MODULE 2 MEDIA LINKS FOR CHAPTERS 4, 5, AND 6

CHAPTER 4:

4. Legal and Ethical Issues

[Americans with Disabilities Act](http://www.usdoj.gov/crt/ada/adahom1.htm) U.S. Department of Justice.

[Centers for Disease Control and Prevention - CDC](http://www.cdc.gov/) Includes the [The Division of Healthcare Quality Promotion](http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dhqp/about.html) (formerly the Hospital Infections Program) which has sections on [Bloodborne Pathogens in Healthcare Settings](http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dhqp/bp.html); [Sterilization & Disinfection in Healthcare Settings](http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dhqp/sterile.html); and much more, including:

[Guidelines for the Management of Occupational Exposures to Hepatitis B, Hepatitis C, and HIV and Recommendations for Postexposure Prophylaxis](http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dhqp/gl_occupational.html) Updated U.S. Public Health Service Guidelines, 2001, and [Updated U.S. Public Health Service Guidelines for the Management of Occupational Exposures to HIV and Recommendations for Postexposure Prophylaxis](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/rr5409a1.htm) September 2005.

[Infection Control Guidelines](http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dhqp/guidelines.html)

[Guideline for Isolation Precautions in Hospitals](http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dhqp/gl_isolation.html)

[Guidelines for Infection Control in Health Care Personnel, 1998](http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/dhqp/gl_hcpersonnel.html)

[Code of Ethics for Nurses with Interpretive Statements](http://www.nursingworld.org/MainMenuCategories/ThePracticeofProfessionalNursing/EthicsStandards/CodeofEthics.aspx) [includes purchase information]; [ANA Position Statements on Ethics and Human Rights](http://www.nursingworld.org/MainMenuCategories/HealthcareandPolicyIssues/ANAPositionStatements/EthicsandHumanRights.aspx) and the ANA [Center for Ethics and Human Rights](http://www.nursingworld.org/MainMenuCategories/ThePracticeofProfessionalNursing/EthicsStandards/CEHR.aspx); and [Code of Ethics for Nurses: With Interpretive Statements](http://nursingworld.org/mods/mod580/cecdevers.htm) An Independent Study Module by Kevin G. Hook, MA, BSN, RN, and Gladys B. White, PhD, RN; from the American Nurses Association.

[Code of Ethics for Registered Nurses](http://www.cna-nurses.ca/CNA/practice/ethics/code/default_e.aspx)From the Canadian Nurses Association.

[Declaration of Alma-Ata](http://www.euro.who.int/eprise/main/WHO/AboutWHO/Policy/20010827_1)From the World Health Organization.

[Elements of Ergonomics Programs: A Primer Based on Workplace Evaluations of Musculoskeletal Disorders](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/ephome2.html) DHHS (NIOSH) Publication No. 97 117, 1998; full-text online.

[Ergonomics and Musculoskeletal Disorders](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/ergonomics/) A collection of documents and reports available from NIOSH.

[Effective Ergonomics: Strategies for Success](http://www.osha.gov/SLTC/ergonomics/index.html) From the [Occupational Safety and Health Administration](http://www.osha.gov/index.html); includes a special set for [Nursing Homes and Personal Care Facilities](http://www.osha.gov/SLTC/nursinghome/index.html).

[Ethical, Legal, and Social Implications of Human Genetics Research](http://www.genome.gov/page.cfm?pageID=10001618) From the [National Human Genome Research Institute](http://www.genome.gov/).

[Ethical Principles for Medical Research Involving Human Subjects](http://www.wma.net/e/policy/b3.htm) From the [World Medical Association](http://www.wma.net/e/index.htm) Declaration of Helsinki, available full-text online.

[Federal Policy for the Protection of Human Subjects (Basic DHHS Policy for Protection of Human Research Subjects](http://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/humansubjects/guidance/45cfr46.htm)From the [Office for Human Research Protections - OHRP](http://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/).

[Federal Web Locator](http://www.lib.auburn.edu/madd/docs/fedloc.html) "a service provided by the Villanova Center for Information Law and Policy".

