

NR577 - Week 8 PowerPoint Response

Hello Heidi, Dr. Preston and fellow classmates –

Thank you for your excellent PowerPoint presentation. I was very impressed with how clean and easy to read your slides were. I also really appreciated that you applied such focus on the ways in which the nursing Code of Ethics will inform your practice with marginalized people, such as those who are experiencing homelessness. I also thought you were very thorough in delineating what kind of ethics will inform your future practice. One thing that really stood out to me is your commitment to providing good care, without prejudice or judgement for all people. This is especially important for marginalized populations because without adequate, regular maintenance health care, many homeless people are admitted to the acute care hospital in an acute medical crisis as noted by Aldridge (Aldridge, 2020).

The references that you cited to support your position were spot on, and encouraged me to explore these more fully. I found your information very worthwhile as my clinical site has a very large proportion of homeless as clients. As new APRNs we must all follow your lead and work towards common goals of decreasing health disparities and providing adequate and appropriate care to all peoples. Thank you for such a well thought out presentation which invited all of us to explore these concerns more fully.

References

[Aldridge, R. \(2020\). Homelessness: A barometer of social justice. *The Lancet Public Health*, 5\(1\), e2–e3. https://doi.org/10.1016/s2468-2667\(19\)30240-3](https://doi.org/10.1016/s2468-2667(19)30240-3)