

Z- CH # 23

ON-LINE CONTENT (1H)

Review the assignment and place your answers to the questions in the Z-CH # 23 drop box by 0800 on March 27, 2023.

*In order to receive full credit (1H class time) for this assignment, it must be completed in its entirety by the due date/time assigned. Any assignment not completed in its entirety will result in missed class time.*

Patients often use the Internet to search for health-related issues. Search the Internet for any health-related issue of your choosing. Evaluate the website by answering the following questions:

1. Do the authors have qualifications listed? What are their qualifications? What is the domain? (.gov, .edu, .org)
  - Yes, the site has symptoms and stages listed. The symptoms are that most people have flu-like symptoms within 2-4 weeks after infections. The symptoms are sore throat, swollen lymph nodes, rash, muscle aches, chills, night sweats, mouth ulcers, and fatigue. The only way to know if you have HIV is to get tested. There are two stages stage 1; acute HIV infections and stage 2: chronic HIV infections.
2. When was the site created? When was the site last updated or revised?
  - The site doesn't say when it was created, but it does say when it was reviewed last on June 30,2022.
3. Who is the targeted audience? Does the web site present facts or opinions?
  - The targeted audience I would say would be people with HIV/AIDs. It shows graphics of symptoms and the stages. The site states facts about HIV.
4. How complete and accurate is the content information? Does it agree with other expert sources?
  - The cite does seem to be complete with all the signs and symptoms and what to do when some suspects they have HIV what to do if they suspect they have HIV. Based on other sites on HIV, this CDC site is accurate and has the same information on signs and symptoms and the history if HIV.
5. Does the site load quickly? Is it a secured site? Are there graphics, or pictures on the page that serve a purpose? If so what are they and how do they relate to the health issue?
  - The site does load quickly. It is also a secure site. There are graphics and pictures showing the signs and symptoms and shows the stages of HIV. They relate to the health issue because they show the signs and symptoms and pictures of the symptoms. It shows pictures on how HIV is transmitted and how it is not transmitted and how to protect yourself from HIV.