[Guidelines for Evaluation of Neuromusculoskeletal Disability](http://www.dir.ca.gov/imc/NMS.HTML)From the California Industrial Medical Council.

[Guideline Memorandum on Charge Nurse Supervisory Issues](http://www.nlrb.gov/shared_files/OM%20Memos/1999/Om99-44.pdf) By Richard A. Siegel, Associate General Counsel; from the National Labor Relations Board site. This document provides "guidance on legal issues often confronted in representation and unfair labor practice cases arising in the health case industry."

[Guidelines for Preventing Workplace Violence for Health Care and Social Service Workers](http://www.osha.gov/Publications/osha3148.pdf) From the U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Safety and Health Administration; 1998, revised 2003; an extensive document with screening materials, references, and more.

[Guidelines for Protecting the Safety and Health of Health Care Workers](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/hcwold0.html) A full-text online manual from the U. S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Division of Standards Development and Technology Transfer; September 1988.

[Guidelines For Security and Safety Of Health Care And Community Service Workers](http://www.dir.ca.gov/dosh/dosh_publications/hcworker.html) A full text online document from the Department of Industrial Relations, State of California.

[Health Hippo](http://hippo.findlaw.com/hippohome.html) An extensive resource of connections to health policy and legal resources on the Internet.

[Health Insurance Data](http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/hlthins.html) site of the U.S. Census Bureau.

[Healthy People 2000](http://odphp.osophs.dhhs.gov/pubs/hp2000/) and [2010](http://www.healthypeople.gov/) and specific materials on [Occupational Safety and Health](http://www.healthypeople.gov/Document/HTML/Volume2/20OccSH.htm).

[Hospitals: Conditions for Coverage (CfCs) & Conditions of Participations (CoPs)](http://www.cms.hhs.gov/CFCsAndCoPs/01_Overview.asp#TopOfPage) From the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

[ICN Code of Ethics](http://www.icn.ch/ethics.htm)From the [International Council of Nurses - ICN](http://www.icn.ch/). A selection of [Fact Sheets](http://www.icn.ch/matters.htm) is also available which includes items dealing with issues such as human rights and displaced persons.

[Joint Statement on Maintaining Professional and Legal Standards During a Shortage of Nursing Personnel](http://www.needlestick.org/readroom/position/joint/jtshort.htm) Position Statement from the American Nurses Association Board of Directors Policy/Position and the National Council of State Boards of Nursing and the National Federation of Licensed Practical Nursing, Inc.

[Legal Information Institute](http://www.law.cornell.edu/) Cornell University; includes:  
[US Code Title 21/USC TITLE 21: Food and Drugs](http://straylight.law.cornell.edu/uscode/html/uscode21/usc_sup_01_21.html)  
[US Code Title 24 /USC TITLE 24: Hospitals & Asylums](http://straylight.law.cornell.edu/uscode/html/uscode24/usc_sup_01_24.html)  
[US Code Title 27/ USC TITLE 27: Intoxicating Liquors](http://straylight.law.cornell.edu/uscode/html/uscode27/usc_sup_01_27.html)  
[US Code Title 38/USC TITLE 38: Veterans Benefits](http://straylight.law.cornell.edu/uscode/html/uscode38/usc_sup_01_38.html)  
[US Code Title 42/USC TITLE 42: The Public Health & Welfare](http://straylight.law.cornell.edu/uscode/html/uscode42/usc_sup_01_42.html)

[The Mental Health Bill of Rights](http://www.healthyminds.org/patientsbillofrights.cfm) Principles for the Provision of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Treatment Services: A Bill of Rights. Available full text online from the American Psychiatric Association's [Healthy Minds, Healthy Lives](http://www.healthyminds.org/patientsbillofrights.cfm) consumer site.

[National Occupational Research Agenda](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/nora/) From the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, April 1996.

[The Nightingale Pledge](http://www.countryjoe.com/nightingale/pledge.htm) At the Country Joe MacDonald's Florence Nightingale site.

