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The [Assignment Reading Research Literature \(RRL\) Worksheet](#) to apply leadership and inquiry into current nursing practice through the completion of a capstone project. Students will develop an evidence-based nursing practice change proposal that addresses a clinical nursing problem. The capstone project is designed to improve patient care outcomes and is required to be completed by the end of the Professional Capstone and Practicum course.

## NRS-493 Capstone Project Details

In collaboration with an approved course preceptor, students will select a topic and a nursing practice intervention to implement in the capstone project change proposal. They will also conduct a thorough literature review pertaining to their selected topic. The [NRS 493 Capstone Project](#) will include an implementation plan and a strategic plan for evaluating the proposed nursing practice intervention.

NRS-493 Capstone project proposals are typically written in the form of a research paper that incorporates APA documentation guidelines and uses evidence-based research in supporting the proposed solution. The body of the paper should be free of errors, and in-text citations and references should be presented clearly and professionally.

Using a [Topic Selection and Approval](#), students will identify the nursing problem that they wish to address with their capstone project change proposal. Identify the problem and how it can be improved using an evidence-based practice intervention (NPWT). In a paper of 500-750 words, clearly identify the healthcare problem and provide a nursing practice intervention that will result in a positive outcome for patients.

A measurable goal for the NPWT nursing practice intervention to improve patient outcomes should be included in the proposal. This should be a specific metric that will allow the nurse to determine the effectiveness of their NPWT nursing practice intervention. This should be based on a comparison of the proposed nursing practice intervention to a population not currently receiving the nursing intervention.

In addition, [NRS 493 Capstone Project Topic Selection and Approval](#) a 150-250 word strategic plan describing how the nursing practice intervention used in their capstone project change proposal will be implemented in the organization. This strategic plan should be based on the needs assessment of the organization.

The strategic plan should address the culture of the organization and its ability to integrate the nursing practice intervention into practice. It should also outline the specific challenges that may be involved in incorporating the nursing practice intervention into practice and how they will be addressed through the strategic plan.

During the [take my online exam for me](#), students will work with their preceptor to complete a clinical evaluation tool (CET). The CET is submitted in LoudCloud prior to the student's "Post- Conference." The CET is reviewed during the Post- Conference and graded by faculty.