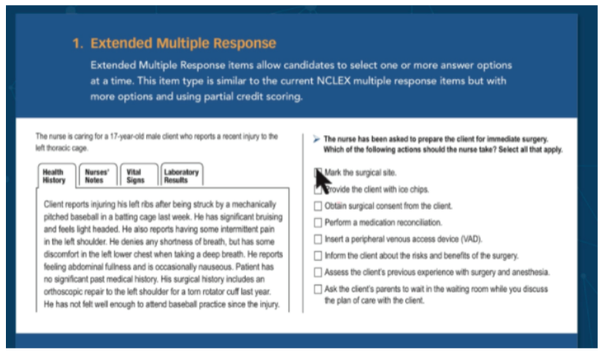

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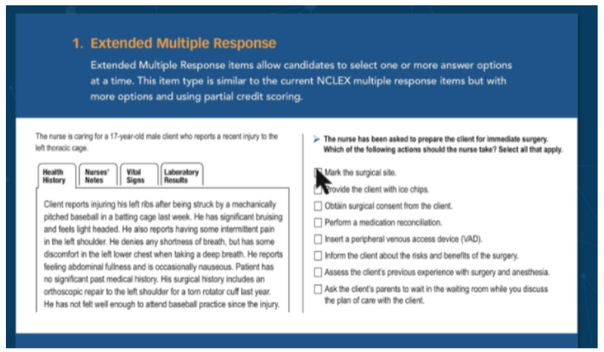

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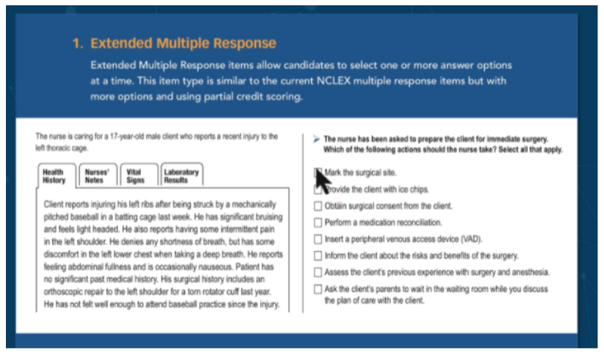

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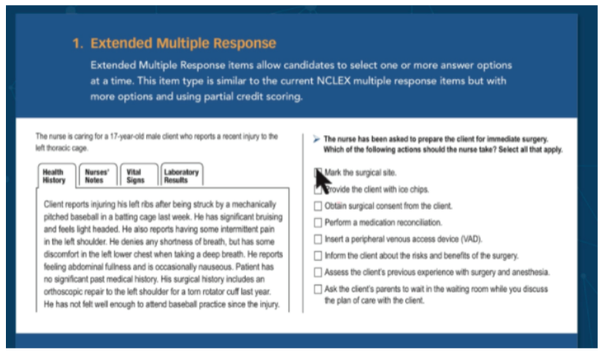

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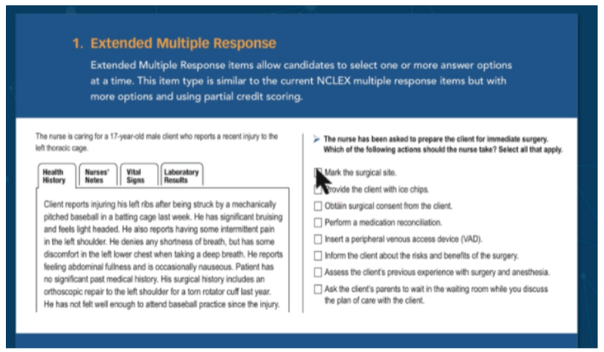

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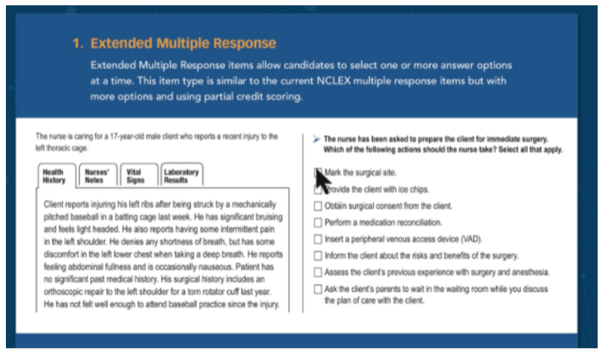

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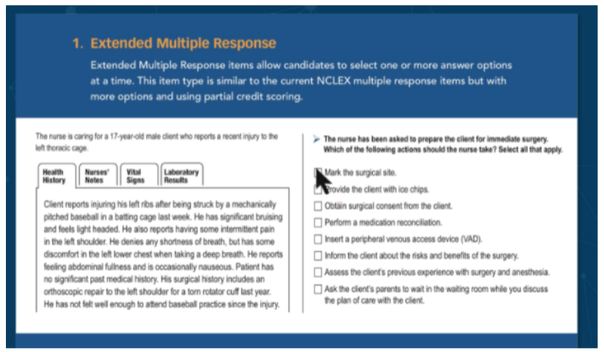

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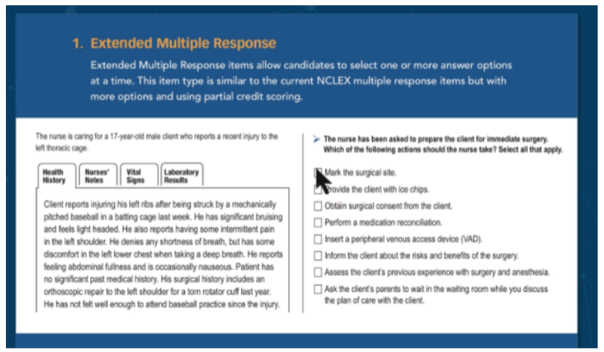

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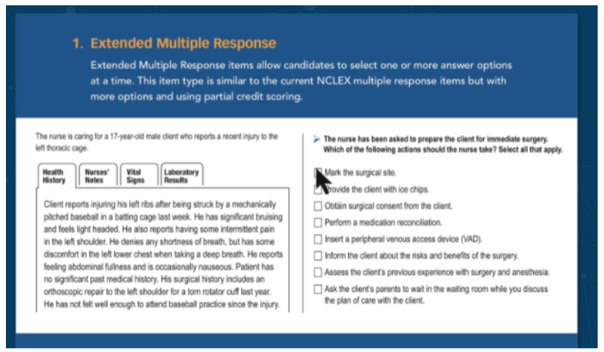

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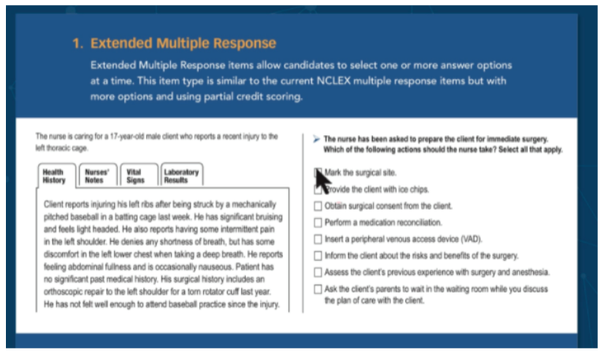

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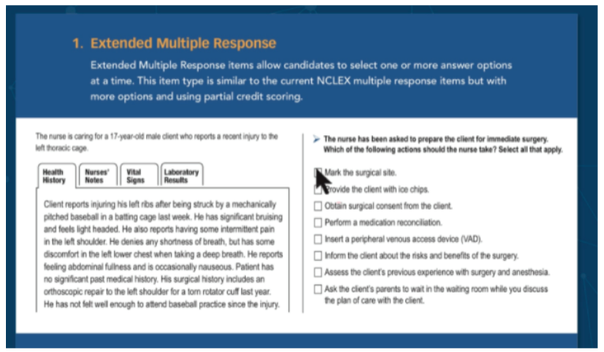

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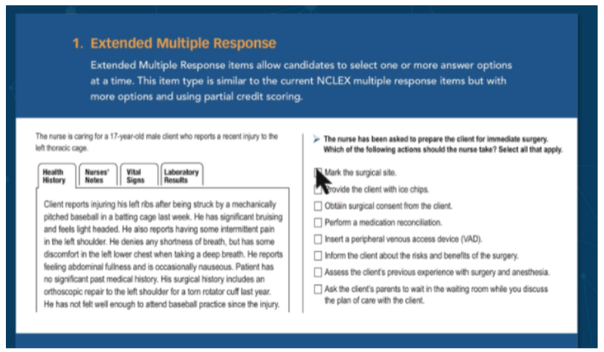

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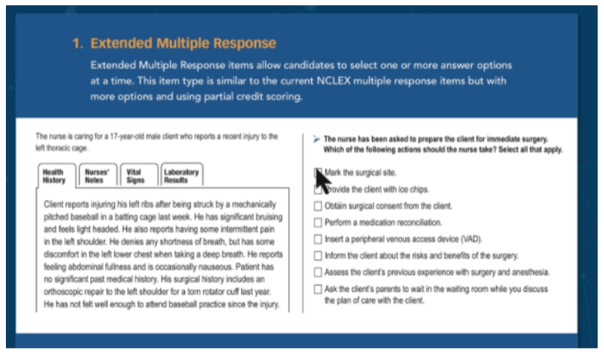

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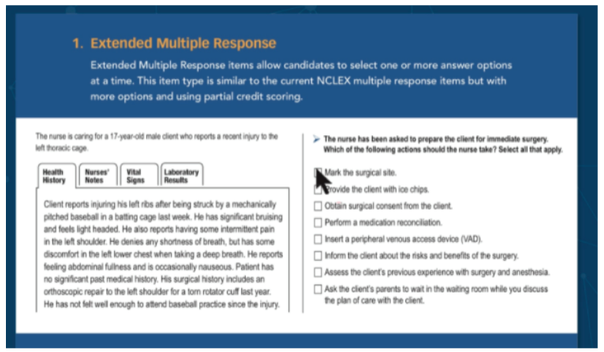

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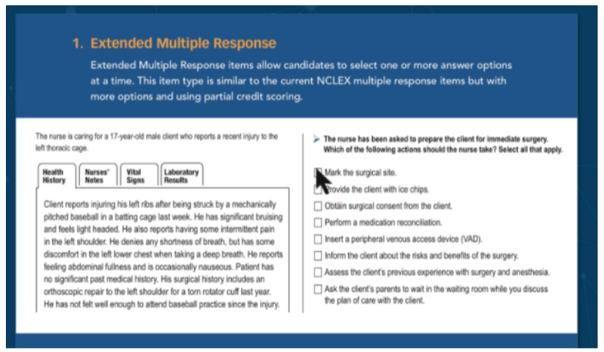

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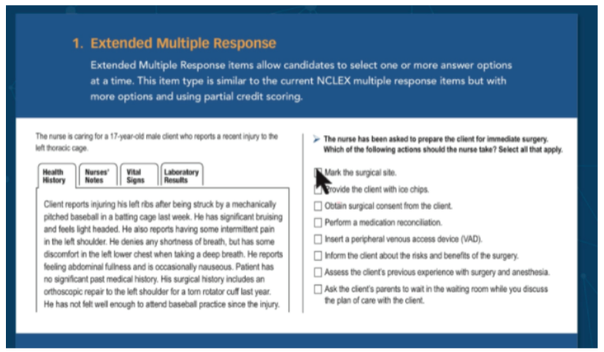

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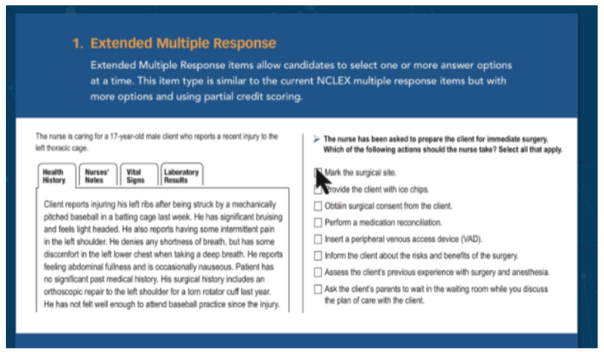

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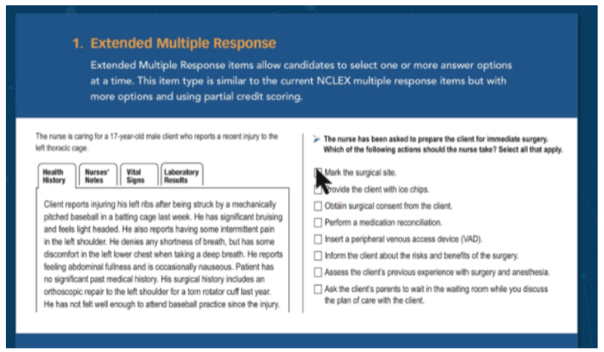

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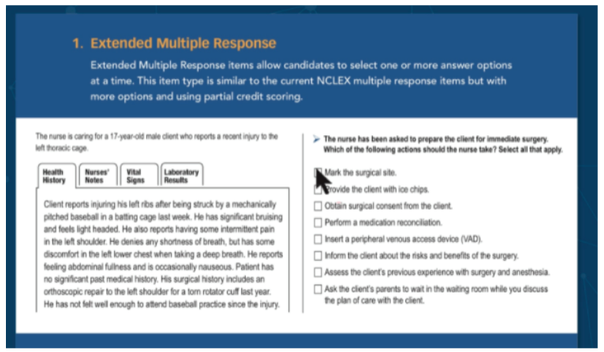

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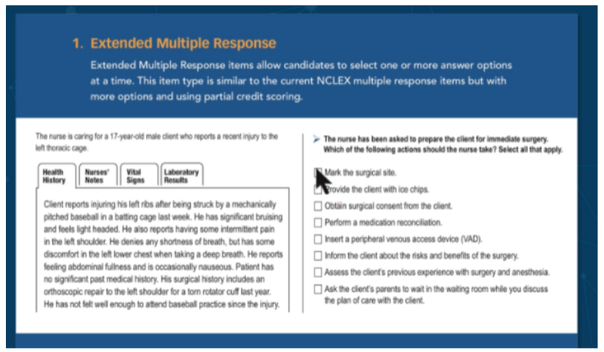

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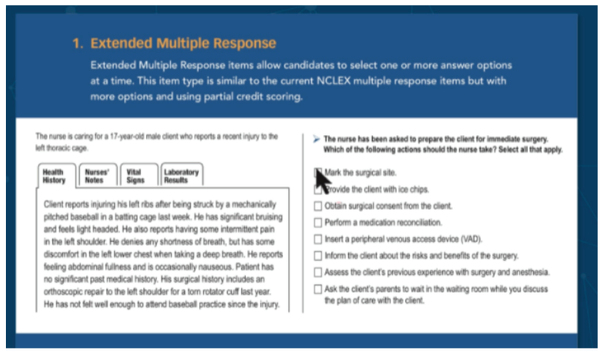

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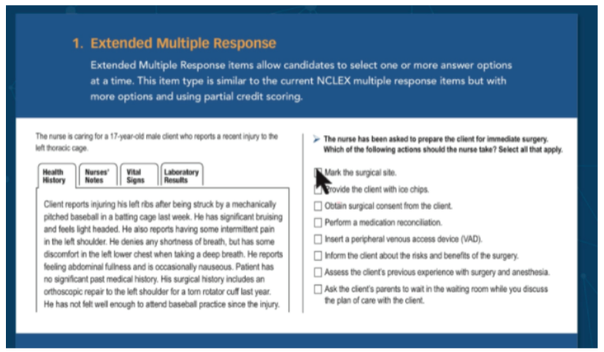

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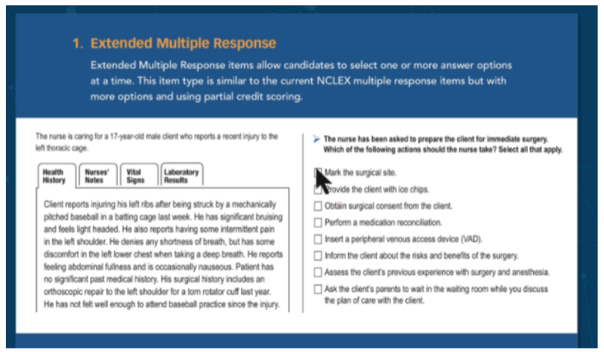

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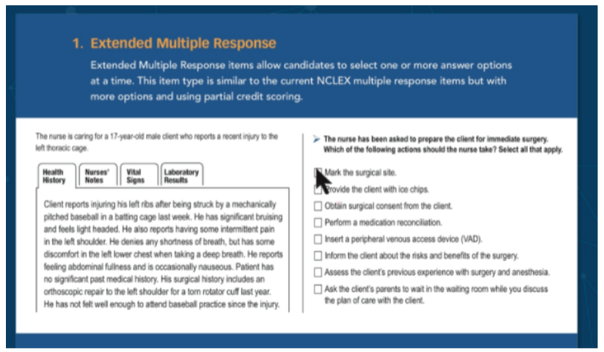

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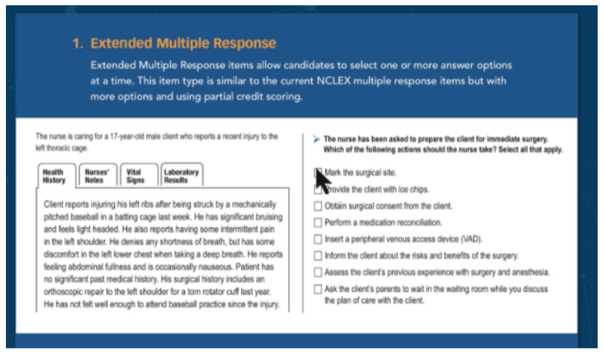

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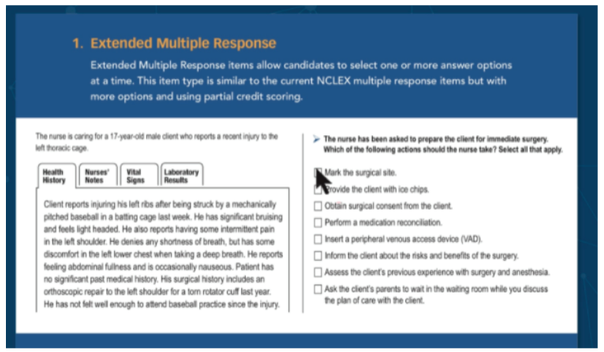

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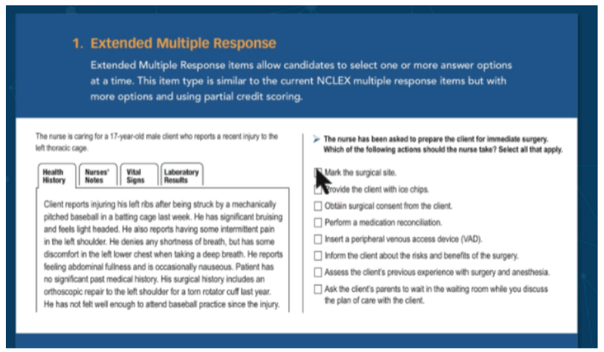

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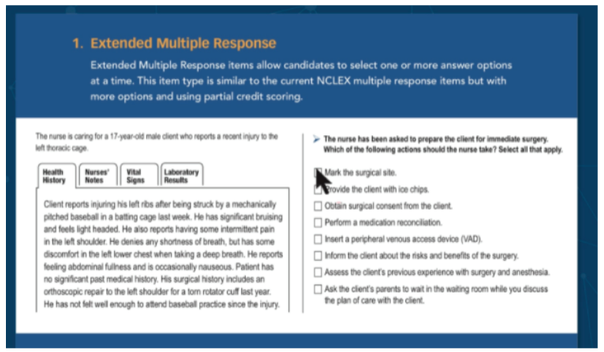

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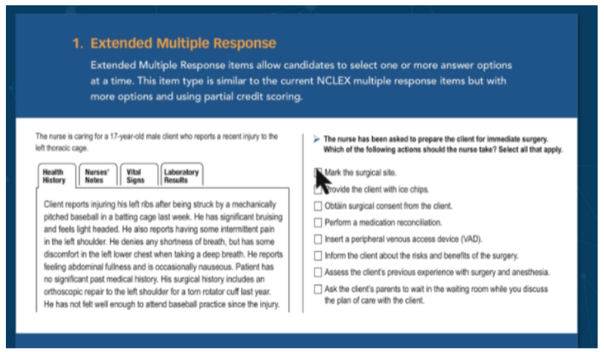

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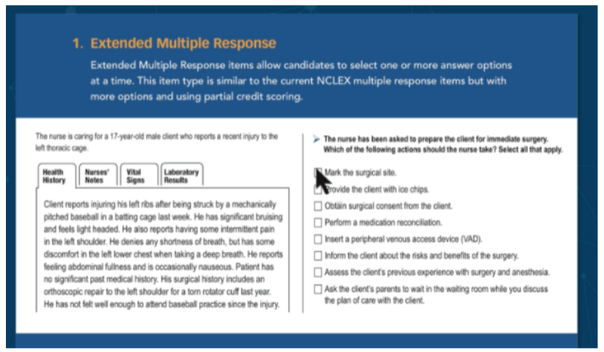

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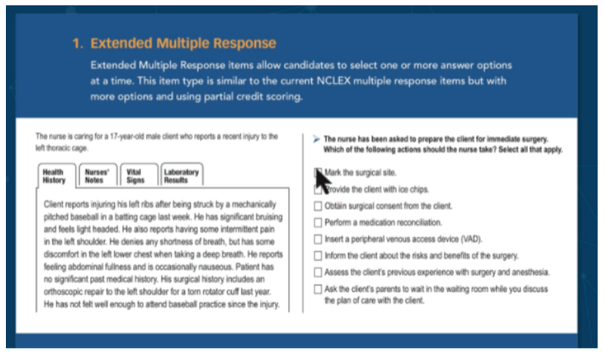

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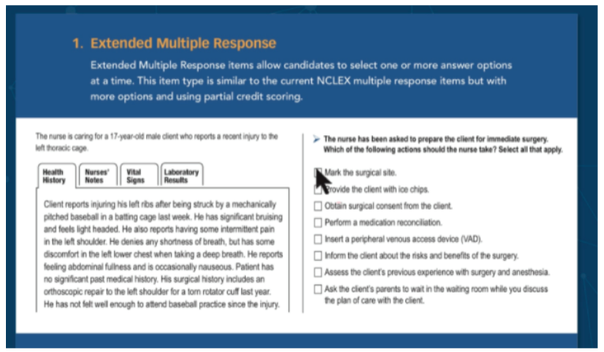

