# Unit 1: Nursing and the Health Care Environment

- 1. Nursing Today
- 2. The Health Care Delivery System
- 3. Community-Based Nursing Practice
- 4. Theoretical Foundations of Nursing Practice
- 5. Evidence-Based Practice

# Unit 2: Caring Throughout the Life Span

- 6. Health and Wellness
- 7. Caring in Nursing Practice
- 8. Caring for the Cancer Survivor
- 9. Cultural Awareness
- 10. Caring for Families
- 11. Developmental Theories
- 12. Conception Through Adolescence
- 13. Young to Middle Adult
- 14. Older Adult

## **Unit 3: Critical Thinking in Nursing Practice**

- 15. Critical Thinking in Nursing Practice
- 16. Nursing Assessment
- 17. Nursing Diagnosis
- 18. Planning Nursing Care
- 19. Implementing Nursing Care
- 20. Evaluation
- 21. Managing Patient Care

## **Unit 4: Professional Standards in Nursing Practice**

- 22. Ethics and Values
- 23. Legal Implications in Nursing Practice
- 24. Communication
- 25. Patient Education
- 26. Documentation and Informatics

## **Unit 5: Foundations for Nursing Practice**

- 27. Patient Safety and Quality
- 28. Immobility
- 29. Infection Prevention and Control
- 30. Vital Signs
- 31. Health Assessment and Physical Examination
- 32. Medication Administration
- 33. Complementary and Alternative Therapies

## **Unit 6: Psychosocial Basis for Nursing Practice**

- 34. Self-Concept
- 35. Sexuality
- 36. Spiritual Health
- 37. The Experience of Loss, Death, and Grief
- 38. Stress and Coping

## Unit 7: Physiological Basis for Nursing Practice

- 39. Activity and Exercise
- 40. Hygiene

- 41. Oxygenation42. Fluid, Electrolyte, and Acid-Base Balance
- 43. Sleep
- 44. Pain Management 45. Nutrition

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- 49. Sensory Alterations
- 50. Care of Surgical Patients