

OUTLINE

**Time Stamping - It's a Crucial Variable**  
Lawyers' secret weapon  
What you don't realize  
Being ahead of the team  
The sneaky truth about timing in litigation

**Depositions**  
Being called to testify  
You could be next, seriously  
Silently waiting your turn  
Preparing for the worst  
The alarming facts about nursing and litigation

**Technology in the Nurses' World**  
The medical record is just a machine  
Charting by exception - a meaningless phrase  
Minimalist charting could spell t-r-o-u-b-l-e  
Knowing your gadgets or asking for help

**Drop Down Boxes: Avoid the Risks**  
You could lose credibility  
Choosing your options carefully  
When your options are absent  
What the lawyers interpret from mishaps

**Nursing Limits, Expectations & Responsibilities**  
Your license is your shingle  
Copying/Pasting... it's a mistake  
Finding the rules and regulations to guide you  
Standing your ground, knowing your limits

**The Crime Scene**  
The body speaks for itself  
The silent witnesses  
Others are also telling the story  
The circumstantial evidence  
Elements of a lawsuit

**Your Worst Fears**  
Case studies  
Actual depositions  
Role of the plaintiff  
Avoid becoming the defendant

**Live Seminar Schedule:**  
**7:30** Registration/Morning Coffee & Tea  
**8:00** Program begins  
**11:50-1:00** Lunch (*on your own*)  
**4:00** Program ends

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**Target Audience:**  
Nurses • Nurse Practitioners • Clinical Nurse Specialists

OBJECTIVES

1. Plan to use factual tactics to stay out of court.

2. Assess time stamping in your charting for contemporaneous patient accounts.

3. Explain deposition behaviors that favor your credibility.

4. Summarize hazards of inconsistent use of drop down boxes.

5. Distinguish between defense counsel that is for or against you.
6. Formulate habits that keep your license safe.

7. Analyze the chart specific to your specialty.

8. Contrast between poor and exceptional quality charting.

9. Summarize common charting mistakes and how to avoid them.

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- The realities of time stamping
- 50 facts you NEED to know
- Avoid the key hazards of drop down boxes in charting
- Deposition behaviors that add to nursing credibility
- Hard evidence about what your charting communicates
- Is the defense counsel for you? Or against you?
- Charting by exception - a meaningless phrase
- Trends in nursing litigation



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# NURSING NEGLIGENCE

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Jessica attended a nursing program with stellar faculty and great internships. She had always heard, “if you don’t document, you will get in trouble”. No one could explain what that meant. During her orientation as a new graduate, her preceptor taught her how to document the unit requirements and reassured her that writing much more was a waste of time. Jessica never questioned otherwise. At this time in her career, Jessica was thinking... “*I don’t worry much about charting; the computer takes care of that. As long as I chart what my unit audits for, I can sleep soundly.*”

2 years later... Jessica sat down quietly at the deposition table, her head hung low and she hadn’t slept in months. They asked her to say and spell her name for the court reporter and she was sworn in. “Do you promise to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth?”

If this could happen to Jessica, it could happen to you. But how did this happen? How did what Jessica charted turn into a deposition proceeding? How does this happen to any good nurse?

Healthcare today is rife with litigation against nurses. There is more accountability, reliability, autonomy, and liability. The rate of nurses becoming part of lawsuits is steadily on the rise. Join Legal Nurse Consultant, Rosale Lobo, PhD, MSN, RN, CNS, LNCC, for this interesting and intriguing look into nursing documentation. This intense workshop will immerse you into the world of nursing from a litigious viewpoint.

Don’t end up like Jessica. Learn how to protect yourself, so you can sleep soundly tonight.

## SPEAKER

Rosale Lobo, PhD, MSN, RN, CNS, LNCC, has 30 years of combined experience as a direct care nurse, faculty, administrator, and legal nurse consultant. Rosale is a staff nurse at a large teaching hospital in Connecticut and serves as clinical faculty at Southern Connecticut State University. She began working with attorneys in North Carolina and expanded her independent legal nurse consulting practice to New York, Georgia, Colorado, and Connecticut. Plaintiff medical malpractice attorneys have utilized her expertise as both an expert witness and a “behind-the-scenes” consultant.

Rosale is a BSN graduate from Long Island University, earned her master’s degree from Hunter College with *magna cum laude* distinction and her PhD from Walden University, focusing her dissertation research on Nursing Documentation. Rosale is the author of *Guilty or Innocent, Protecting Your License Through Proper Nursing Documentation* (PHC Publishing Group, 2012). She is a member of the American Nurses Association, American Association of Legal Nurse Consultants, past educational board member for the Connecticut Association of Legal Nurse Consultants, and the American Society of Public Administration.

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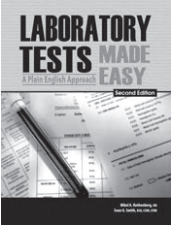
*“I encourage other nurses to make time to attend this conference. We all need to understand the risks, as there are so many. I am leaving here knowing I will be able to better document the patient care I provide.”*

*“Speaker’s personal experiences – clinical and legal – were very interesting! Just a wealth of information!”*

*“Rosale is an engaging and dynamic speaker. I will be making changes to my practice as a result!”*

*“I really felt she embodied the essence of nursing. The topics sparked many questions from the audience, which Rosale was able to answer thoroughly. Fantastic presenter!”*

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