

Unit 8: Nursing Informatics
Z-Chapter 23
ONLINE CONTENT (1 H)

Unit Objectives:

- Discuss trends associated with the computerized electronic record, e-health, and mobile devices. (6,7)*
- Review the steps in evaluating the validity of a website. (7)*

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Review the assignment and place your answers to the questions in the Z-CH # 23 drop box by 0800 on March 25, 2024.

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:

<https://www.mayoclinic.org/diseases-conditions/stroke/symptoms-causes/syc-20350113>

1. Do the authors have qualifications listed? What are their qualifications? What is the domain? (.gov, .edu, .org)
 - a. Author: Robert D. Brown Jr
 - b. M.D. M.P.H
 - c. .org
2. When was the site created? When was the site last updated or revised?
 - a. Publication date 2-14-24
3. Who is the targeted audience? Does the web site present facts or opinions?
 - a. Patients or family members affected by stroke
 - b. facts
4. How complete and accurate is the content information? Does it agree with other expert sources?
 - a. Very complete and accurate, numerous citations used to create article
 - b. Yes
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?
 - a. Site loads quickly
 - b. Secure site- https://
 - c. Yes, photos and video
 - i. One photo summarizes how ischemic strokes happen, where they can be found in the brain
 - ii. Video gives a summary of the article for people who may be vision impaired