

	N.C. Nurse Aide I Curriculum
	MODULE M The Nursing Process and Nursing Care Plan
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	Objectives
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Identify the role of the nurse aide in each step of the nursing process.■ Describe the importance of delegation of tasks to the nurse aide.
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	Definition of Nursing Process
	Method used by nurses to plan & deliver nursing care to the resident
	FIVE STEPS ARE: <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Assessment■ Nursing Diagnosis■ Planning■ Implementation■ Evaluation
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Nursing Care Plan (The Care Plan)



- Responsibility of nurse to provide written plan of care
- Based on nursing process
- Used for coordination and continuity of care
- May be standardized, computerized or written in Kardex

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The Nursing Process and Nursing Care Plan – Importance



- Care is organized, individualized and has purpose
- Care is consistent
- Resident feels safe and secure
- Assists health team members to deliver care

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The Nursing Process and Nursing Care Plan – Nurse Aide's Role



- Assists nurse during data collection
 - Often collects data used by nurse
 - Interventions are what nurse aides do
 - If intervention does not work, nurse modifies nursing care plan
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- Accurately report reactions to interventions
 - Nurse relies on nurse aides to assist with evaluation

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