Increasing Competence in Pressure Injury Prevention Using Competency-Based Education in Adult Intensive Care Unit

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ABSTRACT

Increasing nursing competence in implementing pressure injury prevention may be effective in preventing pressure injury prevalence in the adult intensive care unit. A quality improvement project with pre and post measures was used to evaluate the effectiveness of competency-based education in increasing staff competence in pressure injury prevention in an adult medical intensive care unit (MICU). [Result summary will be included in the abstract when the project concludes].