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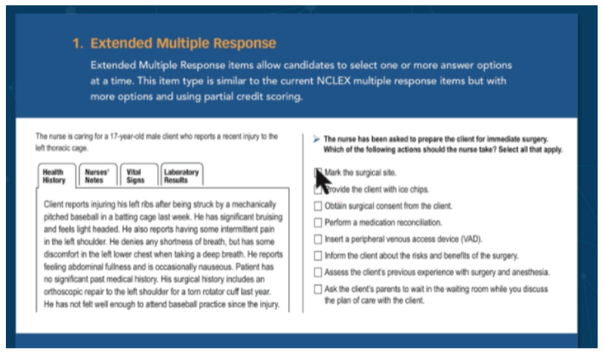

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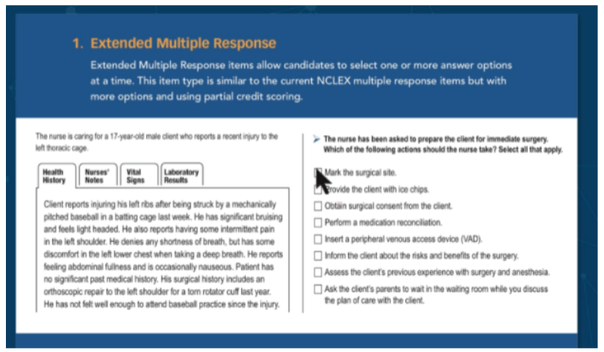

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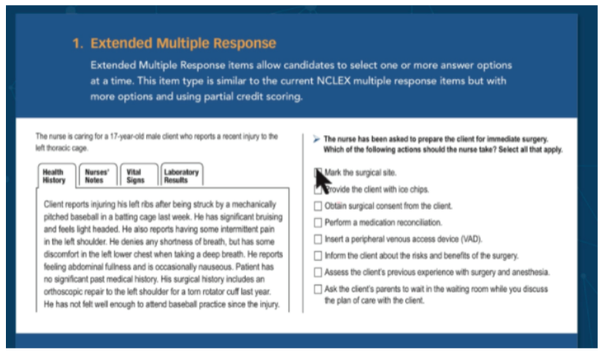

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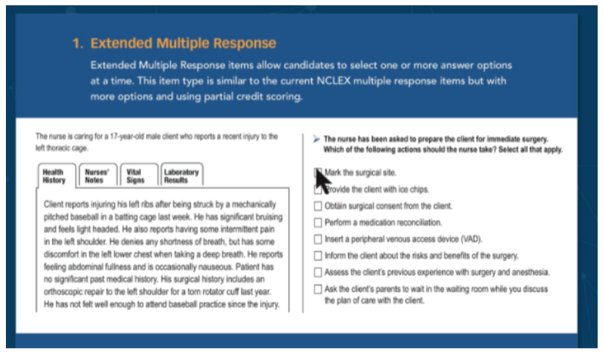

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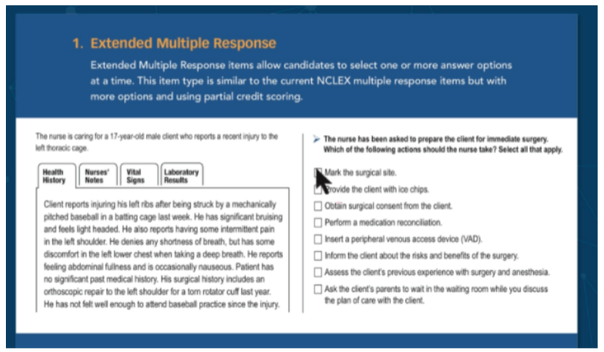

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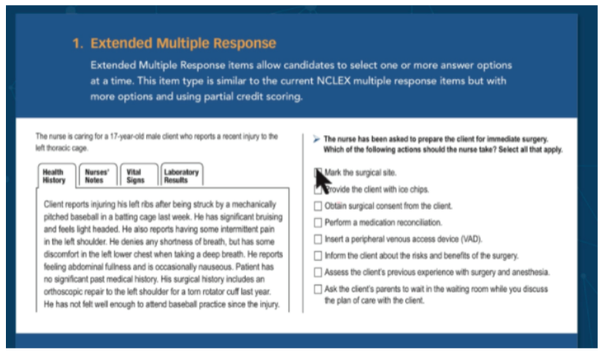

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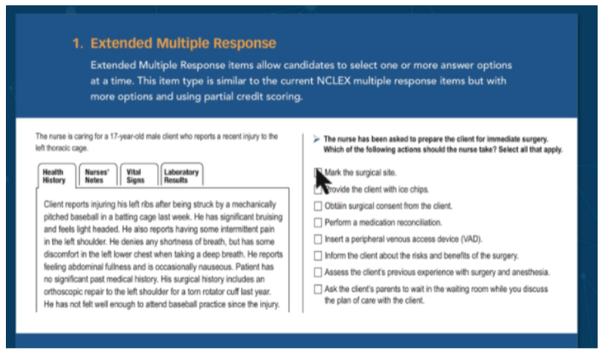

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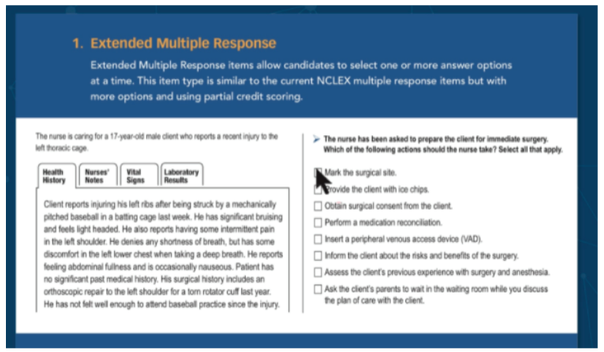

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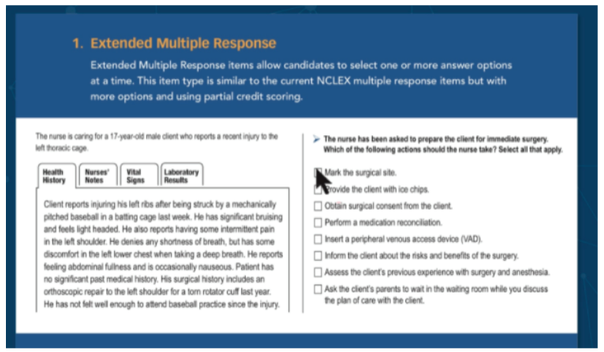

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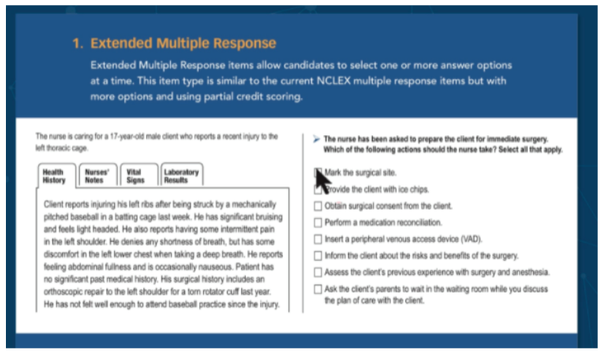

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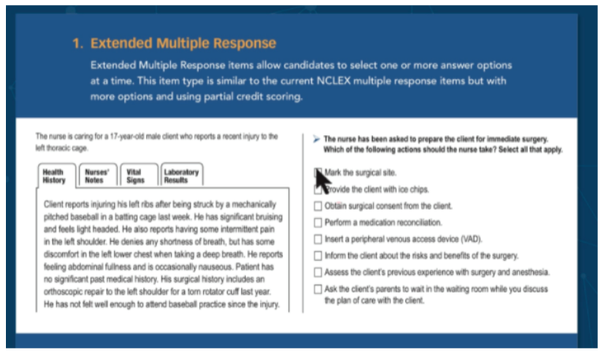

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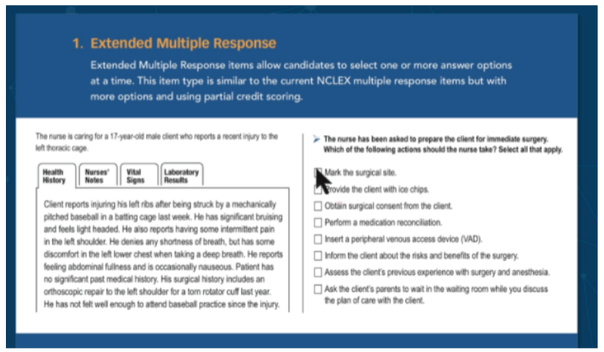

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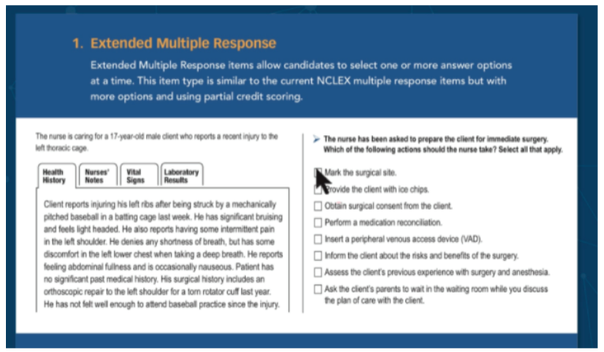

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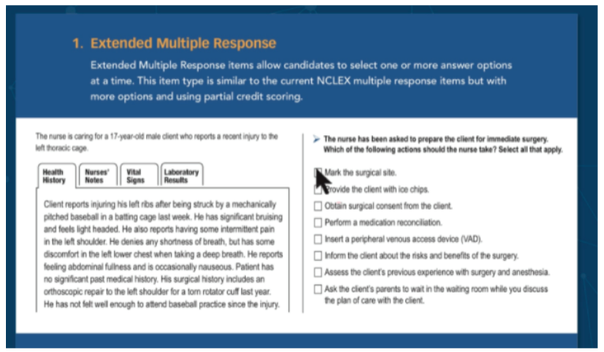

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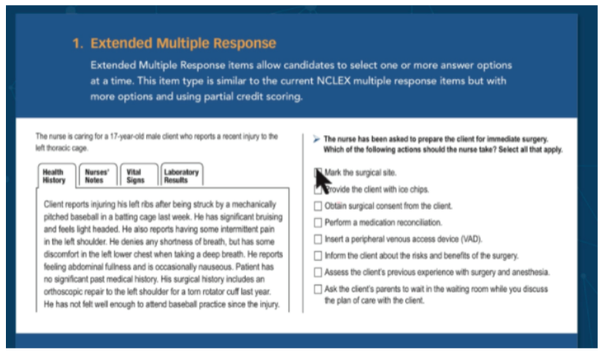

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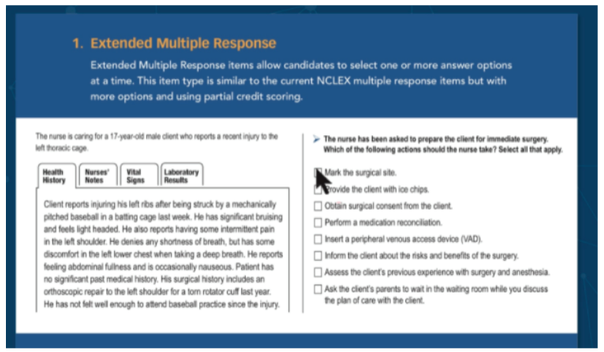

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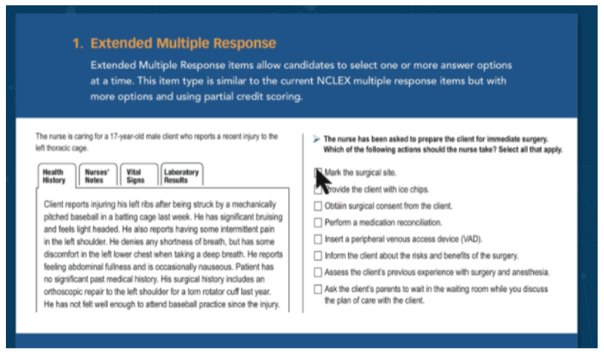

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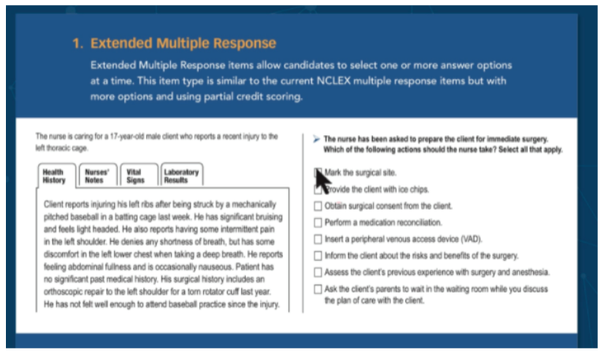

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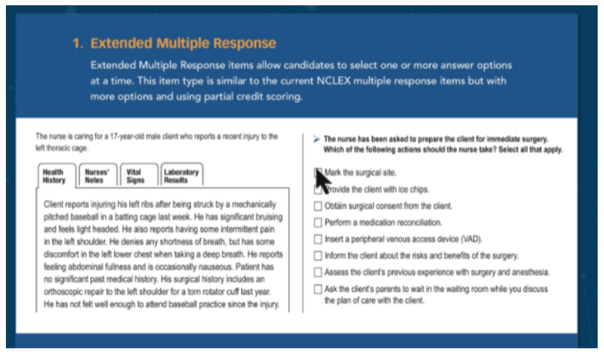

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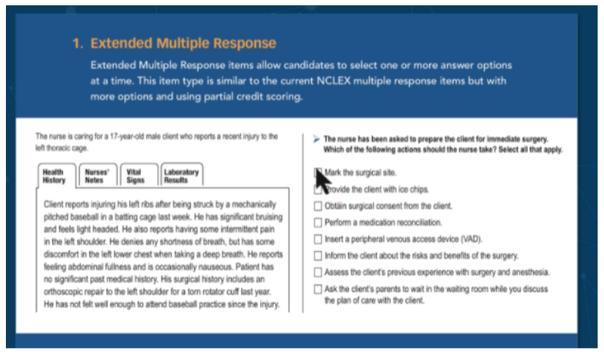

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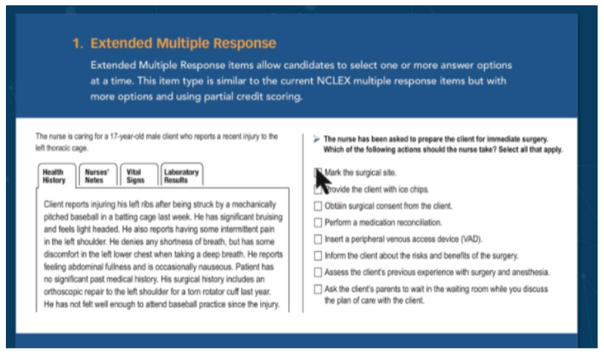

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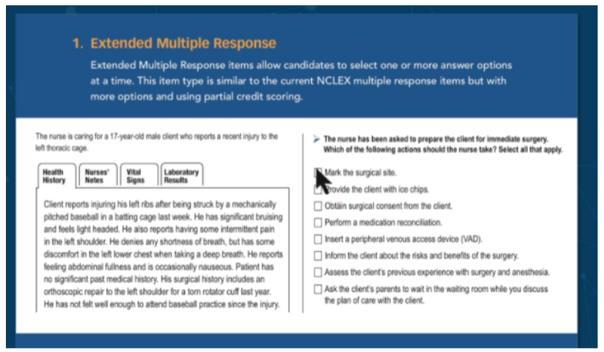

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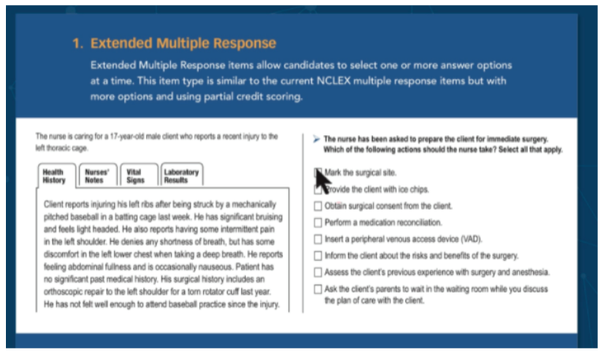

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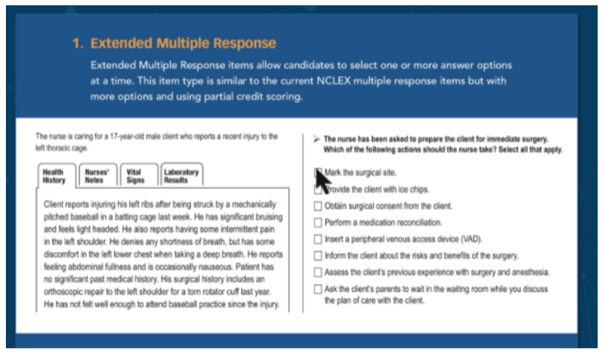

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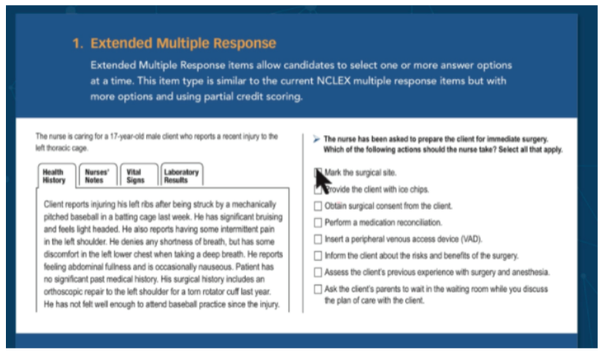

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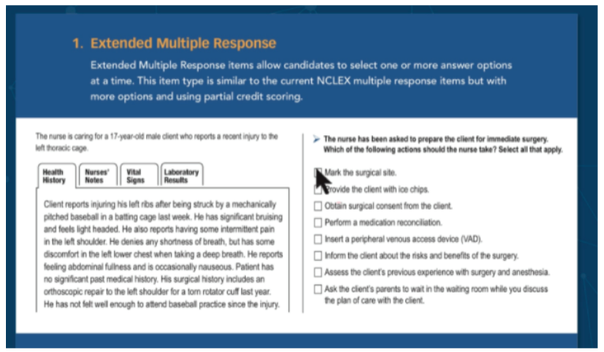

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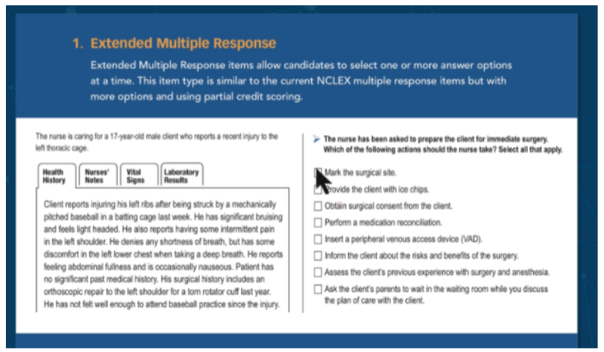

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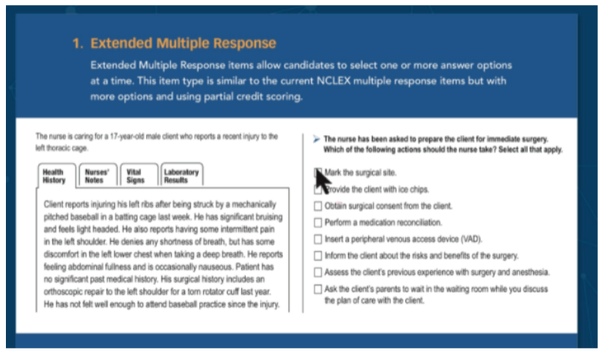

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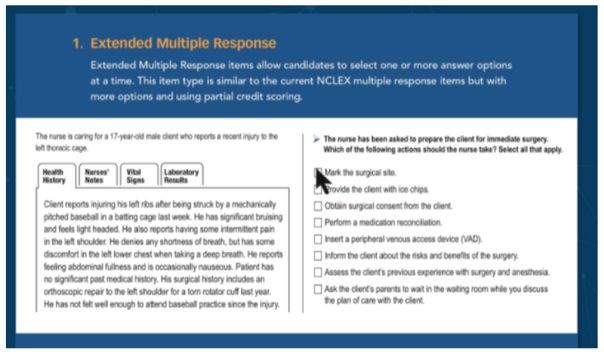

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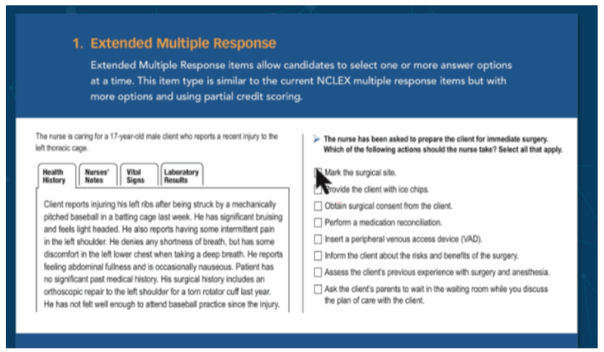

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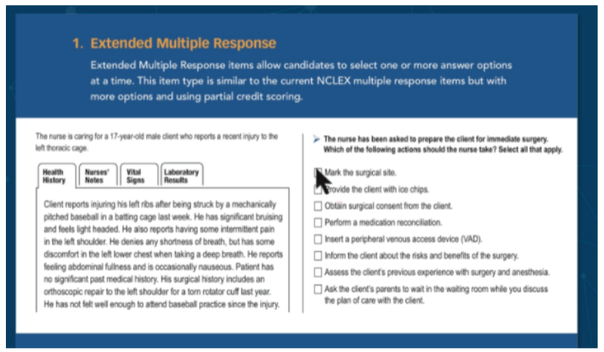

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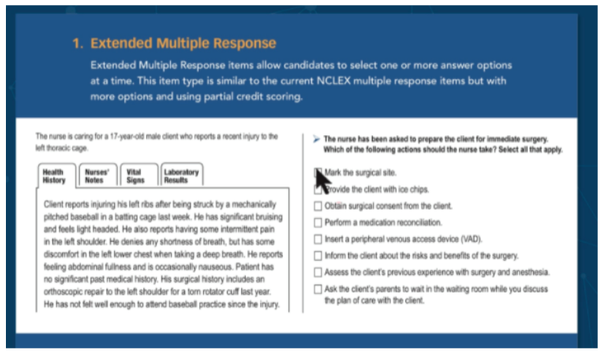

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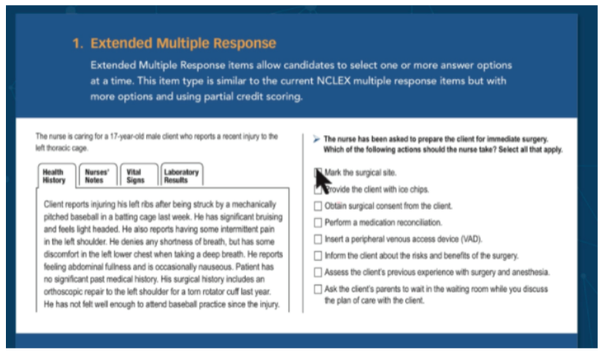

