RHET 3316 – WRITING FOR WORK (RN-BSN Students) (Summer 2016)

SEARCHING FOR ARTICLES

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Below is a screenshot of the CINAHL search page. Enter search terms (keywords) in the boxes at the top of the page. Leave the “Select a Field (optional)” boxes alone. **DO NOT SELECT “SEARCH” AFTER YOU ENTER YOUR SEARCH TERMS – continue reading these instructions**
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1. Check these boxes:
   - Full Text
   - English Language

2. Enter date that is five (5) years earlier. Leave to boxes blank.

For nursing articles, choose Nursing. *Do not choose Core Nursing!*

After you have entered your search terms AND chosen your limiters under *Limit Your Results*, select “Search” at the bottom of the page.

Do NOT check the *Evidence-Based Practice* box. You will miss good articles.
This is the search results page.

Select the link for an article that interests you.

1. **Unresolved pain in children: A relational ethics perspective.**
   (Includes Abstract); Olstead DL; Scott ED; Austin WD; *Nursing Ethics*, 2010 Nov 19 (3); 695-704 (journal article - tables/charts). ISSN: 0969-7680 PMID: 20999968

   Subjects: Pain; Pan; Infant: 1-23 months; Child, Preschool: 2-5 years; Child: 6-12 years; Adolescent: 13-18 years

   Database: CINAHL with Full Text

2. **Pain assessment and management practices in children following surgery of the lower limb.**
   (Includes abstract); Shrestha-Ranji J; Manis E; *Journal of Clinical Nursing*, 2010 Jan; 19 (1-2); 118-28 (journal article - research, tables/charts). ISSN: 0962-1057 PMID: 20502250

   Subjects: Fractures; Leg; Pain Measurement; Postoperative Pain; Adolescent: 13-18 years; Child: 6-12 years; Child, Preschool: 2-5 years
After you select the link for the article, you are taken to another page that has additional information about the article. The *Source* information includes the journal title, publication date, volume, issue, and page numbers.

In this example, the journal title is *Nursing Ethics*, published in 2010, volume 17, issue 6, page numbers 695-704.

There may be an abstract, which is a short summary of the article. Read this to decide if you want the entire article.
If you would like to read the article, use the PDF Full Text link.

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Unresolved pain in children: A relational ethics perspective.

Authors: Omstead DL; Scott SD; Austin WJ
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Source: Nursing Ethics (NURS ETHICS), 2010 Nov; 17(6): 695-704 (62 ref)
Publication Type: journal article - tables/charts
Language: English
Major Subjects: Pain -- Psychosocial Factors -- In Infancy and Childhood
Pain -- Therapy -- In Infancy and Childhood
Minor Subjects: Nurse Attitudes; Health Beliefs; Ethics; Nursing; Patient Rights; Infant; Child, Preschool; Child; Adolescence
Abstract: It is considered the right of children to have their pain managed effectively. Yet, despite extensive research findings, policy guidelines and practice standard recommendations for the optimal management of pediatric pain, clinical practices remain inadequate. Empirical evidence definitively shows that unresolved pain in children has only harmful consequences, with no benefits. Contributing factors identified in this under managed pain include the significant role of nurses. Nursing attitudes and beliefs about children’s pain experiences, the relationships nurses share with children who are suffering, and knowledge deficits in pain management practices are all shown to impact unresolved pain in children. In this article, a relational ethics perspective is used to explore the need for nurses to engage in understanding pain and the ethical issues involved in its management.