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**PROFESSIONAL REGULATORY BOARD OF NURSING**

**PROGRAM OF THE PHILIPPINE NURSES LICENSURE EXAMINATION  
IN RIYADH, JEDDAH AND AL-KHOBAR, KSA; ABU DHABI, UAE; DOHA, QATAR;  
AL AHMADI, KUWAIT; MUSCAT, OMAN; AND TEL AVIV, ISRAEL ON  
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**GENERAL INFORMATION:**

This Philippine Nurses Licensure Examination consists of five (5) parts namely: Nursing Practice I Basic Foundation of Nursing and Professional Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice II Community Health Nursing and Care of the Mother and Child, Nursing Practice III Care of Clients with Physiologic and Psychosocial Alterations (Part A), Nursing Practice IV Care of Clients with Physiologic and Psychosocial Alterations (Part B) and Nursing Practice V Care of Clients with Physiologic and Psychosocial Alterations (Part C).

The tests draw basic knowledge, skills and attitudes in the major subject areas i.e., Fundamentals of Nursing including Professional Adjustments, Maternal and Child Nursing, Community Health and Communicable Disease Nursing, Nursing of Adolescents, Adults and Aged, and Mental Health and Psychiatric Nursing.

The following areas of knowledge will be integrated in each of the above-named subject areas.

Anatomy and Physiology	Nutrition and Diet Therapy
Pathophysiology	Parasitology & Microbiology
Pharmacology and Therapeutics	

Nursing process serves as the framework in the nursing care of individuals, families, population groups & communities in various stages of development in health care setting. The focus of nursing care is the promotion of health, prevention of illness, curative & rehabilitative aspects of care, alleviation of suffering & when recovery is not possible, towards a peaceful death.

The examination will test competencies in relation to the eleven (11) key areas of responsibility contained in the Competency Standards of Nursing Practice in the Philippines. These key areas are categorized as follows:

- I. PATIENT CARE COMPETENCIES**
  1. SAFE AND QUALITY NURSING CARE
  2. COMMUNICATION
  3. COLLABORATION AND TEAMWORK
  4. HEALTH EDUCATION
- II. EMPOWERING COMPETENCIES**
  5. LEGAL RESPONSIBILITIES
  6. ETHICO-MORAL-SPIRITUAL RESPONSIBILITIES
  7. PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
- III. ENABLING COMPETENCIES**
  8. MANAGEMENT OF RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT
  9. RECORDS MANAGEMENT
- IV. ENHANCING COMPETENCIES**
  10. RESEARCH
  11. QUALITY IMPROVEMENT

