

NURSING DIAGNOSES FROM THE LATVIAN NURSE'S POINT OF VIEW IN THE RIGA EASTERN CLINICAL UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL



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RIGA EASTERN CLINICAL UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL - wide range of career development opportunities (centers of national importance)



Stationary «Gailezers»



Stationary «Bikernieki»



Stationary «Oncology Centre of Latvia»



Centre of Tuberculosis and Lung Diseases



Latvian Centre of Infectious Diseases

Facts and Figures

- Hospital staff - 4385;
- Physicians - 1004;
- Physician assistants - 87;
- Nurses - **1248**;
- Nursing assistants - 296;
- Sanitary carers - 449;
- Patients cared for in 2016 - 70,928;
- The average treatment time of day - 7.97

Riga Eastern Clinical University Hospital is important for clinics and centers

- Chemotherapy and hematology clinic;
- Burn Center;
- Gerontology Center;
- Latvian Children's Hearing Center;
- Toxicology and Sepsis Clinic;
- Latvian Plastic and Reconstructive Microsurgery Center.

Stationary work



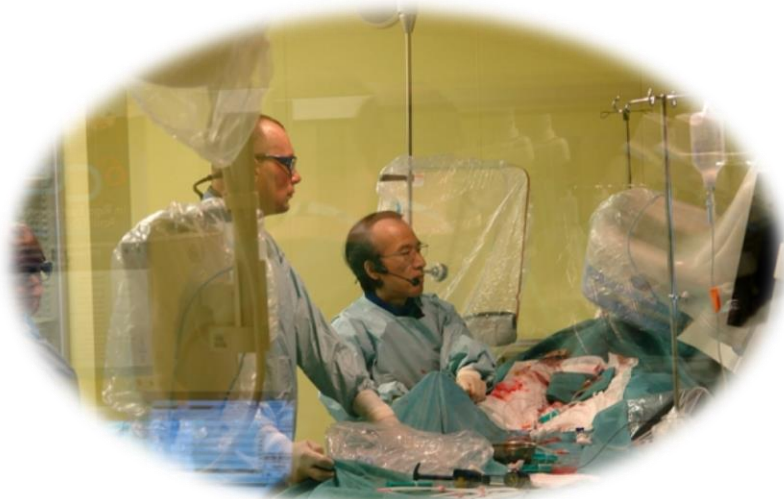
Ambulatory work



Diagnostics



A dynamic environment for growth and development



Development of the hospital

- 22 new surgery rooms;
- 4 new angiographic rooms;
- New center of Functional diagnostics;
- Extensive room renovation



Nursing practice in Latvia

- In each hospital nurses describe patient's care differently (for the same diagnosis);
- Discharging a patient from a hospital for outpatient treatment (home care), primary care nurses do not understand what the patient's primary care issues are as epicrisis and diagnosis are written by doctors (this is the view of doctors and does not define nursing care problems);
- The development of nursing care in Latvia is stagnant and does not develop.

Future Prospects

- Nurses in Latvia use the same professional language;
- Continuity of care (Primary care → Stationary → Primary Care) is understood by nurses at all levels of health care;
- The development of comprehensible and uniform nursing care documentation throughout Latvia is made simpler

Thank you for your attention!