

Safe Patient Handling and Mobility Webinar

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Lifting and moving patients can result in injuries to patients and the nurses who care for them. More than just an inconvenience, these injuries can produce lasting effects and end a career in direct patient care. Patient and nursing safety can be improved with the adoption of Safe Patient Handling and Mobility (SPHM) programs and associated culture change in patient care environments.

The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Nursing Policy together with ANA-Michigan is offering a free continuing education program for nurses licensed in Michigan, available both in-person and via Webinar. Experts will provide an overview of interprofessional national standards for SPHM and associated resources, the impact of SPHM on patient and provider safety and strategies for implementing the standards in patient care settings.

- Learn interprofessional national standards for safe patient handling and mobility.
- Better understand the impact of safe patient handling and mobility on patient and nursing safety.
- Discover how to incorporate and employ safe patient handling and mobility standards in your workplace to improve patient and nursing safety.

Disclosures:

- The purpose of the activity is to increase nursing knowledge and implementation of safe patient handling strategies for prevention of injuries through adoption of Safe Patient Handling and Mobility (SPHM) programs and associated culture change in patient care environments.
- Participants must watch the entire webinar and complete the evaluation to receive contact hours.
- There are no conflicts of interest to report for any planners, presenters, and content reviewers for this program.
- Contact hours for this webinar are available for 90 days. The last day to obtain CE is Wednesday, January 6, 2016. – **CE is no longer available, but the webinar may still be accessed free of charge through MI-TRAIN.**

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