**Final Exam**

**Multiple Choice**

1. In what way can evidence from disciplines other that of nursing compare to nursing evidence and be helpful to a nurse?

A) Theory-based non-nursing evidence can fill gaps and provide a basis on which to build new evidence.

B) Non-nursing evidence supports the use of nursing knowledge that is obtained by trial and error.

C) Clinical decision making can be based on findings from single non-nursing research studies.

D) All evidence is equally important to the practice of nursing.

Ans: A

Complexity: Moderate

Ahead: EBP: What Is It?

Subject: Chapter 1

Taxonomy: Comprehension

Title: What Is Evidence-Based Practice?

2. Which of the following is an example of an international code for ethical conduct by physicians conducting biomedical research which provides more specific guidelines than the Nuremburg Code?

A) American Nurses Association

B) Belmont Review

C) Code of Federal Regulations

D) Declaration of Helsinki

Ans: D

Complexity: Moderate

Ahead: Keeping It Ethical

Subject: Chapter 2

Taxonomy: Comprehension

Title: Using Evidence Through Collaboration to Promote Excellence in Nursing Practice

3. The statement, “There will be no difference in practice of nurses after completion of an EBP mentorship program as compared to before the mentorship program,” is an example of which of the following?

A) Problem statement

B) Purpose statement

C) Directional hypothesis

D) Null hypothesis

Ans: D

Complexity: Moderate

Ahead: Developing Hypotheses

Subject: Chapter 3

Taxonomy: Comprehension

Title: Identifying Research Questions

4. When formulating hypotheses, how do conceptual definitions differ from operational definitions?

A) Conceptual definitions sound like dictionary definitions, whereas operational definitions are empirical definitions.

B) Conceptual definitions are pictorial representations of concepts, whereas operational definitions are measures of the variables being studied.

C) Conceptual definitions are empirical definitions, whereas operational definitions sound like dictionary definitions.

D) Conceptual definitions are measures of the variables being studied, whereas operational definitions are pictorial representations of concepts.

Ans: A

Complexity: Moderate

Ahead: How Are Theory, Research, and Practice Related?

Subject: Chapter 5

Taxonomy: Comprehension

Title: Linking Theory, Research, and Practice

5. A researcher hypothesizes that a new computer-based educational intervention program with a public health clinic will result in fewer unwanted pregnancies in low-income communities. Which of the subjects will be receiving the standard of care with a typical clinic-based education but not the intervention of the new computer-based education?

A) Total population

B) Control group

C) Sample population

D) Intervention group

Ans: B

Complexity: Moderate

Ahead: Chart the Course: Selecting the Best Design

Subject: Chapter 6

Taxonomy: Comprehension

Title: Key Principles of Quantitative Designs