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Sustaining EBP in Wound Care, an International Collaboration in the Philippines

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Goals and Objectives

• Session Goal
  • To identify methods for creating sustainable evidence-based educational programs.

• Session Objectives
  • Summarize barriers to facilitating education in an international setting.
  • Appraise use of conceptual framework for program development with an international group.
Overview

- *Wounds* – universal experience
- Economic burden to health care systems
- Economic burden to patient and family
- Escalating health care issue
Problem

There are significant gaps in the world where EBP in wound care is not standard, availability of dressings are a challenge, and patients with wounds do not receive the care that is available in other areas.
Purpose of the Project

Close the gap in EBP with a sustainable program of wound care education in the Philippines.
Literature Review

- Barriers to translation of evidence to practice
  - Lack of resources
  - Lack of managerial support
  - Heavy workloads
  - Time limits in practice

(Gerrish et al., 2010)
Literature Review

- Strategies to contribute to evidence based practice in wound care
  - Independent research studies
  - Use of wound registries
  - Innovative ways to translate EBP
  - Use of protocols

(Jones, 2009)
SITUATION: Gap in knowledge of EBP in wound care of medical team in the Philippines.
Project Evaluation Plan

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Conceptual Framework

Host Partner + Nurse Partner = Sustainability of Interventions = Outcomes

(Leffers & Mitchell, 2011)
Partnership & Sustainability

- Engagement – Immersion – Cultural bridging
- Collaboration – Knowledge sharing – Partnership
- Capacity building – Mutual goal setting
- Optimal sustainable EBP
Partnership
Sustainability
Implications to Practice

- Close the gap in EBP in wound care
- Increase quality of life
- Diminish disparities
- Increase nursing knowledge – educational strategies
- Increase nursing knowledge – collaborative practice
- Enhance global nursing practice
References


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Thank You!

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