Self-Regulating Nursing: A Compendium of Peer Review Strategies - From Performance Evaluation to Quality Investigation

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LVHN Unit Peer Review Documents
Council Charter
Peer Review Evaluation Process

LVHN Miscellaneous Peer Review Materials

LVHN Professional Practice Model

LVHN Shared Governance Model

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Peer Case Review

Goals
- Scholarly approach
- Identification/analysis of quality of care issue(s) in response to a question about nursing care of specific patient

New Knowledge, Innovations & Improvements (NK) 8
Describe and demonstrate innovations in nursing practice.

Exemplary Professional Practice (EP) 28
Structures and processes are in place to identify and manage problems related to incompetent, unsafe or unprofessional conduct.

LVHN Peer Case Review

- Critically examine untoward patient events
- Generate awareness of gaps in care from a systems perspective
- Ensure action planning focused on legitimate root causes
- Stimulate performance improvement initiatives, inclusive of outcomes monitoring until improvement is sustained
- Provide a forum to share learnings throughout the organization

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