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Other SPHM Website Resources

American Nurses Association (ANA)

 http://www.nursingworld.org/MainMenuCategories/ANAMarketplace/ ANAPeriodicals/OJIN/TableofContents/Volume92004/No3Sept04/ EvidenceBasedPractices.aspx

Association for Safe Patient Handling Professionals (ASPHP)

http://www.asphp.org/learning-center

Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)

- http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/safepatient/
- http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/docs/2009-127/

Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA)

- https://www.osha.gov/SLTC/healthcarefacilities/safepatienthandling. html
- https://www.osha.gov/dsg/hospitals/patient_handling.html



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