[Occupational Injuries and Illnesses](http://stats.bls.gov/news.release/osh.toc.htm) (Annual) Department of Labor.

[Occupational and Safety and Health Act of 1970](http://www.osha.gov/pls/oshaweb/owasrch.search_form?p_doc_type=OSHACT&p_toc_level=0&p_keyvalue=OshAct_toc_by_sect.html) Amended on September 29, 1998.

[OSHA Field Inspection Reference Manual](http://www.osha.gov/Firm_osha_toc/Firm_toc_by_sect.html) Full-text online.

[Patient Protection Act of 1998](http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/query/z?c105:H.R.4250:) Links to resources on this bill.

[The Patient Care Partnership: Understanding Expectations, Rights and Responsibilities](http://www.aha.org/aha/issues/Communicating-With-Patients/pt-care-partnership.html)From the [American Hospital Association](http://www.aha.org/aha_app/index.jsp).

[Policy Guidance](http://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/policy/index.html)From the [Office for Human Research Protections](http://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/), DHHS. Includes sections on Regulations, Guidance Materials (including the [Belmont Report](http://www.hhs.gov/ohrp/humansubjects/guidance/belmont.htm)), and Informed Consent.

[Preventing Allergic Reactions to Natural Rubber Latex in the Workplace](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/latexalt.html) June 1997 DHHS (NIOSH) Publication No. 97-135; full-text online.

[Recognizing Bedside Rationing: Clear Cases and Tough Calls](http://www.annals.org/cgi/content/full/126/1/74) By Peter A. Ubel, MD, and Susan Goold, MD, MHSA, MA; full-text online article from the *Annals of Internal Medicine*1997;126:74-80.

[Safe Work in the 21st Century: Education and Training Needs for the Next Decade's Occupational Safety and Health Personnel](http://www.nap.edu/catalog.php?record_id=9835) By the Committee to Assess Training Needs for Occupational Safety and Health Personnel in the United States, Board on Health Sciences Policy; 264 pages, 2000; available full-text online from the National Academy Press.

[Stress at Work](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/stresswk.html) An extensive document from the [stress at work web site](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/stress/) of the [National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health - NIOSH](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/).

[Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964](http://www.eeoc.gov/policy/vii.html)From the [U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission](http://www.eeoc.gov/).

[To Err Is Human: Building a Safer Health System](http://www.nap.edu/catalog.php?record_id=9728) Linda T. Kohn, Janet M. Corrigan, and Molla S. Donaldson, Editors; Committee on Quality of Health Care in America, Institute of Medicine; 312 pages, 2000. Available full-text online from the National Academies Press.

[Violence in the Workplace: Risk Factors and Prevention Strategies](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/violcont.html) From NIOSH, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1996, full-text online.

[WashLaw](http://www.washlaw.edu/) An extensive site from Washburn University School of Law, provides access to specific states.

[Lexis-Nexis Group](http://www.lexisnexis.com/) Commercial legal databases; full access requires subscription.

[Westlaw](http://west.thomson.com/westlaw/) Commercial legal database; full access requires subscription.

Agencies, Organizations, and Associations

[ADA Technical Assistance Program](http://www.adata.org/) National ADA Program Assistance Coordinator (PAC), a 'comprehensive resource for information on the Americans with Disabilities Act'.

[Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality - AHRQ](http://www.ahrq.gov/) Formerly the Agency for Health Care Policy and Research - AHCPR.

[American Association of Legal Nurse Consultants](http://www.aalnc.org/)

[American Association of Nurse Attorneys](http://www.taana.org/)

[American Association of Occupational Health Nurses - AAOHN](http://www.aaohn.org/)

[American Board of Industrial Hygiene](http://www.abih.org/)

[American Industrial Hygiene Association - AIHA](http://www.aiha.org/)

[Bazelon Center for Mental Health Law](http://www.bazelon.org/) "Legal advocacy for the civil rights and human dignity of people with mental disability".

