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Florence nightingale postulated the environment theory that was important in changing the nursing practices. The factor that influenced her in undertaking this decision was her experience as a nurse during the Crimean war where she compared the ratio between patient's death and the environmental conditions. The theory has been seen to be inclusive of important factors that have remained relevant till now in the modern profession. The theory is based on several assumptions that are based on the set natural laws. There is also an assumption of mankind's capability in achieving perfection in the health sector issues. The theorist also assumed that nursing is a calling and it's both an art and a science. There was also an assumption that comprehensive nursing is achieved through environmental alteration that ensures that the patient is in a conducive environment. There is also an assumption that nursing requires a particular educational base and it's considered to be distinct from medicine (Ribeiro, et al 2020).

The theory focuses on making alterations to the patient's environment that helps in changing the health of the patient. environmental factors that are considered to be important and affect the health of the patients include fresh air, clean water, adequate food supplies, an effective drainage system to eliminate waterlogging that may lead to ailments such as malaria, and the overall cleanliness of the patient. In case one of the stated areas above is missing the patients are subjected to the pressure of health detrimental effects. the role of the nurses in the health sector is to alter the environment that the patient is operating in to ensure that they are gradually creating optimal conditions that help the patient to stabilize, some of them occasionally will include specific diets where will be used as the basis of manipulation to help the patient to meet health goals and promote their welfare in the society.

The environmental theory is comprehensive of the patient's health thus focuses on patient care, rather than focusing on the nursing process used by the medical officers to offer required

attention. The theory focuses on the relationship prevalent between patient and nurse. The theory is set in a way that it fits the needs that have been set in the frontline that aligns with the individual patient. environmental factors have different effects on various patients this depends on the situations and illnesses that patients are suffering from and from this aspect the nurses are obliged to address these factors on a specific basis that will help them in addressing the situations that will be required to be altered to have the best way that provides individual patients with necessary conditions that are required for the patient to have their good health regained.

The theory is based on several concepts that add up to the theory which include ventilation and warming this help in reducing some of the airborne illness affecting the patients. Maintaining hygiene thus eliminating some of the diseases that are prevalent when hygiene is not maintained. The houses should be maintained to be healthy for human habitation. Individuals should maintain personal cleanliness as an effective method of eliminating some lifestyle illnesses. Bed and bedding should be maintained to have good standards that will help in the comfort of the human being. The health officers should offer advice and hope to the patients this will help them in giving the right direction of the stipulated ways that will help in maintaining good health in the affected people. Food should be offered to patients that have necessary nutrients that help in maintaining good health in different patients depending on the health status. The environmental theory is important in nursing education because of its reasoning on the importance of sanitary conditions for better health in patients.

The theory is important because of the aspects that it makes a distinction between therapies and healing on different occasions, where it supports the idea that therapy can be offered but healing is based also on the efforts laid by the patients. This means determining the signs and symptoms and the causes of the disease is just a dimension of care. The theory is

important because it dictates that to become holistic in the nursing field requires an adequate understanding of the factors underlying a patient's health that will be used as the basis for providing care to the patients. The nurses must first understand themselves before understanding the patient's conditions this aids in helping the nurses to offer adequate health services that are of high quality that enhance easy healing for the patients. The theory is important because it emphasizes spirituality that includes harmony and good interaction between various individuals which should be focused on person-centered motive or community-centered motive, this involves consistent interaction between the environmental factors that are relevant to human health. The theory is important because it challenges the nurses to develop critical thinking that will result in competent human health care activities that will be used in making clinical decisions in the nursing process. The theory has three pillars that are important in the nursing profession that includes healing, leadership, and collective global action that involves the administration of medical care. The theory has also put more emphasis on aligning patient needs to the medical attention given to them in such a way that they have good health that is promoted through adhering to the set rules in avoidance of some ailments. The theory is also important because it has its basis on humanity and social justice regardless of social class, occupation, or physical appearance.

