Community Health Nursing—In a new perspective

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Community Health Nursing is a field of nursing practice for which there exists a body of knowledge and related skills which is applied in meeting the health needs of communities, families and individuals in their normal environment. Community health nursing has evolved into a focus on care of individuals, families and communities. The focus and orientation are different to other nurses in their work areas. Community health nursing is a specific and specialized orientation to the care that embodies principles of primary health as guiding concepts.