

## Nursing surveillance: a concept analysis

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[Nursing surveillance](#) is an intervention for maintaining patient safety and preventing patient deterioration. This review builds on the earlier nursing [surveillance](#) concept to reflect technological advancements, such as [early warning systems](#), since the intervention was first proposed. Attributes (e.g., systematic processes and coordinated communication) and antecedents (e.g., sufficient nurse education and staffing) associated with nursing surveillance are described, along with a presentation of cases to illustrate the concept.