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### Implementation and Evaluation of LVN LEAD: A Leadership and Supervisory Training Program for Nursing Home Charge Nurses

After their participation in this pilot training program, licensed vocational nurses began to view themselves as leaders, the effects of which can also boost CNA job satisfaction and quality of care.

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### Medication Adherence and Spiritual Perspectives among African American Older Women with Hypertension: A Qualitative Study

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Interventions carried out in two nurse-managed wellness centers focused on teaching, guidance, and counseling. Find out which client outcomes improved as a result.

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