

PLANNING



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definition



- It is the process of deciding the nursing care /actions to be given to the patient for the nursing diagnosis already formulated. It also serves as a document that communicates a patients nursing care to all members of the health care team

purposes



- Directs clinical care
- Develop an individualized care plan
- Guide for nursing action
- Provides direction for implementation and evaluation
- Organized

cont



- Nursing care plan identifies and coordinates
- Enhance continuity of care
- Written care plan helps in handing over shifts
- Includes long term needs of the patients
- Care plan enhances continuity of care

Types of planning



- Initial planning
- Ongoing planning
- Discharge planning

Standing orders and protocols



- It is a written document with rules and policies, procedures regulation orders for the conduct of patient care
- These are medical guidelines for medical treatment

Planning process



- Establishing priorities
- Establishing patient goals – SMART
- Selecting nursing strategies
- Writing care plans