INSTRUCTION FOR THE ASSIGNMENT

In academic and professional settings, you will be tasked with educating a variety of audiences. For example, as a nurse educator, you will instruct nursing students in a formal classroom setting. And as a patient educator, you will work with a single patient or group of patients and families in an informal setting. In some instances, you will be educating each audience on the same topic.

In your role as a nurse educator, you will encounter opportunities such as this to educate a variety of audiences including nursing students, nursing staff, and patient/caregiver learner groups. In this Assignment, you will identify a nursing topic appropriate for teaching nursing students, nursing staff, and patient/caregiver learner groups,

**To Prepare:**

**Select a topic in nursing that can be taught to the three different learner groups: nursing students, nursing staff, and patient/caregiver.**

Your topic can be an action or intervention—for example, **a medication**, **or diet**, **or lifestyle change—related to nursing care.** You can also consider topics not associated with an action or intervention such as lateral violence or end-of-life decision making.

**The Assignment (2 page)**

Describe the nursing topic you have selected from the **above** and its importance. If applicable, explain how the topic would fit within a course and within a larger curriculum design.

Use the best available evidence from current literature to support your topic selection and description.