

Dovey Learns About Home Care Nurses



We hope you enjoy *The Adventures of Dovey and Friends* as she learns about the many ways nurses make a difference at home. Brought to you by BAYADA, this is the third in a series of educational stories that highlight the amazing work nurses and other health care clinicians do through the journeys of the people they help.

Hi Ella, I've missed you!
I heard your new baby brother Cole was home from the hospital, so I wanted to visit and see how everyone was doing.

Hello, Dovey!
We are so happy to be home!

Cole was born two months early and had to spend months in the NICU! **It was scary at first, but he's getting better thanks to Nurse Rosa.** She helps him with his feedings and his breathing tube.

1. Do you know what NICU means?

Nice to meet you, Rosa!
Thank you for helping bring home baby Cole! **Ella, did you know there are other families in your neighborhood who also have nurses who help them?**

Come with me, I'll show you!

No way! Who?

This is Grandma Jennifer. She just had hip surgery. Nurse Cheryl is making sure she is healing properly.

You may be wondering how these nurses do what they do.

Let's find out!

2. How many hip replacements are there per year in the U.S.?

Hey, Dovey! I'm Nurse Claire, a clinical manager here at BAYADA and this is my friend Mia, a client services manager.

Those titles sound important. What do they mean?

Well, **we work together to help people receive care at home.** Mia finds the perfect nurse for patients like Baby Cole and Grandma Jennifer, and I make sure they are cared for the way their doctors prescribed.

Our team makes sure that families get the best care possible in the **comfort of their own homes,** where they want to be.

That's great! This has been a wonderful day visiting all of the amazing people in my neighborhood and the nurses and their teams who keep them healthy, but it's time to get home to my nest.

See you on our next adventure!

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