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SESSION DETAILS

Session #: 311

Title: What Every Nurse Practitioner Should Know About Appraising Evidence for Clinical Decision Making

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Date: Saturday, October 18

Time: 1:30-2:45 p.m.

CE Contact Hours: 1.25

Pharmacology Hours: 0

SESSION DESCRIPTION

This presentation will focus on best strategies for appraising evidence prior to guide clinical decision making. There will be a discussion of critical appraisal techniques to include validity, reliability, and random error. There will also be a focus on different types of research studies and the best ways to critique these studies individually.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this session, the learner will be able to:

1. Discover critical appraisal principles useful in the critique of research
2. Discuss different types of research studies and important rapid critical appraisals for each
3. Apply critical appraisal of the different types of research evidence reviews

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