The theory has an important influence in the modern nursing profession, in which it has incorporated new technologies that guarantee the execution of human care and social commitment in the nursing fields during various pandemics that promotes training and assistance that have been viewed to be critical factors that have improved both the nursing profession and education and have increased insights in critical thinking for the future nurses that have a positive effect in critical thinking which is improving human care in promoting prevention

criteria's for the patients and healing process. the theory has an influence on critical thinking and decision making When we examine the historical course of the meeting, we can see Florence's legacy in terms of holistic nursing and critical thinking. It has been at the forefront of providing care and assistance to humanity's necessities. Patients' well-being, In addition, nursing was concerned with health. Education for the general public Florence encouraged her students to try new things. Take into account cultural and religious diversity, as well as values and requirements.

Without ignoring the concerns of persons in their individuality the financial and social aspects of care. Florence's historical trajectory demonstrates the significance of nurses who can think critically and holistically to deal with adversity, such as the Crimean War. Florence had to apply her highly developed critical thinking to the feminine patterns and patterns of her day in scenarios of uncertainty, adversity, and caring contexts.

Holistic critical thinking can be defined as high-quality thinking, or a decision-making process focusing on what to believe or do.

The critical thinker should not be negative or cynical in this process, but rather introspective and balanced, requiring others to think critically. Convey some form of justification or foundation for what they're expressing. Nurses should think critically when addressing patients' problems and about patient care, doing what was necessary and proper (dos, et al 2022).

To assist them in their recovery, underlining the need of growing in. The theory is important in the critical and decision-making process in nursing practices this is because it has outlined specific requirements that are needed from both the patients and the nursing staff. the theory illustrates the practices that the nurses are responsible for undertaking to ensure that ensure quality services are delivered to the patients, the theory also illustrates the interdependence of

both the nursing staff and the individual towards ensuring they have maintained a good health status that has been achieved through a change in mentality and behavior of the patients which had then before subjected them to medical problems due to lifestyle diseases.

It's also important because it has a basis of knowledge and skills that are necessary for the learners who are undertaking nursing by outlining the expected practices in the medical field. In the daily lives of nurses, a critical and holistic way of thinking is fostered in the Nursing profession. The theory has been influential in supporting critical development that has turned to be beneficial to both the nurses and the [patients who are undergoing medical attention. she states that the environment theory is important because it provides an interconnection between the body spirit and mind.

The theory is important in the nursing profession because it illustrates the comfort, technique, and important environment that is required by the patients for the healing process to take place easily. The theory also insists on patient-centered care that puts the individual needs of the patients in the forefront to ensure the patients achieve full recovery of patients. The theorist also supports individual care for the patients to be implemented to ensure that adequate care has been taken to the nursing professions (Pfettscher, 2021). Beneficial because it intensifies knowledge that is applied in assessment, planning, and implementation of policies that regards patient care to ensure quality services have been guaranteed to the patients. It's applicable in that it has provided more insights on professional practice that is expected by the nurses in the execution of its tasks effectively when it involves medical issues with the nursing fraternity. Knowledge of the nurses has been improved rapidly this has turned to be beneficial in understanding patient needs thus prompting the nurses to undertake professional care to the patients. It has also helped in establishing a good relationship between the patient and the nurses

in the hospital facility. It also increases collaboration with other medical officers who ensure quality services are availed to the customers. It also ensures that ill patients have been offered quality services.

The theory has put more emphasis on healing that has led to modern advances that have increased the need for nursing qualifications that have necessitated new health care services and teaching technologies that have been seen to have a major impact on improvements in the nursing professions this has increased nurses committed to the provision of the services to the patients. More innovations have improved health care services that have been based on the incentives of the theory. The theory has also played a major role in holistic ad critical thinking thus improving the overall knowledge and skills that have been awarded to those patients seeking medical attention. The theory has helped in filling the knowledge gaps in the nursing process and education thus resulting to competent medical personnel in the health sector. Patients' needs have been assessed effectively thus increasing efficiency in the provision of services.

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