

Benner From Novice To Expert

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Ce livre retrace les étapes de la carrière d'infirmière, à savoir les cinq niveaux de compétences - novice, débutant, compétent, performant, expert - qui témoignent chacun d'un processus de maturation et d'acquisitions de connaissances théoriques et, surtout, cliniques. Car l'objectif de Patricia Benner est là, dans la valorisation de la conscience perceptive présentée comme l'élément central d'un bon jugement infirmier. Souligner l'importance des intuitions et évaluations globales, qui échappent à la mise en place de l'analyse critique, permet de présenter les limites des règles formelles et attirer l'attention sur le jugement discrétionnaire en situation de clinique réelle. S'agissant avant tout de rendre compte de la réalité pratique, De novice à expert se donne pour mission de désigner les décisions à risque spécifiques d'une situation trop souvent dissimulées, mais auxquelles les infirmières font face dans leur exercice quotidien. Parce qu'elle s'appuie sur les entretiens menés avec une quarantaine d'infirmières, sur leurs récits détaillés de situations concrètes, Patricia Benner a pu analyser trente et une compétences classées dans un souci de clarté pédagogique, en sept domaines de soins infirmiers ; la fonction d'aide ; la fonction d'éducation, de guide ; la fonction de diagnostic et de surveillance du malade ; la prise en charge efficace de situations à évolution rapide ; l'administration et la surveillance des protocoles thérapeutiques ; la surveillance de la qualité des soins ; les compétences en matière d'organisation et de répartition des tâches. Incisif et stimulant, ce livre saura répondre sans détour aux questions que se pose toute infirmière au cours de sa formation comme de son parcours professionnel. Enfin un véritable guide pour l'excellence dans la pratique infirmière.

From Novice to Expert Excellence and Power in Clinical Nursing Practice Pearson

The purpose of this study was to explore what constitutes an expert registered nurse in a labour and delivery unit. A qualitative, phenomenological approach was used to guide and analyze the interviews of twelve participants recruited through purposeful sampling. Patricia Benner's From Novice to Expert theory was used as both a theoretical definition of expert as well as a baseline for participants to self-identify with one of the levels of skill acquisition (novice, advanced beginner, competent, proficient or expert). Three themes emerged from data analysis including: 1) characteristics of expert nurses, 2) significance and impact of loss and 3) difficulty with the word "expert". The study results showed that expert is a fluid concept that is both difficult to define and maintain throughout a nurse's career. Factors such as education, technology, culture, environment and most notably autonomy, impact a nurse's ability to achieve expert status as well as the ability to remain an expert of the same capacity throughout their careers. In addition, environmental and practice related changes resulted in feelings of loss that also significantly impacted the nurse's perception of expert nursing. Ultimately, it was identified that Benner's definition of expert is not complete and would require additional research with a focus on relational and psychosocial elements of nursing specifically in the area of labour and delivery setting in order to achieve a more comprehensive definition.

Vital Notes for Nurses: Professional Development, Reflection and Decision-making provides a concise, accessible introduction to professional development, reflective practice and clinical decision-making. Vital Notes for Nurses: Professional Development, Reflection and Decision-making explores the core strategies of reflective practice and decision-making underlying professional nursing development. Separate chapters on reflective writing, evidence-based practice, clinical supervision and portfolios demonstrate the inter-relationship between professional development and professional practice. It is aimed at both student and qualified nurses, recognising that professional development is a life-long commitment. It provides clear guidance to help practitioners think critically about their actions, work within professional boundaries, be accountable for their actions and plan for their future. * Provides a concise introduction to professional development, reflective practice, and clinical decision-making * Written in a clear accessible style which assumes no prior knowledge * Enables students to consider and develop their practice in order to become competent practitioners * Each chapter includes learning objectives, scenarios and case studies * In the Vital Notes for Nurses series

A collection of essays, designed to challenge working administrators and researchers to look more closely at their operations and consider again how they develop people and the organizations in which they work.

