

Cooper and Gosnell: Foundations and Adult Health Nursing, 7th Edition

Chapter 01: The Evolution of Nursing

Answer Keys - Open Book Quizzes

1. Bellevue Hospital School of Nursing in New York, Connecticut Training School in New Haven, and Boston Training School at Massachusetts General Hospital.
2. The nursing practice is affected by the following societal factors: demographics of population, women's health care issues, men in nursing, rising numbers of persons with fewer socioeconomic advantages seeking health care, and bioterrorism threats.
3. These two organizations set standards for practical/vocational nursing practice, promote and protect the interests of LPN/LVNs, and educate and inform the general public about practical/vocational nursing.
4. An approved program is one that meets the minimum standards set by the respective state agency responsible for overseeing educational programs. Accreditation is a higher standard, which signifies that the accrediting organization has judged that a program has met its preestablished criteria.
5. Articulation is a procedure that allows nursing programs to work together to plan their curricula to decrease duplication of learning experiences.
6. The major goal of the health care system is to achieve optimal levels of health care for a defined population through adequate and appropriate health care services.
7. Holistic medicine is an approach to patient care that considers all factors such as the physical, emotional, social, economic, and spiritual needs of a person.
8. The term technologist refers to those who have a baccalaureate degree, whereas the term technician refers to those who have an associate degree or less.
9. Rising health care costs, our aging population, advancement of technology, health care insurance, malpractice insurance, and a significant number of people without health care.
10. Being a responsible and accountable, and an effective member of the health care team; maintaining a current license; practicing within the scope of the nurse practice act; practicing under the supervision of a medical physician, registered nurse, osteopathic physician, or dentist; meeting patient needs; maintaining professional appearance; promoting and maintaining health; preventing disease and encouraging rehabilitation; performing within legal and ethical parameters; participating in professional activities; and assisting in development of the role of the LPN/LVN of tomorrow.