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**Code of Ethics for Nurses with Interpretive Statements** Sep 09 2020 Pamphlet is a succinct statement of the ethical obligations and duties of individuals who enter the nursing profession, the profession's nonnegotiable ethical standard, and an expression of nursing's own understanding of its commitment to society. Provides a framework for nurses to use in ethical analysis and decision-making.

**Nursing Documentation** Sep 02 2022 Focuses on the communication skills that are the key to good documentation.

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**Guilty Or Innocent?: Protecting Your License Through Proper Nursing Documentation** Feb 24 2022 With all the training and education nurses receive, there is little true explanation about the importance of documentation. Even in today's litigious culture and the backlash of services no longer reimbursable -- it is crucial we as nurses understand the rationale for our documentation practices. By creating specific systems to ensure license protection, we in turn provide more effective hand- off communication. Every nurse knows it's the law and that you don't want to lose your license, but do we really know why the methods of documentation are so vital to our livelihood? Has the electronic medical record made this approach additionally arduous? Do the questions on the EMR provide an accurate picture of the actual care provided? Often times, these reports are not clear or complete. Through fictional and non-fictional stories, Rosale Lobo reveals proper nursing documentation techniques providing clarity and important best practice concepts that can be applied immediately. Extraneous situations will arise in nursing, making it imperative to develop intentional methods of documentation. By putting together an effective system you will decrease your chances of being sued. For the future of nursing documentation, the EMR is not the answer, a personal system of accountability is.

**Patient Safety and Quality** Apr 04 2020 "Nurses play a vital role in improving the safety and quality of patient care -- not only in the hospital or ambulatory treatment facility, but also of community-based care and the care performed by family members. Nurses

need know what proven techniques and interventions they can use to enhance patient outcomes. To address this need, the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ), with additional funding from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, has prepared this comprehensive, 1,400-page, handbook for nurses on patient safety and quality -- Patient Safety and Quality: An Evidence-Based Handbook for Nurses. (AHRQ Publication No. 08-0043)."--Online AHRQ blurb, <http://www.ahrq.gov/qual/nursesfdbk>.

*Nursing and Clinical Informatics: Socio-Technical Approaches* Jun 26 2019 "This book gives a general overview of the current state of nursing informatics giving particular attention to social, socio-technical, and political basic conditions"--Provided by publisher.

**DocuNotes** Jan 14 2021 The perfect guide to charting! The popular Davis's Notes format makes sure that you always have the information you need close at hand to ensure your documentation is not only complete and thorough, but also meets the highest ethical and legal standards. You'll even find coverage of the nuances that are relevant to various specialties, including pediatric, OB/GYN, psychiatric, and outpatient nursing.

**ChartSmart** Apr 28 2022 Armed with this portable handbook, nurses in any practice setting will know exactly what to document in any situation. Featuring an A-to-Z organization that makes finding information easy, this reference offers a new learn-by-example approach to charting and delivers clear examples for documenting more than 270 patient-care situations, from common diseases to legal and ethical issues. "Legal casebook" spotlights real-life court cases to help you avoid perilous charting. Completed "AccuChart" sample forms--such as OASIS, incident reports, and fall prevention reports--give readers the confidence to chart accurately at all times.

*Fast Facts for the Long-Term Care Nurse* Feb 01 2020 Print+CourseSmart

**Nursing Care Plans & Documentation** Jul 20 2021 The Fifth Edition of Nursing Care Plans and Documentation provides nurses with a comprehensive guide to creating care plans and effectively documenting care. This user-friendly resource presents the most likely diagnoses and collaborative problems with step-by-step guidance on nursing action, and rationales for interventions. New chapters cover moral distress in nursing, improving hospitalized patient outcomes, and nursing diagnosis risk for compromised human dignity. The book includes over 70 care plans that translate theory into clinical practice. Online Tutoring powered by Smarthinking--Free online tutoring, powered by Smarthinking, gives students access to expert nursing and allied health science educators whose mission, like yours, is to achieve success. Students can access live tutoring support, critiques of written work, and other valuable tools.