Philosophies and Theories for Advanced Nursing Practice, Second Edition was developed as an essential resource for advance practice students in master s and doctoral programs. This text is appropriate for students needing an introductory understanding of philosophy and how a theory is constructed as well as students and nurses who understand theory at an advanced level. The Second Edition discusses the AACN DNP essentials which is critical for DNP students as well as PhD students who need a better understanding of the DNP-educated nurse s role. Philosophies and Theories for Advanced Nursing Practice, Second Edition covers a wide variety of theories in addition to nursing theories. Coverage of non-nursing related theory is beneficial to nurses because of the growing national emphasis on collaborative, interdisciplinary patient care. The text includes diagrams, tables, and discussion questions to help students understand and reinforce core content."

Looking at the role of clinical educators, professional supervisors and mentors in influencing the quality and evolution of professional practice, this text draws on contributions from a wide range of sources in order to address some of the key issues in the field.

This is the first book on novice to expert theory that is a guide to implementation. St. Luke's Medical Center, one of the first institutions in the country to successfully implement Novice to Expert, shows how they did it. This book can be used as a practical guide by any patient care executive interested in finding out more about novice to expert. This book explains the theoretical components of novice to expert, how to design and apply a model, how to implement that model, and what problems and results to expect.

Clinical Delegation Skills, A Handbook for Professional Practice, Third Edition will help readers better understand delegation skills and apply them effectively in their own clinical setting. Practical, easy to read, and full of checkpoints and exercises, this renowned text will teach you about the world of professional health care roles and accountability, as well as how to communicate effectively, provide feedback, handle conflict, and address your own leadership strengths and weaknesses.

A collection of 26 classic and contemporary articles, this text is divided into sections addressing the discipline and development of nursing knowledge, the history and evolution of nursing science, the concepts of the metaparadigm, contemporary perspectives of nursing, and the interrelationships am

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Understanding the Work of Nursing Theorists, Second Edition presents the difficult concepts of nursing theory through the use of art.

The Doctor of Nursing Practice: A Guidebook for Role Development and Professional Issues, Third Edition is a comprehensive

guidebook for role development of the DNP student. This text covers potential roles of the DNP graduate, including leader, clinician, educator, ethical consultant, and health policy advocate. The Third Edition also addresses professional issues, such as the title of doctor, educating others about the degree, making the decision to pursue the DNP degree and marketing oneself as a DNP. The future of the DNP degree is also discussed. New Features: * New Chapter on the DNP graduate as information specialist * New Chapter on issues pertaining to the BSN to DNP track * Updated interviews with a focus on leadership

Annual Review of Nursing Research has provided nearly four decades of knowledge, insight, and research on topics critical to nurses everywhere. Its purpose is to critically examine the full gamut of literature on key topics in nursing practice, including nursing theory, care delivery, nursing education, and the professional aspects of nursing. This landmark annual review brings together internationally recognized experts in the fields of nursing and delivers the highest standards of content and authoritative reviews of research for students, researchers, and clinicians. In today's climate, healthcare simulation is more important than ever. Creating consistent, leveled experiences through high-quality simulation allows students and practitioners the opportunity to learn in a safe and immersive environment. This 39th volume of Annual Review of Nursing Research addresses the current state of healthcare simulation in both academic and professional settings. Articles are written by noted experts in the field and discuss extended reality, new technologies, briefing, outcome evaluation, and professional development. Key Topics: Discusses simulation use in undergraduate and graduate education Features a new debriefing tool on interprofessional simulation Addresses current considerations for effective operations in simulation Highlights the use of virtual and augmented realities, as well as 3D printing

