

Nursing Skills on Line- COVID-19 Enhancements

Elsevier Nursing skills on Line has put together for COVID-19 where you will get *open access* to some of our clinical resources and tools to serve the needs of those on the front lines of the clinical team and care continuum.

The resources are packaged into a [COVID-19 Toolkit](#) to help clinicians stay current on standardized, evidence-based practices for COVID-19 and the content is organized to follow the clinical workflow so that clinicians can access what they need when they need it. It covers a broad range of topics to support the patient journey from symptom management to diagnosis, treatment and ongoing wellness.

[Access the Elsevier COVID-19 Toolkit](#)

What's in the toolkit?

Resources include Nursing Skills, Nursing and Allied Health Care Plans, Nursing eLearning, Point-of-Care Clinical Overviews, Order Sets, Drug Monographs, Procedure Videos and Patient Education topics and videos. Elsevier customers can access the latest information and resources automatically through their subscribed solution (ClinicalKey, Clinical Skills, and Order Sets) and EHR (Care Plans and Patient Education).

New features that have been added to support your clinical staff in caring for your patients during the COVID-19 pandemic. They should make it easier to find relevant procedural guidance, and feel free to pass along this message as needed:

1. **COVID-19 “specialty” on Clinical Skills Point of Care site, with explanatory banner:** Your licensed skills related to COVID-19 can be found under a single specialty heading on your Point of Care landing page for Clinical Skills. Users will see a banner the first time they visit the site that explains this specialty.



2. **Assignable Skills modules:** To help ensure clinical competency, assignable COVID-19-related modules are now available for Elsevier Performance Manager (EPM) users. There are 8 assignable modules containing skills you may license, listed below. Further details can be found here: <https://elsevierresources.com/mosbys-skills/home/content-updates/active-suggested-skills/>

- i. COVID-19 Acute Care
- ii. COVID-19 Ambulatory Care
- iii. COVID-19 Neonatal Acute Care
- iv. COVID-19 Neonatal Respiratory Care
- v. COVID-19 Pediatric Acute Care
- vi. COVID-19 Pediatric Ambulatory Care
- vii. COVID-19 Pediatric Respiratory Therapy Acute Care
- viii. COVID-19 Respiratory Therapy Acute Care

3. **Safety alerts:** Relevant skills will include one or both of these alerts to help protect your clinical staff from COVID-19 infection:

- **Strictly adhere to guidelines for hand hygiene, standard precautions, and site preparation to minimize the risk for a health care-associated infection.**
- **Don appropriate personal protective equipment based on the patient's signs and symptoms and indications for isolation precautions.**