**Nursing Documentation Made Incredibly Easy** Jun 18 2021 Feeling unsure about the ins and outs of charting? Grasp the essential basics, with the irreplaceable Nursing Documentation Made Incredibly Easy!®, 5th Edition. Packed with colorful images and clear-as-day guidance, this friendly reference guides you through meeting documentation requirements, working with electronic medical records systems, complying with legal requirements, following care planning guidelines, and more. Whether you are a nursing student or a new or experienced nurse, this on-the-spot study and clinical guide is your ticket to ensuring your charting is timely, accurate, and watertight. Let the experts walk you through up-to-date best practices for nursing documentation, with: NEW and updated, fully illustrated content in quick-read, bulleted format NEW discussion of the necessary documentation process outside of charting--informed consent, advanced directives, medication reconciliation Easy-to-retain guidance on using the electronic medical records / electronic health records (EMR/EHR) documentation systems, and required charting and documentation practices Easy-to-read, easy-to-remember content that provides helpful charting examples demonstrating what to document in different patient situations, while addressing the different styles of charting Outlines the Do's and Don'ts of charting - a

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**Long-term Care Pocket Guide to Nursing Documentation** Dec 13 2020

**Guide to Clinical Documentation** Dec 25 2021 Develop the skills you need to effectively and efficiently document patient care for children and adults in clinical and hospital settings. This handy guide uses sample notes, writing exercises, and EMR activities to make each concept crystal clear, including how to document history and physical exams and write SOAP notes and prescriptions.

[Nursing Care Plans and Documentation](#) May 06 2020 Enter the world of nursing care planning with confidence! This informative guide is the perfect way to build your care planning and documentation skills. Practical and easy-to-read material covers each phase of care plan development and record-keeping for both surgical and non-surgical interventions.

*Documentation in Action* Jul 28 2019 Designed for rapid on-the-job reference, *Documentation in Action* offers comprehensive, authoritative, practice-oriented, up-to-the-minute guidelines for documenting every situation in every nursing practice setting and important nursing specialties. Need-to-know information is presented in bulleted lists, charts, flow sheets, sidebars, and boxes, with icons and illustrative filled-in samples. Coverage includes documentation for care of patients with various diseases, complications, emergencies, complex procedures, and difficulties involving patients, families, and other health care professionals. Suggestions are given for avoiding legal pitfalls involving telephone orders, medication reactions, patients who refuse care, and much more. A section addresses computerized documentation, HIPAA confidentiality rules, use of PDAs, nursing informatics, and electronic innovations that will soon be universal.

**Chart Smart** Mar 28 2022 *Chart Smart: the A-to-Z Guide to Better Nursing Documentation* tells nurses exactly what to document in virtually every type of situation they may encounter on the job, no matter where they practice--hospital, medical office, outpatient, rehabilitation facility, long-term care facility, or home. This portable handbook has nearly 300 entries that cover documentation required for common diseases, major emergencies, complex procedures, and difficult situations involving patients, families, other health care team members, and supervisors. In addition to patient care, this book also covers documenta

**Complete Guide to Documentation** Nov 11 2020 Thoroughly updated for its Second Edition, this comprehensive reference provides clear, practical guidelines on documenting patient care in all nursing practice settings, the leading clinical specialties, and current documentation systems. This edition features greatly expanded coverage of computerized charting and electronic medical records (EMRs), complete guidelines for documenting

JCAHO safety goals, and new information on charting pain management. Hundreds of filled-in sample forms show specific content and wording. Icons highlight tips and timesavers, critical case law and legal safeguards, and advice for special situations. Appendices include NANDA taxonomy, JCAHO documentation standards, and documenting outcomes and interventions for key nursing diagnoses.