The most comprehensive of its kind, *Nursing Theorists and Their Work, 8th Edition* provides an in-depth look at 39 theorists of historical, international, and significant importance. Each chapter features a clear, consistent presentation of a key nursing philosophy or theory. Case studies, critical thinking activities, and in-depth objective critiques of nursing theories help bridge the gap between theory and application. Critical Thinking Activities at the end of each theorist chapter help you to process the theory presented and apply it to personal and hypothetical practice situations. A case study at the end of each theorist chapter puts the theory into a larger perspective, demonstrating how it can be applied to practice. A Brief Summary in each theorist chapter helps you review for tests and confirm your comprehension. A Major Concepts & Definitions box included in each theorist chapter outlines the theory's most significant ideas and clarifies content-specific vocabulary. Each theorist chapter is written by a scholar specializing in that particular theorist's work, often having worked closely with the theorists, to provide the most accurate and complete information possible. Beginning chapters provide a strong foundation on the history and philosophy of science, logical reasoning, and the theory development process. Diagrams for theories help you visualize and better understand inherently abstract concepts. Pictures of theorists, as well as a listing of contact information for each individual, enables you to contact the source of information directly. Theorist chapters have been reviewed and edited by the theorist, validating the accounts set forth in the text for currency and accuracy. An extensive bibliography at the conclusion of each theorist chapter outlines numerous primary and secondary sources of information, ideal for both undergraduate and graduate research projects. NEW! Quotes from the theorist make each complex theory more memorable. NEW! Chapter on Afaf Meleis profiles a theorist who has shaped theoretical development in nursing and explores her "transition theory." NEW! Need to Know Information is highlighted to streamline long, complex passages and help you review key concepts. NEW! Points for Further Study at the end of each chapter direct you to assets available for additional information.

From Reviews of the second edition: 'Christopher Johns is an internationally recognised pioneer of reflective practice in nursing and health care. The first edition of this book was an excellent resource and this updated version is equally impressive. This is a superb resource for nurses and all those eager to enhance their knowledge and skills in reflective practice. It is well presented, user-friendly and stimulating.' *Nursing Standard* *Becoming a Reflective Practitioner* is a practical guide to using reflection in every day clinical practice. It explores the value of using models of reflection, with particular reference to Christopher Johns' own model for structured reflection. *Becoming a Reflective Practitioner* includes accounts of everyday practice to guide the reader through the stages of reflective practice within the context of care, 'desirable practice', and the caring relationship. This third edition reflects significant developments in reflective theory and gives greater attention to different approaches to reflection including the use of narrative dialogue. New chapters are included on ensuring quality and managing conflict. Exemplars are included throughout and further references and reflected reading are included at the end of each chapter. Reflective practice is acknowledged as an effective approach to developing nursing care which evolves as the practitioner develops his or her own practice. This book will therefore be of interest to all nurses involved in developing their clinical practice. A practical guide to developing reflective practice Reflects significant developments in reflective theory Examines Christopher Johns' own model for structured reflection Centred on care and the caring relationship Challenges practitioners to question their practice Named a 2013 Doody's Core Title! Nursing practice is a complex and varied field that requires precision, dedication, care, and expertise. Clinicians must have both the skills and the tools to attend to changes in patients' responses, recognize trends, and understand the nature of their patients' conditions over time. This book clearly delineates the skills needed to become an expert nurse. In this new edition, the editors present a report of a six-year study of over 130 hospital nurses working in critical care. Expanding upon the study conducted in the previous edition, this new book documents and analyzes hundreds of new clinical narratives that track the development of clinical skill acquisition, including caring, clinical judgment, workplace ethics, and more. Highlights of this book: Includes transitional guidance for nurses new to the field Discusses the primacy of caring and the importance of good clinical judgment Includes new practice models, including the Dreyfus Model of Skill Acquisition Provides guidelines for strengthening the nurse-patient relationship Presents implications for nursing education and patient safety Ultimately, this work defines expertise in nursing practice. The book serves as a valuable resource that will enable nurses to expand their knowledge base, cultivate their clinical skills, and become successful experts in nursing practice.

