International Council of Nurses

Publications List

2016
Free publications from the ICN website

Available from: http://www.icn.ch/publications/publications/

- Adult and childhood immunisation – 2013 revised edition
- The ICN Code of Ethics for Nurses
- Guidelines: Career moves and migration: critical questions
- Guidelines: Essential services during labour conflict
- Guidelines: Job evaluation
- Guidelines: Law and the workplace
- Improving the Health and Well-Being of Women: A Life Course Approach
- Regulatory Board Governance Toolkit
- Promoting Health: Advocacy Guide for Health Professionals
ICN Basic Principles of Nursing Care
Virginia Henderson’s modern classic of nursing care, is relevant to nurses and patients in all settings. Translated into 34 languages, it is used in schools of nursing around the world.
54 pages 2004 CHF 15 + shipping

Global Issues and Trends in Nursing Education
The International Council of Nurses (ICN) has a long-recognised role in promoting strong professional educational systems. This monograph aims to present a current ICN view on global trends in nursing education for preparing a nursing workforce capable of responding to current health care needs in the present and in the future.
67 pages 2010 CHF 25 + shipping

Handbook on Entrepreneurial Practice
This handbook describes the characteristics and qualities primarily of nurses who discover and apply innovative mechanisms to deliver services to patients or clients, whether the nurse is self-employed or employed by a health service. The focus is primarily on discovering what it takes to become a successful nurse entrepreneur or intrapreneur.
74 pages 2012 CHF 20 + shipping

It’s Your Career: Take Charge
Career Planning and Development Workbook
It’s Your Career: Take Charge provides a model nurses can use to guide their career development along with practical strategies for identifying and achieving success and satisfaction as they define it. This workbook gives nurses an overview of what career planning and development is and why it is important today and for the future. It also introduces nurses to a career planning and development model.
70 pages 2010 CHF 25 + shipping

It’s Your Career: Take Charge
Career Planning and Development Trainer’s Manual
This Trainer’s Manual is designed to support nurse career coaches who will be conducting It’s Your Career: Take Charge workshops and providing individual career coaching. It is meant to accompany the Workbook and to provide tips that coaches can use to prepare and effectively deliver the workshops and to consult with individual nurses about their career planning and development needs.
34 pages 2010 CHF 25 + shipping
**Scope of Nursing Practice and Decision-Making Framework Toolkit**

Nurses’ roles and functions are constantly evolving and changing to meet patient needs and to incorporate service needs such as workforce shortages, skill mix issues and budget constraints. Nurses require support in making scope of practice decisions. This toolkit is part of a learning package that describes the policy framework, relevant concepts, key stakeholders and processes fundamental to any discussion, development and implementation of the scope of nursing practice in any country or jurisdiction.

56 pages  2010  CHF 25 + shipping

**Toolkit on Complaints Management**

A key responsibility in nursing regulation is to deal with incidences and complaints about unacceptable practice. It is vital that the profession clearly articulate to the public that it will take action when a nurse’s practice puts the public at risk. The Toolkit on Complaints Management and the accompanying powerpoint slides describes the policy framework, relevant concepts, key stakeholders and the processes fundamental to a complaints management process.

49 pages  2012  CHF 25 + shipping
International Nurses Day (IND)

International Nurses Day is celebrated around the world every May 12, the anniversary of Florence Nightingale's birth. The International Council of Nurses commemorates this important day each year with the production and distribution of the International Nurses' Day (IND) kit. It contains educational and public information materials, for use by nurses everywhere.

Each kit available for CHF 15 + shipping

The IND theme for 2016 is: Nurses: A Force for Change: Improving health systems' resilience. We encourage nurses everywhere to make extended use of the Nurses: A Force for Change: Improving health systems' resilience kit throughout the year, through individual action and group activities.

Available on: www.icn.ch/publications/international-nurses-day/

Also available:

- **IND 2015**  Nurses: A Force for Change – Care Effective, Cost Effective
- **IND 2014**  Nurses: A Force for Change – A Vital Resource for Health
- **IND 2013**  Closing The Gap: Millennium Development Goals 8,7,6,5,4,3,2,1
- **IND 2012**  Closing the Gap: From evidence to action
- **IND 2011**  Closing the gap: Increasing access and equity
- **IND 2010**  Delivering quality; serving communities: Nurses leading chronic care
ICN Logo badge
The ICN logo brings together the person (both the nurse and the people nurses serve) and the lamp, a symbol of nursing in many countries, representing the nurse working with people. Taken together, the four elements (base, lamp, flame and globe) represent unity, strength, wholeness and equilibrium. This modern logo reflects the dynamism and flexibility of ICN as an organisation.

The White Heart badge
The white heart is the universal symbol for nursing. It characterizes the caring, knowledge and humanity that infuse the work and spirit of nursing. The white heart is also a unifying symbol for nurses globally. White was selected because it brings together all colours, demonstrating nursing’s acceptance of all people. White also has a worldwide association with nursing, caring, hygiene and comfort. The heart shape communicates humanity and the central place that nursing has in quality health care.

Minimum order is for 5 badges
Price for 5 badges: CHF 15 + shipping

All proceeds from the sales of the White Heart badge will go to the Girl Child Education Fund.

Gifts and Special Items