

Lippincott® CoursePoint for Nursing Concepts

North Carolina LPN/LVN Concepts & Exemplars

Accountability

- Competence
- Professional Development

Acid-Base

- Acid-Base Imbalances

Advocacy

- Protecting Vulnerable Populations

Assessment

- Holistic Health Assessment Across the Lifespan

Behaviors

- Addiction
- Alcohol Abuse
- Assaultive Behaviors
- Nicotine Use
- Substance Abuse

Caring Interventions

- Blood Transfusions
- Central Lines
- Chest Tubes
- Enemas
- Foley Catheterization
- Gastrostomy (G) Tubes
- Glucose Testing
- IV Medications
- LPN Skills
- Medication Administration
- Mobility Techniques
- Nasogastric (NG) Tubes
- Nasopharyngeal/Oral Suctioning
- Personal Hygiene
- Starting an IV
- Sterile Technique
- Suctioning and Tracheostomy Care
- Vital Signs
- Wound Care

Cellular Regulation

- Anemia
- Breast Cancer
- Cancer
- Colon Cancer
- Hemophilia
- Leukemia
- Prostate Cancer
- Sickle Cell Anemia

Clinical Decision Making/Problem Solving

- Critical Thinking
- Decision Making
- Nursing Process
- Prioritization of Care

Cognition

- Alzheimer Disease/Dementia
- Confusion
- Delirium
- Schizophrenia

Collaboration

- Chain of Command
- Conflict Resolution
- Continuity of Care
- Interdisciplinary Communication
- Interdisciplinary Teams

Comfort

- Alternative Therapies for Pain
- End-of-Life Care
- Fibromyalgia
- Pain Assessment
- Pain: Acute & Chronic
- Sleep-Rest Disorders

Communication

- Assertive Communication
- Documentation
- Family Communication
- Group Process
- Reporting
- Therapeutic Communication

Culture

- Multiculturalism
- Religion (Diversity)
- Values & Beliefs (Cultural)

Development

- Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD)
- Autism
- Cerebral Palsy
- Failure to Thrive
- Growth and Development Throughout the Lifespan

Diversity

- Abilities
- Age
- Gender
- Individual Life Experiences
- Race
- Sexual Orientation
- Vulnerable Populations

Elimination

- Benign Prostatic Hypertrophy (BPH)
- Bladder Incontinence and Retention
- Bowel Incontinence
- Constipation & Impaction
- Kidney Stones
- Urinary and Gastrointestinal Assessment

Ethics

- Code of Ethics
- Ethical Dilemmas
- Ethical Principles
- Patient Rights

Evidence-Based Practice

- Introduction to Best Practices

Family

- Family Response to Health Alterations
- Family Response to Health Promotion
- Family Structure and Roles

Fluid & Electrolytes

- Acute Renal Failure
- Chronic Renal Failure
- Electrolyte Balance
- Fluid Balance

Grief & Loss

- Anticipatory Grieving
- Children's Response to Loss
- Death and Dying
- Elder's Response to Loss
- Perinatal Loss

Healthcare Systems

Access to Healthcare
Allocation of Resources
Bioterrorism
Cost-Effective Care
Diagnosis-Related Groups (DRGs)
Disaster and Emergency Preparedness
Primary, Secondary, and Tertiary Care
Resource Utilization

Health Policy

Accrediting Bodies (TJC)
Professional Organizations
Regulatory Agencies (OSHA, Licensure, DHHS, DHSR, CMS)
Types of Reimbursement (Medicare, Medicaid, Private)

Health, Wellness, & Illness

Adjustment to Health and Illness
Alternative Therapies
Consumer Education
Health Beliefs (Individual/Cultural)
Hospitalized Individual
Immunizations
Lifestyle Choices
Nutrition
Oral Health
Physical Fitness and Exercise
Screening
Self-Management
Sleep and Rest Patterns
Wellness/Illness Continuum

Immunity

Hypersensitivity (Anaphylactic Shock)
Lupus
Rh/ABO Incompatibility
Rheumatoid Arthritis