According to the literature, development of expertise is directly correlated with three fundamental requirements: a) a tremendous amount of dedicated work, b) time, and c) relevant experience. Experts in most domains attain their highest level of performance after 10,000 hours of dedicated practice. This is equivalent to ten years of dedicated and relevant

experience within the expert's respective domain. Within the domain of critical care nursing the skill level of the bedside nurse has been directly correlated with quality patient outcomes, greater reimbursements, and decreased operational costs. The purpose of this grounded theory study was to explore the emic perspective of the critical care nurse as it relates to expertise, expert performance and the critical care nurses journey in the achievement of expert performance. Benner's model of skill acquisition, Novice to Expert, provided the theoretical structure and framework. However, as expertise was considered within the dynamic critical care environment, Ericsson and Smith's expert performance approach was used to strengthen Benner's Novice to Expert Model providing valuable structure and insight into the concept of expertise. As themes were identified the expert performance approach provided valuable evaluative strategies to facilitate understanding of expert nuances and processes within critical care practice. Study findings supported three major themes: a) experience with sub-themes diversity and intensity; b) knowledge with the sub-theme critical reasoning; and c) self-actualization with sub-themes personal presence, and life-long learning. Furthermore, data findings supported the researcher's assertion that "tacit" knowledge is a more appropriate term to represent the requisite knowledge base and diversity of experience demonstrated by nurses in actual clinical practice rather than the term "intuitive grasp" as found in current literature. Research findings of this study will help educators and nursing leadership better understand the transition from novice to expert critical care nurse within the context of clinical nursing practice. In so doing, nursing leadership will have the tools and the added insight to facilitate that transition in the most efficient manner possible thereby improving not only professional satisfaction but patient outcomes and cost as well.

LPN to RN Transitions, 5th Edition makes it easy for you to advance in your nursing career with all of the essential information you need to pursue your RN degree and practice as a registered nurse. This new edition includes practical information on role transition, cultural competency, delegation, interprofessional collaboration, professional writing, and more. Plus, newly revised and updated chapters provide the latest information for one complete, indispensable resource to help you succeed in everything from the classroom to clinical practice! Clear, succinct coverage helps you understand the issues that an RN must address for a successful practice. Respect for the accomplishments of the LPN is emphasized throughout the text. Engaging design and thoughtful exercises keep you focused on key concepts and learning objectives. Critical thinking questions at the end of every chapter reinforce your understanding of important content. Patient scenarios and Application to Practice boxes challenge you to apply your knowledge to real-world clinical situations. FYI boxes encourage you to think about how your day-to-day interactions will change as an RN. Key Terms and Key Points help you learn vocabulary words and concepts related to the topic being discussed. NEW!

Interprofessional collaboration coverage prepares you to work effectively with other members of the healthcare team. NEW! Information on trauma-Informed care prepares you to deliver care with a person-centered approach, which promotes a collaborative, trusting, respectful, and emotionally supportive care environment. NEW! Coverage of competencies for the RN gives you a clear vision of what skills registered nursing encompasses and how they differ from practical or vocational nursing. UPDATED! Next Generation NCLEX®-style content prepares you for the upcoming changes to the NCLEX-RN® exam. EXPANDED! Additional information on key topics enhances coverage of time management, preparing for class, self-care, prioritization, outcomes and cost containment, mandatory reporting, and case management for chronic illness across all settings, including home care.

This book, now in its fourth edition, has been updated to include material focused on evidence-based practice. Covering the complete spectrum of education as applied to nursing and health care professions, this book maintains the blend of theoretical principles and practical applications that has proved successful over the preceding three editions. Among the important developments discussed are the replacement of UKCC and the four National Boards with a new Nursing and Midwifery Council, the initiative to establish the National Institute for Clinical Excellence and the move to incorporate clinical effectiveness into the clinical governance framework. Frank Quinn brings together all the major changes that apply to educators within the National Health Service, making this essential textbook an authoritative source of guidance, up-to-date information and reference.

