**Assignments, Chapter 36, The Digestive System**

| Written Assignment | Learning Objectives |
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| Assignment #1. Complete Chapter 36 of *Lippincott Workbook for Nursing Assistants*. | 1–5 |

| Group Assignments | Learning Objective(s) |
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| Assignment #1. Divide into small groups. The instructor will give each group an unlabeled diagram of the digestive system. Each group should label each structure and list the function of each organ of the system. Compete with the groups to see who finishes first and who has the most information. | 1, 2 |
| Assignment #2. List all the changes in the digestive system that occur with aging. Discuss as a group, the effects of these changes on the digestive system. | 3 |

| Clinical Assignment | Learning Objectives |
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| Assignment #1. Review with your instructor the effects of aging and signs and symptoms of digestive disorders. While caring for patients or residents in clinical, observe for and report these effects and signs and symptoms to the nurse and to your instructor immediately. | 3, 4 |

| Web Assignment | Learning Objectives |
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| Assignment #1. Choose a digestive disorder and research the latest in diagnostic tests and treatment for the disorder. Share your findings with the class. | 4, 5 |