

Lippincott® CoursePoint for Nursing Concepts

Alabama Metaconcepts, Concepts & Exemplars

KEY

METACONCEPTS

Concepts

Exemplars

CELLULAR REGULATION

Cancers/Tumors
Cirrhosis
Diabetes Mellitus
Guillain-Barré Syndrome
Meningitis
Osteoporosis
Spina Bifida
Thyroid disease

Acid-Base Balance

Metabolic Acidosis and Alkalosis
Respiratory Acidosis and Alkalosis

COORDINATOR/MANAGER OF CARE

(asterisks indicate topics covered as concepts/exemplars elsewhere in the curriculum)

Assessment Through the Lifespan*
Care Coordination/Care Manager
Case Management/Referral
Chain of Command
Common Drug Classifications*
Community-Based Nursing Care
Concepts of Management
Continuity of Care
Core Measures*
Critical Thinking
Cultural Considerations*
Delegation
Diagnostics
Evidence-Based Practice
Health Promotion and Disease Prevention*
Healthcare Delivery System*
Informatics*
Licensure Preparation
Nursing Interventions
Nursing Process
Nutritional Considerations*
Organ Donation
Pathophysiology
Performance Improvement
Perioperative Nursing: Intraoperative Care
Perioperative Nursing: Postoperative Care
Perioperative Nursing: Preoperative Care
Prioritization of Care
Professionalism*
Quality Improvement
Scope of Practice
Specialized Modalities
Standards of Care
Supervision/Management
Teaching & Learning

FLUID & ELECTROLYTE BALANCE

Diabetes Insipidus
Electrolyte Imbalance
Fluid Volume
Syndrome of Inappropriate Antidiuretic Hormone (SIADH)

FUNCTIONAL ABILITY

Activities of Daily Living
Hygiene

Comfort

End of Life
Organ Donation
Pain
Sleep/Rest

Elimination

Acute Glomerulonephritis
Acute Renal Failure
Benign Prostatic Hypertrophy (BPH)
Bowel Obstruction
Catheterization
Chronic Renal Failure
Encopresis/Enuresis
Enemas
Hypospadias
Impaction Removal
Intake & Outtake
Nephritis
Nephrosclerosis
Specimen Collection
Toileting
Urinary Calculi

Mobility/Immobility

Devices and Restraints
Musculoskeletal Injuries
Promotion of Skin Integrity Throughout Clean Dressing Changes
Transferring/Positioning Patients

Nutrition

Fluid and Electrolyte Needs
Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD)
Nasogastric (NG) Tubes
Nutritional Assessment
Peptic Ulcer Disease (PUD)
Pyloric Stenosis

Sensory Perception

Cataracts
Detached Retina
Eye Injuries
Glaucoma
Hearing
Impaired Vision
Macular Degeneration

Multiple Sclerosis (MS)
Musculoskeletal Congenital Disorders
Parkinson Disease
Seizures
Verbal

Tissue Integrity

Dermatitis
Dressing Changes
Pressure Ulcers
Wound Healing

GAS EXCHANGE/OXYGENATION

Arterial Blood Gases (ABGs)
Asthma
Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia
Chest Tubes
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD)
Cystic Fibrosis
Equipment
Hemothorax
Interventions & Therapies
Lung Surgery
Mechanical Ventilation
Pneumothorax
Respiratory Distress Syndrome
Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)
Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS)
Tracheostomy Care & Suctioning

GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT

Attention-Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD)
Autism Spectrum Disorders
Cerebral Palsy
Down Syndrome
Failure to Thrive

Reproduction and Childbearing

Antepartum Care
High-Risk OB: Antepartum Care
High-Risk OB: Intrapartum Care
High-Risk OB: Newborn Care
High-Risk OB: Postpartum Care
Intrapartum Care
Newborn Care
Postpartum Care

HEALTHCARE DELIVERY SYSTEMS

Access to Healthcare
Cost-Effective Care
Current Issues and Trends
Documentation
Health Policy: Accrediting Bodies
Health Policy: Professional Organizations
Health Policy: State and Local Agencies
Health Policy: Types of Reimbursements
Historical Nursing Perspectives