Nursing Professional Development Competencies: Tools to Evaluate and Enhance Educational Practice Barbara A. Brunt, MA, MN, RN-BC, NE-BC, FABC Contributing author: Julia W. Aucoin, DNS, RN-BC, CNE "Nursing Professional Development Competencies: Tools to Evaluate and Enhance Educational Practice" is the only resource of its kind that provides nursing professional development specialists with a framework for career development and competence. Barbara A. Brunt's research has developed more than 70 evidence-based competencies, aligned with the "Scope and Standards of Practice" and Benner's novice to expert continuum. Staff educators can use this book in numerous ways--from personal development, such as measuring and demonstrating proficiency, to training new educators. With more than 70 evidence-based competencies, educators can immediately download the tools and incorporate them into practice. "Nursing Professional Development Competencies" provides nursing professional development specialists with tools to move through the nursing professional development role and develop expertise. Table of Contents Section I - Competency Assessment and Validation Chapter 1: Overview of the Competency Movement Chapter 2: Developing Educator Competencies Chapter 3: Additional Competencies Based on Revised Standards Chapter 4: Benner's Novice to Expert Continuum Chapter 5: Creating a Framework for Educator Competencies Chapter 6: Methods to Validate Competencies Section II - Applications of the Competencies to Practice Chapter 7: Self-Assessment Tool Chapter 8: Developing Criterion-Based Position Descriptions Chapter 9: Orientations for New Educators Chapter 10: Performance Appraisals, Peer Review, and Professional Development Plans Chapter 11: Creating a Professional Portfolio Chapter 12: Developing Cultural Competence Chapter 13: Understanding Generational Differences Section III - Future Trends Chapter 14: Applications of the Competencies Chapter 15: Educational Implications of the Institute of Medicine (IOM) Report Appendix: Nursing Professional Development Competency Tool After reading this book, you should be able

to: Discuss the evolvement of nursing professional development competencies Describe the use of Benner's novice to expert theory as applied to nursing professional development competencies Recognize the role of ANA's "Scope and Standards of Practice for Nursing Professional Development in" creating nursing professional development competencies Apply the nursing professional development competencies in professional practice Nursing Contact Hours: HCPro is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. This educational activity for 2.7 nursing contact hours is provided by HCPro. Nursing contact hours for this activity are valid from August 2014 until August 2016. HCPro is approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing to provide 3.2 nursing contact hours. California BRN Provider #CEP 14494. Disclosure statement The planners, presenters/authors, and contributors of this CNE activity have disclosed no relevant financial relationships with any commercial companies pertaining to this activity.

This is a highly practical introduction to teaching, assessing and evaluating students for all health care practitioners. It encourages the reader to take a self-directed approach to their own development as assessors. Mary Neary has produced an ideal text for for health professionals preparing to take on the role of mentor, supervisor or assessor. "OVERALL THIS IS A WELL WRITTEN AND CONCEIVED BOOK, PACKED WITH KNOWLEDGE AND IDEAS!" Nursing Standard

Nursing Leadership & Management, Fourth Edition provides a comprehensive look at the knowledge and skills required to lead and manage at every level of nursing, emphasizing the crucial role nurses play in patient safety and the delivery of quality health care. Presented in three units, readers are introduced to a conceptual framework that highlights nursing leadership and management responsibilities for patient-centered care delivery to the patient, to the community, to the agency, and to the self. This valuable new edition: Includes new and up-to-date information from national and state health care and nursing organizations, as well as new chapters on the historical context of nursing leadership and management and the organization of patient care in high reliability health care organizations Explores each of the six Quality and Safety in Nursing (QSEN) competencies: Patient-Centered Care, Teamwork and Collaboration, Evidence-based Practice (EBP), Quality Improvement (QI), Safety, and Informatics Provides review questions for all chapters to help students prepare for course exams and NCLEX state board exams Features contributions from experts in the field, with perspectives from bedside nurses, faculty, directors of nursing, nursing historians, physicians, lawyers, psychologists and more Nursing Leadership & Management, Fourth Edition provides a strong foundation for evidence-based, high-quality health care for undergraduate nursing students, working nurses, managers, educators, and clinical specialists. From the world's leading authorities in nursing research, this thoroughly updated 2nd Edition of the Encyclopedia of Nursing Research presents key terms and concepts in nursing research comprehensively explained by over 200 expert contributors."

