A new professional resource developed by an ANA-convened workgroup of nurse experts, from all across their practice specialty, who comprehensively updated and expanded the 2007 edition. The result of their insightful work: an entirely new work that presents the essentials of contemporary correctional nursing in its full context. This is the one-volume delineation of competent nursing practice and professional performance common to and expected from correctional registered nurses, whatever their practice level or setting. Of particular note: the detailed discussions of the specialty’s historical/legal aspects and its many practice settings, and a succinct framework for ethical nursing practice in the correctional setting.

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Standard 4. Planning
Standard 5. Implementation
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  Standard 5B. Health Teaching and Health Promotion
  Standard 5C. Consultation
  Standard 5D. Prescriptive Authority and Treatment
Standard 6. Evaluation

Standards of Professional Performance for Correctional Nursing
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Standard 8. Education
Standard 9. Evidence-Based Practice and Research
Standard 10. Quality of Practice
Standard 11. Communication
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Standard 13. Collaboration
Standard 14. Professional Practice Evaluation
Standard 15. Resource Utilization
Standard 16. Environmental Health

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