**Care of the Acutely Ill Adult** Jan 02 2020 This key textbook equips all nurses with the knowledge and skills required to care for the deteriorating patient in the clinical environment. The book emphasizes the importance of systematic assessment, interpretation of clinical signs of deterioration, and the need to escalate the patient in a timely manner. Using a unique system-based approach, each chapter contains structured learning outcomes and concludes with a competence-based skills assessment to perfect the reader's practice skills. These skills are recommended as essential for every nurse in an acute area and key to successful practice. Restructured for ease of use, this new edition has been fully updated to match current guidelines, with new chapters on pain management and the ethics and ceilings of treatment. Written by senior nurses, this key textbook uses real life case studies to link knowledge to practice and is essential reading for all nurses working in acute care settings and undertaking study in the field.

**Nursing Care Plans & Documentation** Feb 12 2021 This one-of-a-kind text covers every aspect of independent nursing care -- it's a must-have resource for every practicing and student nurse! Content includes nursing care plans for the care of all adults regardless of their clinical situation; detailed care plans for specific clinical problems; collaborative problems and nursing diagnoses; and a strong emphasis on documentation. It also includes research validated identification of frequently encountered nursing diagnoses and collaborative problems. This edition contains 15 new care paths for common diseases/disorders

**Lippincott's Nursing Procedures** Oct 30 2019 The newly revised fifth edition of this popular reference is a start-to-finish guide for more than 400 basic to advanced nursing procedures. It provides step-by-step instructions for each procedure and explains how to use and troubleshoot equipment.

**Nursing Documentation** Nov 23 2021 Accurate documentation shows managed care companies that patients receive adequate care and that health care providers are controlling costs and resources. This book clearly and concisely provides guidelines for appropriate and careful documentation of care. This new edition includes the latest changes and trends in nursing documentation as they relate to the newly restructured healthcare environment.

**Clinical Care Classification (CCC) System Manual** Jan 26 2022 Designated a Doody's Core Title! The Preeminent Nursing Terminology Classification System "The Clinical Care Classification (CCC) System described in this manual is the only standard coded nursing terminology that is based on sound research using the nursing process model framework and that meets the Patient Medical Record Information (PMRI) comparability requirement. The CCC System allows patient care data generated by nurses to be incorporated into the PMRI database, and enables nurses' contributions to patient outcomes to be studied and acknowledged." -- From the Foreword by Sheryl L. Taylor, BSN, RN, Senior Consultant, Farrell Associates TESTIMONIES: "ABC Coding Solutions-Alternative Link developed ABC codes for nursing in collaboration with Dr. Virginia Saba, developer of the CCC system. Approximately two hundred ABC codes were developed from the CCC System of Nursing Interventions to accurately document nursing and integrative health care processes, classify and track clinical care, and develop evidence-based practice models, thus filling significant gaps in older medical code sets." --Connie Koshewa, Practitioner Relations Director, ABC Coding Solutions-Alternative Link "The International Classification for Nursing

Practice (ICNPÆ) is a program of the International Council of Nurses (ICN). One of the first steps in the development of the ICNPÆ was to collect and compare all the nursing concepts in existing nursing terminologies, including the CCC. To facilitate the goal of ICNPÆ as a unified nursing language system, a project is under way to map the CCC to the ICNPÆ Version 1.0. This work will facilitate evaluation and ongoing development of both terminologies and allow ICN to compare data using CCC codes with data from other standard nursing terminologies." --Amy Coenen, PhD, RN, FAAN, Director, ICNPÆ Program, International Council of Nurses

**ACENDIO 2005** Sep 29 2019

The Essentials of Clinical Documentation Aug 09 2020 This clinical manual is an ideal and standardized platform for preparing nursing students with the essential tools for documenting their nursing process. It teaches nursing students how to gather important data about each client in the clinical setting. Using this manual, the student nurse will be able to perform high quality documentation that is accurate and consistent in the client profile and laboratory and diagnostics, and their correlation and significance to the client's diagnosis or diagnoses. This manual also covers the medication administration record, nursing interventions and rationales, and intake and output forms. The Situation Background Assessment Recommendation (SBAR) form and the use of a concept map complete the list of resources provided. Using this standardized documentation, the student will be able to:

