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NI News



mHealth is significant for Nursing Informatics!

Have you heard about mHealth? Almost every informatics report and market analysis supports the finding that mHealth is becoming a force to be reckoned



with. This wave is unique from other types of health information technology, since the impetus is largely consumer driven. “Innovations in mobile health (mHealth) technology offer applications to promote wellness management and health behavior change outside of formal clinical settings. Nurses can help to move mHealth into mainstream health care by understanding its potential to change the landscape of health intervention delivery, incorporating mHealth into patients' day to day preventive care strategies, and supporting the science of mHealth's effectiveness” (Samples, Ni and Shaw, 2014, p. 330). Many experts support the notion that mobile health is beginning to define the future of healthcare – and that nurses should get involved!

A key factor in the swift evolution of mHealth is the astounding availability of devices – people all around the globe have access to some sort of mobile device. In fact, in some countries, mobile devices are more readily available (and used) than any other technology, including computers. Since so many people already have mobile devices and know how to use them for day to day activities, the demand for and ability to easily use mHealth apps on these devices are growing exponentially. Wearable digital sensors attached to these mobile devices open up even more ways to monitor real time personal health indicators effortlessly. As well, people can enter personal data manually into many mHealth apps to keep track of their food intake, habits, workout repetitions, hours of sleep, and so on. With more research, we can ensure that mHealth strategies are applied using evidenced-informed app design and monitoring. Nurses can be key players in this research and in supporting clients to use mobile devices in the safest and most integrated ways.

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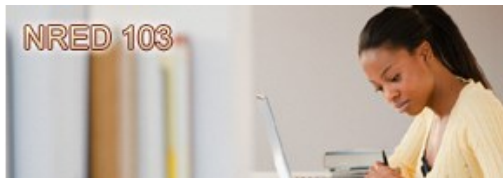
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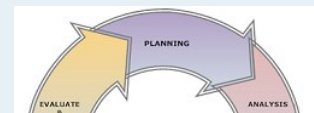
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As a nurse interested in Nursing Informatics skills, you have a unique set of related strengths, knowledge and learning needs. An initial learning plan is offered here to help you to begin to plan your personal development in computer literacy, information literacy and informatics theory and practice. Once you have identified your preliminary learning needs, you can plan strategies for equipping yourself with the theory and hands-on skills you need to be proficient in the various aspects of informatics.

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Looking to Publish in Nursing Informatics?

The Mission of The [Canadian Journal of Nursing Informatics \(CJNI\)](#) is to provide a peer - reviewed venue for Canadian (and international) nurses and researchers who work with Nursing Informatics to disseminate their research, essays, reviews, presentations, multimedia and other digital publishable materials on a global scale. We have decided to offer this journal free of charge in order to make informatics research and theory openly available to all Canadian nurses.

We encourage researchers, educators, and experimenters at all levels of expertise to feel confident in submitting their work for review. It is our mission to support fledgling as well as seasoned researchers in showcasing their work within the on-line environment. The Canadian

Journal of Nursing Informatics (CJNI) serves as an on-line publication available to anyone interested in the evolving field of nursing informatics..

As well, we are looking for regular column contributors that focus on new technologies, software reviews, tips for nursing informatics teaching or practice, - or perhaps you have a bright idea to suggest??

If you are interested in submitting to the CJNI, please send an abstract (or your complete manuscript, video, or other files) of your work to our Editor in Chief for consideration. We welcome inventive as well as practical papers and other forms of exploration into the diverse world of Nursing Informatics!

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Nursing Informatics Learning Center Summary

This site offers resources, courses, links, and news related to the complex field of nursing informatics. It is intended to serve as a tool for nurses who wish to explore the field, assess their own competencies, and develop knowledge and skills to empower their own practice. Consultant, Writing, Curriculum Design and other services are also available.

Upcoming Informatics Events

February 29 - March 4, 2016

HIMSS 2016 Annual Conference and Exhibition

THEME: Population Health, Cybersecurity, Big Data

LOCATION: Las Vegas, Nevada.

April 21-23, 2016

ANIA Annual Conference 2016

THEME: Bridging Informatics and Patient Care

LOCATION: San Francisco, California

June 25 - 29, 2016

13th International Congress in Nursing Informatics

THEME: eHealth for all – Every level collaboration from project to realization

LOCATION: Geneva, Switzerland



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Save 20% off of Everything!!

This week all of our courses are offered for 20% off the usual low tuition fee. Check back each week to see the new deals!

The Valentine sale extends from February 1st through February 14th, 2016.

Note: If you are buying a course as a gift, let us know! We will create a festive card and certificate with a nursing informatics theme and deliver them either digitally. No extra charge!!

CHECK OUT OUR VALENTINE SALE NOW!!

