

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)*

*Course Objectives

Review Z-chapter 23 the assignment and place your answers to the following questions in the Z-CH # 23 drop box by 0800 on 3/24/2025.

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)
-The author has qualifications listed such as listing their credentials of being a MD. The domain for the website is listed under .org. Another thing I have seen is that this is a vary prestigious website such as the Mayo Clinic where they are known for their high level of education.
2. When was the site created? When was the site last updated or revised?
-the Site was created in 1995 and the last update was made on February 29,2024.
3. Who is the targeted audience? Does the web site present facts or opinions?
-The target audience in the website I chose was for patients that have hypertension. The website is based off of facts presenting information based on symptoms, diagnosis, treatment and a list of doctors working in this field.
4. How complete and accurate is the content information? Does it agree with other expert sources? (Provide expert sources you researched.)
-The content information would be accurate because it highlights key facts about the diagnosis of hypertension and the treatments for it as well. An expert source that I used was our Lewis textbook, Cleveland Clinic, and the world health Organization. The information displayed on the website correlates well with the information provided in these other similar sources.
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 fairly quickly and is really easy to navigate through not putting any extra distractors and lets one find information they are looking for. Considering that the website is a .org page I would say that it can be trusted. There is not pictures included in but there Is a video attached in one learns best that way.

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