- Identify the primary patient data (past and present), diagnosis, and treatment plan.
- Analyze patient data correlating and drawing conclusions relevant to patient outcome.
- Document finding in a systematic manner.
- Interpret diagnostic findings as relate to patient diagnosis

This manual is intended for use in medical, surgical, and critical care clinical nursing courses.

*Nursing Narrative Note Examples to Save Your License* May 18 2021 Nursing can be nuts. On a twelve-hour shift, the last thing most nurses want to do is sit down and draft a lengthy note describing the craziness that occurred. Written by a nurse, for nurses, this book is chock full of narrative note examples describing hypothetical situations to help you describe the, well, the indescribable. Some shifts are just like that!

*Nursing Know-how* May 30 2022 Provides information on documentation issues, including electronic medical records, legal and ethical implications, and documentation in acute cases, along with a variety of charting examples.

**Nursing Notes the Easy Way** Jun 30 2022 Ever wonder what to put in a nursing note? This pocket sized guide provides you with over a hundred templates for written and verbal communication in nursing to help you.

*Charting* Dec 01 2019 Charting: An Incredibly Easy! Pocket Guide provides time-starved nurses with essential documentation guidelines in a streamlined, bulleted format, with illustrations, logos, and other Incredibly Easy! features. The book is conveniently pocket sized for quick reference anytime and anywhere. The first section reviews the basics of charting, including types of records, dos and don'ts, and current HIPAA and JCAHO regulations. The second section, alphabetically organized, presents hundreds of examples and guidelines for accurately charting everyday occurrences. Logos include Help Desk best practices tips; Form Fitting completed forms that exemplify top-notch documentation; Making a Case documentation-related court cases; and Memory Jogger mnemonics.

**Managing Documentation Risk** Sep 21 2021 Nurses are now commonly cited or implicated in medical malpractice cases.

Document Smart Aug 01 2022 Feeling unsure about documenting patient care? Learn to document with skill and ease, with the freshly updated Document Smart, 4th Edition. This unique, easy-to-use resource is a must-have for every student and new nurse, offering more than 300 alpha-organized topics that demonstrate the latest nursing, medical and

government best practices for documenting a wide variety of patient conditions and scenarios. Whether you are assessing data, creating effective patient goals, choosing optimal interventions or evaluating treatment, this is your road map to documentation confidence and clarity.

*Nursing Documentation in Aged Care* Aug 21 2021 As another volume in Ausmed's 'Guide to Practice' series of textbooks and audiobooks, this is an essential text for all aged-care nurses who wish to enhance their documentation skills and deliver higher quality care to the elderly. AudioBooks are ideal teaching tools.

Mosby's Surefire Documentation Oct 23 2021 Offering clear, practical guidelines for how, what, and when to document for more than 100 of the most common and most important situations nurses face, this essential resource details exactly what information to consider and document, to ensure quality patient care, continuity of care, and legal protection for the nurse and the institution where the nurse works.

