Nursing LOINC Subcommittee Update

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This subcommittee meets on the first Monday of every month at 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. EST/EDT. You may register to attend these online meetings. In doing so you will receive email reminders both three days and one hour before each session.

Interested in joining this committee? See the prerequisites and apply.

The Nursing Subcommittee is a subcommittee of the Clinical LOINC Committee.

Next Meeting: November 4, 2019 (2019-11-04)
Nursing LOINC Subcommittee Mission

To facilitate the development and use of LOINC codes for observations used during key stages of the nursing process, including assessments, goals, and outcomes. Also, to meet the needs for administrative, research, and quality measurement initiatives related to nursing care.
Education Provided

- LOINC Groupings – Michael Denton (3M)
- LOINC Document Ontology - Michael Denton (3M)
- Evidence-based strategy to achieve equivalency in the assessment, storage and use of Social and Behavioral Determinants of Health - Ruth Wetta & Roberta Severin (Cerner)
- Nursing Knowledge Big Data Science Modeling Group - Tess Settergren
Discussion Topics

• Nursing Content Development
• Education
Content Development

- Wound Assessment
  - Requested new observation “Wound Shape” to be added to the panel
  - Scheduled for FHIR HL7 ballot Jan 2020

- Pain Assessment Panel
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- Pain Assessment Instruments in progress
  - Neonatal Pain Agitation and Sedation Scale (N-PASS)

- Developing content request process with Nursing Knowledge Big Data Initiative
Future Content Development

• Copyright requests
  • Neonatal Pain Agitation and Sedation Scale (N-PASS)
  • Revised Face, Legs, Activity, Cry, Consolability scale (rFLACC)
  • PAIN Advanced Dementia (PAINAD)
  • Safe Environment for Every Kid (SEEK)

• Genitourinary Assessment
• Peripheral and Central IV assessment
• Developing content request process with Nursing Knowledge Big Data Initiative
Observations

- Skipped two meetings
- Volunteer organization so progress is slow
- Knowledgeable members willing to participate and share