**Unit 7 Assignment Introduction**

As nurses, you may be called upon to testify or give a deposition about the care you have provided. Being aware of potential malpractice situations and how to deal with adverse patient occurrences when they happen is an important role of the advance practice nurse.

There are two cases that will be explored in this Assignment. You will be assigned one case by your instructor. You will also be assigned to a group. The Project will begin with a group contract that outlines the responsibilities of the group members. If a member is not participating, the instructor may deduct points for non-participation.

Working in a group involves collaboration. Strong members of the group will help bring weaker members up to the same level. In general, a group Project is a better product than a single person could produce by themselves.

Learn from the group and learn from the other group Projects that are presented in the Discussion Board. This is an opportunity bring the course materials together into a cohesive paper.