[Center for TeleHealth and eHealth Law](http://www.ctel.org/)

[Civil Rights Division](http://www.usdoj.gov/crt/) of the [Department of Justice](http://www.usdoj.gov/); includes links to specific sections, such as the [Employment Litigation Section](http://www.usdoj.gov/crt/emp/index.html).

[Environmental Protection Agency - EPA](http://www.epa.gov/)

[Food and Drug Administration - FDA](http://www.fda.gov/default.htm)

[Human Factors and Ergonomics Society](http://www.hfes.org/)

[Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations - JCAHO](http://www.JointCommission.org/)

[National Association of Corporate Directors - NACD](http://www.nacdonline.org/default.asp)

[National Council of State Boards of Nursing](https://www.ncsbn.org/) This site contains information on practice acts, licensure, NCLEX board exams, specific state boards of nursing links and much more.

[National Health Law Program](http://www.healthlaw.org/) An organization with "30 Years of Working for Justice in Health Care for Low Income People".

[National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/)

[National Labor Relations Board](http://www.nlrb.gov/)

[National Safety Council](http://www.nsc.org/) Features a separate section on "Workplace".

[Occupational Safety and Health Administration](http://www.osha.gov/)

[U.S. Department of Health and Human Services](http://www.hhs.gov/)

[U.S. Department of Labor](http://www.dol.gov/) Includes sites on [Laws and Regulations](http://www.dol.gov/compliance/), [specific agencies within the Department](http://www.dol.gov/dol/organization.htm), and [statutes and executive orders](http://www.dol.gov/esa/regs/main.htm).

[U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission](http://www.eeoc.gov/)

CHAPTER 5 MEDIA LINKS:

5. Making Decisions and Solving Problems

[The Balanced Scorecard Institute](http://balancedscorecard.org/) An online site from the organization, designed to provide "web-based guidance, information and tools to government and nonprofit managers as they attempt to design and implement measurement-based management in state, local and federal government environments.

[Critical Thinking in an Online World](http://www.library.ucsb.edu/untangle/jones-abs.html) By Debra Jones, Internet Librarian, Cabrillo College, Aptos, CA.; full-text of this article is available online.

[The Critical Thinking Community](http://www.criticalthinking.org/) An extensive site that includes critical thinking teaching tools for different educational levels.

[Decision Support Systems Resources](http://dssresources.com/) A commercial site with links to a wide variety of decision making resources; access to some features requires subscription; see the [Cost-Benefit Analysis](http://dssresources.com/decisionaids/cbanalysis.html) sample.

[Evidence-based Decision-making and Nursing Practice](http://www.cna-nurses.ca/CNA/documents/pdf/publications/PS63_Evidence_based_Decision_making_Nursing_Practice_e.pdf)A statement from the [Canadian Nurses Association](http://www.cna-nurses.ca/cna/).

[Guiding Metaphors and Configuring Choices](http://www.uia.org/uiadocs/guidmet.htm) By Anthony Judge, Union of International Associations; a "Paper for the Development Administration Division of the United Nations Department of Technical Cooperation for Development (UN/DAD/DTCD) prepared for a collection of papers on 'Tools for Critical Choice by Top Decision Makers'"; full-text online.

[How can we solve this problem?](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/pr/pub/lrn/pro_e.html#solve) An online learning resource from the Leadership and Learning Guide: Teams Handbook, Developed by Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development, Canada.

[Managing Community Health Services](http://erc.msh.org/mainpage.cfm?file=1.0.htm&module=chs&language=English) Part of the [Manager's Electronic Resource Center](http://erc.msh.org/index.cfm).

[Toolbox for Health Administration](http://www.pohly.com/admin.html) From Pam Pohly's Net Guide; includes links to journals, associations, and a wide selection of topical links.

[Users' Guides to Evidence-Based Practice](http://www.cche.net/usersguides/main.asp) Based on the series of articles "Users Guides to Evidence-based Medicine" and reproduced with permission from JAMA. Copyright 1993, American Medical Association, by the Canadian Centres for Health Evidence. Covers analysis of published articles from many different aspects.

