

Adult Health Nurse

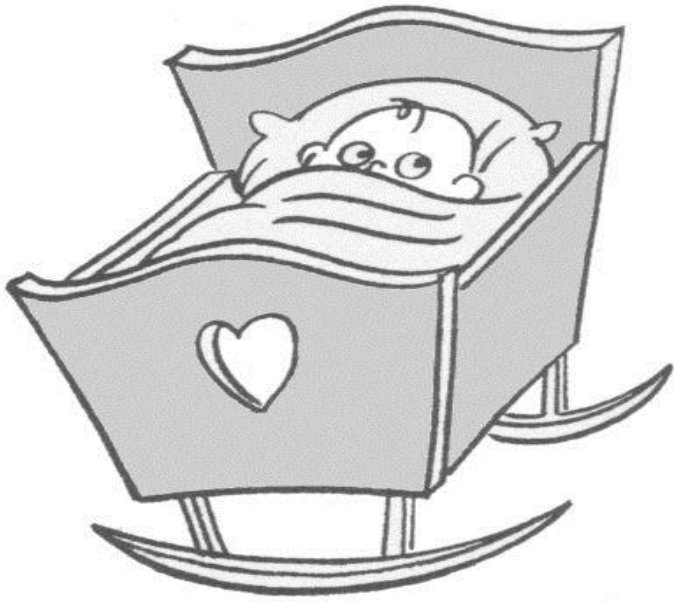
► Provide health care services to a specific population, typically young adults, adults, and older adults (the elderly).



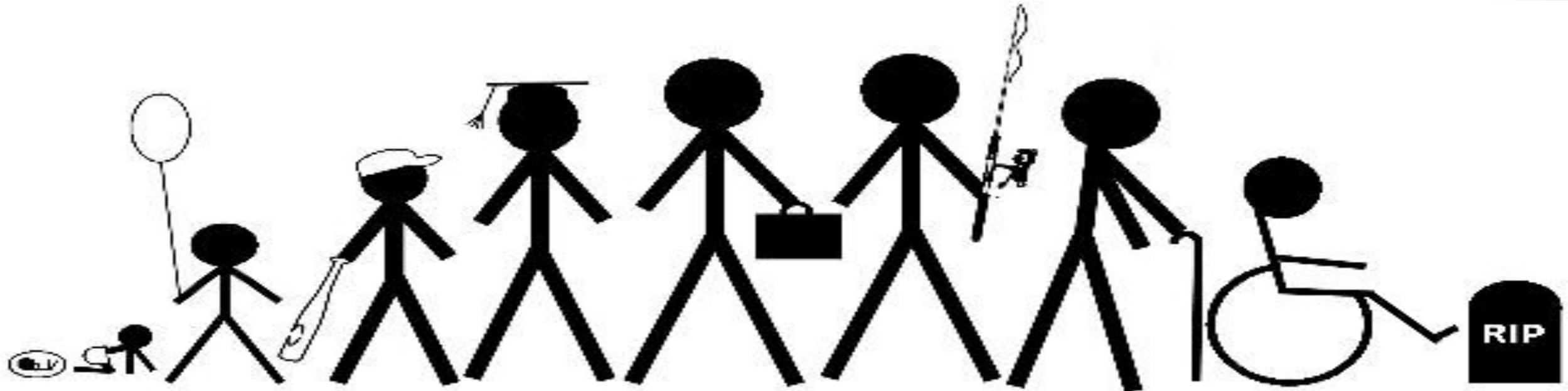
► The primary objectives of the adult health nurse are to play a role in, and to help facilitate, the promotion, maintenance, supervision, & restoration of health

