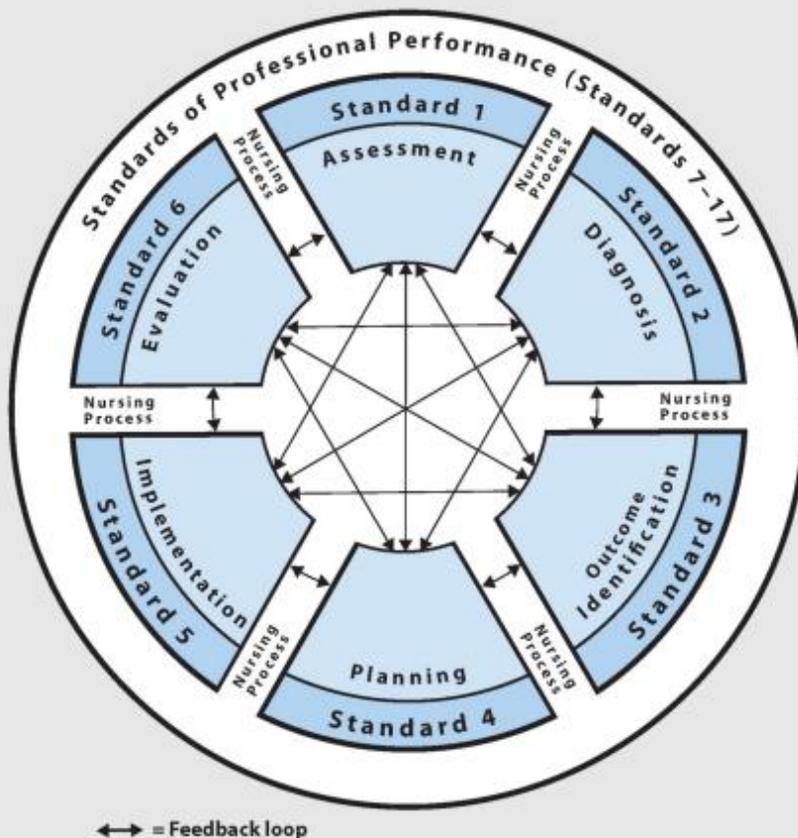


standards of practice and profession

The Nursing Process and the Standards of Professional Nursing Practice



The Standards of Practice

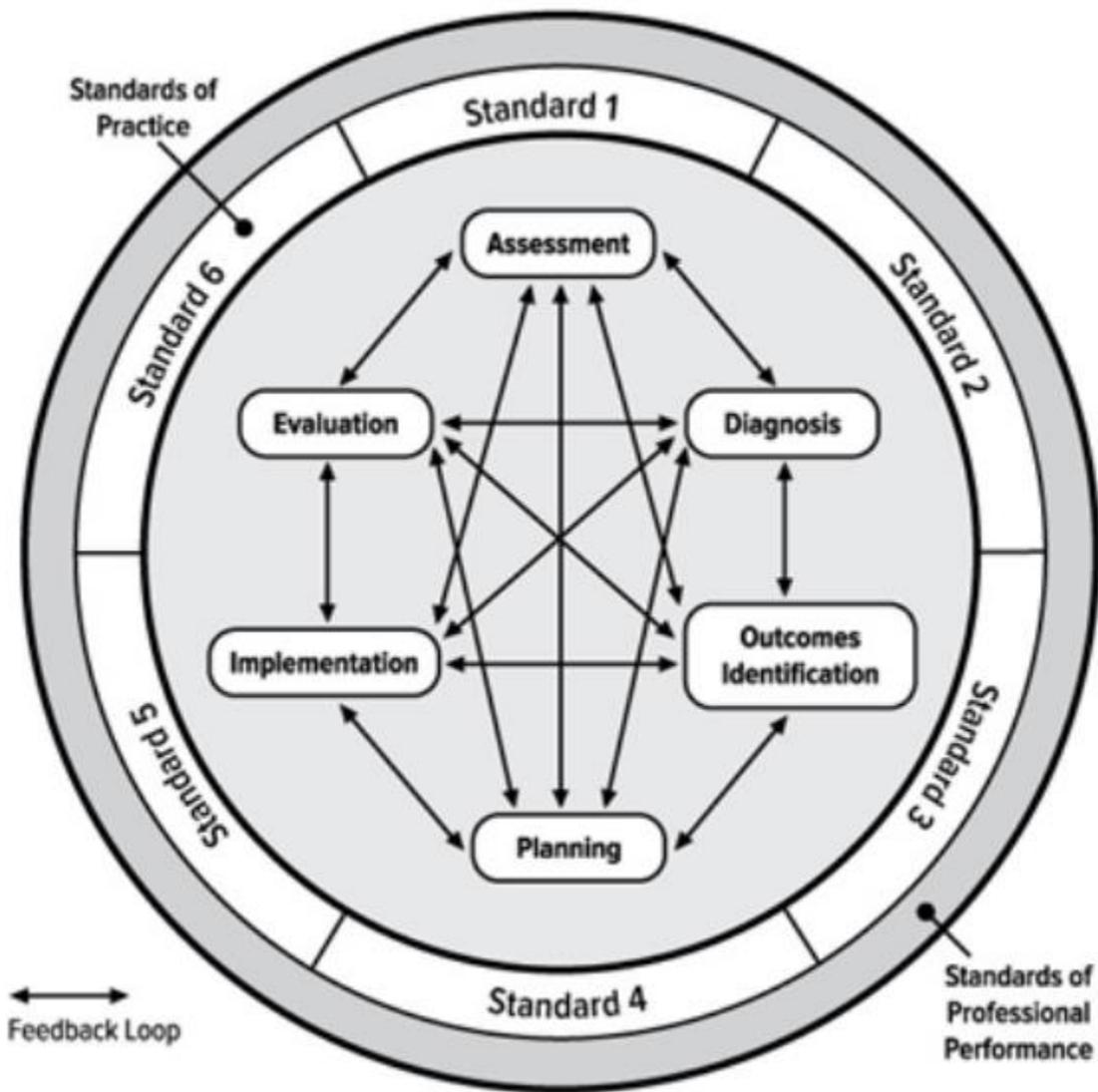
These standards describe a *competent level of nursing practice* demonstrated by the critical thinking model known as the **nursing process**; its six components correspond to these standards.

Standard	Nursing Process Component
Standard 1	Assessment
Standard 2	Diagnosis
Standard 3	Outcomes Identification
Standard 4	Planning
Standard 5	Implementation
Standard 6	Evaluation

The Standards of Professional Performance

These standards describe a *competent level of behavior in the professional role* appropriate to their education and position.

Standard	Professional Performance
Standard 7	Ethics
Standard 8	Culturally Congruent Practice
Standard 9	Communication
Standard 10	Collaboration
Standard 11	Leadership
Standard 12	Education
Standard 13	Evidence-based Practice and Research
Standard 14	Quality of Practice
Standard 15	Professional Practice Evaluation
Standard 16	Resource Utilization
Standard 17	Environmental Health



The standards of practice :

These standards describe a competent level of nursing practice demonstrated by the critical thinking model known as the nursing process: its six strands.

The standards of professional performance :

These standards describe a competent level of behavior in the professional role appropriate to their education and position.

APRN is an Advanced Practice Registered **Nurse**. This **means** that this type of **RN** has Learned a graduate-level degree such as a Master's of Science in **Nursing** (MSN) or a Doctor of **Nursing** Practice (DNP), and has been specially trained in one of the four recognized **APRN** roles.

Standards of Practice:

Standard 1 Assessment.

Standard 2 Diagnosis – Should we add Problems, Issues Identification?

Standard 3 Outcomes Identification.

Standard 4 Planning.

Standard 5 Implementation.

Standard 5A. Coordination of Care

Standard 5B. Health Teaching and Health Promotion

Standard 6 Evaluation.

Professional Performance Standards:

Standard 7 Ethics

Standard 8 Cultural Congruence

Standard 9 Education

Standard 10 Evidence-Based Practice & Research

Standard 11 Quality of Practice

Standard 12 Communication

Standard 13 Leadership

Standard 14 Collaboration

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((New standard)) The registered nurse practices in a manner that is congruent with cultural diversity and inclusion principles:

- *Demonstrates respect, and empathy in actions and interactions.
- * activities.
- * Applies knowledge in practice.
- * Uses skills and tools