Philosophy of Nursing provides an introduction to a new and emergent area of study within nursing. The nature of the philosophy of nursing is explored and applied to three areas of enquiry central to nursing theory and practice: knowledge, persons and care. The idea of knowledge seems crucial because it appears to be important to base nursing interventions on what is known, rather than that which is merely believed. But what is the difference between these? Also, it is common, currently to distinguish between practical knowledge and theoretical knowledge but what is the relationship between the two? The conception of a person is unquestionably of fundamental relevance to nursing but are patients simply biological organisms? Should their treatment and care plans reflect this? What is to be made of the appeals to the idea of a patient as a 'narrative'? What role does caring have and what is 'ontological caring'? This stimulating text seeks to provide answers to all of these questions and to explain their relevance to nursing. Throughout key debates the author critically engages with the work of major nursing writers, and in particular with Benner and Wrubel, and Carper. In conclusion the discussion focuses on the nature of nursing, how this is best understood and why it is important. For the first time illuminating answers are supplied to the issues in nursing theory and practice upon which the very nature of such theory and practice depends.

The Quarterly Review of Distance Education is a rigorously refereed journal publishing articles, research briefs, reviews, and editorials dealing with the theories, research, and practices of distance education. The Quarterly Review publishes articles that utilize various methodologies that permit generalizable results which help guide the practice of the field of distance education in the public and private sectors. The Quarterly Review publishes full-length manuscripts as well as research briefs, editorials, reviews of programs and scholarly works, and columns. The Quarterly Review defines distance education as institutionally-based formal education in which the learning group is separated and interactive technologies are used to unite the learning group.

Clinical reasoning is the foundation of professional clinical practice. Totally revised and updated, this book continues to provide the essential text on the theoretical basis of clinical reasoning in the health professions and examines strategies for assisting learners, scholars and clinicians develop their reasoning expertise. key chapters revised and updated nature of clinical reasoning sections have been expanded increase in emphasis on collaborative reasoning core model of clinical reasoning has been revised and updated

This text offers specific patient communication for advanced practice nurses. Role-plays for different clinical situations, with varying patient populations provide a bridge for implementing communication strategies in the clinical setting. Each chapter gives a brief synopsis of current communication theories that relate to the topic and which drive communication strategies with patients. Communication and Journaling exercises are included at the end of each chapter! Accompanied by PowerPoint Slides

Designed for use in sequential professional development courses across the curriculum, Role Development in Professional Nursing Practice covers role development of the professional nurse as it occurs in three developmental stages, moving from the simple to the more complex: Nurse as Individual; Nurse/Client Relationships; and Nurse as Member of the Health Care Team.

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Nursing Theory: Utilization & Application, 5th Edition covers the development of nursing theory; the application of different nursing theories, models and philosophies; and the expansion of these practices with a look toward the future. This text provides the opportunity for students who have learned the background of nursing theory using the companion title, Nursing Theorists and Their Work, to apply what they have learned to actual nursing practice through various patient scenarios. Real-life case history examples included in application chapters promotes evidence-based practice and further demonstrates how a theory is used in practical situations. Consistent case history featuring the patient Debbie in every chapter and the nursing plan that follows help you apply philosophies, theories and models presented in the text. Critical thinking exercises provide a more application-based approach rather than just contemplation of theories presented. Chapters written by contributors who utilize the work offer a unique approach to using theory in practice. Nursing metaparadigm discussion illustrates the four center concepts with which the discipline is concerned to help you see the scope of concern for the profession. Logical organization presents content in three distinct parts. Glossary offers quick access to key terms throughout the text. NEW! Nursing Care sections demonstrate how

theories apply to certain situations and particular types of nurses. NEW! QSEN competencies throughout the book relate nursing theories to today's important focus on patient safety and quality improvement. NEW! Nursing theory timeline helps you place different nursing theories and theorists in history, illustrating the progression of the content. NEW! Fresh design helps you visually identify the text's relationship with its Nursing Theorists companion.

