

FUNDAMENTALS OF NURSING

OBJECTIVES LOSS AND GRIEF Chapter 22

Mastery of content in this chapter will enable the student to:

- 1 Define the key terms listed.
- 2 Identify your role in assisting clients with problems related to loss, death, and grief.
- 3 Describe and compare the phases of grieving from Kubler-Ross, Bowlby, and Worden,
- 4 List and discuss five basic categories of loss.
- 5 Describe six dimensions of hope.
- 6 Describe characteristics of a person experiencing grief.
- 7 Discuss variables that influence a person's response to grief.
- 8 Develop a care plan for a client or family experiencing grief.
- 9 Describe effective nursing interventions for clients experiencing grief.
- 10 Discuss principles of palliative care.
- 11 Describe the procedure for care of the body after death.
- 12 Discuss the nurse's own loss experience when caring for dying clients.