

# SBAR Template

**S**ituation:

**Name/age:**

**BRIEF** summary of primary problem:

**Day of admission/post-op #:**

**B**ackground:

**Primary problem/diagnosis:**

**RELEVANT** past medical history:

**RELEVANT** background data:

**A**ssessment:

**Current vital signs:**

**RELEVANT** body system nursing assessment data:

**RELEVANT** lab values:

**TREND** of any abnormal clinical data (stable-increasing/decreasing):

**How** have you advanced the plan of care?

**Patient response:**

**INTERPRETATION** of current clinical status (stable/unstable/worsening):

**R**ecommendation:

**Suggestions to advance plan of care:**