

Week 1:CGE Project Introduction

For this discussion, please address the following.

1. State your PICOT either as a post or an attachment to the Week 1 PICOT worksheet.
2. Provide a brief overview of your project and how you came to choose this project.

Hello Dr. Davis and classmates,

The PICOT question: In adults with a chronic life limiting non-cancerous illness, does end of life discussions in comparison to no discussions affect the completion of an advanced care plan/advanced directive?

P-Population includes male and female adults age 50 or above with a chronic non-cancerous life-limiting illnesses in an acute hospital, outpatient center, or medical clinic setting.

I-intervention includes end of life, sometimes referred to as advance care planning, discussions.

C-comparison group include male and female adults age 50 or above adults with a chronic non-cancerous life-limiting illness that do not receive end of life discussions

O-the outcome is completion of an advanced care plan or advanced directive

T-time frame equals 4-6 weeks

Given the many advances in technology and medicine, people are living longer. However, dying is inevitable. More adults are dying with chronic, long term, non-cancerous related illnesses without any advanced preparation for this time of the life cycle. End of life care (EOLC) is