Outbreak & Early Situation of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) in Pakistan

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Background: Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) continues to spread all around the world, affecting 212 countries that originated from Wuhan, China. In Pakistan, spread of COVID-19 infection is experienced at exponential rate. Until 11th May, 2020, total 4,235,237 COVID-19 cases with 285,946 mortalities and 2,430,202 active cases have been reported globally. Objectiv ...

Drug prevalence and comparison interaction between numbers of patients admitted at two teaching hospitals; Quetta, Pakistan

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Aim and objective: Drug-drug interaction (DDI) is of major concern in patients with complex therapeutic regimens. The study aims to assess the prevalence of DDIs in the prescriptions of patients during the hospitalization to evaluate the DDIs of drugs regarding its severity, pharmacodynamic and pharmacokinetic. Methodology: The prescribed drugs in the admission chart ...

Promoting resilience among expectant and parenting youth in California during the COVID-19 pandemic
The purpose of this study is to showcase some of the challenges experienced with the transition to and implementation of televisits and to identify strategies both in terms of practice and policy that enhance case managers’ ability to connect, engage and continue to support expectant and parenting youth (EPY) during the COVID-19 pandemic. A total of 83 program staff ( ...
When we identify moments of extreme demand for health care in the Emergency Departments (ED), we can reach a level characterized as a maximum restriction, when there is an extreme decrease in the capacity to absorb new demand in the sector (capacity above the maximum number of beds arranged in the ED with hospital capacity preventing internal transfers). At these time ...
Nursing care in the patient with epilepsy/seizures

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Epilepsy is considered to be as old as humanity itself and one of the most common Central Nervous System disorders. It has been known since ancient times and is considered a modern disease. It is a global health problem and is affected by more than 50 million people, most of them from developing countries and with psychobiological consequences and even the risk of dea ...
Sleep quality in adolescents with diabetes mellitus

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Type 1 Diabetes Mellitus (T1DM) is a complex disease including a result of which children and adolescents medical applications daily life and lifestyle changes, lack of insulin secretion from pancreatic beta cells. Nowadays, there is no improvement in Type 1 diabetes mellitus. However, it can be maintained near-normal life with the insulin subcutaneous injection (SC) ...

Measures and effect in preventing and controlling COVID-19 in Shenzhen

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Since December 2019, COVID-19 is still in the global trend of pandemic, prevention and control situation is grim. Shenzhen is adjacent to Hong Kong, with a small area (1997 square kilometers), a large population (23 million people), many ports, immigrant cities and other factors, which have increased the difficulty of preventing and controlling the epidemic situation ...

Can community as a whole be a client for nurses?

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Community Health Nursing and Public Health Nursing has a long history in the world. However, most of the times it is associated to care in community more than care to community [1]. ...
Reaching Out: Supporting Families and Carers Bereaved During COVID-19

The past few months of responding to COVID-19 were undoubtedly a challenging time. The North Middlesex University Hospital in North London experienced an early peak of deaths from Covid-19. With no visiting allowed to keep the footfall through the hospital as low as possible, patients and their families were unable to share the final days or hours and were unable to s ...