

Lippincott® CoursePoint for Nursing Concepts

# North Carolina Concepts & Exemplars

**Accountability**

- Competence
- Professional Development

**Acid-Base**

- Acid-Base Balance
- Respiratory & Metabolic Acidosis
- Respiratory & Metabolic Alkalosis

**Advocacy**

- Protecting Vulnerable Populations
- Protector

**Assessment**

- Assessing Abnormal
- Assessing Normal
- Holistic Health Assessment Across the Lifespan

**Behaviors**

- Addiction
- Alcohol Abuse
- Assaultive Behaviors
- Nicotine Use
- Prenatal Substance Exposure
- Substance Use Disorder

**Caring Interventions**

- Blood Transfusions
- Central Lines
- Chest Tubes
- CNA Skills
- Enemas
- Gastrostomy (G) Tubes
- Holistic Physical Assessment Including Vital Signs
- IV Medications
- Medication Administration
- Mobility Techniques
- Nasogastric (NG) Tubes
- Nasopharyngeal/Oral Suctioning
- Personal Hygiene
- Starting an IV
- Sterile Technique
- Tracheostomy Care (Suctioning)
- Uninary Catheterization
- Wound Care: Ostomy, Surgical, Pressure

**Cellular Regulation**

- Anemia
- Breast Cancer
- Cancer
- Colon Cancer
- Leukemia
- Lung Cancer
- Prostate Cancer
- Sickle Cell Anemia
- Skin Cancer

**Clinical Decision Making**

- Clinical Judgment
- Critical Thinking
- Decision Making
- Nursing Process
- Problem Solving

**Cognition**

- Alzheimer's Disease/Dementia
- Confusion
- Delirium
- Schizophrenia

**Collaboration**

- Case Management
- Chain of Command
- Conflict Resolution
- Interdisciplinary Teams
- Interprofessional Communication
- Interprofessiona Teams
- Management Theories

**Comfort**

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

**Communication**

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

**Culture**

- Multiculturalism
- Religion
- Values and Beliefs

**Development**

- Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD)
- Autism
- Cerebral Palsy
- Failure to Thrive

**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**

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

**Evidence-Based Practice**

- Community Preferences
- Develop a Question
- Individual Preferences
- Introduction to Best Practices

**Family**

- Community Support
- Family Dynamics
- Family Response to Health Alterations
- Family Response to Health Promotion
- Family Structure and Roles

**Fluid & Electrolytes**

Acute Kidney Disease and Injury  
Chronic Kidney Disease  
Electrolyte Balance  
Fluid Balance  
Shock

**Grief & Loss**

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

**Healthcare Systems**

Access to Healthcare  
Allocation of Resources  
Diagnosis-Related Groups (DRG)  
Emergency Preparedness  
Nursing Care Delivery Systems  
Primary, Secondary, and Tertiary Care  
Resource Utilization

**Health Policy**

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

**Health, Wellness and Illness**

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

**Immunity**

HIV/AIDS  
Hypersensitivity  
Lupus  
Rheumatoid Arthritis

**Infection**

Cellulitis  
Conjunctivitis  
Hospital-Acquired Infections  
Influenza  
MRSA  
Otitis Media  
Pneumonia  
Septicemia  
Tuberculosis (TB)  
Urinary Tract Infection (UTI)

**Inflammation**

Appendicitis  
Gallbladder Disease  
Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD)  
General Anesthesia and Conscious Sedation  
Inflammatory Bowel Disease  
Inflammatory Process  
Nephritis  
Pancreatitis  
Peptic Ulcer Disease (PUD)  
Pericarditis, Endocarditis, and Myocarditis  
Perioperative Care

**Informatics**

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

**Intracranial Regulation**

Increased Intracranial Pressure  
Seizures

**Legal Issues**

Advance Directives  
Civil Law  
Criminal Law  
HIPAA  
Nursing Practice Act  
Obligation to Report  
Risk Management  
Whistle Blowing

**Managing Care**

Care Coordination  
Cost-Effective Care  
Delegation  
Prioritizing Individual Care  
Role of Interprofessional Team

**Metabolism**

Addison's Disease  
Cushing's Disease

Diabetes  
Liver Disease  
Obesity  
Osteoporosis  
Thyroid Disease

**Mobility**

Back Problems  
Body Mechanics  
Fractures  
Hip Fractures  
Mobility Techniques (Positioning and Transfers)  
Multiple Sclerosis  
Osteoarthritis  
Parkinson's Disease  
Range of Motion (ROM)  
Spinal Cord Injuries  
Use of Assistive Mobility Devices

**Mood & Affect**

Bipolar Disorder  
Depression  
Peripartum Depression  
Situational Depression

**Oxygenation**

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

**Perfusion**

Acute Coronary Syndrome  
Angina  
Arteriosclerosis  
Cardiomyopathy  
Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT) & Venous Thromboembolism (VTE)  
Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation (DIC)  
Heart Failure  
High Cholesterol  
Hypertension (HTN)  
Hypertensive Disorders of Pregnancy  
Life-Threatening Dysrhythmias  
Perfusion Assessment  
Peripheral Vascular Disease (PVD)  
Pulmonary Embolism  
Shock  
Stroke  
Ventricular Septal Defect

**Professional Behaviors**

Commitment to Profession  
Leadership Principles  
Work Ethics

**Quality Improvement**

Benchmarking  
Just Culture  
Quality Improvement Cycle  
Reporting  
Root Cause Analysis  
Sentinel Events

**Reproduction**

Antepartum Care  
Intrapartum Care  
Newborn Care  
Placenta Abruptio  
Placenta Previa  
Postpartum Care  
Prematurity

**Safety**

Anticipatory Guidance  
Environmental Safety  
Hand-Off Communication  
Injury/Illness Prevention  
National Patient Safety Goals  
Responsible Sexual Behavior  
Standard Precautions

**Self**

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

**Sensory/Perception**

Cataracts  
Eye Injuries  
Glaucoma  
Hearing Impairment  
Macular Degeneration  
Peripheral Neuropathy  
Sensory Assessment  
Visual Impairment

**Sexuality**

Erectile Dysfunction  
Family Planning and Preconception  
Counseling  
Menopause  
Menstrual Dysfunction  
Sexually Transmitted Infections

**Spiritual**

Higher Consciousness  
Morality  
Religion  
Spiritual Distress  
Spiritual Health  
Spiritual Well-Being  
Spirituality

**Stress & Coping**

Anxiety  
Anxiety Assessment  
Crisis  
Generalized Anxiety Disorder  
Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder  
Panic Disorder  
Phobias  
Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD)

**Teaching & Learning**

Mentor  
Patient Educator  
Staff Education

**Thermoregulation**

Hyperthermia  
Hypothermia  
Multiple System Injury/Failure  
Newborn Thermoregulation

**Tissue Integrity**

Burns  
Contact Dermatitis  
Pressure Injury  
Skin Assessment  
Wound Healing

**Violence**

Assault  
Child Abuse  
Elder Abuse  
Intimate Partner Abuse  
Rape-Trauma Syndrome  
Sexual Abuse  
Suicide  
Unintentional Injury and Trauma