"Provides a broad overview of informatics knowledge to empower nurses to be thoughtful and participate in the capture, storage, and use of data to create information and knowledge to optimize patient outcomes...In this book, you will gain an understanding of how clinical decision support tools work so you can provide feedback about [their] effectiveness and recommend additional ways decision support tools help." -Bonnie L. Westra, PhD, RN, FAAN, FACMI From the Foreword Understanding and managing technology is a key component in providing quality patient care today. This addition to the popular Fast Facts series provides RNs and nursing students with an accessible, concise, step-by-step introduction to the essentials of informatics and its impact on patient lives. This book delivers required competencies and frameworks for both nursing education and practice, expanding upon integral systems and technologies within our health care system and their impact on the responsibilities of the individual nurse. Highlighting the intricacies within a specialized approach to health care data, data mining, and data organization, this resource connects day-to-day informatics practices to larger initiatives and perspectives. Clear and concise synopses of health care essentials, case studies, and abundant practical examples help readers understand how Health Informatics improves patient care within the nursing scope of practice. Thought-provoking questions in each chapter facilitate in-depth considerations about chapter content. Key Features: Key information about the electronic health record, telehealth, wearables, and decision support tools Practical examples demonstrate how informatics improves patient care within the nurses' scope of practice Chapter case studies with thought-provoking questions Nurses' influence on data quality Relevant ethical, legal, and social issues The intersection of technology and informatics and the power of data

This coherent presentation of clinical judgement, caring practices and collaborative practice provides ideas and images that readers can draw upon in their interactions with others and in their interpretation of what nurses do. It includes many clear, colorful examples and describes the five stages of skill acquisition, the nature of clinical judgement and experiential learning and the seven major domains of nursing practice. The narrative method captures content and contextual issues that are often missed by formal models of nursing knowledge. KEY TOPICS: The book uncovers the knowledge embedded in clinical nursing practice and provides the Dreyfus model of skill acquisition applied to nursing, an interpretive approach to identifying and describing clinical knowledge, nursing functions, effective management, research and clinical practice, career development and education, plus practical applications. MARKET: For nurses and healthcare professionals.

"Nursing, everyone believes, is the caring profession. Texts on caring line the walls of nursing schools and student shelves. Indeed, the discipline of nursing is often known as the 'caring science.' Because of their caring reputation, nurses top the polls as the most-trustworthy professionals. Yet, in spite of what seems to be an endless outpouring of public support, in almost every country in the world nursing is under threat, in the practice setting and in the academic sector. Indeed, its standing as a regulated profession is constantly challenged. In our view, this paradox is neither accidental nor natural but, in great part, the logical consequence of the fact that nurses and their organizations place such a heavy emphasis on nursing's and nurses' virtues rather than on their knowledge and concrete contributions."—from the Introduction In a series of provocative essays, *The Complexities of Care* rejects the assumption that nursing work is primarily emotional and relational. The contributors—international experts on nursing— all argue that caring discourse in nursing is a dangerous oversimplification that has in fact created many dilemmas within the profession and in the health care system. This book offers a long-overdue exploration of care at a pivotal moment in the history of health care. The ideas presented here will foster a critical debate that will assist nurses to better understand the nature and meaning of the nurse-patient relationship, confront challenges to their work and their profession, and deliver the services patients need now and into the future.

