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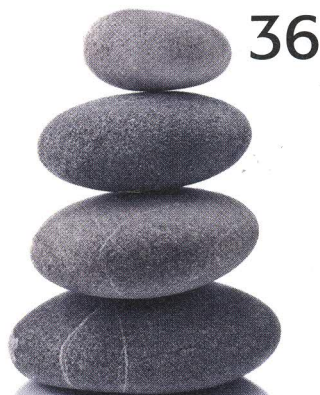
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Is your patient high on "bath salts"?

By Mark M. McGraw, BSN, RN, CCRN, CEN, CTRN

This new designer drug has nothing to do with bathing. Learn all about this illicit synthetic stimulant and its dangerous effects so you can provide appropriate and safe nursing care to potentially violent patients who've ingested it.

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FLUID AND ELECTROLYTE SERIES Balancing act: Calcium and phosphorus

By Ann Crawford, PhD, RN, and Helene Harris, MSN, RN

Review the roles of calcium and phosphorus in the body, then follow these guidelines to assess and care for patients experiencing imbalances of these important electrolytes. This is the fourth in a series of articles on fluid and electrolyte balance.

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By Sharon Baranoski, MSN, RN, CWCN, APRN-CCRN, FAAN, and Elizabeth A. Ayello, PhD, RN, ACNS-BC, CWON, FAAN

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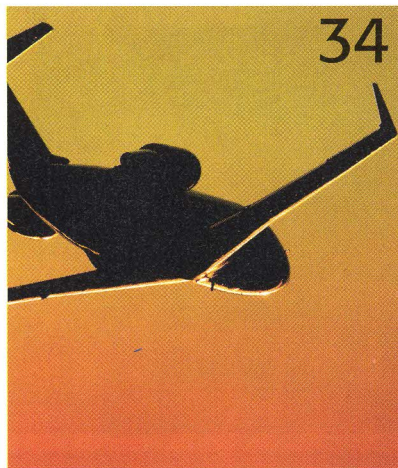
By Laura M. Criddle, PhD, RN, CEN, CCNS, FAEN

A flight nurse draws on all of her resources to cope with an unexpected event during a flight over the ocean.

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By Cheryl Dumont, PhD, RN, CRNI; Sandy Meisinger, BSN, RN; Mary Jo Whitacre, MSN, RN; and Gloria Corbin, MSN, RN

Last spring, Nursing2011 asked nurses to take part in a survey identifying the prevalence of bullying among colleagues in the workplace, also called horizontal violence. Explore the survey results and consider whether your facility is part of the problem or part of the solution.



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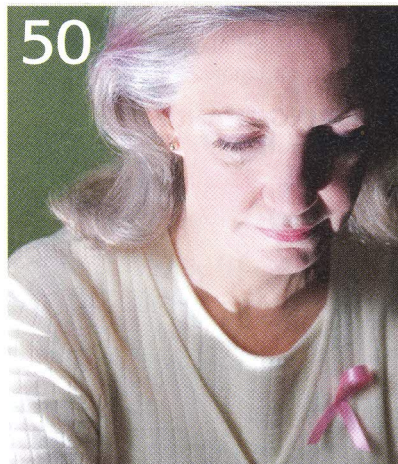
By Rachelle Salmore, MSN, RN, NE-BC
How would you feel if you lost a close friend and colleague without warning? Learn how one group of staff members faced their grief after such a loss.

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Review living wills and durable powers of attorney for healthcare with your patients, then offer them this handout to take home.

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By Lucille Hughes, MSN/ED, RN, CDE
Many patients newly diagnosed with diabetes are overwhelmed by all they need to learn before discharge. Improve their learning experience by using the SAFE acronym: signs and symptoms, administration, finger-stick testing, and emergency numbers.



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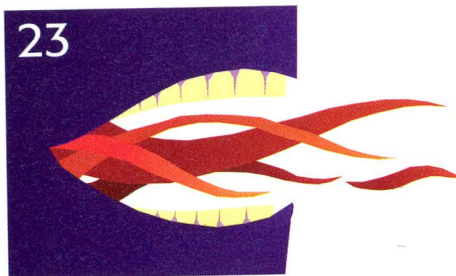
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