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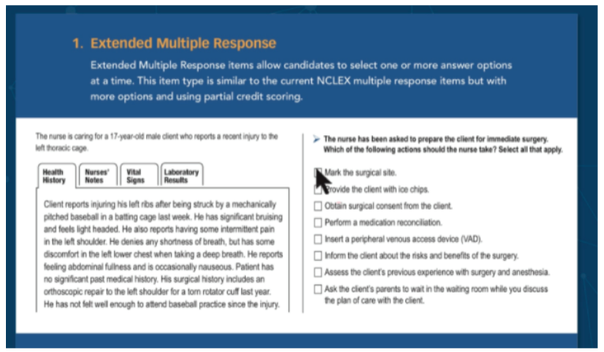

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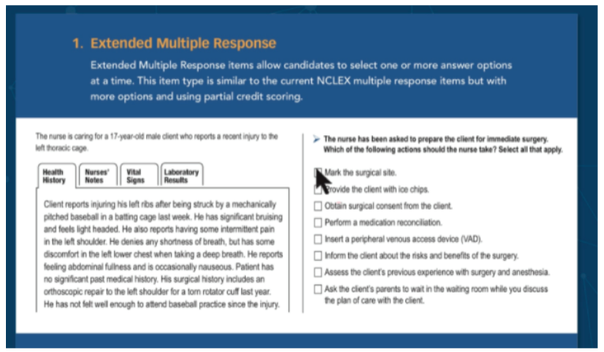

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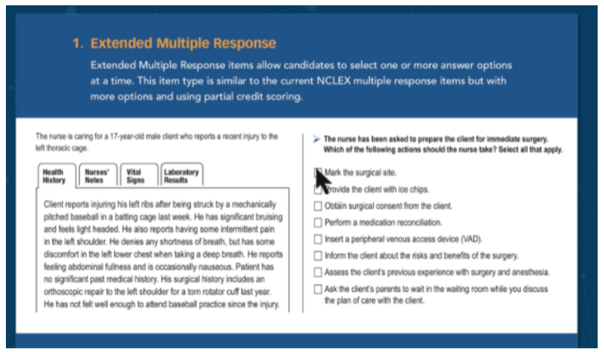

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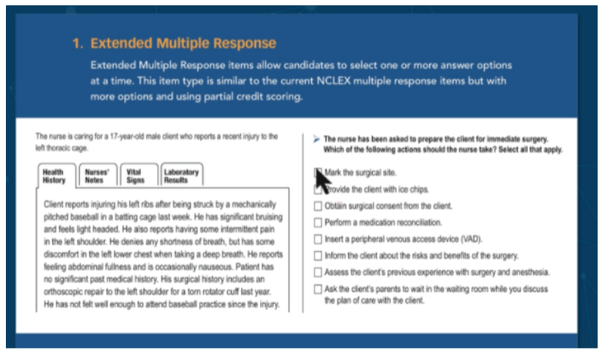

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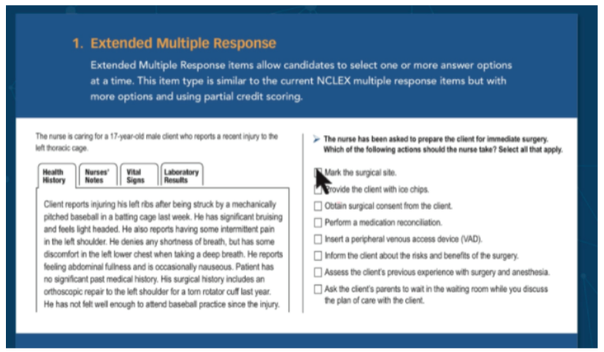

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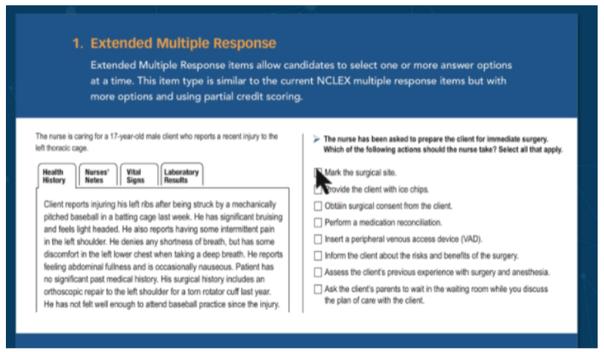

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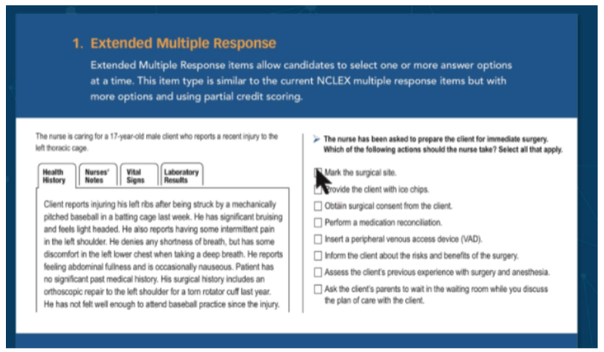

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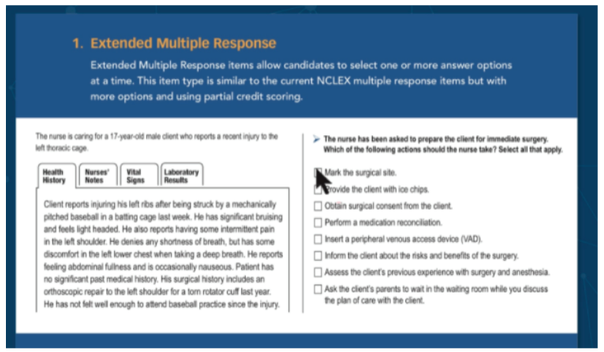

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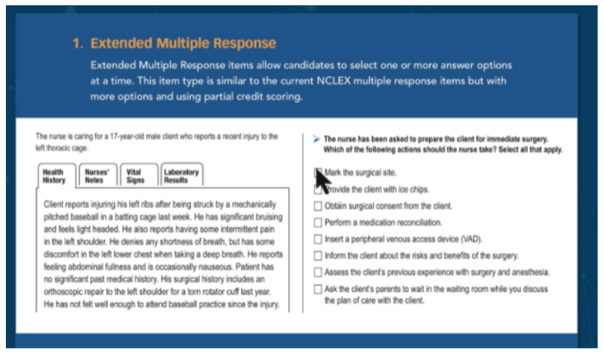

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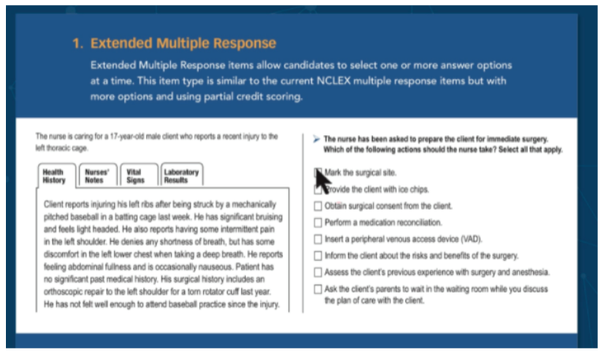

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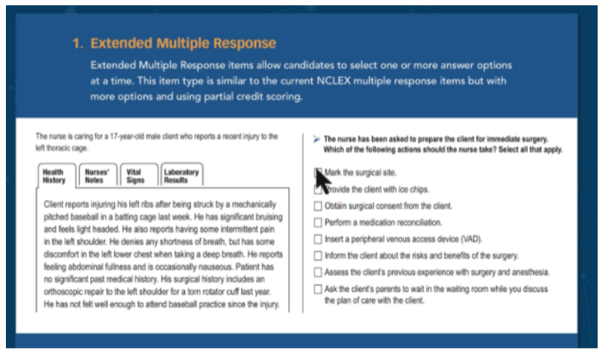

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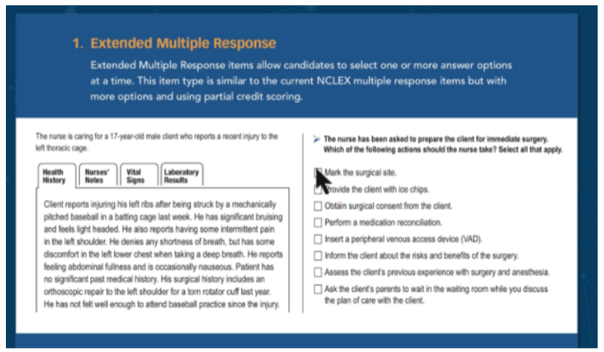

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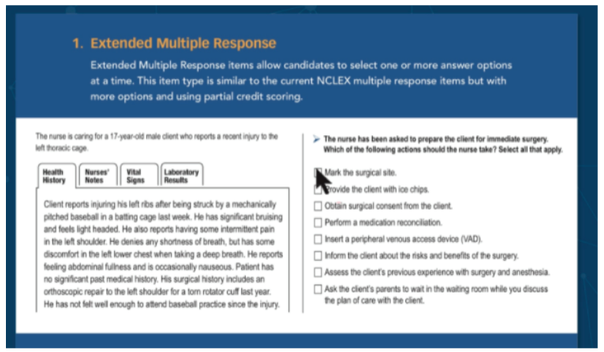

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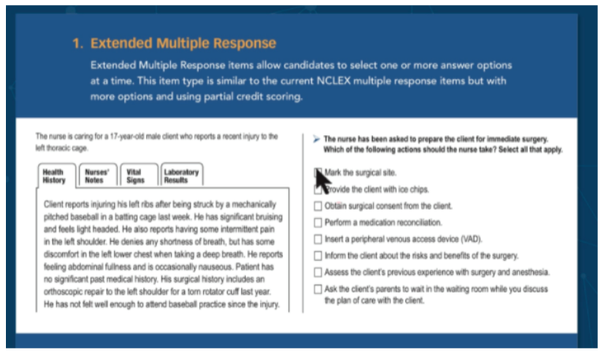

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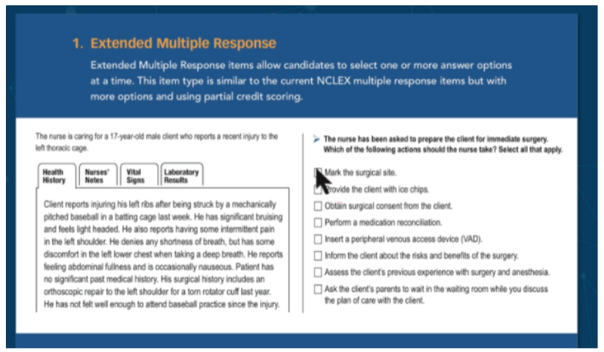

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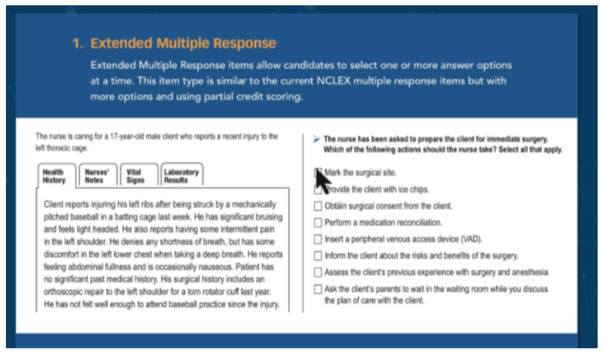

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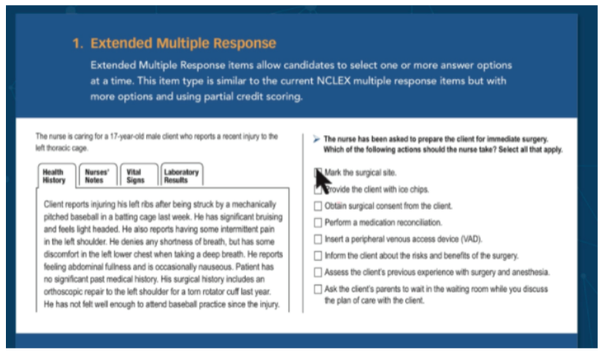

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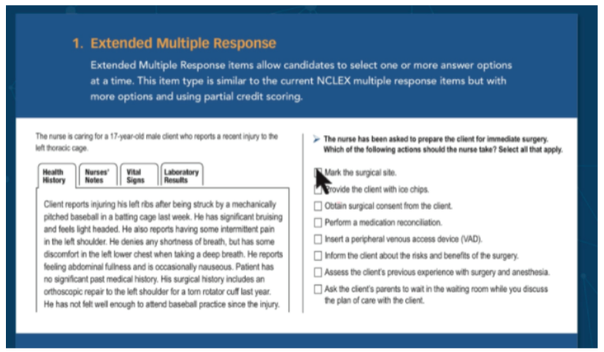

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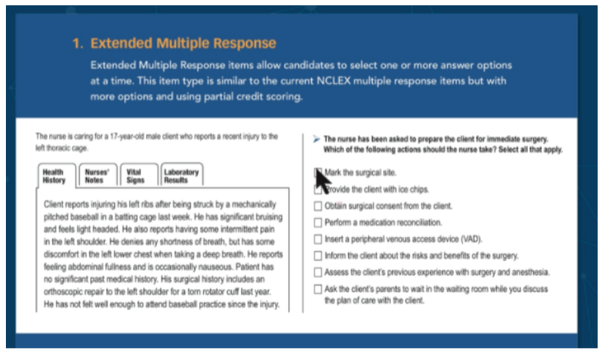

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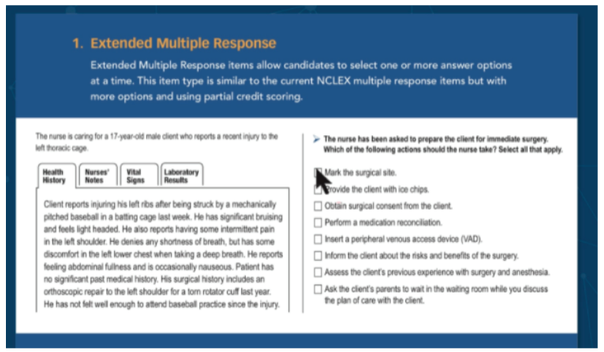

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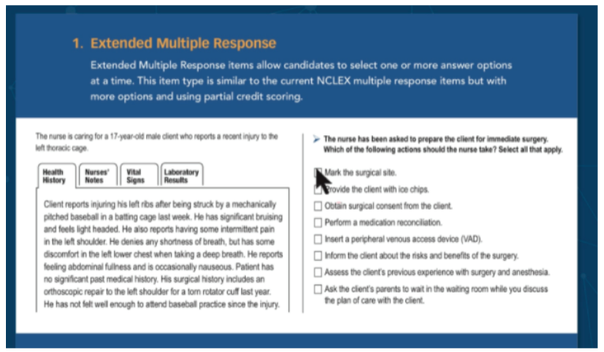

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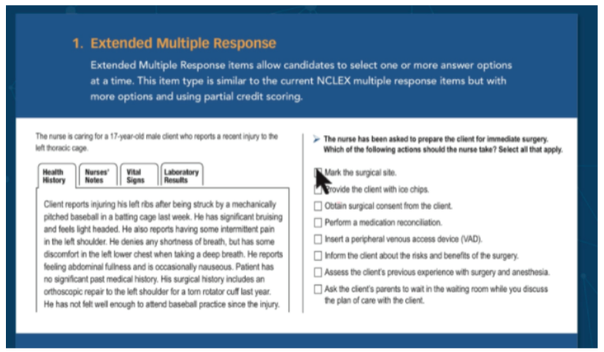

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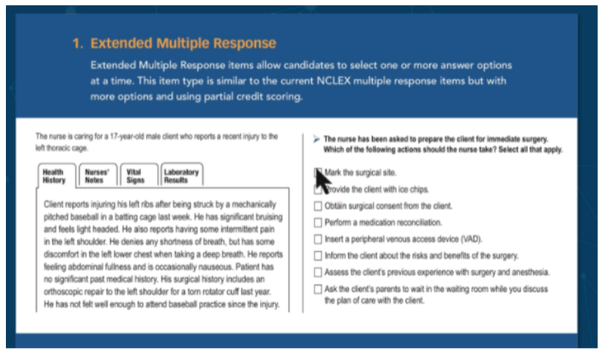

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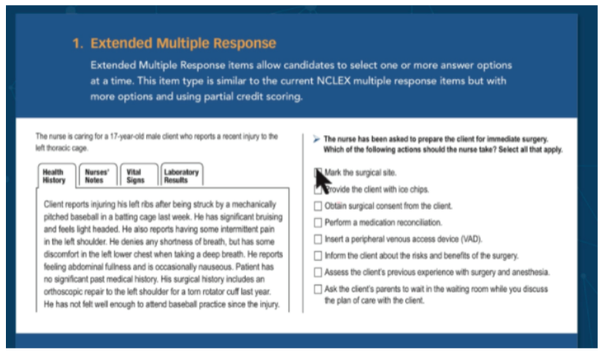

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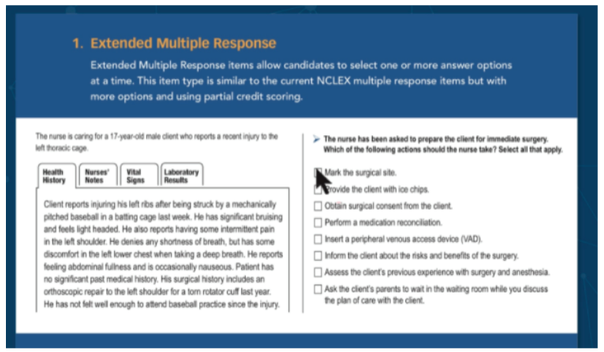

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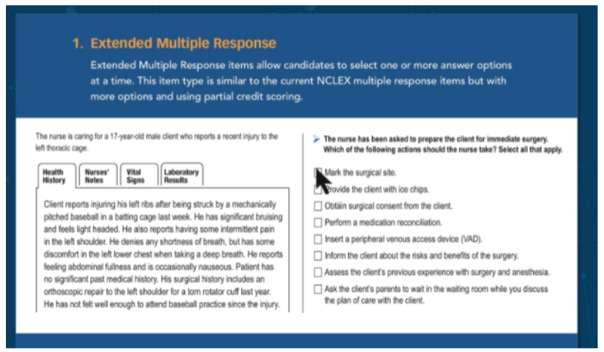

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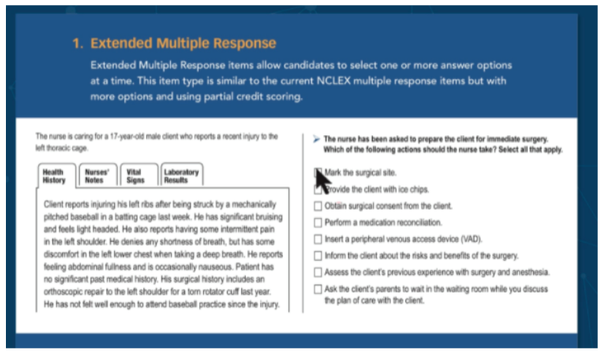

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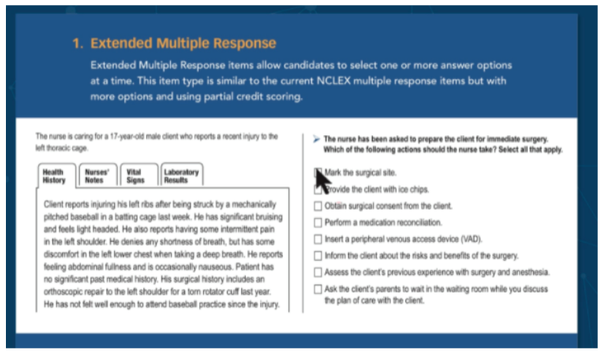

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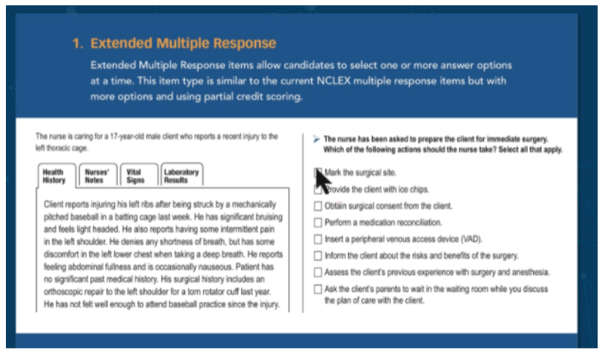

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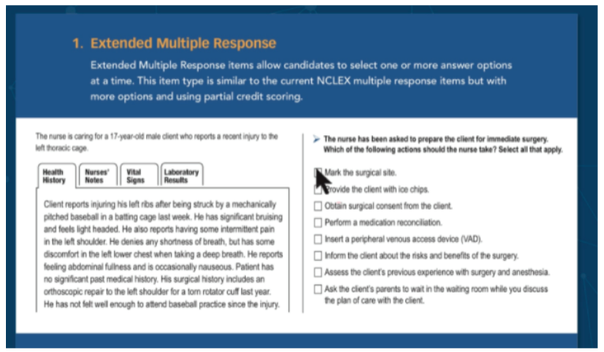

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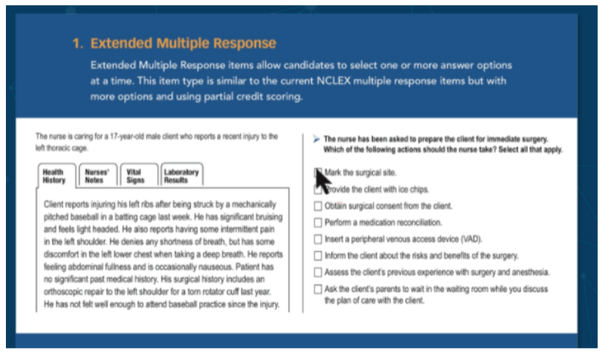

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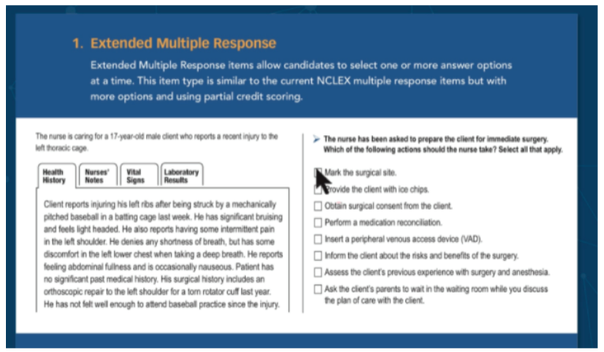

