Nursing Concepts Online: Product Content Overview

Purpose: This document walks through the products included in Nursing Concepts Online (NCO) and where to find them.

Nursing Concepts Online Nine Products/Tools

Nursing Concepts Online (NCO) includes nine products or tools to use. They are listed in the table below.

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Product/Tool Descriptions

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<td>Helps students learn patient charting skills and the active application of concepts in the clinical setting.</td>
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<td>An online toolkit designed to help you effectively incorporate simulation into your nursing curriculum. SLS includes skills drills and scenarios as well as pre- and post-simulation activities.</td>
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<td>Test Bank</td>
<td>Provides ready-made testing resources that can be customized as needed. This includes pre-built exercises and quizzes.</td>
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**Where to find each Product/Tool**

This document uses Canvas as the LMS and assumes you are logged into your Canvas course.

**EAQ**

1. To access EAQ from your LMS Course, click on **Nursing Concepts Online for RN 2.0**.

2. Click on **EAQ** in your **Nursing Concepts Online** navigation.
EAQ (Elsevier’s Adaptive Quizzing) now displays.

Clinical Skills, HESI Patient Reviews, Links to eBooks, Links to Exemplars, and Giddens’ Case Studies

These products/tools are accessed in Nursing Concepts Online > My Resources. Follow the steps below to create folders and add these products/tools to My Resources.

Create Folder in Nursing Concepts Online

1. In your LMS (Canvas in this example), click on the Nursing Concepts Online for RN 2.0 link. The Nursing Concepts Online course displays.
2. Click **My Resources**.

3. Click on **New Folder**.

4. Name the new folder in the **Folder name** field.

5. Click **Create Folder**.

Once a folder is created, you can add subfolders or begin adding resources.
Adding Resources

In this document we’ll show three (3) different ways to add resources.

- Example A: Select and add resources for specific concepts.
- Example B: Select and add only specific products/tools in a specific resource/concept.
- Example C: Add ALL resources.

Example A: Select and add resources for specific concepts

1. Click on the folder (e.g., Fundamentals Week 1) in your Nursing Concepts Online course.

![Image of folder selection]

2. Click Add Resource. The Add Resources window displays.

![Image of Add Resources window]

3. Select the resource or concept by clicking on the box to the left of the item(s).

4. Click +Add Selected.

   **NOTE:** An alternative to Steps 3 and 4 above is to click +Add to the right of each resource or concept to be added.

![Image of Add selected button]
The item(s) selected now display in the **Fundamentals Week 1** folder.

**Example B: Select and add only specific products/tools in a specific resource/concept**

1. Click on the folder (e.g., **Fundamentals Week 1**) in your **Nursing Concepts Online** course.

2. Click **Add Resource**. The **Add Resources** window displays.
3. Click on the folder name (e.g., **Giddens Concept – 18 Perfusion**). All the Perfusion resources display.

4. Select the resource(s) you want to use by clicking on the white box to the left.

5. Click **+Add Selected**.  
   **NOTE:** An alternative to Steps 4 and 5 above is to click **+Add** to the right of each resource or concept to be added.
The specific items selected now display in the **Fundamentals Week 1** folder.

**Example C: Add ALL resources**

1. Click on the folder (e.g., **Nursing Concepts**) in your **Nursing Concepts Online** course.

2. Click **Add Resource**. The **Add Resources** window displays.
3. Click the box at the top left to select all resources.
4. Click **Add Selected**.

**NOTE:** This may take a moment since it is copying everything from within the course. Also, notice that topics are no longer numbered so your own organization method can be created.

All items now display in the **Nursing Concepts** folder.

Using Resources – Visibility, Actions, and Assignment Settings

In the *Nursing Concepts Online* course, the instructor has the ability turn visibility on/off, set up actions, and use assignment settings. This section walks through those items.
Visibility
Resources are initially listed as invisible.

1. Click on the **Visible** icon. The **Visibility Settings** window displays.

2. Turn **Visibility to students** on.
3. Click **Done**.

All items in that folder are now visible to students.
**Actions**

Let's look at the **Actions** column. Click on the ellipse (…) to view action options. Visibility and Remove are the only option for most items (e.g., Exemplars).

- Selecting Visibility takes you to the same Visibility Settings window discussed earlier.
- Select Remove to remove the item from the course.

Assignments, quizzes, and skills also have Assignment Settings.

- Select **Assignment Settings** to get started. The **Assignment Settings** window displays. (The next page discusses **Assignment Settings** in more detail.)
Assignment Settings

1. Select beginning and due dates. This allows you to set up assignments in advance.
2. Turn on **Assignment is visible, but not gradable, to students after due date has passed.** (Optional.)
3. Check the box next to **Record an outcome for this assignment.** (Recommended so that it reports back to the gradebook.)

The **Grading options** section expands.

4. Select a grading option.
5. Click **Create Assignment.**
The Nursing Concepts Online items now display. The **Assigned** column shows that the assignment is created and that the graded option was selected. The **Visible** column shows that this item is visible to students.

6. Click on **Assignments** to see all listed assignment(s).

![Assignment View](image)

All assignments display.

![Assignment Details](image)

**NOTE:** Students need to go to three (3) places to get assignments – **NCO Assignments**, **NCO EAQ**, and **SimChart**. Students may also need to go back to their LMS (e.g., Canvas) for **Test Bank** items.
SimChart for Nursing and SLS (Simulation Learning Systems)

These are accessed in your LMS (Canvas in our example) module through the Evolve Link Tool.

Test Bank

As an instructor, you can import the entire Test Bank or import individual items into the LMS (i.e. Canvas). It is recommended that you download and import the entire Test Bank, then edit and publish items as needed.