Content Domains

Nursing Services 51.3900.00

Domain 3
Health and Safety
15-20% Instructional Time

Domain 2

Care Basics

20-30% Instructional time

Domain 1

Functional Care

45-60% Instructional time
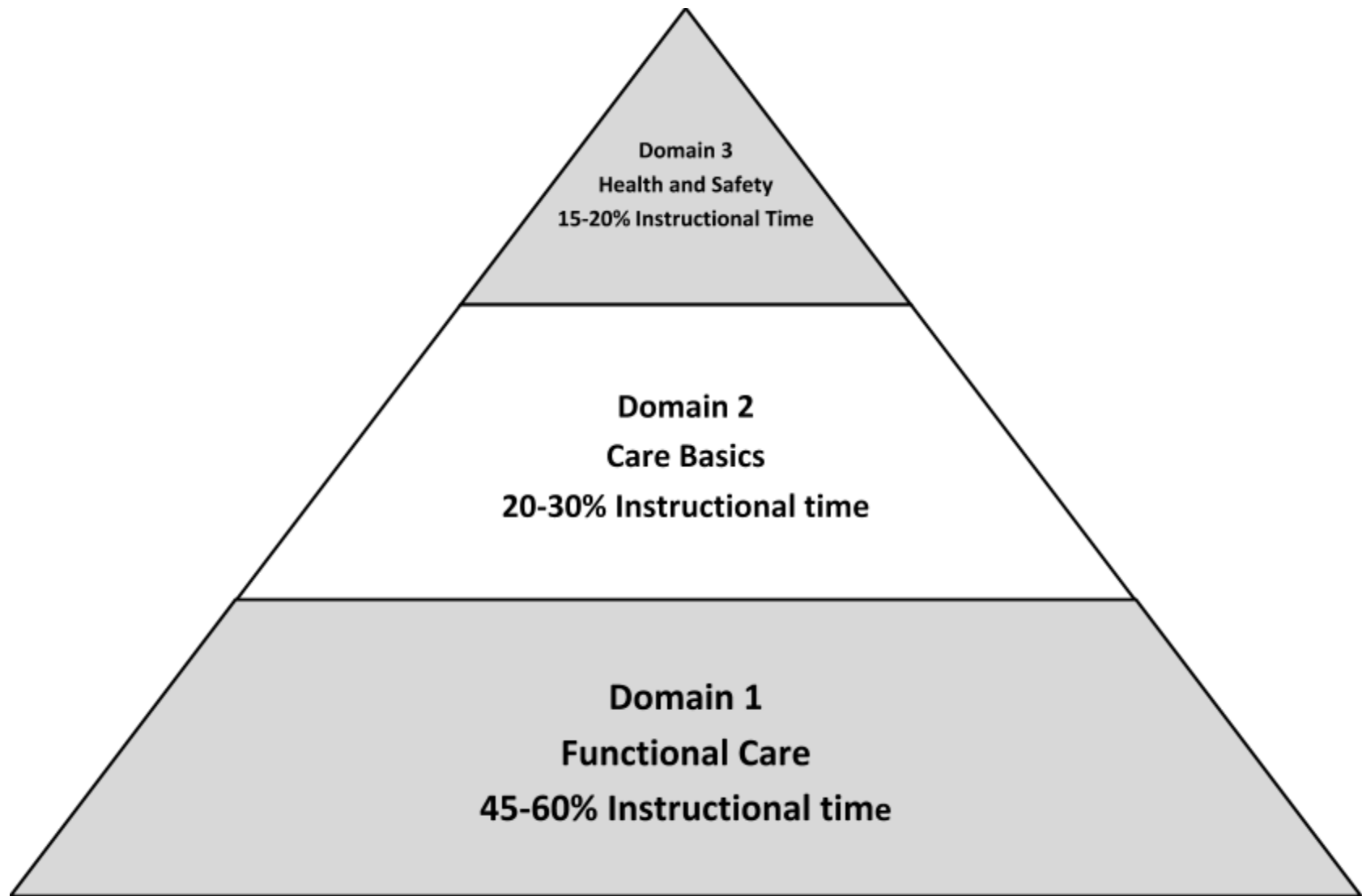
The technical standards for the Nursing Services are clustered in 3 domains. The greatest percentage of instructional time will be spent on domains 1 and 2 with less time on domain 3. Students who complete the program should demonstrate a thorough knowledge in each of these domains.   Updated September 2018.

Blueprint for Instruction and Assessment

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Domain	Related Standards	Instructional Time
Domain 1 Caring for Patients/Residents	**STANDARD 4.0 APPLY PRINCIPLES OF BODY MECHANICS WHEN POSITIONING, TRANSPORTING, TRANSFERRING, AND AMBULATING RESIDENT** **STANDARD 8.0 MEASURE AND RECORD VITAL SIGNS** **STANDARD 9.0 DEMONSTRATE PERSONAL CARE AND GROOMING WITH CONSIDERATION TO CULTURAL AND PERSONAL PREFERENCES** **STANDARD 11.0 APPLY THE PRINCIPLES OF BASIC NUTRITION TO RESIDENT CARE** **STANDARD 12.0 FACILITATE ACTIVITIES RELATED TO ELIMINATION** **STANDARD 13.0 PROVIDE CARE FOR THE PERI-OPERATIVE RESIDENT AND/OR RESIDENT WITH SPECIAL NEEDS** **STANDARD 17.0 CARE FOR DYING RESIDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES**	45-60%
Domain 2 Foundational Nursing	**STANDARD 1.0 EXAMINE THE HEALTHCARE COMMUNITY AND THE ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE HEALTHCARE TEAM** **STANDARD 2.0 DEMONSTRATE ETHICAL AND LEGAL CONDUCT IN ALL NURSING ACTIVITIES** **STANDARD 6.0 EXAMINE HUMAN BODY SYSTEMS FOR COMMON CONDITIONS, DISORDERS, AND CARE** **STANDARD 7.0 COMMUNICATE EFFECTIVELY WITH EACH OTHER AND RESIDENTS AND REPORT MEDICAL INFORMATION USING MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY** **STANDARD 14.0 ASSIST WITH ADMISSION, TRANSFER, AND DISCHARGE**	20-30%

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Domain 3 Health, Safety, and Social Needs	**STANDARD 3.0 APPLY STANDARD PRECAUTIONS AND INFECTION CONTROL MEASURES** **STANDARD 5 .0 PROVIDE BASIC EMERGENCY CARE** **STANDARD 10.0 MAINTAIN A SAFE AND CLEAN ENVIRONMENT FOR RESIDENTS AND OTHERS** **STANDARD 15.0 ASSIST WITH DIAGNOSTIC TESTING AND EXAMINATIONS** **STANDARD 16.0 ASSIST IN IDENTIFYING BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND CARING FOR MENTAL HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICE NEEDS OF RESIDENTS**	15-20%

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