

Family Nursing Practice Scale

On a scale of 1 to 5, please **SELECT** the number that best reflects your feelings toward your work with families.

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| 1. My confidence level in working with families is | high | <input type="radio"/> ₁ | <input type="radio"/> ₂ | <input type="radio"/> ₃ | <input type="radio"/> ₄ | <input type="radio"/> ₅ | low |
| 2. My level of satisfaction with family nursing is | high | <input type="radio"/> ₁ | <input type="radio"/> ₂ | <input type="radio"/> ₃ | <input type="radio"/> ₄ | <input type="radio"/> ₅ | low |
| 3. My knowledge level of family system nursing is | high | <input type="radio"/> ₁ | <input type="radio"/> ₂ | <input type="radio"/> ₃ | <input type="radio"/> ₄ | <input type="radio"/> ₅ | low |
| 4. My skill in working with the family system is | high | <input type="radio"/> ₁ | <input type="radio"/> ₂ | <input type="radio"/> ₃ | <input type="radio"/> ₄ | <input type="radio"/> ₅ | low |
| 5. I feel comfortable in initiating family involvement in nursing care planning. | agree | <input type="radio"/> ₁ | <input type="radio"/> ₂ | <input type="radio"/> ₃ | <input type="radio"/> ₄ | <input type="radio"/> ₅ | disagree |
| 6. I plan nursing interventions in consultation with the patient and family. | always | <input type="radio"/> ₁ | <input type="radio"/> ₂ | <input type="radio"/> ₃ | <input type="radio"/> ₄ | <input type="radio"/> ₅ | never |
| 7. Families approach me about their ill relative. | always | <input type="radio"/> ₁ | <input type="radio"/> ₂ | <input type="radio"/> ₃ | <input type="radio"/> ₄ | <input type="radio"/> ₅ | never |
| 8. I promote patient/family participation, choice and control in meeting health care needs. | always | <input type="radio"/> ₁ | <input type="radio"/> ₂ | <input type="radio"/> ₃ | <input type="radio"/> ₄ | <input type="radio"/> ₅ | never |
| 9. My involvement with families is mostly rewarding. | agree | <input type="radio"/> ₁ | <input type="radio"/> ₂ | <input type="radio"/> ₃ | <input type="radio"/> ₄ | <input type="radio"/> ₅ | disagree |
| 10. I avoid interference of my own biases when collecting, interpreting and communicating data about patients and families. | always | <input type="radio"/> ₁ | <input type="radio"/> ₂ | <input type="radio"/> ₃ | <input type="radio"/> ₄ | <input type="radio"/> ₅ | never |

Please comment on the following questions:

11. What problems or drawbacks are there in your nursing practice by involving the family in assessment and care planning?

12. What advantages, if any, are there for your nursing practice by involving the family in assessment and care planning?

13. What have you done in the past week to involve families in your current nursing practice? Please comment.