Infection

Acute Glomerulonephritis
Cellulitis
Conjunctivitis
MRSA
Nosocomial Infection
Otitis Media
Pneumonia
Septicemia
Tuberculosis (TB)
Urinary Tract Infection (UTI)

Inflammation

Appendicitis
Endometriosis
Gallbladder Disease
Inflammatory Bowel Disease
Inflammatory Process
Nephritis
Peptic Ulcer Disease (PUD)

Informatics

Clinical Decision Support Systems
Computers in Healthcare Organizations
Individual Information at Point-of-Care

Intracranial Regulation

Head Injury (Concussion)
Increased Intracranial Pressure
Neurological Assessment
Seizures

Legal Issues

Advance Directives
Civil and Criminal Law
HIPAA
Nursing Practice Act
Obligation to Report
Scope of Practice
Whistle Blowing

Metabolism

Cushing's Syndrome and Addison's Disease
Diabetes
Endocrine Assessment
Gestational Diabetes
Gout
Liver Disease
Obesity
Osteoporosis
Thyroid Disease

Mobility

Amputation
Body Mechanics
Exercise
Fractures
Hip Fractures
Multiple Sclerosis (MS)
Osteoarthritis
Parkinson Disease
Range of Motion (ROM)
Spinal Cord Injuries

Mood & Affect

Bipolar Disorder
Depressive Disorders
Postpartum Depression

Oxygenation

Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome (ARDS)
Asthma
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD)
Cystic Fibrosis
Respiratory Assessment
Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)
Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS)

Perfusion

Angina
Arteriosclerosis
Cardiomyopathy
Circulatory Assessment
Coronary Artery Disease (CAD)
Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT)
Heart Failure
High Cholesterol
Hypertension (HTN)
Life-Threatening Dysrhythmias
Myocardial Infarction (MI)
Peripheral Vascular Disease (PVD)
Pregnancy-Induced Hypertension (PIH)
Pulmonary Embolism
Shock (Hypovolemic, Cardiogenic, Neurogenic, and Septic)
Stroke
Ventricular Septal Defect

Professional Behaviors

Commitment to Profession
Continued Competence
Delegation
Leadership Principles
Work Ethics

Quality Improvement

Just Culture
Quality Improvement Cycle: Plan-Do-Study-Act
Reporting
Sentinel Events

Reproduction

- Antepartum Care
- Intrapartum Care
- Newborn Care
- Placental Abruption and Placenta Previa
- Postpartum Care
- Prematurity
- Prenatal Substance Exposure

Safety

- Environmental Safety
- Injury/Illness Prevention
- National Patient Safety Goals
- Standard Precautions

Self

- Eating Disorders
- Personality Disorders
- Self-Esteem, Identity, Self-Perception,
& Body Image

Sensory Perception

- Cataracts
- Glaucoma
- Hearing Impairment
- Macular Degeneration
- Ménière Syndrome
- Peripheral Neuropathy
- Sensory Assessment
- Visual Impairment

Sexuality

- Erectile Dysfunction
- Family Planning and Preconception Care
- Menopause
- Menstrual Dysfunction
- Reproductive Assessment
- Responsible Sexual Behavior
- Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs)

Spiritual

- Higher Consciousness
- Morality
- Religion
- Spiritual Health, Well-Being, and
Distress

Stress & Coping

- Anxiety Assessment
- Anxiety Disorders
- Crisis (Maturational and Situational)
- Generalized Anxiety Disorder
- Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder (OCD)
- Panic Disorder
- Phobias
- Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD)
- Somatic Disorders

Teaching & Learning

- Patient Education

Thermoregulation

- Hyperthermia
- Hypothermia
- Multisystem Failure
- Newborn Thermoregulation

Tissue Integrity

- Burns
- Contact Dermatitis
- Pressure Ulcers
- Skin Assessment
- Wound Healing

Violence

- Assault/Homicide
- Child Abuse
- Elder Abuse
- Intimate Partner Abuse
- Rape-Trauma Syndrome
- Suicide
- Unintentional Injury