["What is OR/MS?"](http://www.informs.org/Join/Orms.html) From [*INFORMS Online*](http://www.informs.org/index.html), the Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences.

CHAPTER 6 MEDIA LINKS:

6. Healthcare Organizations

[Case Management Resource Guide](http://www.cmrg.com/) A "free, searchable database of over 110,000 specialty healthcare services, facilities, businesses and organizations" from Dorland Healthcare Information.

[Changes in Health Care Financing and Organization](http://www.hcfo.net/) An initiative of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation; includes a [Glossary of Terms Commonly Used in Health Care](http://www.hcfo.net/glossary.htm), available online and in PDF format.

[Dartmouth Atlas of Health Care](http://www.dartmouthatlas.org/) Includes "epidemiology, economics, and statistics - and focuses on the accurate description of how medical resources are distributed and used in the United States".

[The Future of Public Health](http://www.nap.edu/catalog.php?record_id=1091) (1988) Full-text online book from the National Academies Press, 225 pages.

[Independent Case Management Firms](http://www.cmrg.com/cmrg_cfmfiles/cmg.cfm) A searchable database from Dorland Healthcare Information.

[Internet Hospital Directory](http://www.growing.com/doxys/hospital.html) An international directory of hospitals and clinics on the web; from Doxys.

[Managed Care On-line](http://www.mcol.com/) Includes a variety of [free resources](http://www.mcol.com/resource.htm), and additional resources to subscribing members; includes a [Medicare HMO](http://207.94.128.40/) Web site.

[Nursing's Agenda for the Future: A Call to the Nation](http://www.nursingworld.org/MainMenuCategories/HealthcareandPolicyIssues/Reports/AgendafortheFuture.aspx) 2002, and [ANA's Health Care Agenda](http://www.nursingworld.org/MainMenuCategories/HealthcareandPolicyIssues/HSR/HealthCareAgenda.aspx) 2005; from the [American Nurses Association](http://www.nursingworld.org/).

[Primary Care: America's Health in a New Era](http://www.nap.edu/catalog.php?record_id=5152) (1996) An online full-text book from National Academies Press, 395 pages.

Journals

[*AHA News*](http://www.ahanews.com/ahanews_app/index.jsp)From the [American Hospital Association](http://www.aha.org/aha_app/index.jsp). Updated weekly.

[*Health Affairs*](http://www.healthaffairs.org/) Selected items are available full-text online.

[*Modern Healthcare*](http://www.modernhealthcare.com/) Weekly Healthcare Business News.

Agencies, Organizations, and Associations

[Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality](http://www.ahrq.gov/) (formerly the Agency for Health Care Policy and Research)

[America's Health Insurance Plans](http://www.ahip.org/)

[American Association of Managed Care Nurses, Inc.](http://www.aamcn.org/)

[American Health Planning Association](http://www.ahpanet.org/)

[American Hospital Association](http://www.aha.org/aha_app/index.jsp)

[American Medical Association - AMA](http://www.ama-assn.org/)

[American Nurses Association - ANA](http://www.nursingworld.org/)

[American Organization of Nurse Executives - AONE](http://www.aone.org/aone_app/index.jsp)

[American Public Health Association - APHA](http://www.apha.org/)

[Case Management Society of America](http://www.cmsa.org/)

[Centers for Disease Control and Prevention - CDC](http://www.cdc.gov/)

[Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services](http://www.cms.hhs.gov/)

[Federation of American Hospitals](http://www.americashospitals.com/)

[International Parish Nurse Resource Center](http://www.parishnurses.org/)

[National Association of County and City Health Officials](http://www.naccho.org/)

[National Association of Psychiatric Health Systems](http://www.naphs.org/)

[National Institutes of Health](http://www.nih.gov/) and [Listing of Institutes and Centers](http://www.nih.gov/icd/)

[Public Health Training Network](http://www2.cdc.gov/phtn/)From the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Contains information on online conferences, current issues in public health, and more.

[Social Security Administration](http://www.ssa.gov/)

[U.S. Department of Health and Human Services](http://www.os.dhhs.gov/)