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Nursing

What makes for a good nursing handover?

This article discusses the important part that the nursing handover plays in providing quality care to patients and the smooth running of the shift and clinical area. Following an introduction stating exactly what is meant by a handover, the relevant and pertinent parts of the Nursing and Midwifery Council code will then be identified and discussed.

British Journal of Healthcare Assistants Vol. 16, No. 3 pp. 134-137

Managing malnutrition in older adults: a guide for nurses

Sara Patience outlines treatment and management of this common but preventable ailment

Independent Nurse Vol. 2022, No. 3 pp. 16-19

Recognising logical fallacies in nursing practice to support effective clinical decision-making

By gaining an understanding of logical fallacies, nurses may be able to identify them during clinical reasoning processes, thereby mitigating their effects on clinical outcomes. This article considers six of the most common logical fallacies and provides examples of how they might manifest in clinical practice.

Nursing Standard, April 4th 2022

The impact of COVID-19 on work, training and well-being experiences of nursing associates in England: A cross-sectional survey

This paper focusses on the impact that the pandemic is having on this new occupational group's experiences, in order to enhance support and development in ways that promote recruitment and aid retention

Nursing Open. 9 (3) pp.1822–1831.

Exploring the role of reflection in nurse education and practice

This article explores the role of reflection in nursing practice, considers the use of reflective models and explores how nurses can overcome barriers to reflection in their everyday practice.

Nursing Standard, April 11th 2022

A guide to undertaking and understanding blood pressure measurement

This article aims to provide background information on blood pressure. It outlines the anatomy and physiology associated with the skill of blood pressure measurement, and the varying techniques for taking blood pressure readings, both invasively and non-invasively. It



Further explains the steps for taking a manual blood pressure and provides top tips for carrying out this procedure in clinical practice.

British Journal of Nursing Vol. 31, 7 pp. 356-362

Midwifery

Editorial: Verbal abuse and auditory development in the fetus

Auditory dysfunction is a condition where an individual has difficulty comprehending sounds and spoken words and is associated with auditory mal-development (Musiek and Chermak, 2013) occurring during or after pregnancy. Nearly all critical day-to-day communication involves auditory processing (Jerger, 2009).

African Journal of Midwifery and Women's Health Vol. 16, No. 1 pp. 1-2

Gender inclusive language on public-facing maternity services websites in England

Growing numbers of transgender and non-binary people are becoming gestational parents. It is important that patient-facing maternity websites reflect this. This study aimed to assess whether NHS maternity websites in England were inclusive to people of all genders.

British Journal of Midwifery 30, 4, pp. 208-214

Admission to delivery suites: the importance of antenatal education

This article discusses the challenges in ensuring women have appropriate education to guide their decision on when to present to hospital during labour.

British journal of Midwifery, 30, 4 pp. 215-221

Comment: Caesarean sections and ethics

George F Winter examines the ethics surrounding a woman's request for a caesarean section when it is not medically indicated

British Journal of Midwifery Vol. 30, No. 4 pp. 237-238

"Getting it right when it goes wrong – Effective bereavement care requires training of the whole maternity team"

Bereavement care is an area of enormous needs, relatively untraveled road. Though the loss cannot be undone, but a negative impact can be minimized by compassionate supportive care.

This chapter will focus on the need of a trained team for effective bereavement care.

Best Practice & Research: Clinical Obstetrics & Gynaecology, 2022-04-01, Volume 80, pp 92-104,

The Royal Marsden Manual Online

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