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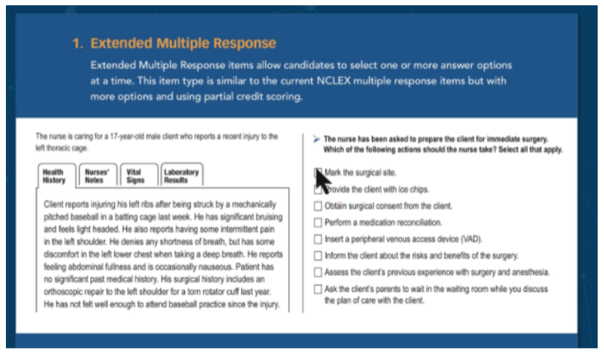

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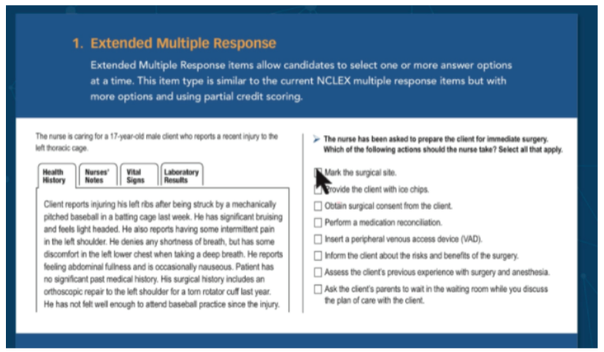

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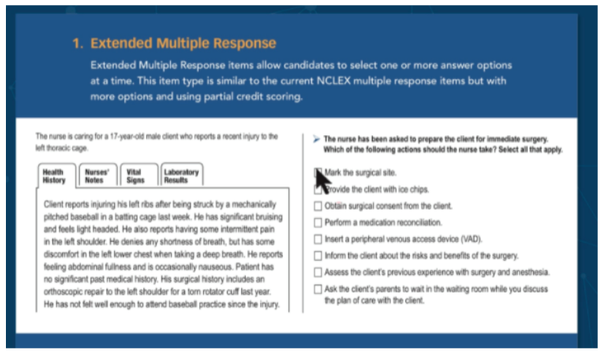

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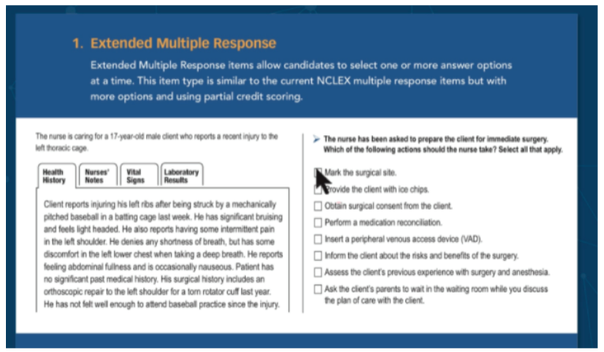

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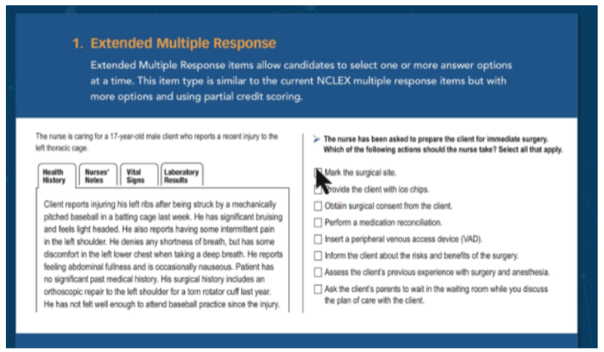

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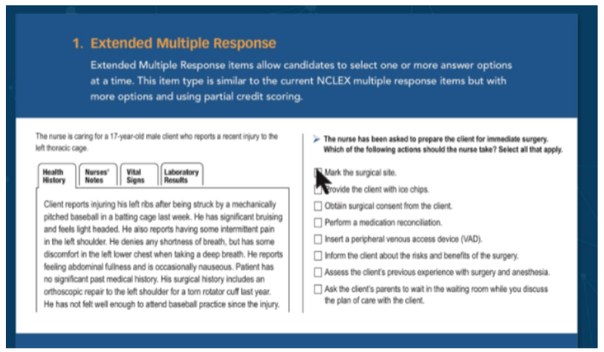

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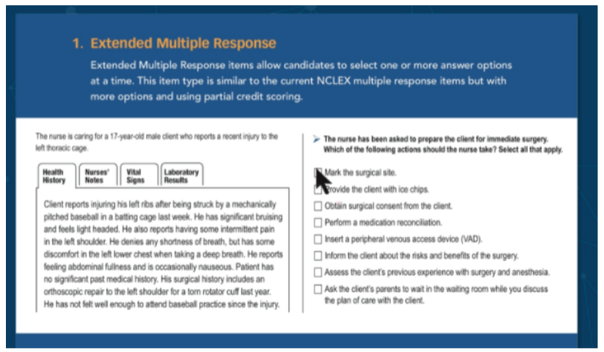

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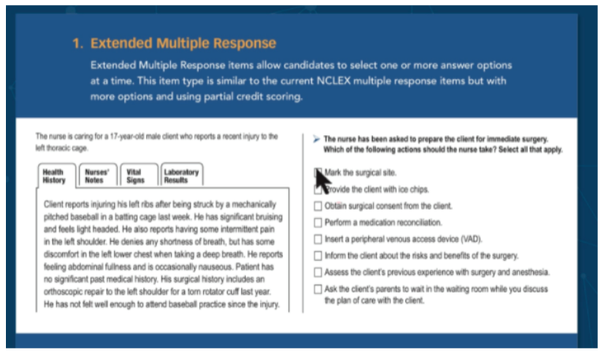

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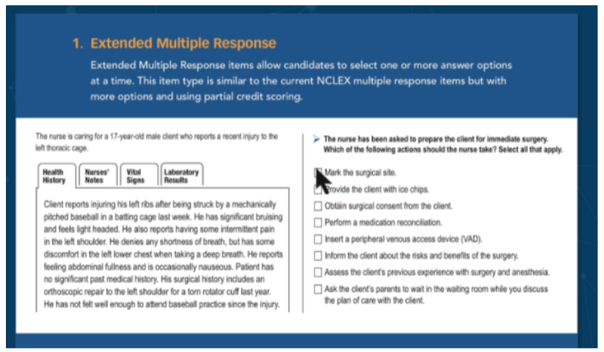

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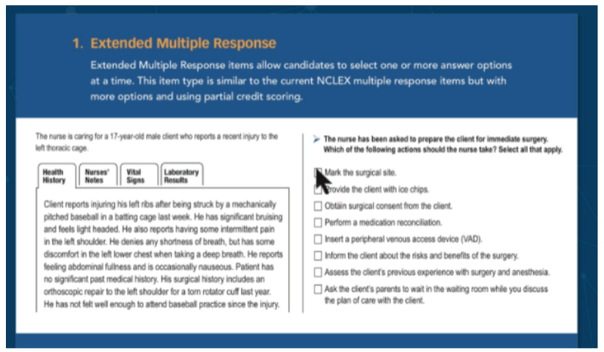

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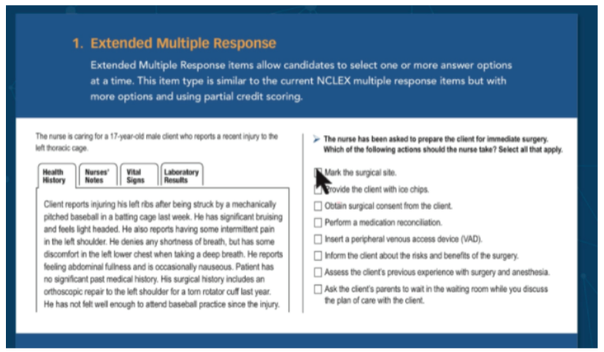

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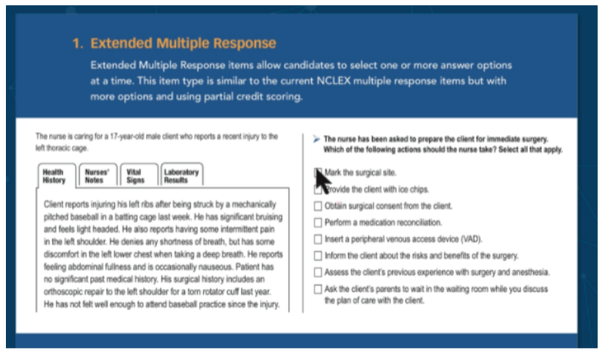

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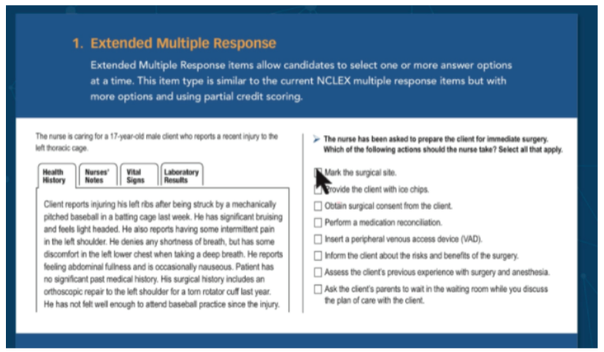

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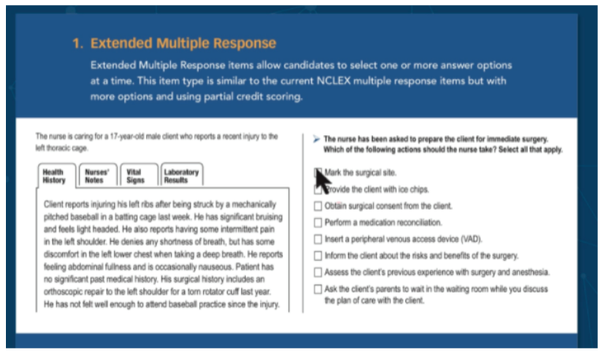

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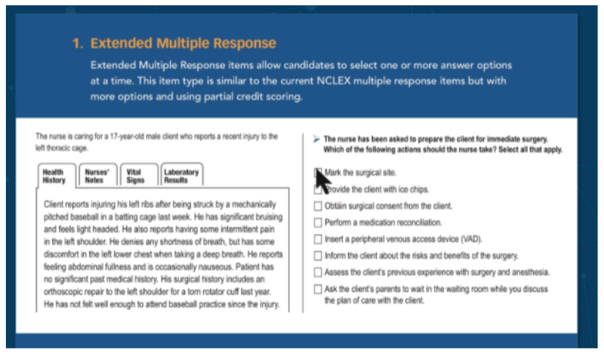

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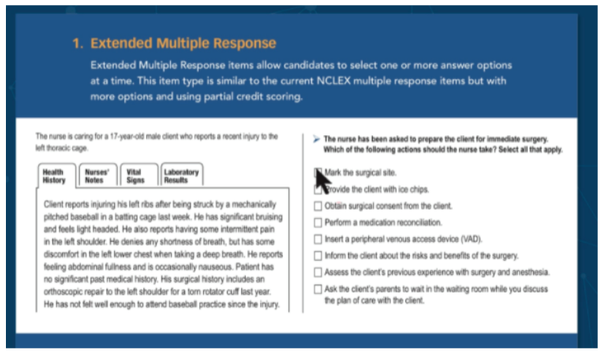

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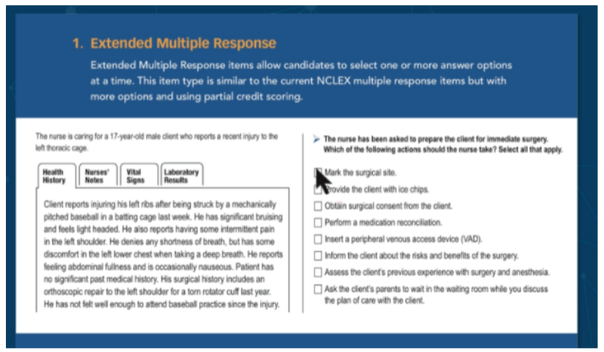

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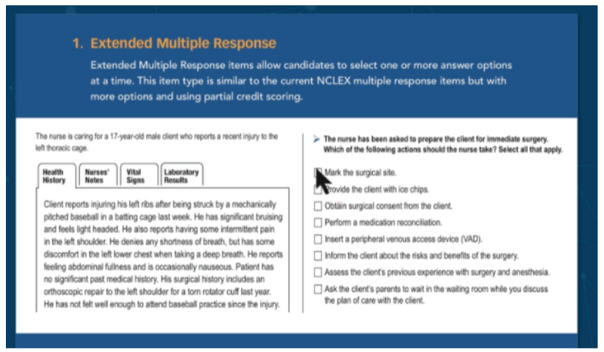

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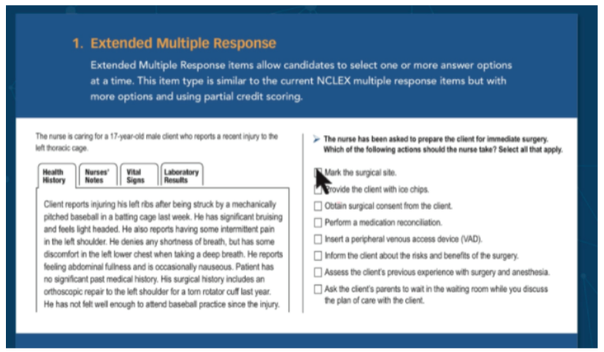

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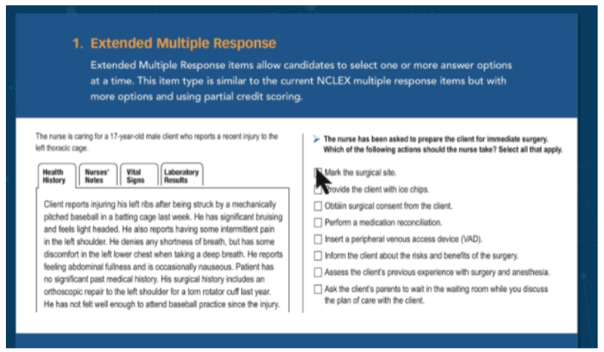

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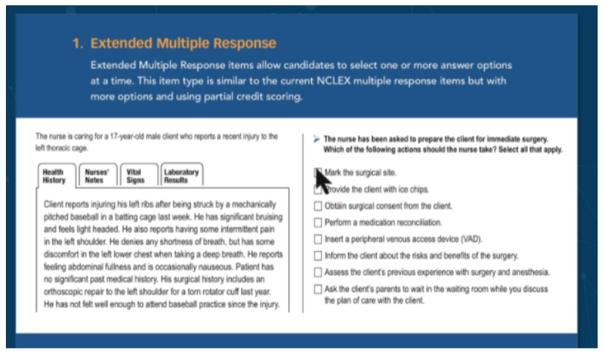

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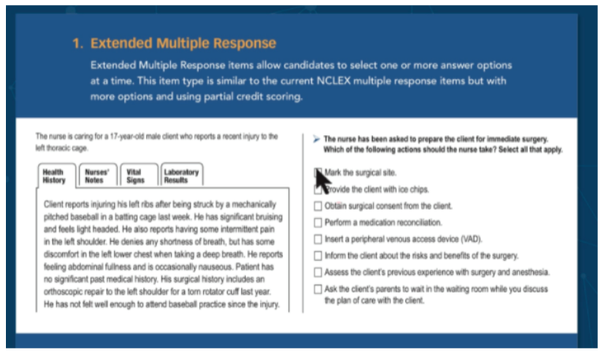

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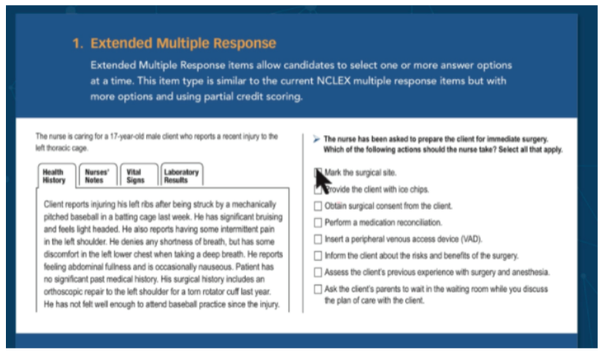

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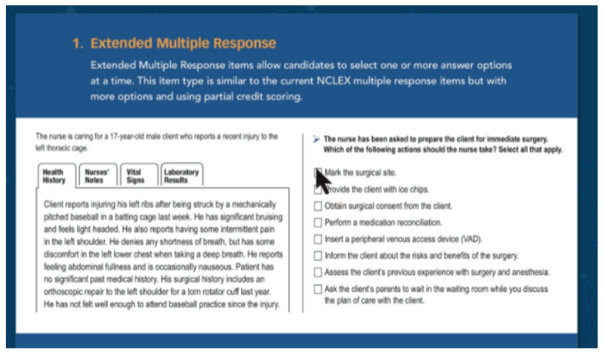

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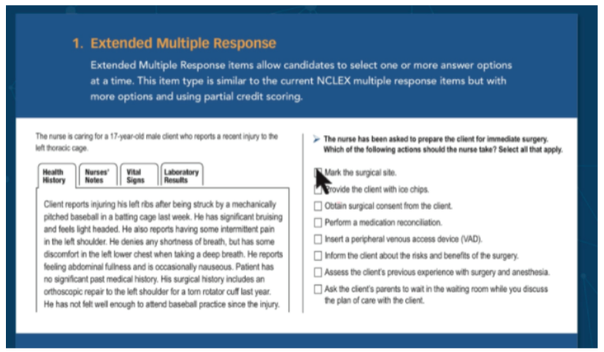

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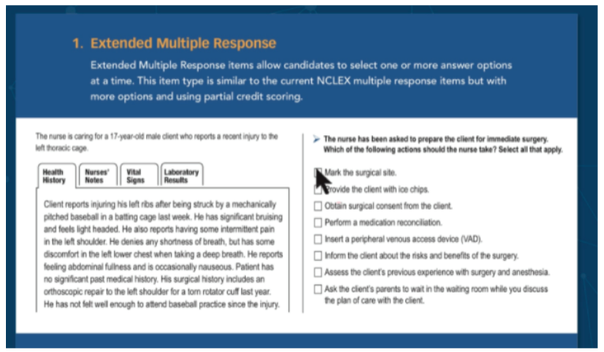

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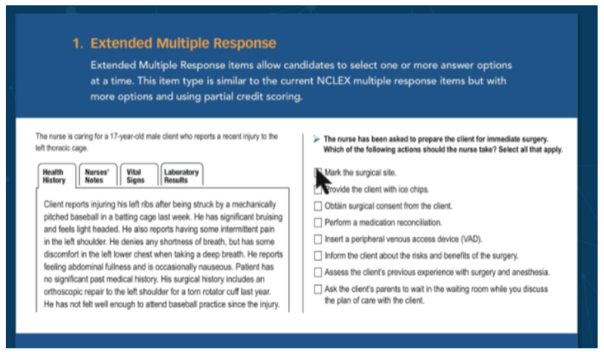

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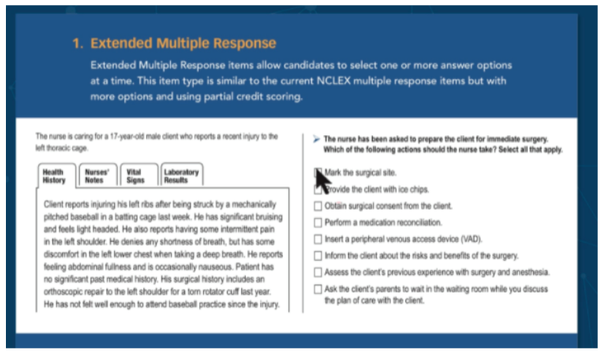

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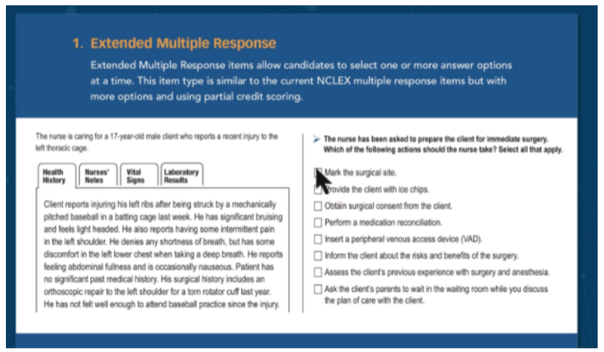

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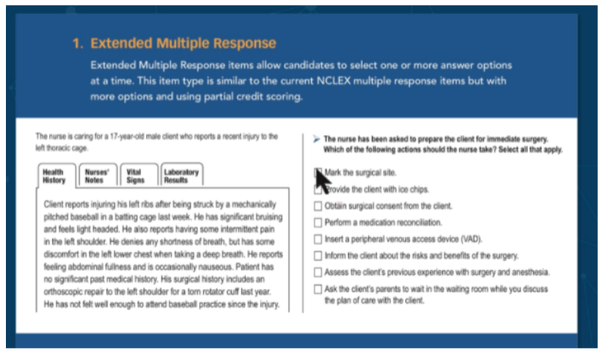

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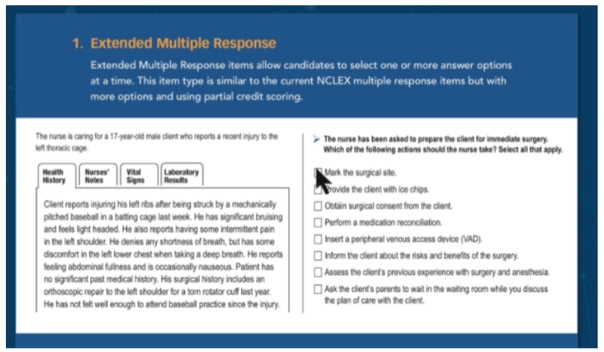

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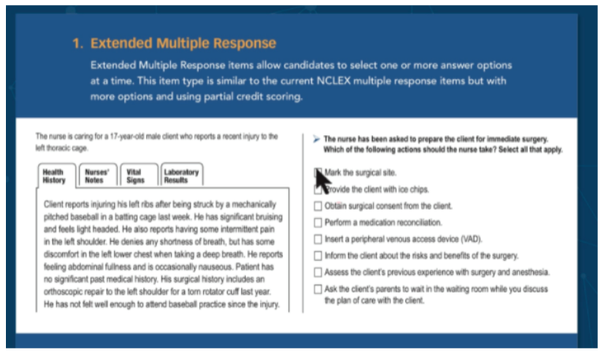

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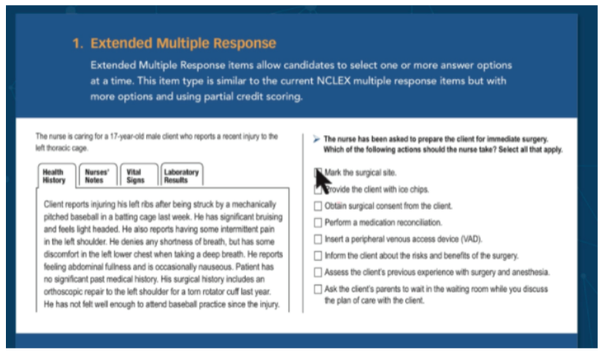

