Nursing Evidence-Based Practice, Quality Application
Beaumont Nursing Inquiry, EBP, Research Council

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Unit:	
Email Address:	
Position and Unit worked at Beaumont Health:	
Site:	
Evidence Based Project Title:	
Initial EBP Question:	
EBP Team Members:	

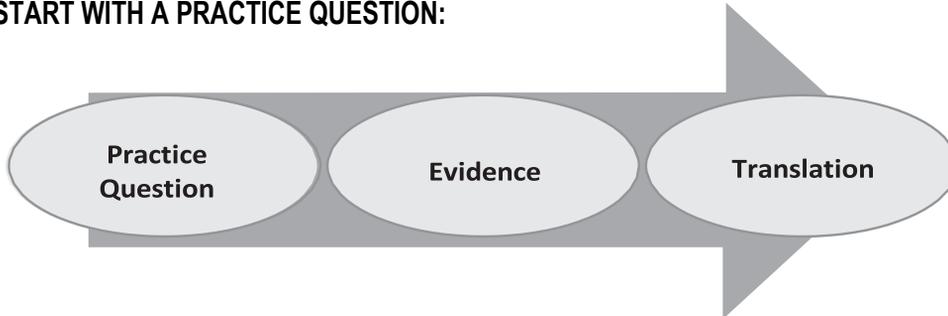| Activities	
PRACTICE QUESTION:	
1. Define the problem	
2. State the EBP question	
3. Identify stakeholders (who will be impacted – i.e., patients, members of the multidisciplinary team, etc.…	
EVIDENCE:	
4. Conduct internal and external search for evidence (provide summary of the evidence and reference list)	
TRANSLATION:	
5. Describe action plan, and assessment of any/all safety risks. Provide copy of any survey or data collection tool. **Include Insurance of confidentiality –** Data Use Agreement for any external data dissemination, identification of site, system, staff, patients, etc. DUA can be started by contacting the Research Institute Manager at Bobbie.Lewis@beaumont.org	
6. Disseminate findings. - describe your plan for dissemination of the results of your project (at Beaumont and externally)	

Manager/Director or CNO approval:_____

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We utilize the Johns Hopkins Evidence Based Practice Model. The steps are defined below:

START WITH A PRACTICE QUESTION:

Step 1: Recruit interprofessional team.

Step 2: Define the problem.

Step 3: Develop and refine the EBP question.

Step 4: Identify stakeholders.

Step 5: Determine responsibility for project leadership.

Step 6: Schedule team meetings.

EVIDENCE

Step 7: Conduct internal and external search for evidence.

Step 8: Appraise the level and quality of each piece of evidence.

Step 9: Summarize the individual evidence.

Step 10: Synthesize overall strength and quality of evidence.

Step 11: Develop recommendations for change based on evidence synthesis.

- Strong, compelling evidence, consistent results.
- Good evidence, consistent results.
- Good evidence, conflicting results.
- Insufficient or absent evidence.

TRANSLATION

Step 12: Determine fit, feasibility, and appropriateness of recommendation(s) for translation path.

Step 13: Create action plan.

Complete the Nursing Evidence Based Practice Application (next page) and forward it to the Beaumont Nursing Inquiry, EBP and Research Council to Andrea.Carr@beaumont.org or Caroline.Medcoff@beaumont.org

Step 14: Secure support and resources to implement action plan.

Step 15: Implement action plan.

Step 16: Evaluate outcomes.

Step 17: Report outcomes to stakeholders.

Step 18: Identify next steps.

Step 19: Disseminate findings.