**Essentials of Correctional Nursing** Jul 08 2020 "Essentials of Correctional Nursing is the first new and comprehensive text about this growing field to be published in the last decade. Fortunately, the editors have done a great job in all respects...This book should be required reading for all medical practitioners and administrators working in jails or prisons. It certainly belongs on the shelf of every nurse, physician, ancillary healthcare professional and corrections administrator."--Corhealth (The Newsletter of the American Correctional Health Services Association) "I highly recommend Essentials of Correctional Nursing, by Lorry Schoenly, PhD, RN, CCHP-RN and Catherine M. Knox, MN, RN, CCHP-RN, editors. This long-awaited book, dedicated to the professional specialty of correctional nursing, is not just a good read, it is one of those books that stays on your desk and may never make it to the bookshelf."--American Jails "Correctional nursing has minimal published texts to support, educate, and provide ongoing best practices in this specialty. Schoenly and Knox have successfully met those needs with Essentials of Correctional Nursing."--Journal of Correctional Health Care Nurses have been described as the backbone of correctional health care. Yet the complex challenges of caring for this disenfranchised population are many. Ethical dilemmas around issues of patient privacy and self-determination abound, and the ability to adhere to the central tenet of nursing, the concept of caring, is often compromised. Essentials of Correctional Nursing supports correctional nurses by providing a comprehensive body of current, evidence-based knowledge about the best practices to deliver optimal nursing care to this population. It describes how nurses can apply their knowledge and skills to assess the full range of health conditions presented by incarcerated individuals and determine the urgency and priority of requisite care. The book describes the unique health needs and corresponding care for juveniles, women, and individuals at the end of life. Chapters are devoted to nursing care for patients with chronic disease, infectious disease, mental illness, or pain, or who are in withdrawal from drugs or alcohol. Chapters addressing health screening, medical emergencies, sick call, and dental care describe how nurses identify, respond to, and manage these health care concerns in the correctional setting. The Essentials of Correctional Nursing was written and reviewed by experienced correctional nurses with thousands of hours of experience. American Nurses Association standards are woven throughout the text, which provide the information needed by nurses studying for certification exams in correctional nursing. The text will also be of value to nurses working in such settings as emergency departments, specialty clinics, hospitals, psychiatric treatment units, community health clinics, substance abuse treatment programs, and long-term care settings, where they may encounter patients who are currently or have previously been incarcerated. Key Features: Addresses legal and ethical issues surrounding correctional nursing Covers common inmate-patient health care concerns and diseases Discusses the unique health needs of

juveniles, women, and individuals at the end of life Describes how nurses can safely navigate the correctional environment to create a therapeutic alliance with patients Provides information about health screening, medical emergencies, sick call, and dental care Serves as a core resource in the preparation for correctional nursing certification exams

Documenting Care Oct 11 2020 University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee School of Nursing's comprehensive charting and documentation manual for students and practitioners.

Chart to Save Your RN License Mar 16 2021 You can be an excellent nurse in the clinical setting and still fail to prove that you are an excellent nurse if your documentation is inadequate. Having worked in a variety of inpatient and outpatient settings, I understand the obstacles nurses face. There's just not time, nor do nurses have the mental energy to meticulously document every little thing on top of the rest of their to-do list. That's part of why I became passionate about documentation education. It doesn't have to be an overwhelming, endless challenge to chart exhaustively in hopes that you enter enough data into the chart to defend yourself one day. Rather, leveraging the most critical data, knowing how to format notes and exactly what to say, and when to spend five minutes dumping information into the chart can be learned skills that make documentation faster, easier, and less stressful, while doing a better job of defending your actions. The Importance of Documentation & Overcoming Obstacles Purpose(s) of Documentation Defensive Charting Obstacles Impacting Quality of Medical Record Overcoming Obstacles Legal Responsibilities of the Nurse Duties of the Nurse Nurse Practice Acts Duties of the Hospital Hospital Policy vs. State Board of Nursing Regulations Reasonable Prudence Failure to Fulfill (Document) Responsibilities Fulfilling Responsibilities vs. Documenting Responsibilities What if Responsibilities Aren't Fulfilled? Mistakes Happen Professional Liability Insurance Malpractice Medical Negligence Acting with Malice Fraud What Happens When a Nurse is Charged with Malpractice? What to Do if You Receive Notification of a Claim Common Charting Mistakes & How to Avoid Them The Most Common Errors Charting By Exception & Charting to Capture Minimal Data "But I've Always Charted This Way, and Nothing Bad Has Happened Yet..." What You Should Be Charting How and What to Chart Quick Glance Charting Checklists What is a Timely Manner? Documenting Assessments Sample Focused Assessment Criteria Sharing the Responsibility Modifying Electronic Data Abbreviations Standing Orders Early Warning Systems Scores & Scales Informed Consent Special Circumstances Paper Charting Writing an Incident Report Patient Leaving AMA Patient Threatening to Sue You Identifying Patient Belongings Another Member of the Team is Not Documenting Correctly Restraints Defective Equipment Suspected Abuse Patient Requesting to View Their EMR on Hospital Computer Narrative Notes When & How to Write Notes One Note or Several Notes? Daily Narrative Notes Examples of Common Notes Written As-Needed How to Title Narrative Notes How to Format Notes Using Patient Names in Notes Length of Notes Create a Template Tips for Less Stress When Charting BONUS: How I Chart on a "Typical" Shift ABOUT THE AUTHOR: I'm Andrea, RN-MSN. Perfecting my own documentation and working to find concrete guidelines to share with my fellow nurses has become my passion. As I gained more knowledge and researched the dusty, forgotten corners of the internet for obscure evidence-based practice and case studies, becoming a subject matter expert on nursing documentation lit a spark because sharing this information helps empower nurses to understand exactly what should appear in their patient charts, where, when it should be entered, and how it should be phrased.