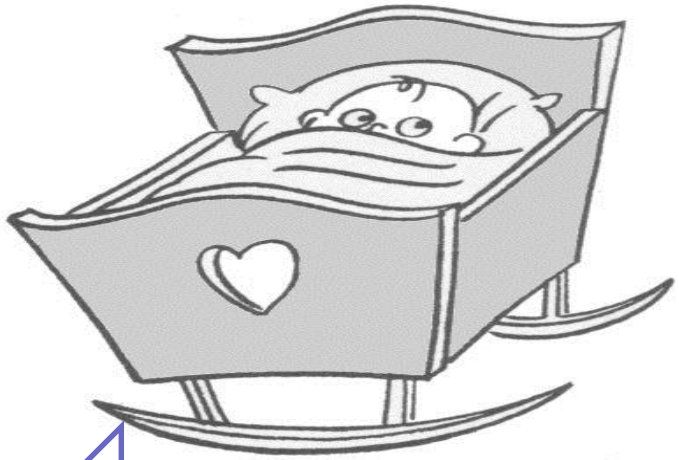
Objective(s):

- *Recognize adult health nurse's role in the clinical setting based on the specified criterion.
- *Categorize the aforementioned roles based on the employed clinical setting.
- *Differentiate between medical, surgical cases based on the specified criteria.



Providing care across the life-span





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Early-late
adulthood

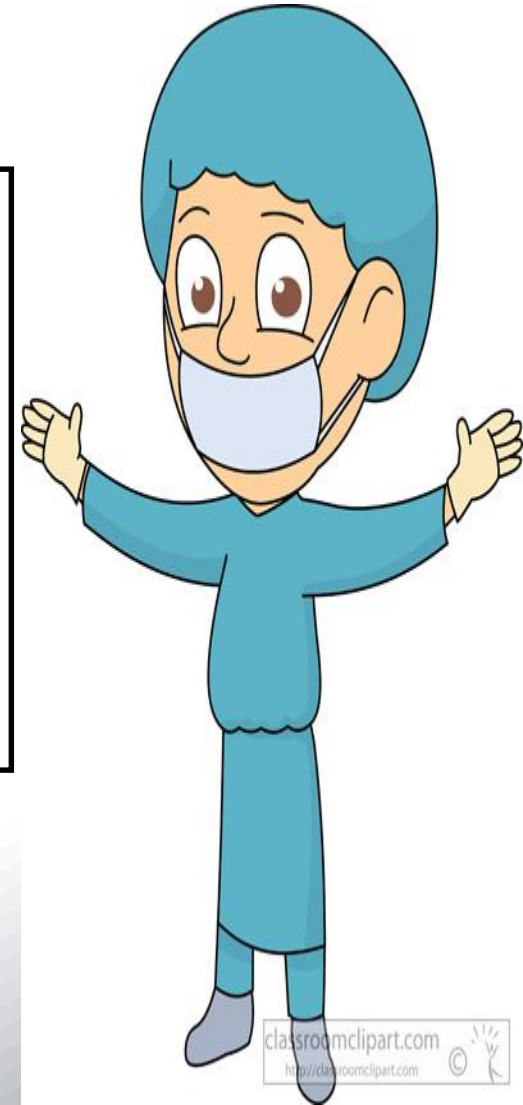
Geriatric

Hospice

Postmortem
care

Medical-Surgical Nursing

► Nurses in this specialty practice primarily on hospital units and care for adult patients who are acutely or chronically ill with a wide variety of medical problems and diseases or are recovering from surgery.



Medical-Surgical Nursing

Medical vs. Surgical

Acute vs. Chronic

Medical-Surgical Nursing

*	Medical cases		▼
1	Hypertension		
2	Diabetes Miletus		
3	Blood diseases:	Anemia	
		Leukemia	
4	Liver diseases:	Hepatitis	
		Liver Cirrhosis	
5	Angina		
6	Myocardial Infarction		
7	Heart Failure		
8	Asthma		

Medical-Surgical Nursing

*	Surgical cases	▼	Surgical management
1	Diabetic Foot		
2	Breast Cancer		
3	Hyper/hypothyroidism		
4	Cholecystitis/ Cholelithiasis		
5	Hernia: ()		
6	Peptic Ulcer: ()		
7	Intestinal Obstruction		
8	Appendicitis		