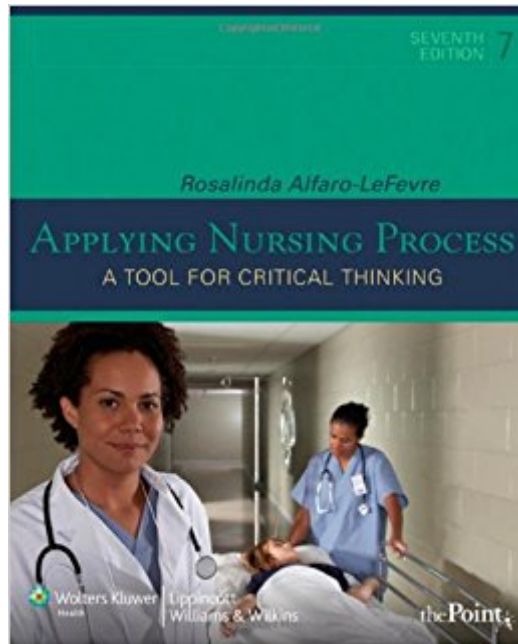


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Applying Nursing Process: A Tool For Critical Thinking



Synopsis

This trusted resource combines the practical guidance students need to understand each phase of the nursing process with an emphasis on critical thinking, focusing on both independent and collaborative responsibilities facing today's nurses. Using straightforward language, abundant examples, and real case scenarios, the book addresses the nurse's role as a caregiver and decision-maker in a range of settingsâ "from clinic to the home, community, research, and acute care arenas. A new focus and design help readers build essential critical thinking and problem solving skills and apply them within the nursing process framework. A companion Website provides a variety of tools such as patient self-assessment tool, clinical decision map, NCLEXÂ® resources, and much more.

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Too many students are being taught approaches that are no longer relevant to practice.

Alfaro-LeFevre knows how to grab your attention and let you know what you must know to succeed both in classroom and clinical settings. She discusses "old" versus "new" thinking and gives sound strategies and rationale for moving forward into this decade. As with her other book, Critical Thinking and Clinical Judgment --- an AJN Book of the Year Award winner --- she makes difficult content easy (even fun) to learn. Her emphasis on ANA standards as they apply to using nursing process as a tool for critical thinking ensures a sound, logical, relevant approach.

This book is an excellent introduction to the nursing process. She explains the how and why in a clear and concise manner. She shows how the nursing process can be applied to a variety of settings and situations, and also how to adapt it to the specific needs of the patient.

Helps your "nursing reasoning" but no direct categorizing by topic. For the price, I'd skip on this one. As a Nursing student, I need something more direct and easier to comb through.

Excellent, prompt service. Delivered very fast. Thank you!!

Didn't really get to use this book as I thought I would in Nursing Fundamentals, but it helped me look at a few topics from a different point of view.

This book is easy to read and follow along. Very helpful in the first year of the nursing program.

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