A classic text is back with fresh, comprehensive nursing theories, critiques, and philosophies. *Nursing Theorists and Their Work*, 9th Edition provides you with an in-depth look at 39 theorists of historical, international, and significant importance. This new edition has been updated with an improved writing style, added case studies, critical thinking activities, and in-depth objective critiques of nursing theories that help bridge the gap between theory and application. In addition, the six levels of abstraction (philosophy, conceptual models, grand theory, theory, middle-range theory, and future of nursing theory) are graphically depicted throughout the book to help you understand the context of the various theories. Each theorist chapter is written by a scholar specializing in that particular theorist's work, often having worked closely with the theorists, to provide the most accurate and complete information possible. A case study at the end of each theorist chapter puts the theory into a larger perspective, demonstrating how it can be applied to practice. Critical Thinking Activities at the end of each theorist chapter help you process the theory presented and apply it to personal and hypothetical practice situations. Diagrams for theories help you visualize and better understand inherently abstract concepts. A Brief Summary in each theorist chapter helps you review for tests and confirm their comprehension. A Major Concepts & Definitions box included in each theorist chapter outlines the theory's most significant ideas and clarifies content-specific vocabulary. Points for Further Study at the end of each chapter directs you to assets available for additional information. Quotes from the theorist make each complex theory more memorable. An extensive bibliography at the conclusion of each theorist chapter outlines numerous primary and secondary sources of information for further study. NEW! Improved writing style and increased use of subheadings make the narrative more concise, direct, and accessible. NEW! Updated research and findings incorporate new content along with more examples and clinical correlations. NEW! History of Nursing Science chapter emphasizes nursing science updates UNIQUE! Graphical depiction of the six levels of abstraction (philosophy, conceptual models, grand theory, theory, middle-range theory, and future of nursing theory) helps you to understand the context of the various theories.

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make the ideals of transforming novice learners to practice-ready professionals a reality for today's nursing students. Based on the definitive work of the Florence Nightingale of our time, Dr. Patricia Benner, and on the urgent calls for educational transformation from the Carnegie Foundation, the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation with the Institutes of Medicine, and the Quality and Safety for Education of Nurses reports, NovEx is a digital-first, situated learning solution designed to help educators move beyond a focus on developing students' critical thinking abilities and help prepare students that can "clinically" reason and problem-solve like a real nurse. With its completely immersive learning environment, students are able to apply knowledge as they acquire it. NovEx's unfolding, patient cases provide practice-centered experiences that enrich the learning of essential content, while its evidence-based content prepares new nurses with the most clinically-salient knowledge to safely care for patients. <http://www.pearsonhighered.com/novex/>

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This book offers a practical approach to guide nurses in the art and science of renal care. It is holistic as well as technical, therapeutic and compassionate in its approach. Acute and chronic renal failure, renal osteodystrophy and other selected diseases are comprehensively discussed. The nurse's role with regard to specific treatments such as peritoneal dialysis, haemodialysis, plasma exchange and haemoperfusion as well as organ transplantation procedures are discussed in detail and a section relating specifically to paediatric care is included. The final section of the book is devoted to the use of complementary therapies and alternative medicine in renal disease. The book lays the foundation on which nurses can build their evidence-based practice and knowledge, skills and enhance patient care. The aim of this book is to provide a practical, holistic guide for nurses to the skills and knowledge required by them to care for their patients. It covers the renal patient's experiences both physically and psychologically, incorporating the dialysis therapies of acute and chronic failure on to renal transplantation. Nursing renal patients within an acute hospital setting, a chronic dialysis unit or a satellite unit places many challenges on the nurse caring for them today. I therefore hope that this book will provide the knowledge needed by those working in the field of renal nursing and that it will be used as a resource in renal units throughout the UK. Avril Redmond, Chair of RCN Nephrology Nurses Forum in the Foreword

This book is designed as a safety and health primer for individuals in the educational, workplace, and public sectors. If you are a safety education instructor, environmental health instructor, or occupational safety and health instructor, this may be the book you're looking for. Other professionals who should consider using this text include industrial firefighters, industrial engineers, safety engineers, respirator users, asbestos removers, lead-based paint and hazardous waste removers, chemical workers, and human resource managers.

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