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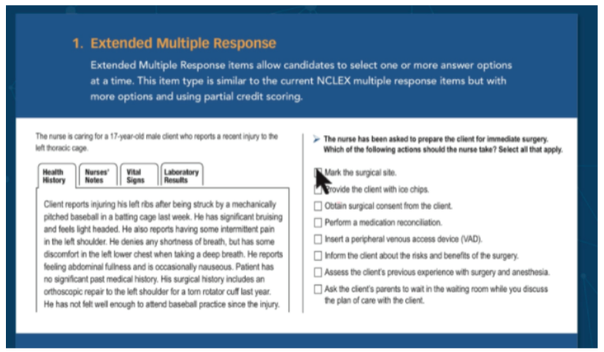

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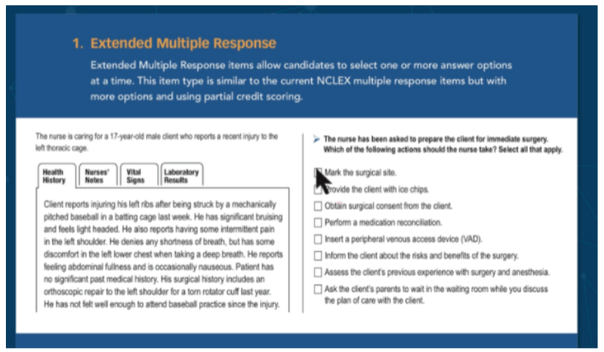

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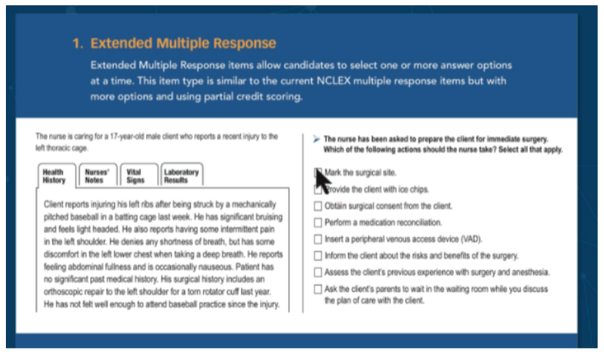

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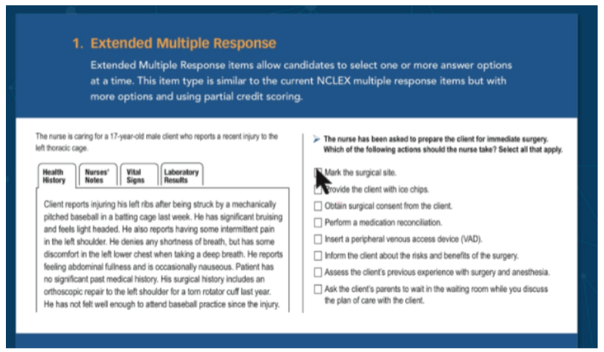

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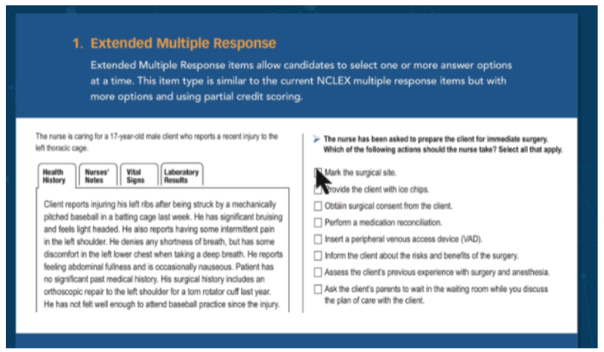

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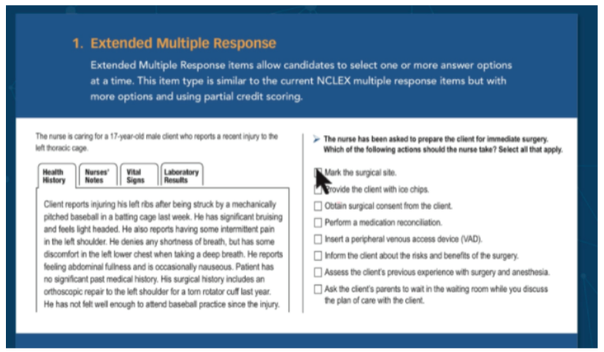

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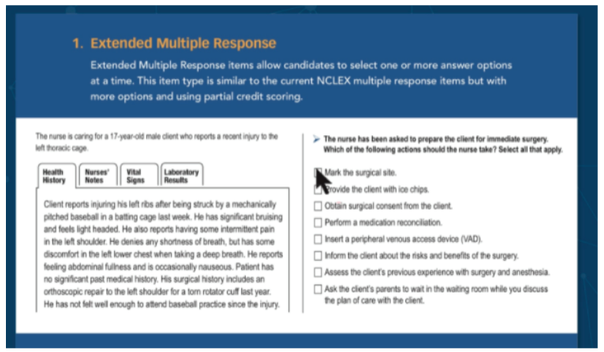

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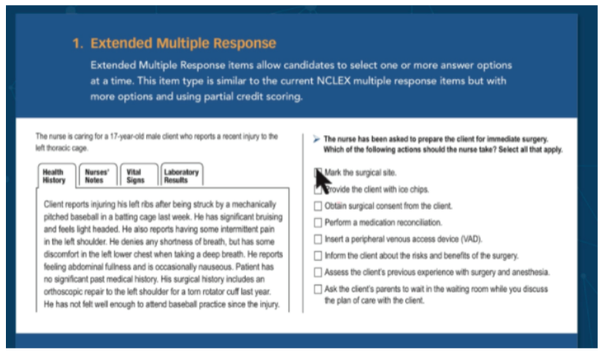

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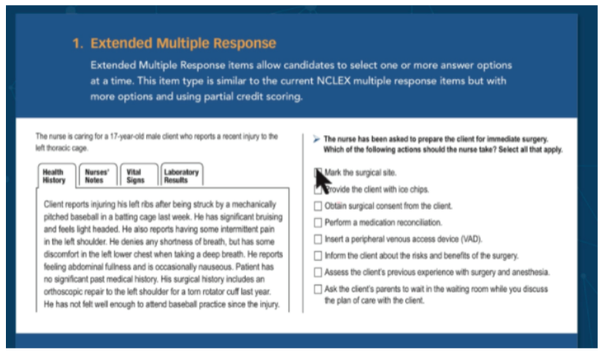

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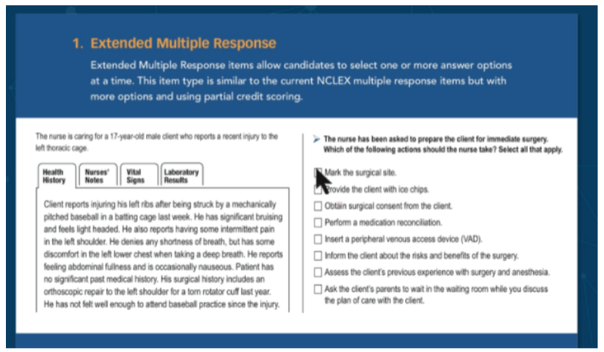

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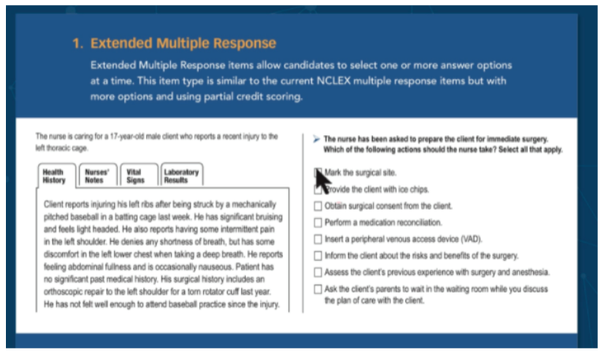

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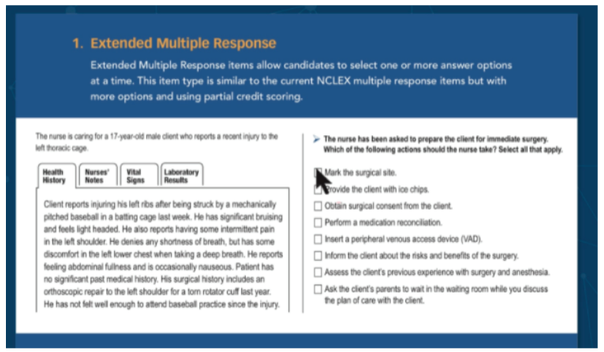

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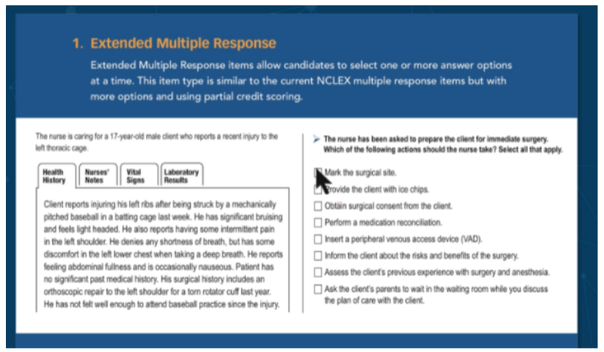

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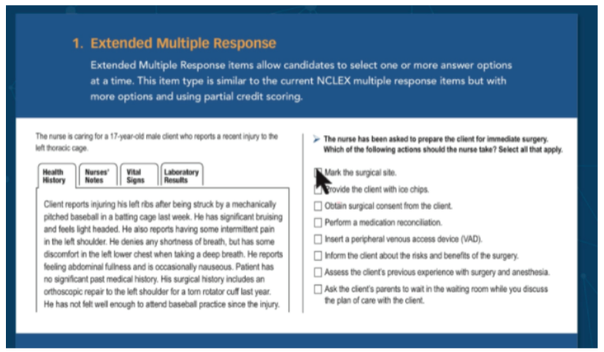

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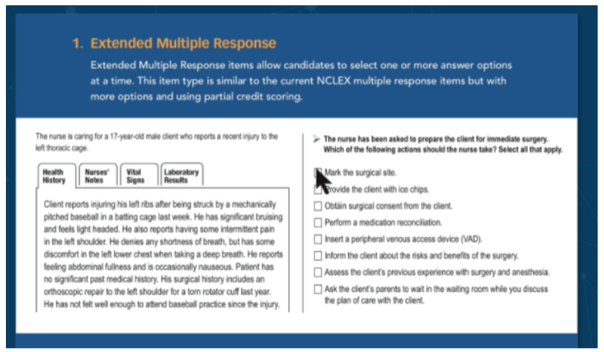

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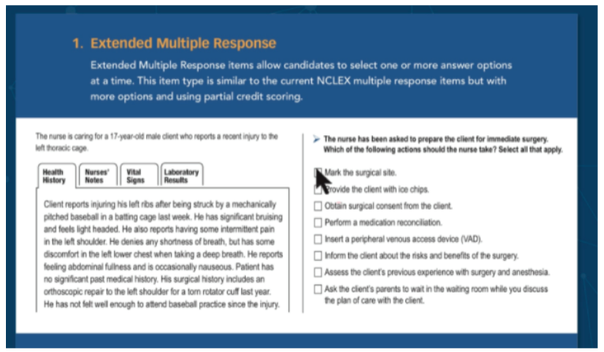

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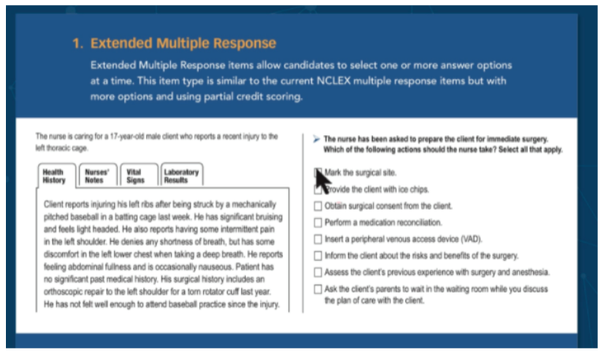

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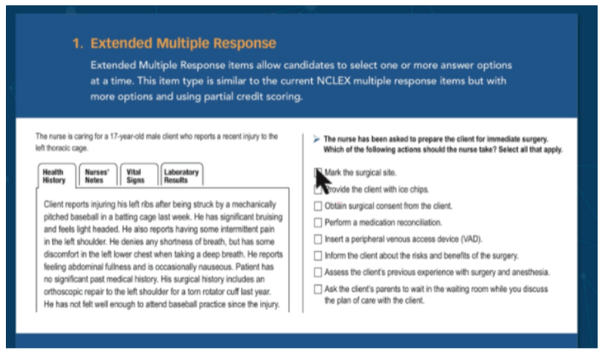

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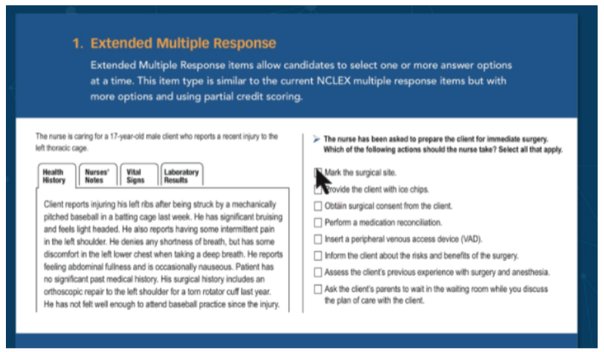

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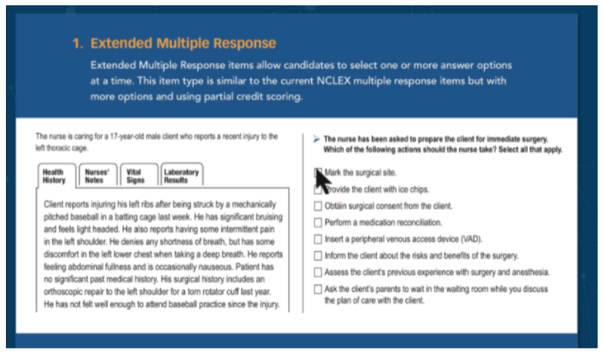

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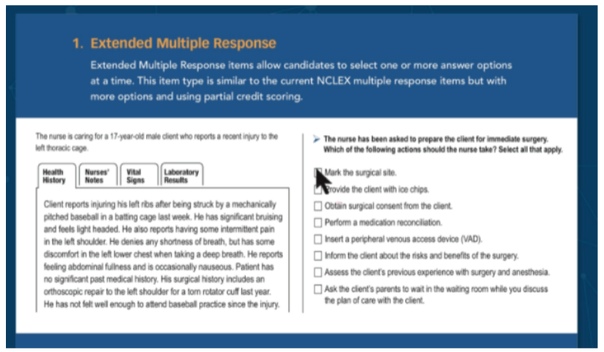

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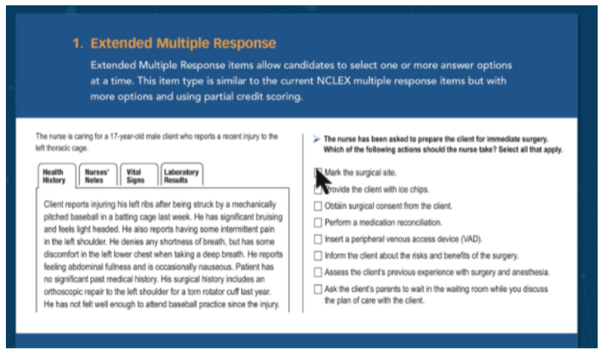

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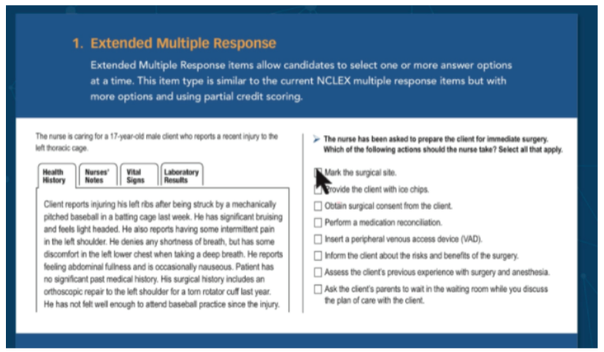

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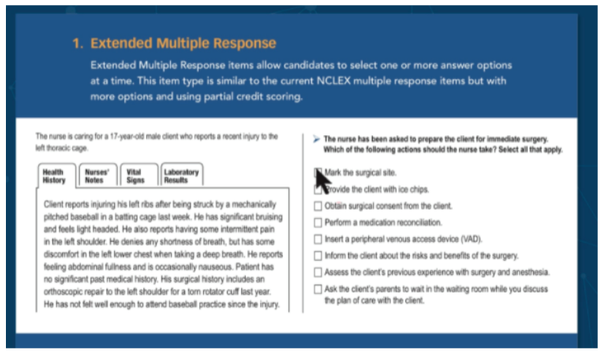

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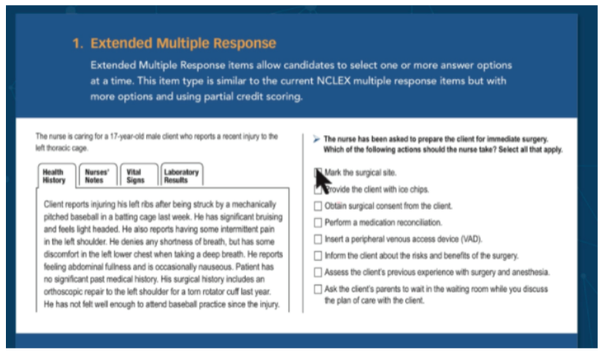

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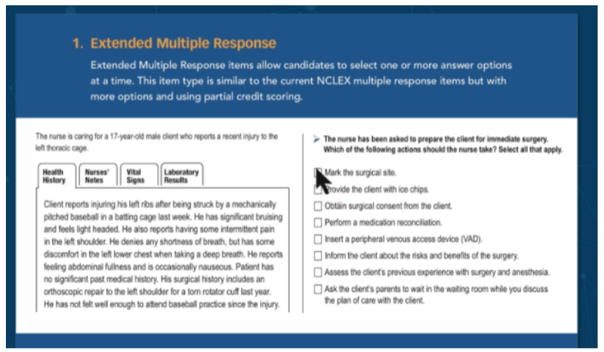

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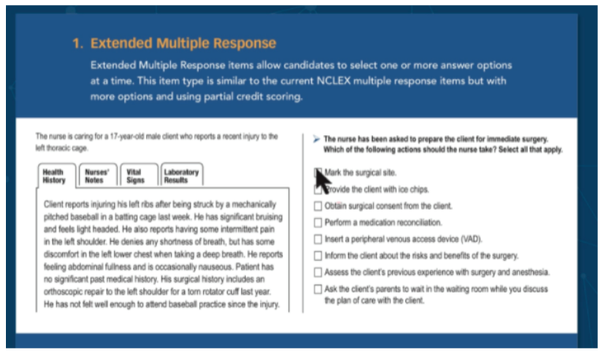

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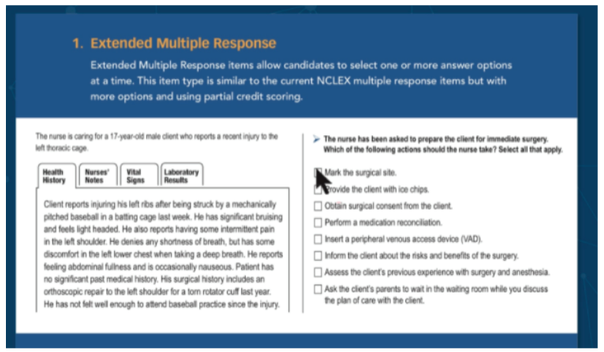

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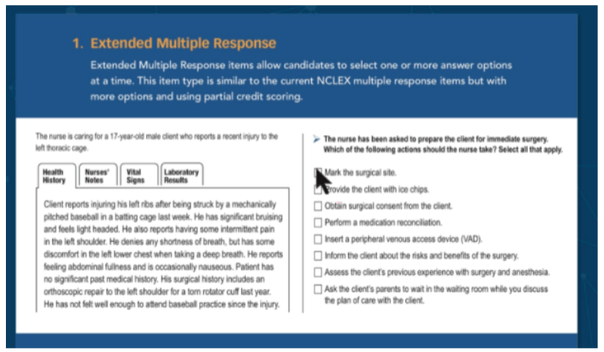

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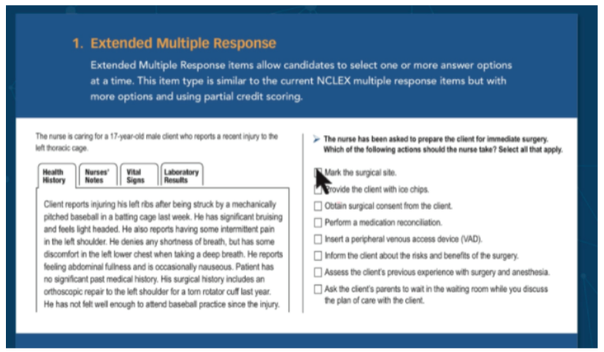

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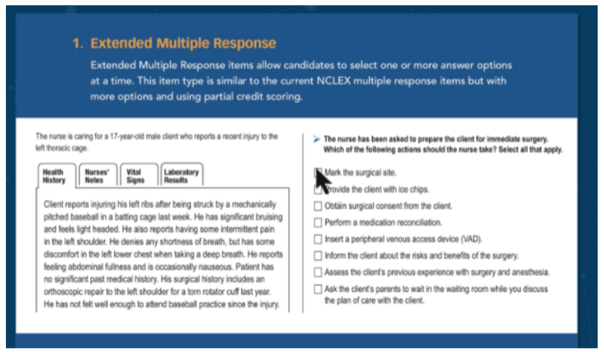

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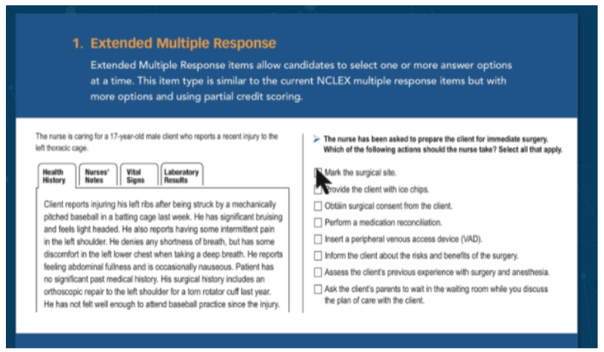