**Essentials of Nursing Practice** Aug 28 2019 Get 24 months FREE access to an interactive eBook\* when you buy the paperback! (Print paperback version only, ISBN 9781473929579) A Unique Blend of Digital and Print Learning Resources! Essentials of Nursing Practice is a ground-breaking new resource which introduces nursing students to

the core topics they need to master during their first year and beyond. It brings the study of nursing to life across all four fields of nursing, in all settings, focussing on what it takes to be the best nurse you can be through person-centred compassionate care. Unlike any other book it uniquely blends digital and print learning resources to engage all styles of learners and to provide lecturers with helpful resources to use in their teaching. More than just a book! An accompanying interactive eBook links to extra resources including videos, case studies, interactive revision quizzes, flashcards, study plans and more. Students can use the eBook to study where and when they want, and read, annotate and search the book on a tablet, laptop or PC. All these resources are also available through SAGE edge - visit <https://edge.sagepub.com/essentialnursing> to find out more. (Please note that the free access to these resources is only available when you purchase the Print copy of this textbook) Key features of the print and eBook help students to:

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Nursing Documentation Apr 16 2021 Improve your staff's documentation for less than \$4 per person Documentation may be the least favorite part of a nurse's job--but it's also one of the most important aspects. Incomplete or improper documentation poses a huge financial and compliance threat, including citations from state, federal, and Joint Commission surveyors. Plus, nurse managers can legally be held accountable for their nurses' documentation. Now packages of 25 handbooks are only \$89 Improve your staff's documentation with the handbook "Nursing Documentation: ""Reduce Your Risk of Liability, "Second Edition. Written specifically for staff nurses, this easy-to-read and affordable resource helps nurses understand the value of good documentation, and the consequences of not documenting accurately and in a timely fashion. The handbook's case studies illustrate the legal threat nurses face from improper documentation, while the quick tips help them avoid common charting errors and improve their charting skills. The handbook includes a short post-test and certificate of completion, allowing nurses to evaluate their documentation understanding. With this handbook as their guide, your staff will be motivated to a level of excellence that will be reflected in the medical record, resulting in improved overall quality of care at their facility. Take a look at the table of contents: What is clinical documentation? The purpose of documentation Your potential liability risks Threat to licensure Civil litigation Case study 1: Documenting completely to avoid allegations of negligent care Contemporary nursing standards Your state Nurse Practice Act The consequences of an incomplete medical record Case study 2: Failing to record pertinent health information Eight common charting errors to avoid Risk management recommendations Top 20 tips for improving your documentation Take a look at the companion book for nurse managers "Managing Documentation Risk: ""A Guide for Nurse Managers, "Second Edition provides nurse managers with strategies they can use to

protect themselves, their staff, and their organization while continuing to offer the best quality of care. This resource guides nurse leaders through assessing their organization's risks and designing a system for auditing staff documentation. It features an accompanying CD-ROM, including all the customizable strategic forms and audit tools included in the book ready for immediate use in your facility.

