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| **Grading Guidelines: Philosophy of Nursing/Nursing Values Paper** | **Points Possible** |
| **Turnitin**   * Submitted draft to the drop box. The final paper has no long verbatim passages. A rule of thumb is no more than 4 consecutive words will match. You will earn no points for this assignment if this requirement is not met through Turnitin-Feedback Studio or other manner previously discussed. | P/F |
| **Introduction (use headings but don’t call it this on the paper!)**   * Provide a brief, general discussion of your personal philosophy of nursing (such as its purpose, relevance and/or importance) and the purpose of the paper. Content must be paraphrased. Never copy/paste from a source even if you give credit. | 5 |
| **Personal Philosophy**   * Thoroughly describe each major concept in the metaparadigm (i.e., nursing, person, environment, and health) as they are incorporated within your own personal philosophy. You may use a nursing theorist from your book or other source as a guide. * Provide a brief and concise, clinical example of how each concept in the personal philosophy is demonstrated within your own nursing practice, i.e., how do you incorporate your beliefs about nursing, health, environment, and person into your nursing practice on a routine basis? For example, if you believe the person is composed of body/mind/spirit, describe the exact ways you apply that belief in your care. | 30 |
| **Values Clarification**   * Using the ‘Values Clarification Exercise’ on page 155 of the 7th edition of the Cresia text, select your top 3 values of importance to you and discuss how they affect your interactions with clients. | 20 |
| **Provisions and Impact**   * Discuss at least two of the provisions in the ANA’s *Code of Ethics for Nurses with Interpretive Statements* you think you could improve at incorporating into your practice. * Explain the impact this improvement would have on your practice. | 25 |
| **Conclusion**   * Logical closure to the full scope of ideas presented by reemphasizing the main points of the paper and/or providing suggestions. Content must be paraphrased. Never copy/paste from a source even if you give credit. This should not be an editorial commentary on nursing but rather a summation of the main points of the paper. | 5 |
| **Scholarly Writing:** To include but not limited to:   * Correct grammar, sentence/paragraph structure, headings, and APA style (including a title page, headings, citations, and a reference page). * Content must be paraphrased. Never copy/paste from a source even if you give credit. * Use of a minimum of three (3) professional/scholarly sources * The content must be paraphrased (i.e., restated in your own words) with no more than 2 short (<40 words), direct quotes. *You do not have to include any quotes.* Never copy/paste from a source even if you give credit. Any form of plagiarism could result in a grade of zero. | 15 |
| **Total** | **100** |