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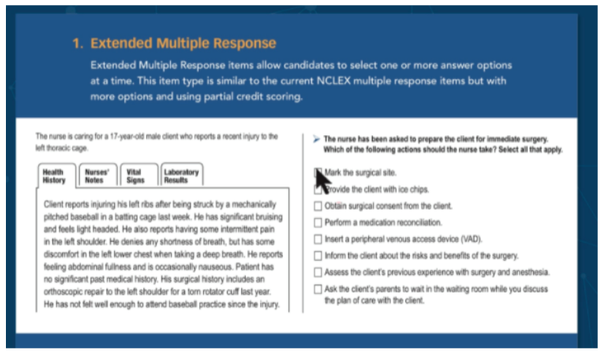

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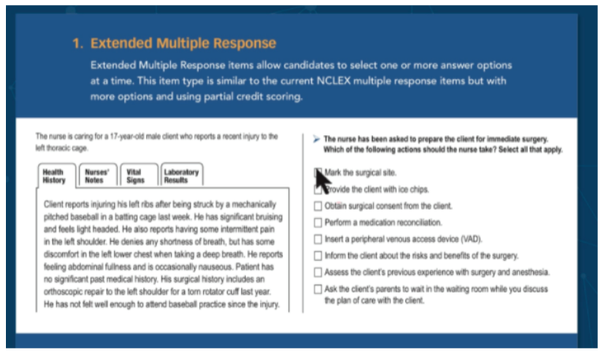

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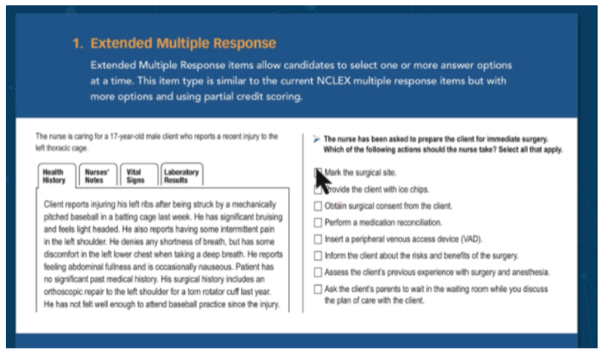

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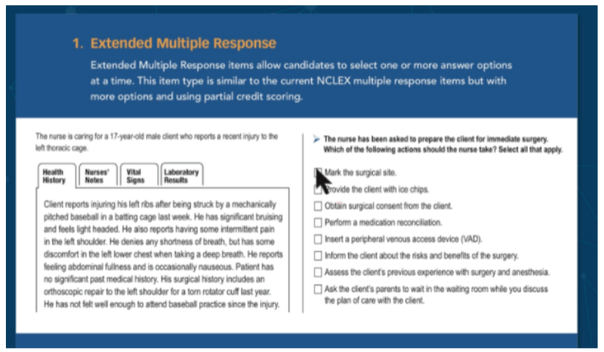

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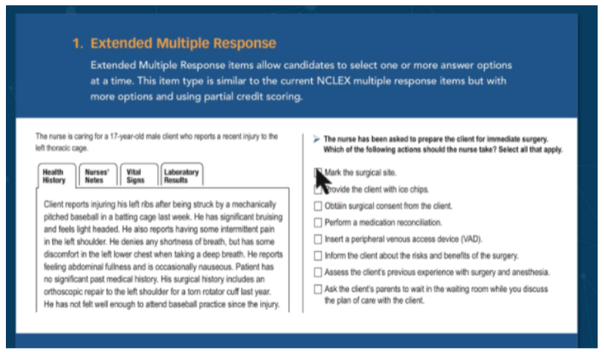

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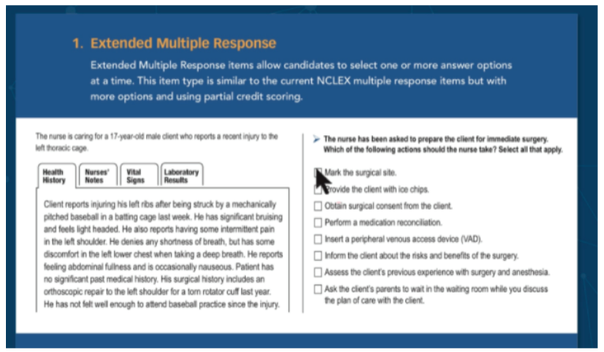

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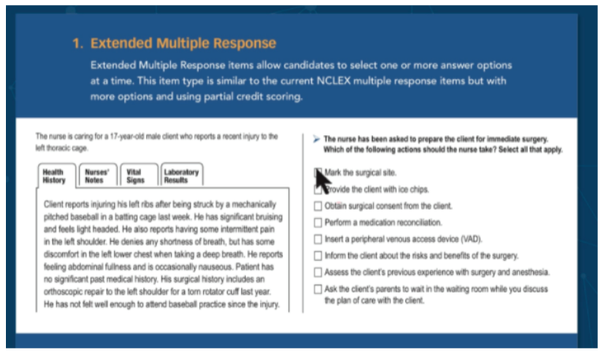

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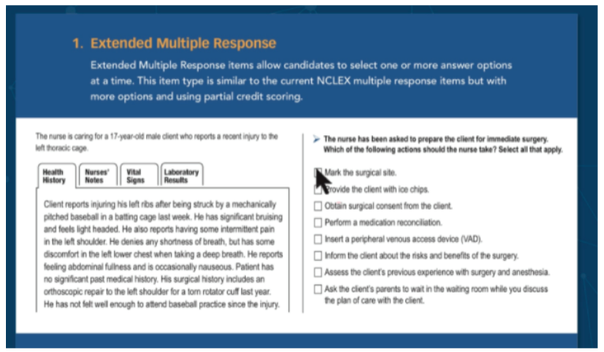

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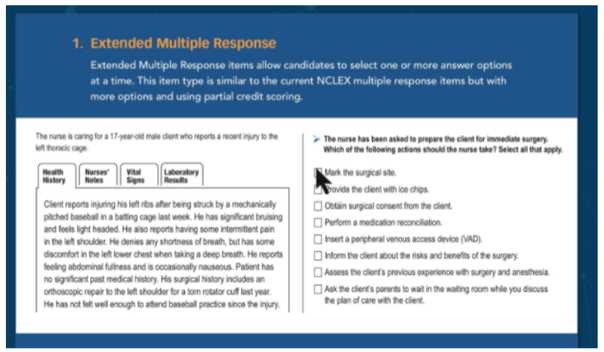

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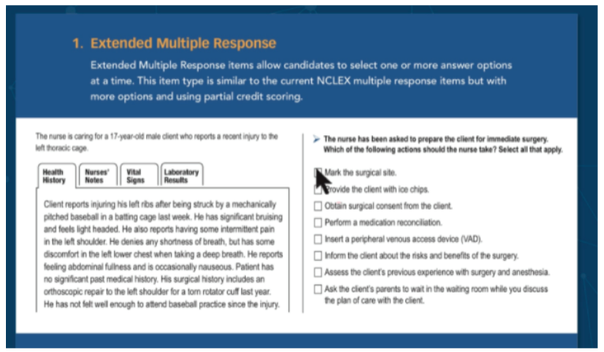

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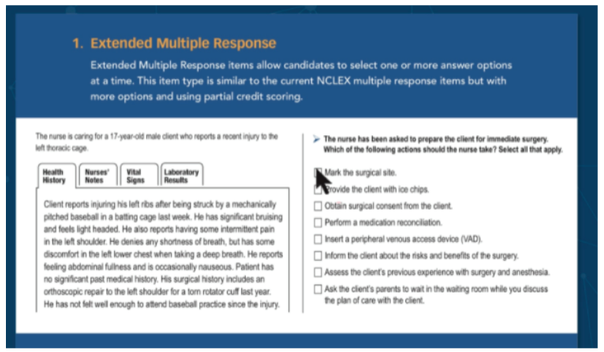

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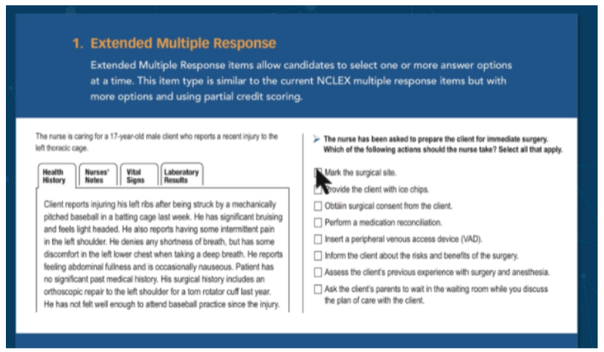

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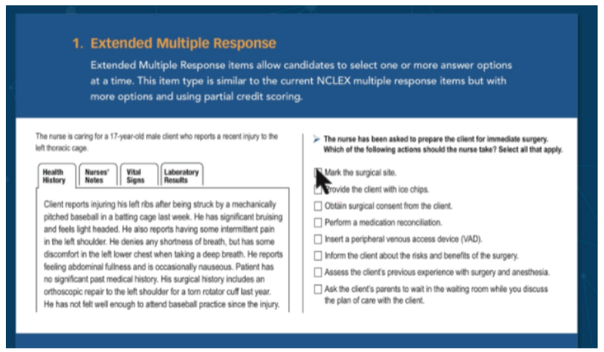

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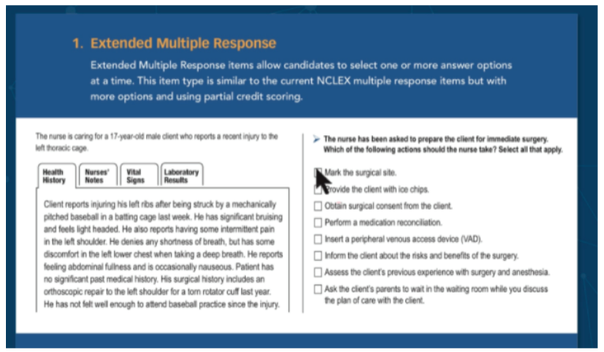

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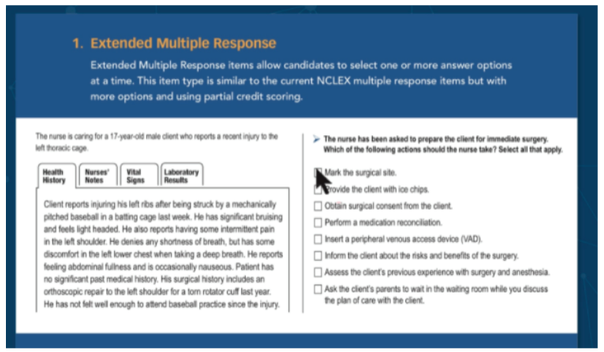

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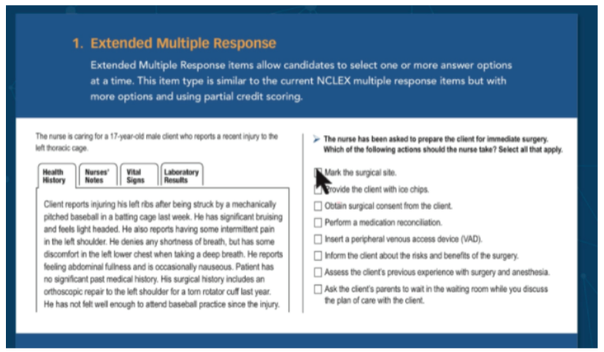

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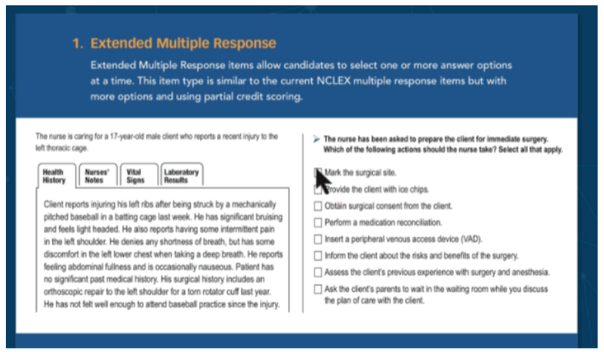

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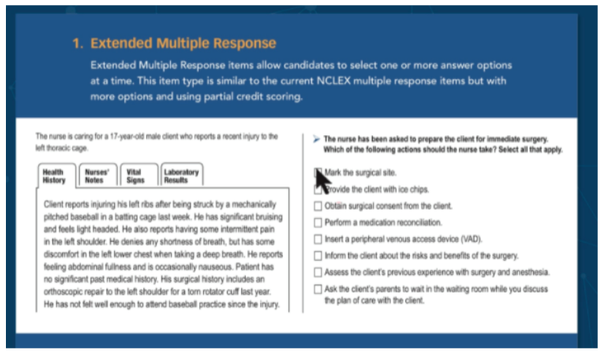

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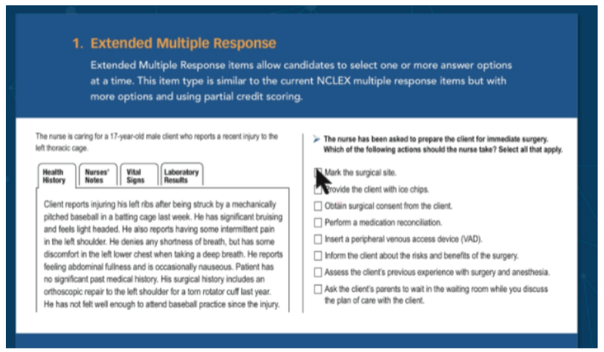

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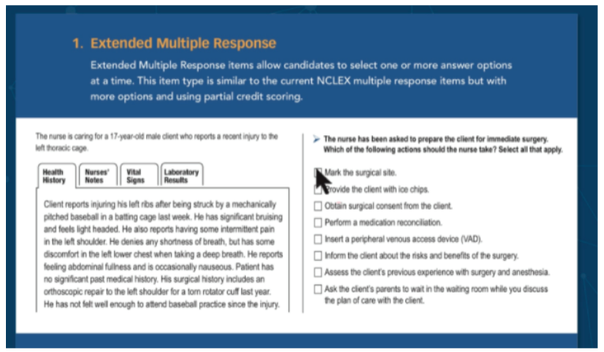

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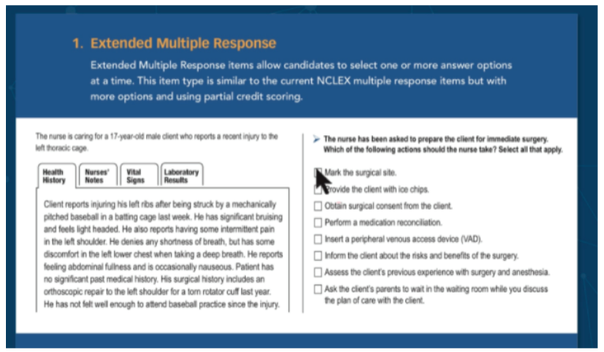

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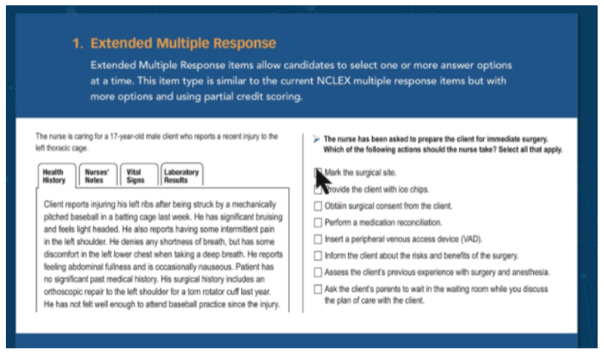

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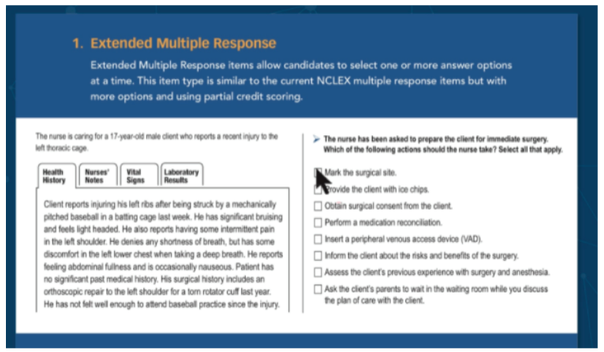

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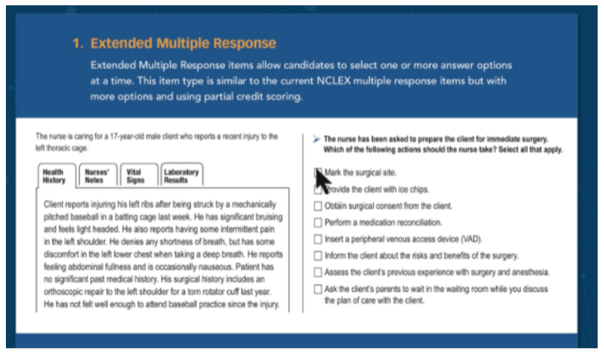

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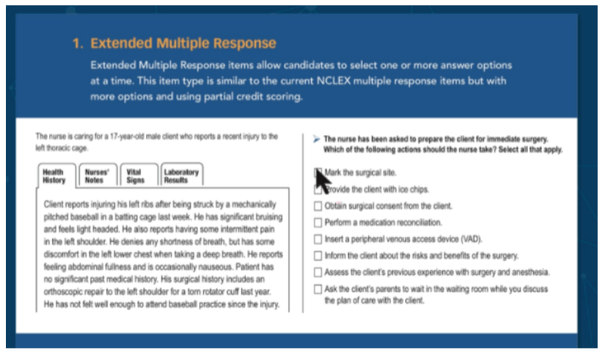

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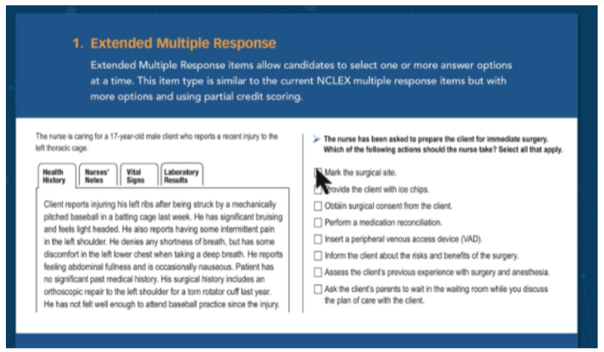

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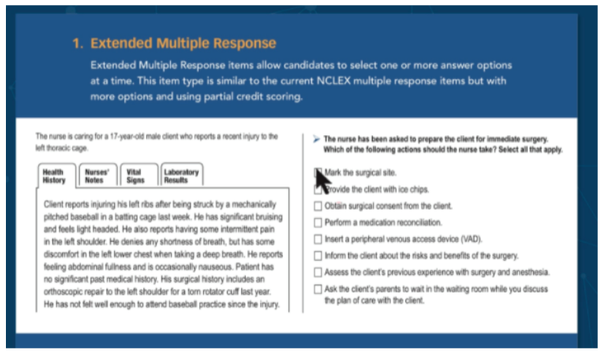

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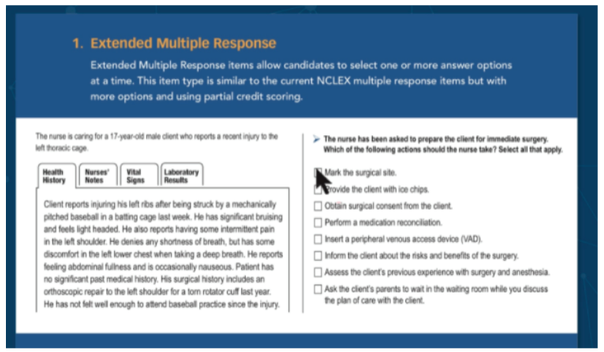

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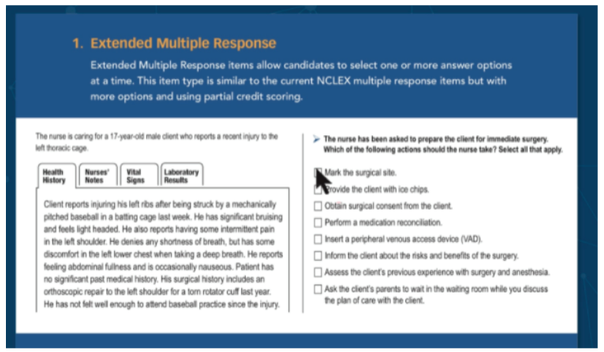

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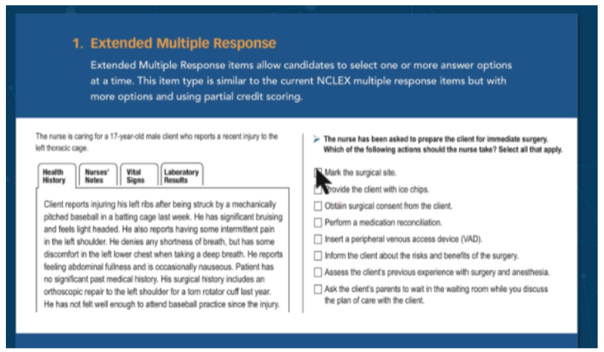

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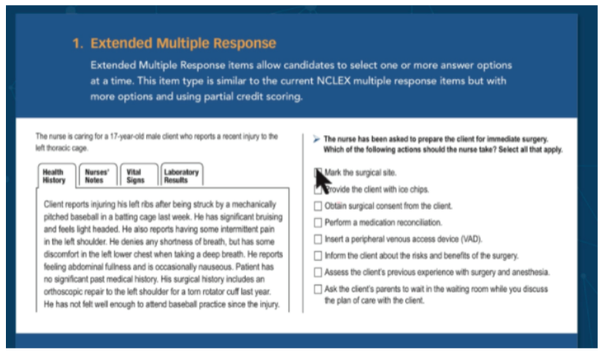

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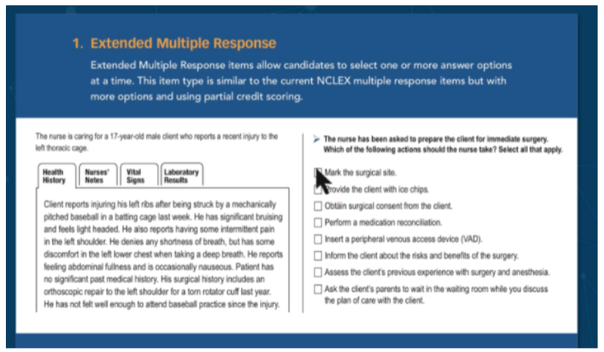

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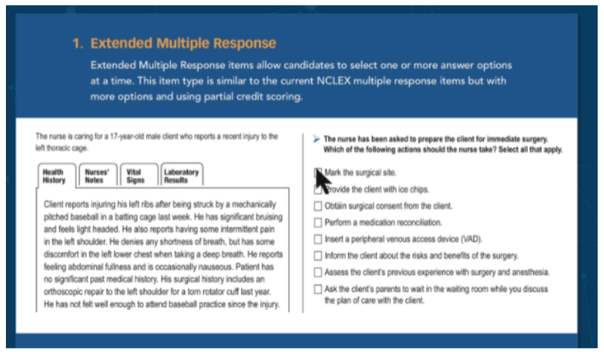