The Future of Nursing Jun 06 2020 The Future of Nursing explores how nurses' roles, responsibilities, and education should change significantly to meet the increased demand for care that will be created by health care reform and to advance improvements in America's increasingly complex health system. At more than 3 million in number, nurses make up the single largest segment of the health care work force. They also spend the greatest amount of time in delivering patient care as a profession. Nurses therefore have valuable insights and unique abilities to contribute as partners with other health care professionals in improving the quality and safety of care as envisioned in the Affordable Care Act (ACA) enacted this year. Nurses should be fully engaged with other health professionals and assume leadership roles in redesigning care in the United States. To ensure its members are well-prepared, the profession should institute residency training for nurses, increase the percentage of nurses who attain a bachelor's degree to 80 percent by 2020, and double the number who pursue doctorates. Furthermore, regulatory and institutional obstacles -- including limits on nurses' scope of practice -- should be removed so that the health system can reap the full benefit of nurses' training, skills, and knowledge in patient care. In this book, the Institute of Medicine makes recommendations for an action-oriented blueprint for the future of nursing.

Nursing Documentation Handbook Nov 04 2022 This pocket-size guide saves nurses precious time while ensuring that a complete patient record is created and that legal, quality assurance, and reimbursement requirements are met. This handbook provides specific verbiage for charting patient progress, change or tasks accomplished for approximately 50 common problems. The new third edition has been completely updated to include Critical Assessment Findings, Subjective Findings for Documentation, Resources for Care and Practice, Legal Considerations, Time Saving Tips, and new Managed Care information. Plus, roughly 15 additional common problems and diagnoses have been added making this practical resource more valuable than ever. Diagnoses are in alphabetical order allowing for fast and easy access. Each patient problem or diagnosis found in this handbook includes specific documentation guidelines for the following aspects of nursing care: \*Assessment of patient problem \*Associated nursing diagnosis \*Examples of objective findings for documentation \*Examples of subjective findings for documentation \*Examples of assessment of the data \*Examples of potential medical problems for this patient \*Examples of the documentation of potential nursing interventions/actions \*Examples of the evaluations of the interventions/actions \*Other services that may be indicated and their associated interventions and goals/outcomes \*Nursing goals and outcomes \*Potential discharge plans for this patient \*Patient, family, caregiver educational needs \*Resources for care and practice \*Legal considerations for documentation, as appropriate Introductory chapters describe documentation, the medical record systems of nursing documentation, and current JCAHO and ANA standards related to documentation. Specialty sections provide important and specific guidelines for hospice care and maternal-child care. Appendices provide the latest NANDA-approved nursing diagnoses, descriptions of services provided by other disciplines, abbreviations, and a listing of resources (i.e., directory of resources, clinical newsletters and journals, Internet resources, further reading). Includes Time Saving Tips boxes to help minimize the time needed for documentation responsibilities. Each diagnosis includes a Critical Assessment Components/Findings section to help nurses with their critical decision making and

determine whether an assessment finding indicates immediate attention or patient follow up. The Goals/Outcomes section of each diagnosis now appears at the beginning so that nurses know the intended goals and outcomes up front before beginning the assessment. All documentation guidelines now include sections on Examples of Subjective Findings for Documentation and Resources for Care and Practice. Includes Legal Considerations for Documentation as appropriate to highlight important legal issues. Part One has been updated to reflect the current managed care environment, including new information required by the National Community of Quality Assurance [NCQA], so that nurses can incorporate and focus on these changes as they document

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