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## **ABSTRACT**

This study determined the management of the wound care among the staff nurses in the secondary hospitals in La Union. The descriptive research design was utilized in the study. The questionnaire survey was developed and administered to 81 nurses. Frequency count and weighted mean were utilized to treat the data.

The salient findings of the study are as follows: 1. The nurses in secondary hospitals in La Union are knowledgeable and recognize the importance of optimal standards in wound care practice across all settings when it comes to implementation of wound care management. 2. The nurses are to enhance the implementation in the use of apron as protection and to encourage implementation of therapeutic nutrition to promote wound healing as part of wound care management. It also specifies the value of continuous health education.

Based on the findings of the study, a clinical guide was formulated for nurses in secondary hospitals of La Union to enhance wound care management.