From Books to Bedside: Application of Evidence to Practice.
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Objectives

1. Identify levels of evidence for rating interventions
2. Differentiate the various rating scales
3. Appraise the retrieved evidence to address a clinical question
4. Describe strategies to summarize the evidence
Levels of Evidence

- Choose one and be consistent
- Seek the highest level when developing clinical guidelines
- Recognize relationship between levels and practice disciplines
For today’s session we will use AORN’s Revised Model for Evidence Appraisal and Rating

• Three parts to discuss
  • Rating model
  • Hierarchy of evidence
  • Appraisal tools
Rating Model

• Four separate categories
  • Evidence rating
  • Evidence level
  • Type of evidence
  • Quality level
Hierarchy of Evidence

- Levels I – V
- Divided into research and non-research
Appraisal Tools

- Also divided into research and non-research

- Summarizing the evidence utilizes all parts of the model
Practice Session

- Article

Questions

- Thank for spending this time with us today