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RESEARCH QUESTIONNAIRE EVALUATION BY EXPERTS

Section A – Demographical data: Personal profile **A 1-A4: Mark your answer with an X in the appropriate box**					**Expert's Comments**	**Office use only** **A**
Question:	Not applicable	Include but alter	Relevant	Definitely relevant		
A (1) Your age in years	1.	2.	3.	4.		
A (2) Your gender	1.	2.	3.	4.		
Section B – Demographical data: Professional profile **B1 – B8: Mark your answer with an X in the appropriate box**						**B**
Question:	Not applicable	Include but alter	Relevant	Definitely relevant		
B(1) Your qualification for Registered Nurses is a	1.	2.	3.	4.		
B (2) Do you have a post graduate qualification in Intensive Nursing Care/ Critical Care (CCN)?	1.	2.	3.	4.		

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Section B continued– Demographical data: Professional profile **B1 – B8: Mark your answer with an X in the appropriate box**					**Expert's Comments**	**Office use only** B continued
B(3) How many years experience do you have in CCN nursing	1.	2.	3.	4.		
B(4) What type of ICU do you work in mainly?	1.	2.	3.	4.		
B(5) Are you presently employed by	1.	2.	3.	4.		
B(6) Do you work "overtime"/ moonlight?	1.	2.	3.	4.		
B (7) Are you currently a member of a local professional nursing body	1.	2.	3.	4.		
B(8) Are you currently a member of an overseas professional nursing body	1.	2.	3.	4.		

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Section C – What do you perceive your critical care nursing (CCN) CPD needs to be? **C1 – C10: Mark your answer with an X in the appropriate box**					**Expert's Comments**	**Office use only** **C**
Question:	Not applicable	Include but alter	Relevant	Definitely relevant		
C (1) To develop knowledge, skills and attitudes to improve your CCN nursing	1.	2.	3.	4.		
C (2) To update your current CCN knowledge only	1.	2.	3.	4.		
C (3) To update your current CCN skills only	1.	2.	3.	4.		
C (4) To develop skills related to new technology	1.	2.	3.	4.		
C (5) To prepare for entry to a CCN qualification	1.	2.	3.	4.		
C (6) To network with other CCN colleagues	1.	2.	3.	4.		
C (7) As a means to get paid more	1.	2.	3.	4.		
C (8) A requirement of your company	1.	2.	3.	4.		
C (9) Part of your own career development	1.	2.	3.	4.		
C (10) To participate in and/ or contribute to the growth of CCN nursing	1.	2.	3.	4.		

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Section D – Do you currently participate in CPD programs? **D1 – D6 : Mark your answer with an X in the appropriate box**					**Expert's Comments**	**Office use only** **D**
D (1) Do you currently participate in general nursing CPD programs?	1	2	3	4		
D (2) Do you currently participate in CCN nursing CPD programs?	1	2	3	4		
D (3) If you answered YES to D(2) please indicate how often to you participate	1	2	3	4		
D (4) Do you participate in other professions CPD programs?	1	2	3	4		
D (5) If you answered YES to D(4) – please indicate which professions CPD do you mainly participate in?	1	2	3	4		
D (6) If you answered YES to D(4) – please indicate how often do you participate in other professions' CPD programs	1	2	3	4		

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Section E – What do you perceive to be your barriers to participating in critical care nursing (ICU) CPD programs? **E1 – E10: Mark your answer with an X in the appropriate box**					**Expert's Comments**	**Office use only** **E**
Question:	Not applicable	Include but alter	Relevant	Definitely relevant		
E (1) CCN nursing CPD programs location to where you live	1.	2.	3.	4.		
E (2) Lack of communication about CCN nursing CPDs	1.	2.	3.	4.		
E (3) Not knowing how to access information about CCN nursing CPDs	1.	2.	3.	4.		
E (4) Family responsibilities	1.	2.	3.	4.		
E (5) The cost of attending the CCN CPDs	1.	2.	3.	4.		
E (6) Time to attend the CPDs	1.	2.	3.	4.		
E (7) Employers recognition of your CPD participation	1.	2.	3.	4.		
E (8) Relevancy of CCN CPD topics to your workplace	1.	2.	3.	4.		
E (9) Lack of recognition by SANC for CPD participation	1.	2.	3.	4.		
E (10) CCN nursing CPD learning method	1.	2.	3.	4.		

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Section F – What learning method would benefit you the most and motivate you to actively participate in critical care nursing CPD programs? **F1 – F8: Mark your answer with an X in the appropriate box**					**Expert's Comments**	**Office use only** **F**
Question:	Not applicable	Include but alter	Relevant	Definitely relevant		
F (1) ½ - 1 day refresher course	1.	2.	3.	4.		
F (2) Facilitated workshops	1.	2.	3.	4.		
F (3) Mentorship program	1.	2.	3.	4.		
F (4) E-Learning	1.	2.	3.	4.		
F (5) Distance Learning	1.	2.	3.	4.		
F (6) Information updates and journals	1.	2.	3.	4.		
F (7) Lectures	1.	2.	3.	4.		
F (8) Decentralised CPD hubs, this is, a regional centre that provides for CPD opportunities suitable for the CCN	1.	2.	3.	4.		

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Section G - How would like information about critical care nursing CPD programs to be communicated to you? **G1 – G4: Mark your answer with an X in the appropriate box**					**Expert's Comments**	**Office use only** **G**
Question:	Not applicable	Include but alter	Relevant	Definitely relevant		
G (1) SMS (short message system)	1.	2.	3.	4.		
G (2) Email	1.	2.	3.	4.		
G (3) Newsletter	1.	2.	3.	4.		
G (4) By employer	1.	2.	3.	4.		

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