Informatics
Informatics: HIPAA
Informatics: Point of Care
Institutional Policies and Procedures
Trends in the Nursing Profession
Types of Healthcare Settings

HEALTH PROMOTION

Assessment Through the Lifespan
Disease Prevention
Immunizations
Objective Assessment: Assessment of Vital Signs
Objective Assessment: Physical Assessment
Subjective Assessment
Teaching & Learning

Sexuality

Erectile Dysfunction
Family Planning
Menopause
Menstrual Dysfunction
Sexually Transmitted Infections

IMMUNITY

Infection

Conjunctivitis
Guillain-Barré Syndrome
HIV/AIDS
Influenza
Meningitis
Osteomyelitis
Otitis Media
Pneumonia
Tuberculosis (TB)
Urinary Tract Infection (UTI)

Inflammation

Appendicitis
Arthritis
Celiac Disease
Gallbladder Disease
Hepatitis
Hypersensitivity Reaction
Inflammatory Bowel Disease
Lupus
Pancreatitis

MEDICAL EMERGENCIES

Anaphylactic Reactions
Aneurysms
Burns
Crisis Intervention
Emergency Preparedness
Environmental Related Emergencies
Epiglottitis
Hydrocephaly
Increased Intracranial Pressure (Signs/Symptoms)

Multiple Organ Dysfunction
Poisonings
Sepsis
Shock
Spinal Cord Injury
Submersion Injuries
Traumatic Brain Injury
Unintentional Injury or Trauma

PERFUSION

Acute Myocardial Infarction (MI)
Anemias
Basic Dysrhythmias
Brain Attack (Stroke)
Cardiac Surgical Interventions
Congenital Heart Defects
Coronary Artery Disease (CAD)
Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT)
Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation (DIC)
Heart Failure
Hemodynamic Monitoring
Hemophilia
Hypertension (HTN)
Peripheral Vascular Disease (PVD)
Pulmonary Embolism
Rheumatic Endocarditis
Shock
Valve Disorders

PHARMACOLOGY

Advanced Intravenous Therapy
Blood, Blood Products & Volume Expanders
Central Venous Access Devices
Dosage Calculations
Management of Intravenous Therapy
Medication Administration
Scope of Practice, Intravenous Therapy (PN vs. RN)

PROFESSIONALISM

Advocacy
Advocacy: Community Advocacy
Advocacy: Patient Advocacy
Advocacy: Personal Advocacy
Advocacy: Professional Advocacy
Application Of Nursing Process
Clinical Decision Making
Community Ethics: Beginning Of Life
Community Ethics: Lifespan
Community Ethics: End Of Life
Competent Care
Conflict Resolution
Ethical Dilemmas
Individualized Assessment
Interdisciplinary Team
Legal & Ethical Issues

Licensure Preparation
Life-Long Learning
NLN And QSEN Graduate Competencies
Patient Rights
Professional Behavior
Regulatory and Accrediting Bodies
Role of the Nurse
Scope of Practice
Transition to Workplace

PSYCHOSOCIAL WELL-BEING

Communication Process
Cultural Variances in Communication
Establishing and Maintaining Therapeutic Communication
Grief and Loss
Sexual Assault
Substance Overdose
Suicide
Violence

Culture & Diversity

Community
Developmental Aspects
Family
Socioeconomic
Spirituality

End of Life

Organ Donation

Mental Health Concepts

Abuse/Neglect
Addictive Behaviors
Alzheimer Disease
Anxiety Disorders
Bipolar Disorder
Confusion
Dementia
Depressive Disorders
Eating Disorders
Personality Disorders
Schizophrenia

SAFETY

Bioterrorism
Core Measures (Evidence-Based)
Disaster Triage
Environmental Safety
Error Prevention
Illness Prevention (Infection Control)
Injury and Illness Prevention
National Patient Safety Goals
Personal Protective Equipment
Trauma
Triage