### CHILD NURSING COMPETENCIES

**DOMAIN 1: PROFESSIONAL AND ETHICAL PRACTICE**
- Competency unit 1: Practices child health nursing in accord with relevant legislation, common and customary law.
- Competency unit 2: Provides nursing service in accord with ethical standards and practice codes of the nursing profession.

**DOMAIN 2: CRITICAL THINKING AND ANALYSIS**
- Competency unit 3: Accepts accountability and responsibility for own actions and outcomes and acts to enhance child health practices.

**DOMAIN 3: COMMUNICATION**
- Competency unit 4: Communicates effectively to support client through the health care experience.

**DOMAIN 4: MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP**
- Competency unit 5: Manages material and human resources appropriately.

**DOMAIN 5: MANAGEMENT OF CARE**
- Competency unit 6: Promotes environment which maximizes safety, independence, quality of life and health for children, families and health workers.
- Competency unit 7: Carries out comprehensive and accurate nursing assessment of clients/groups in a variety of settings.
- Competency unit 8: Uses a problem solving framework to achieve identified outcomes within the scope of practice.

**DOMAIN 6: PUBLIC HEALTH AND HEALTH PROMOTION**
- Competency unit 9: Assists clients and community to achieve optimal health.

**DOMAIN 7: PARTNERSHIP WITH COMMUNITY AND SERVICES**
- Competency unit 10: Promotes child health in collaboration with other agencies.

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Name Applicant: ____________________________ Signature: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________

**Clinical supervisor / Preceptor**

Name: ____________________________ Signature: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________

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