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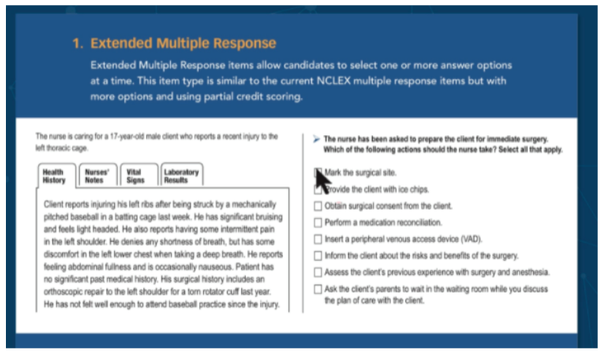

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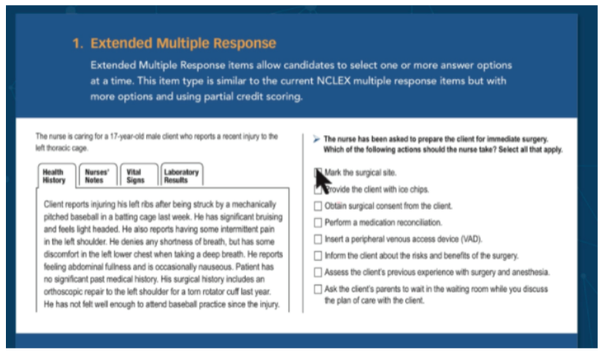

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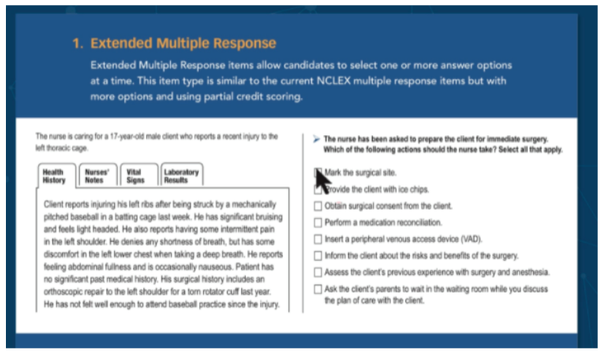

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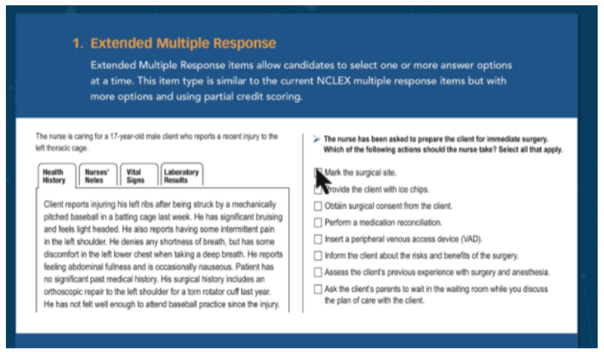

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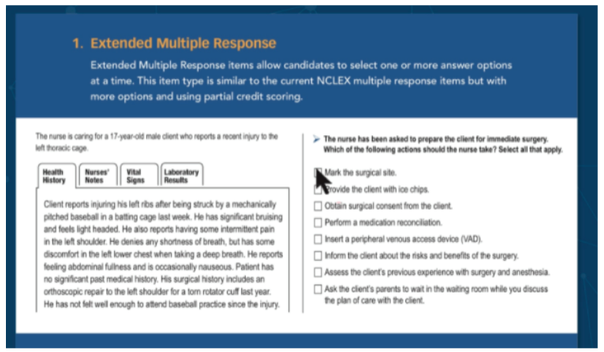

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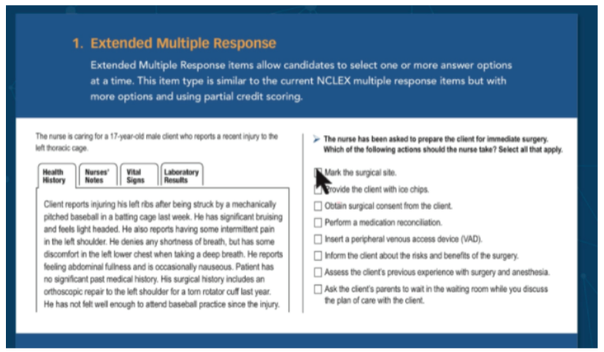

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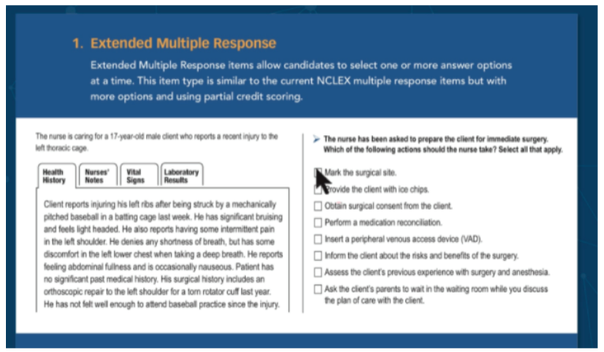

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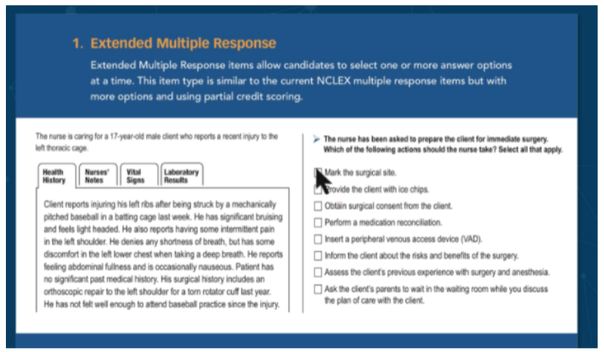

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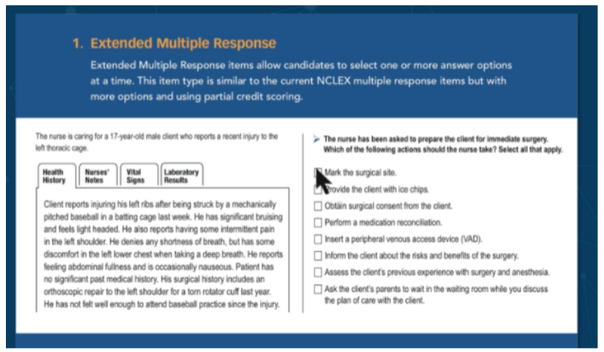

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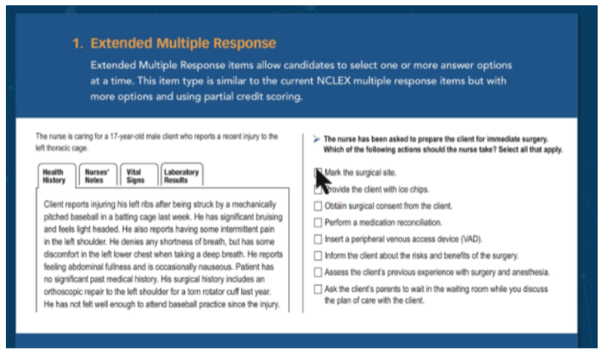

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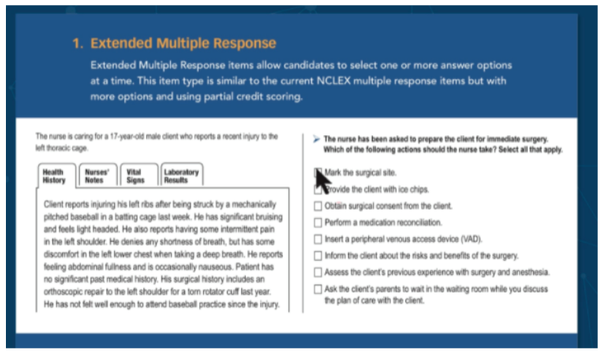

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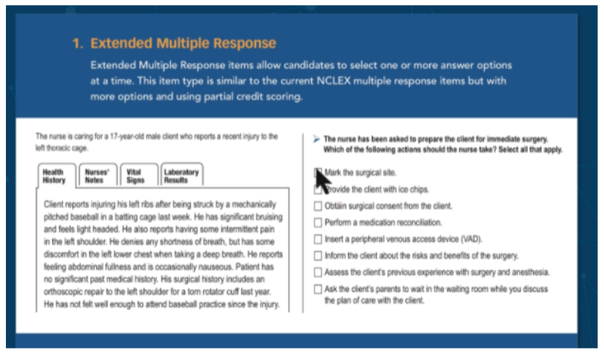

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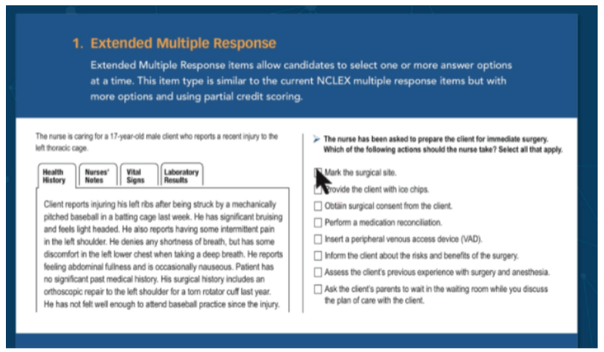

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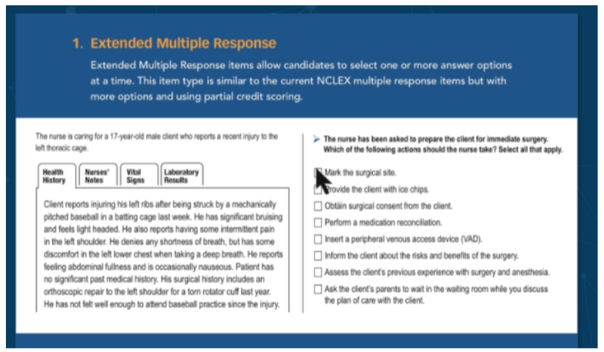

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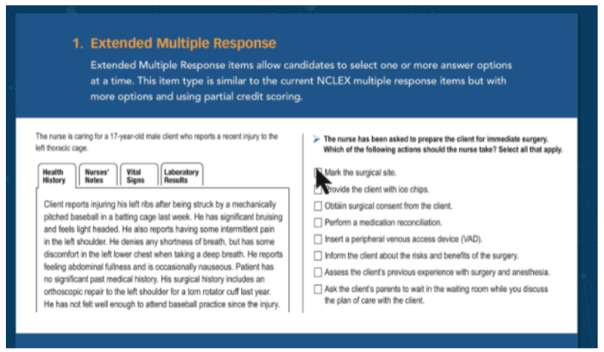

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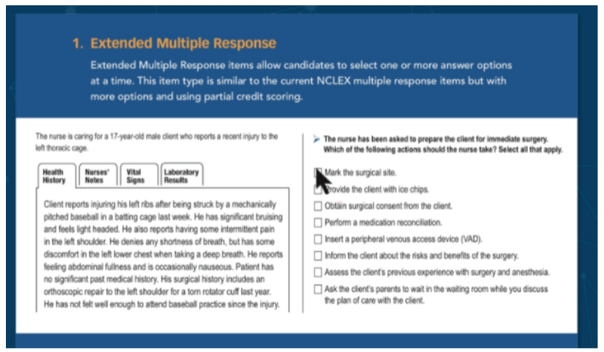

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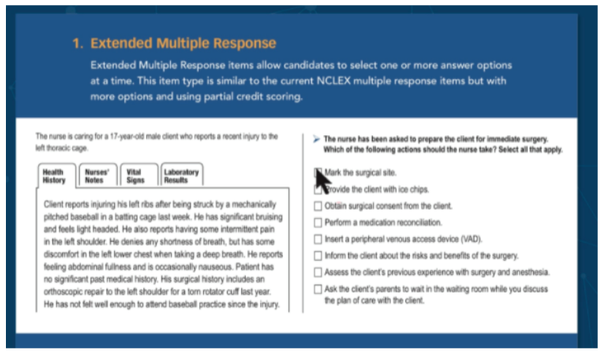

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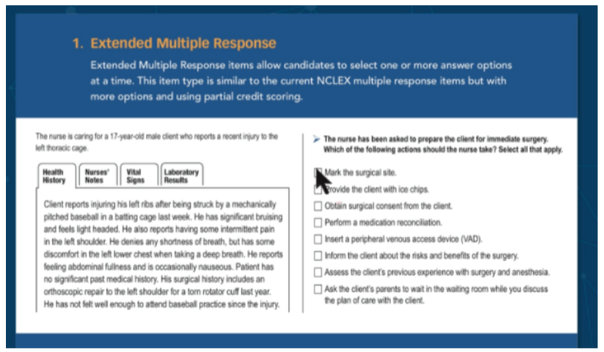

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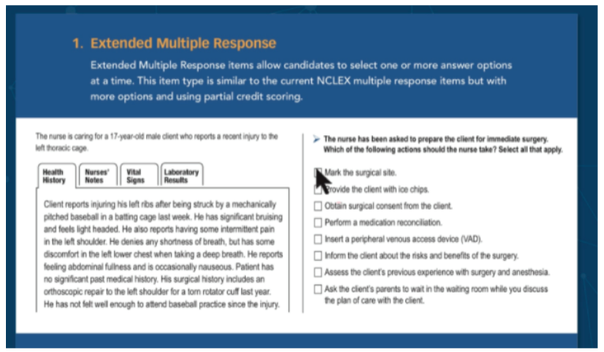

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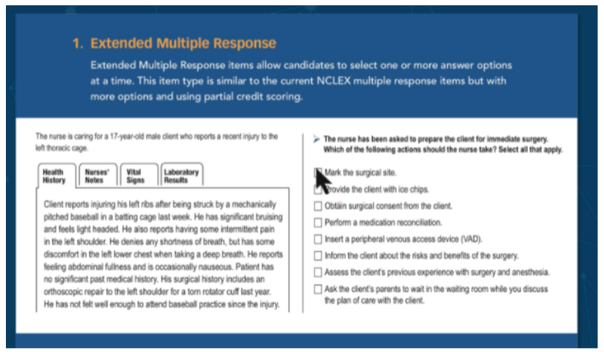

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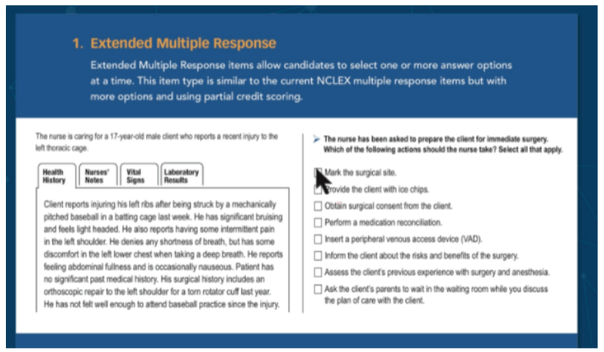

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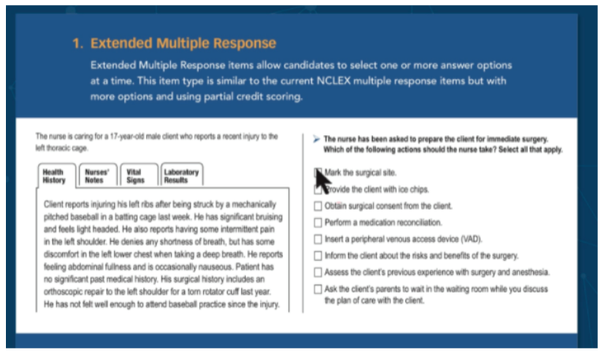

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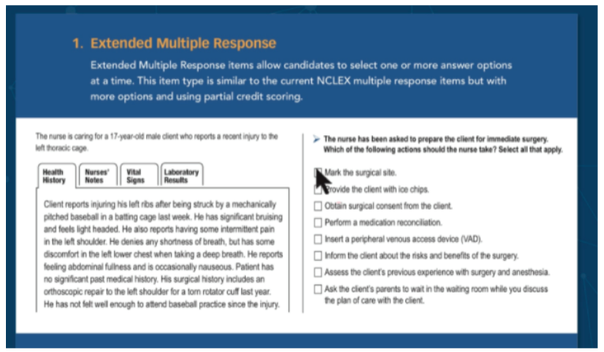

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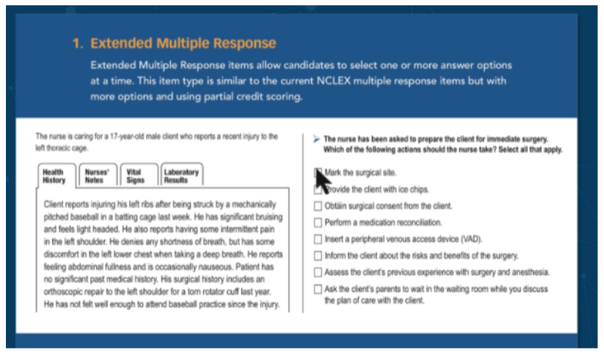

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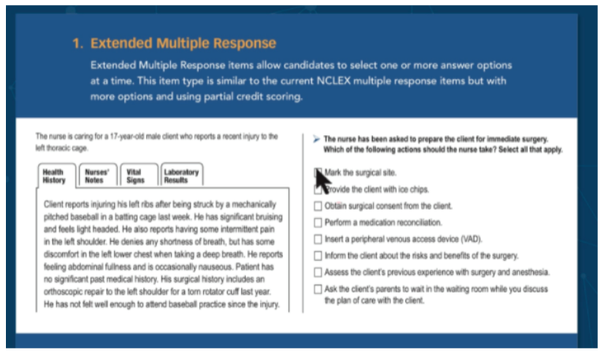

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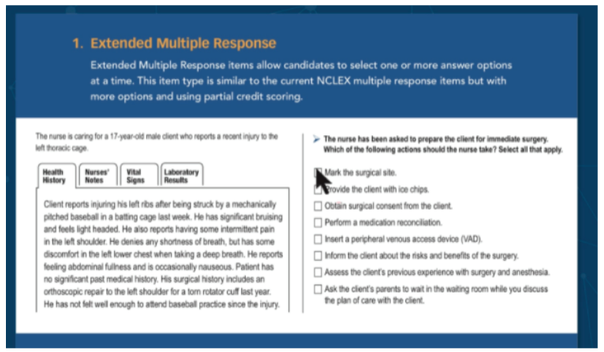

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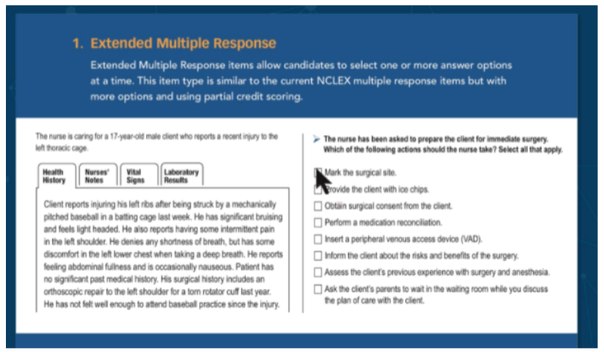

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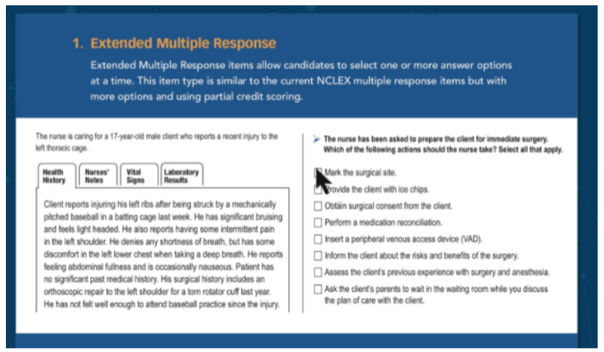

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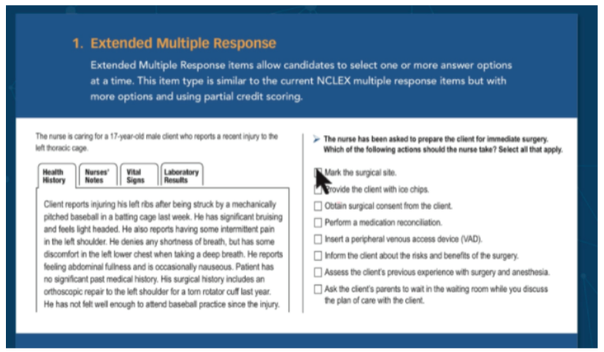

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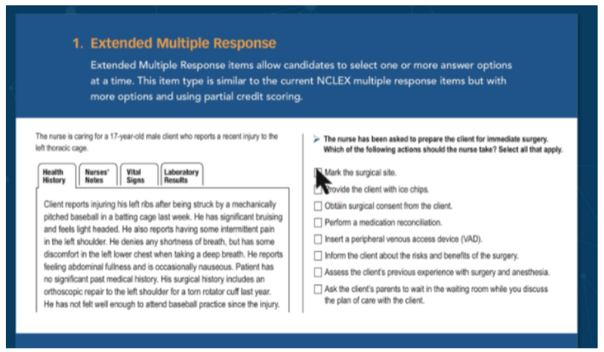

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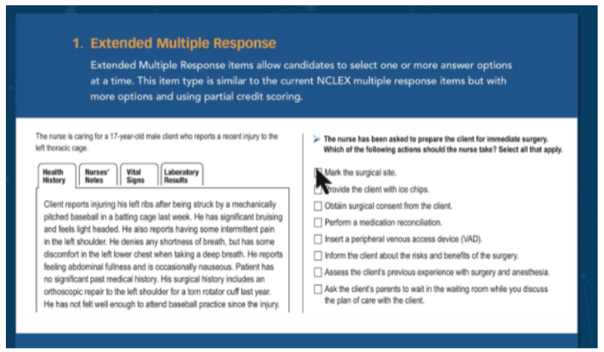

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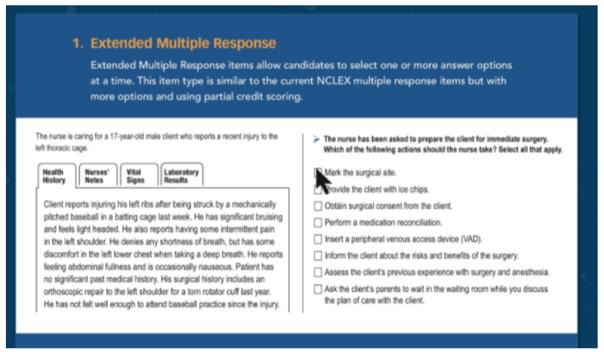

