2011 Respiratory Therapy National Competency Profile Companion Document

Performance Criteria

The following section of the '2011 RT-NCP Companion Document' is composed of 18 domains of competence (DC). These domains of competence and their respective elements are outlined in the 2011 Respiratory Therapy National Competency Profile. In addition, in the Companion Document each element has been assigned a set of performance criteria intended to provide more detailed information particular to each specific element of competence. Henceforth, the Performance Criteria section, coupled with the 'Foundation Knowledge' section, must be considered as essential components by the educational programs with respect to development of their program curriculum.

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