North Carolina CTE

Nursing Fundamentals (2011): Grades 9, 10, 11, 12

Adopted 2011

Nurse Aide Workplace Fundamentals

00. **Understand the role, function, legal and ethical responsibilities of the nurse aide within the healthcare system.** A.1.00
    01. Understand healthcare facilities and organizational structure. A.1.01
    02. Understand nurse aide range of function as a member of the healthcare team. A.1.02
    03. Understand residents' rights, advocacy and grievance procedures. A.1.03
    04. Evaluate knowledge of legal and ethical issues related to breaches in health care law A.1.04

00. **Understand communication skills, interpersonal skills, and physical care skills that promote mental health and meet social and special needs of residents in long term care.** A.2.00
    01. Understand communication and interpersonal skills needed to provide resident care and relate to team members. A.2.01
    02. Understand nurse aide observations, recording and reporting. A.2.02
    03. Understand basic human needs and nurse aide guidelines in meeting those needs. A.2.03
    04. Understand the dying process and needs of the resident nearing the end of life. A.2.04

00. **Understand infection control, safety and emergency skills within the nurse aide range of function.** A.3.00
    01. Understand infection control within nurse aide range of function. A.3.01
        01H. Apply concepts of infection control within the nurse aide range of function A.3.01H
    02. Understand safety and emergency care skills within nurse aide range of function. A.3.02

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00. **Understand nurse aide skills related to residents' vital functions and movement.** B.4.00
    01. Understand vital signs, height and weight measurement skills. B.4.01

02. Understand the nurse aide's range of function in rehabilitative/restorative and maintenance care. B.4.02

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00. Understand nurse aide skills related to residents' hygiene, grooming, skin integrity, and living environment needs. B.5.00

01. Understand nurse aide skills needed for residents' hygiene and grooming. B.5.01

01H. Apply knowledge related to residents' hygiene and grooming. B.5.01H

02. Understand nurse aide skills needed to promote skin integrity. B.5.02

03. Understand the nurse aide's role in creating a safe and clean environment that fosters resident independence, contentment and self-esteem. B.5.03

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00. Understand nurse aide skills needed to provide for residents' nutrition, hydration, and elimination needs. B.6.00

01. Understand nurse aide skills needed to meet the nutritional and hydration needs of residents. B.6.01

01H. Evaluate and analyze (within scope and sequence for the CNA) nutritional information as it relates to nursing home residents. B.6.01H

02. Understand nurse aide skills needed to care for residents' elimination and urination needs. B.6.02

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00. Apply nurse aide skills by providing hands on resident care during a 40 hour (minimum) clinical experience in an approved long term care facility. B.7.00