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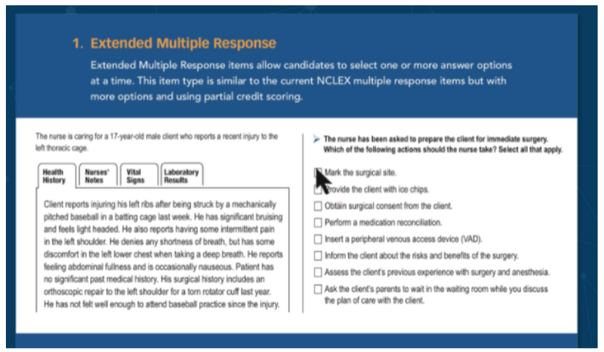

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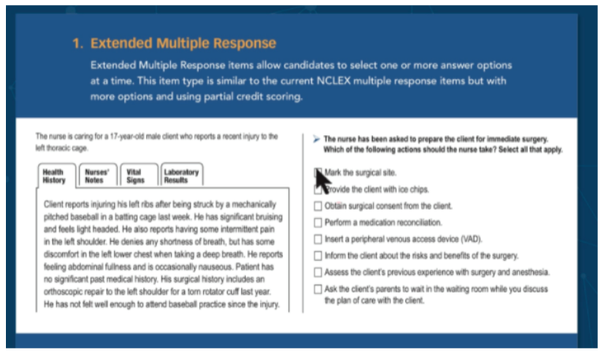

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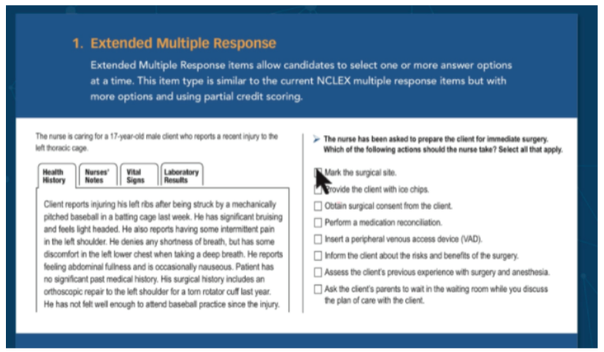

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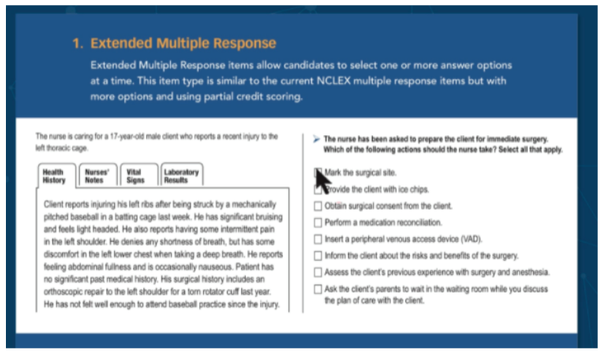

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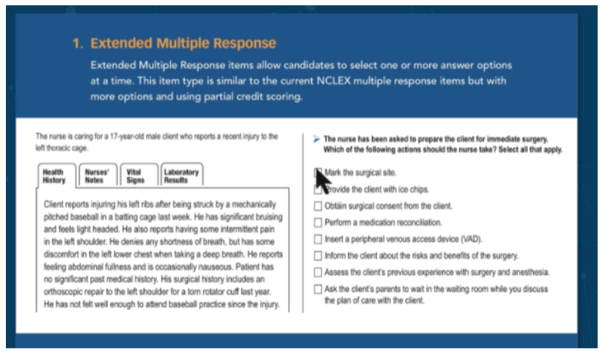

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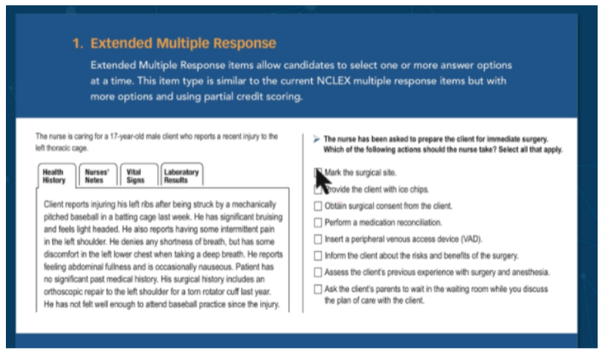

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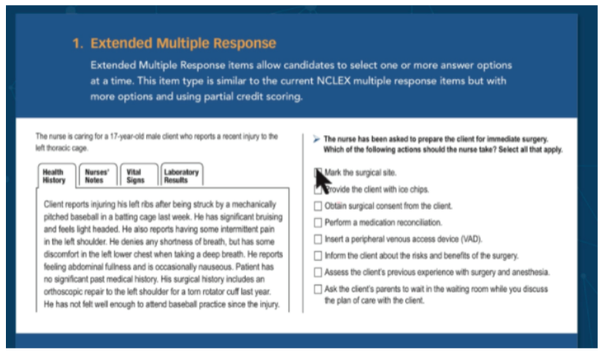

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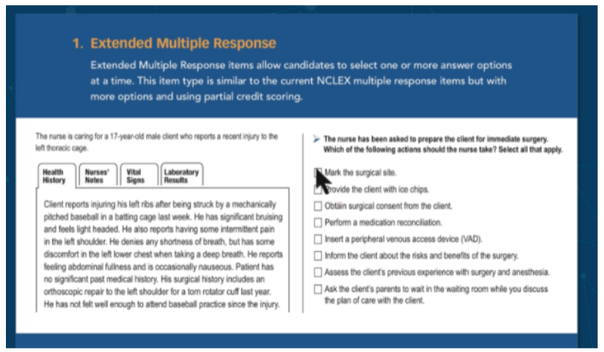

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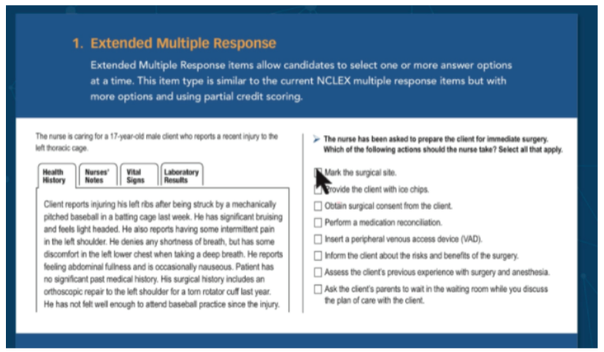

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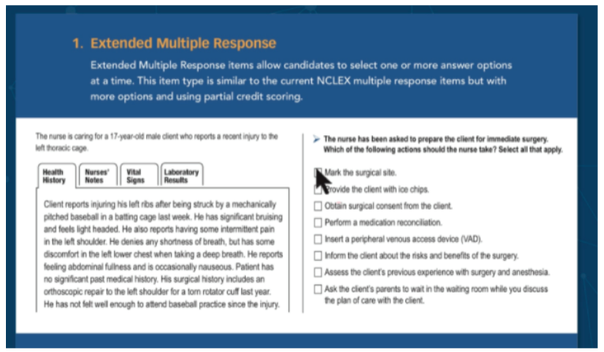

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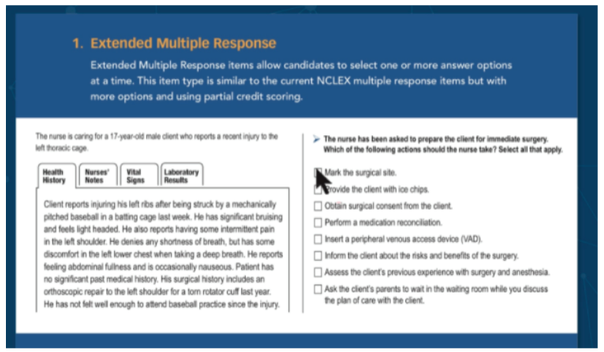

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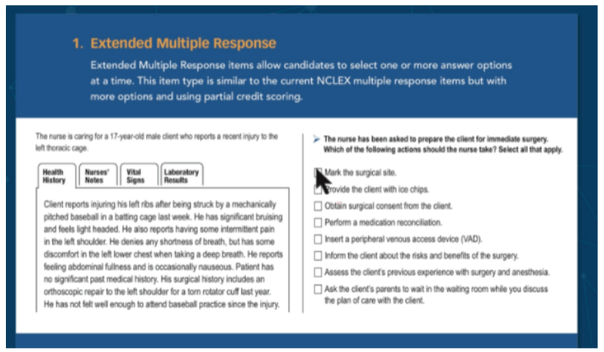

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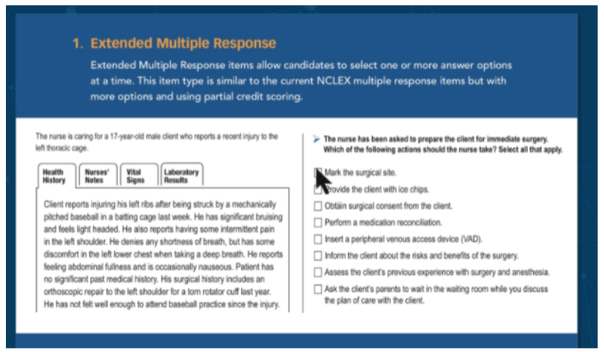

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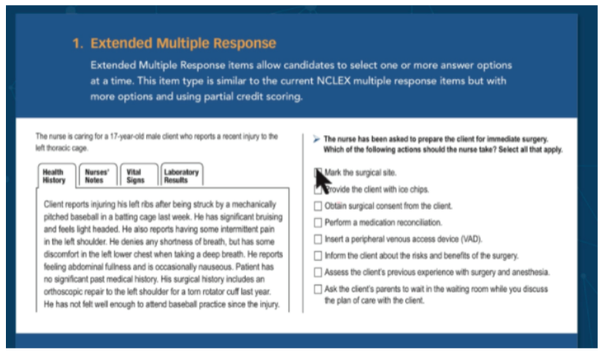

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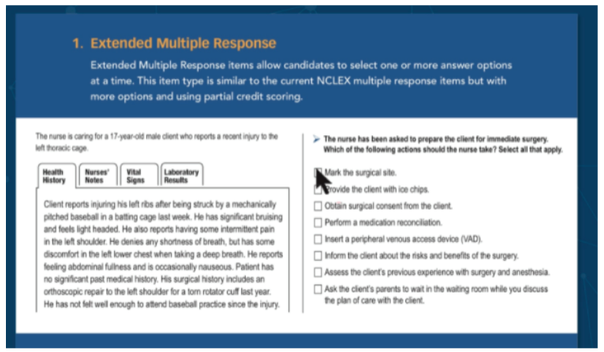

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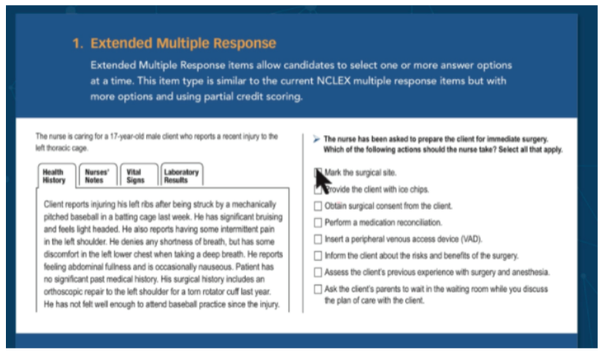

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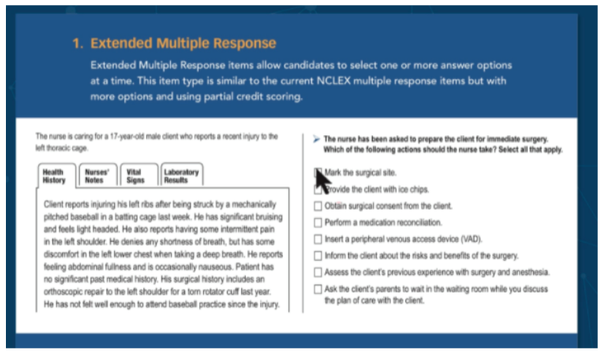

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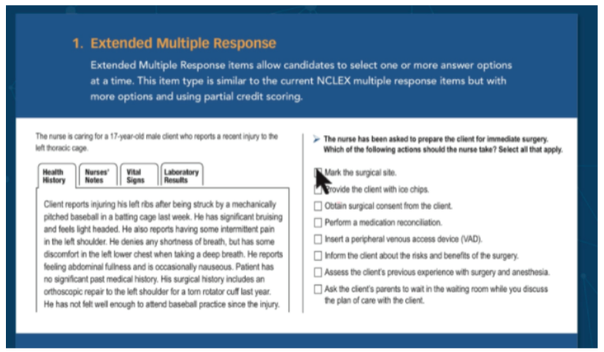

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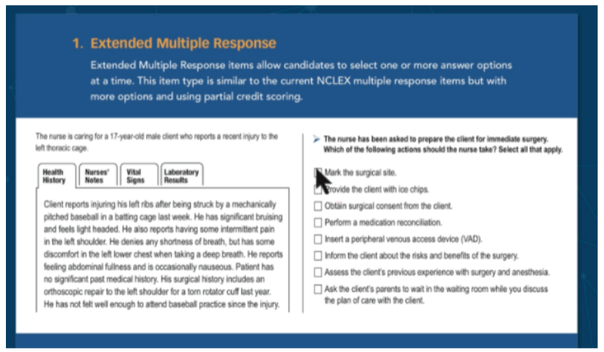

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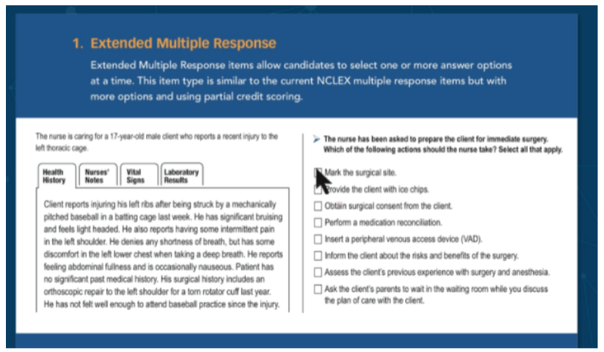

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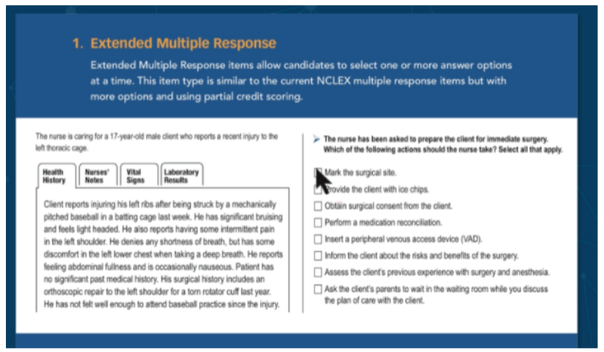

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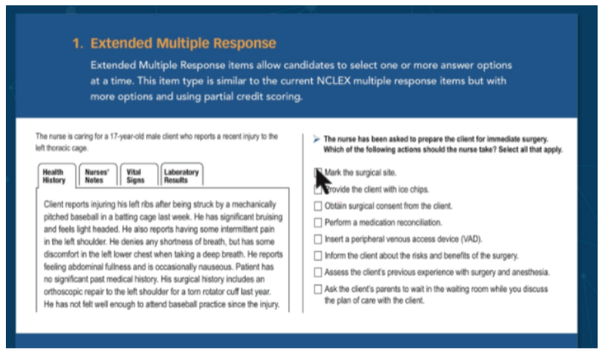

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SAMARITAN HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING

Alumni News

Spring 2022

From the President's Desk

Hello to all my fellow alumni members.
It's been a long winter. I'm sure everyone is looking forward to warmer weather and a return of some semblance of normalcy. For our alumni members who have been practicing over the past two years of the pandemic, we support you.

I would like to publically thank the countless alumni members who generously donated money to our association. It is the board's intention to invest the $1000.00 dollars of unspecified gifts to one of our funds.

The board is in need of new members. Not only do we have vacancies on the executive committee, but our various committees are in need of committee members. The commitment of time is not overly burdensome. Please reach out if you are interested.

On a final note, I was recently appointed as Judge to Troy City Court. As long as I am ethically permitted, I intend to remain on the board and serve as your president.

Anne L. Coonrad, President

Communications

Please help us in keeping our alumni address list as current and up to date as possible whenever you have changes to yourself or classmates. I also just wanted to remind everyone that the newsletter and information concerning the Alumni Association can be found on the alumni website at St. Peter's Health Partners. (www.SPHP.com). A brief roadmap directly to our link: once you are on SPHP.com click careers, then schools of nursing (left side of page), then Samaritan Hospital School of Nursing, then Alumni Association. This should take you directly to our webpage. So, please be cautious during these challenging times and feel free to contact us if you have any questions pertaining to the Samaritan School of Nursing.

Respectfully submitted,

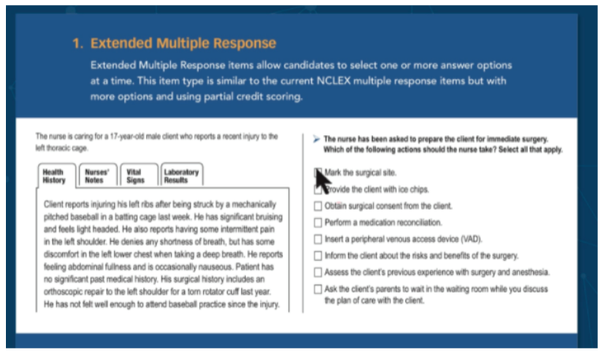
Carl M. Cacciotti, Chairperson

From the Directors Desk

Dear Alumni,

It is hard to believe that two years later, we are still talking about the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic. The pandemic has changed the way we run the school of nursing. I would say, we have a new norm now. In typical nursing fashion, we have adapted, and the students continue to be eager to learn and the faculty eager to teach.

I am happy to share we have significantly updated our lab teaching equipment and simulation equipment. The lab is receiving heavy use from students for a variety of reasons. We have a steady flow of students who may miss clinical due to testing COVID + or family member are + and they are all quarantined. We have also increased use of simulation to complement our teaching/learning modalities. Due to COVID we have not been in pediatric clinical for 2 years! But we have excellent simulations to bridge this gap. We now have two infant mannequins that do just about everything a sick baby does – cry, vomit, display seizure activity, develop bulging fontanels the list goes on and on. We have pediatric mannequins that are equally as realistic and interactive. And we have a new mom mannequin that gives birth, has a prolapsed cord, placenta abruption and other OB emergencies. Students have become so engaged. They cleave to the technology aspect of learning coupled with the safety of learning (and making mistakes) in the lab. They have been requesting extra free time in the lab to work with this equipment and have even asked to attend extra lab classes! This type of learning will be invaluable to help students be successful with the planned changes in the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX) scheduled for April 2023.



The National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN), NCLEX Exam Committee is making sweeping changes to the NCLEX-RN and NCLEX-PN exams. The genesis for this change started many years ago, when the Exam Committee posed one simple question "Is the NCLEX measuring the right thing?" That question led scholars and sages in the nursing profession to discuss and debate novice nurse readiness and ultimately develop a model for clinical judgment to guide and measure novice nurse competence. Integrating this model into the examination questions has created the new terminology "Next Generation NCLEX" (NGN). The NCSBN links clinical judgment to 46% of all tasks performed by entry-level nurses but research has identified a lack of clinical judgement ability amongst novice nurses. Medical errors are the third leading cause of death in the United States. And only 20% of employers are satisfied with new nurses' decision-making ability. The NGN will use a case-based question format, with 6 questions per case that represent aspects of a nurses' clinical judgment.

In December, 29 graduates earned the status of alumni! Our NCLEX pass rates remain impressively high. New York State and national averages for both programs have dropped precipitously since COVID. Below are the most recent 1st time new graduate pass rates for each program:

	Practical Nurse		Registered Nurse	
	2021	**2020**	**2021**	**2020**
Samaritan	87.5 % (7/8)	100% (9/9)	95.08%(58/61)	98.3% (58/59)
NYS average	71.27%	80.59%	63.36%	72.91%
National average	79.50%	86.26%	64.8%	72.23%

The last news I would like to share is that the Nursing School Almanac annually ranks nursing programs in the state. I am delighted to share the Samaritan School of Nursing LPN program ranks #10 in New York State and the RN program ranks # 6.

Hope all of you are well. Stay safe!

Patricia Cannistraci, Dean

Condolences to:

- Barbara Gaudette mother of Susan Gaudette Russell **Class 1977**
- Kimberly Killeen **Class 1992**
- Joan M.Smith mother of Barbara Smith McHale **Class 1977**
- Julia Ann Aird Wheland mother in law of Lynn Lasher Wheland **Class 1968**
- Thomas J. Kulzer father of Theresa Kulzer Potter **Class 1975**
- Father of Lisa Williams Class **1988**
- Glenn C. Wheland brother in law of Lynn Lasher Wheland Class **1968**
- Daniel Patrick Jr. Mahoney brother of Anne Mahoney Lengkeek **Class 1968**
- Richard Milton Meyers husband of Kathleen Hogan Meyers **Class 1977**
- Lillian "Mickie" Ann MacNaughton Kehn **Class 1970**
- Sheri Murphy Morlock
- Nancy Ann Saunders Ditto **Class 1979**

Mosley Fund

— Chelsea Zellar, Mosley Chair

Samaritan Hospital School of Nursing Alumni Association Spring Dinner Meeting

When: Tuesday, May 10, 2022

Where: Paolo Lombardi's Ristorante
(104 West Sand Lake Road (Rt 150), Wynantskill, NY)

Time: 5:00 PM

Guest Speaker: Susan Birkhead, DNS, MPH, RN, CNE

Topic: "Nurses Middle College of the Capital Region - A New Charter School to Prepare High School Students for Success in Nursing School"

Program: 5:00 PM Gathering (Cash Bar)
6:00 PM Dinner
7:00 PM Alumni/Foundation Meeting

Dinner Choices:

Breaded Breast of Chicken Topped with Sauce and Mozzarella Cheese

Tendered Veal Simmered in Marinara Sauce, with Red and Green Bell Peppers

Eggplant Layered with Romano, Mozzarella Cheeses in Marinara Sauce

Dinner Meeting Reservation

Please return reservation with $20.00 (member) or $25.00 (nonmember) with the fee payable to Samaritan Hospital Schoolof Nursing Alumni Association, Inc by Thurs., May 5th

If you are a student and have an interest in attending, there is a fee of $10 per person.

Mail to:
Anne Coonrad, 1400 Sausse Ave, Troy, NY 12180.

All reservations must be honored. If a cancellation is required, please contact Chelsea Zellar at (518) 380-7359. If anyone has a topic they would like to see presented at an Alumni meeting, please contact Chelsea Zellar or other Board Member.

Print Name: _____

Class: _____

Student's Name: _____

☐ Chicken ☐ Veal ☐ Eggplant

We would like payments as soon as possible. Walk-ins are not allowed due to COVID restrictions. No more than 50 people in attendance per restaurant's request.