Paper	Study design	Main findings	Participant count	Intervention	Intervention effects	Limitations	Outcome measured
Ethical climate and missed nursing care in cancer care units Vryoniides et al. (2016)	Descriptive correlation design	The study established a direct relationship between missed nursing care and various types of ethical climates where there was a positive correlation between the instrumental and independence types; on the other hand, there is a negative correlation between the caring, rules, law, and code types. - It is possible that attempts to decrease the levels of instrumental and independent types of ethical climate and increase the levels of caring, law, and code, and rules types of ethical climate could further mitigate the amount of missed nursing care.	157 nurses	Assessment of types of ethical climate using the Ethical Climate Questionnaire and assessment of missed nursing care using the MISSCARE survey tool.	- Missed nursing care is positively related to the instrumental ethical climate (r = 0.612) and independence ethical climate (r = 0.461), and negatively related to the caring ethical climate (r = -0.695), rules ethical climate (r = -0.367), and law and code ethical climate (r = -0.487). The relationship was further confirmed through linear regression models.	In this regard, it is pertinent to indicate that the results obtained here cannot be generalized at an international level. Self- completed tools can also be misleading in some cases. This is because more research has to be done to be able to prove a cause-effect relationship and find more empirical data.	Missed care and different types of ethical climate

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Effects of Hospital Ethical Climate and Communication Self-Efficacy on Nursing Cares Left Undone among Nurses Noh, et al. (2023)	Observational study	The study focuses on the hospital's ethical climate as a predictor of the nursing care left undone and concludes that hospitals should enhance the ethical climate to minimize such cases. The implications can be applied to design interventions intended to reduce the amount of nursing care left undone.	142 nurses	Not applicable	- The hospital's ethical climate has significantly contributed to missed nursing care. The efficacy of communication does not have a significant effect on nursing care left undone.	- The cross- sectional causal design of the study also meant that the investigators did not examine other possible factors that may influence nursing care not provided to clients apart from hospital ethical climate and communication self-efficacy – The explained variance by the determined factors was relatively low at 18 percent. 0% - The study failed to elaborate approaches that can be used to enhance hospital ethical climate - This indicates that the study does not look at possible bias when collecting or analyzing data - The study never incorporated patients or other healthcare fellows in terms of nursing care that was not implemented	Nursing care left undone

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