



**TECHNICAL STANDARDS AND ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS
NURSING**

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Sensory

- Gather client data using assessment techniques
- Discern between normal and abnormal client assessments
- Evaluate images on monitors and operate equipment under variable lighting situations
- Adequately perceive depth in order to move and position equipment and transport patients safely
- Demonstrate tactile, gross, and fine motor skills sufficient to provide safe patient care, patient assessment, patient radiographic positioning, and equipment operation
- Accurately interpret alarms, normal speaking level sounds, and auscultatory sounds, (i.e. equipment, monitors, fire alarms, call bells)

Intellectual

- Use short and long-term memory to critically think and problem solve
- Apply critical thinking techniques to problem solve and adapt to unexpected situation changes
- Analyze client data to determine appropriate nursing intervention
- Safely calculate medication administration dosages