

Training

NC Nurse Aide Registry
NCDHSR

NC Board of Nursing

State-Approved Nurse Aide I Curriculum: Modules A –W

- The Nurse Aide
- Infection Control
- The Environment: Safety and Emergency
- Communication
- Law and Ethics
- Dignity
- Restorative Care
- Body Systems
- Body Mechanics
- Nursing Process/Care Planning
- Incident Report
- Critical Thinking
- Family and Family Support
- Person-centered Care
- Cognitive Changes Due to Aging
- Psychological Effects of Aging
- Dementia and Alzheimer's Disease
- Mental Health and Mental Illness
- Pain
- End of Life Care

Mouth Care Without a Battle©

Individualized Mouth Care for Persons with Cognitive and Physical Impairment
Sheryl Zimmerman and Phillip Sloan

- Mouth Care Without a Battle© is an evidence-based approach to person-centered daily mouth care (tooth brushing, care of the gums, and
- denture care) for persons with cognitive and physical impairment. It combines best practices in dementia care and oral hygiene to reduce the
- risk of pneumonia and other serious complications and to increase overall quality of life. For more information, visit us online at
- www.mouthcarewithoutabattle.unc.edu
- FutureCareNC

NCHCFA

59 Member Facilities

- Special Care
- Memory Care
- Alzheimer
- Secure Care
- Spark (SPARK — Specialized Programming for Alzheimer's and Related Care)
- Secured Environment
- Dementia

Significant Issues

- Legal Surrogacy
- Negotiated Risk
- Physical Plant
- Physician Access
- Regulatory Environment
- Behavioral

Resource Utilization Grouping (RUGs)

Medicare - Skilled Nursing Facility
Prospective Payment System (PPS)

- Therapies
- “Medically Complex)

Medicaid – SNF/NF Case Mix
Reimbursement

§ 131E-114. Special care units; disclosure of information required

- The disclosure shall be made annually, in writing, to all of the following: (1) The Department, as part of its licensing procedures.
- (2) Each person seeking placement within a special care unit, or the person's authorized representative, prior to entering into an agreement with the person to provide special care.

Disclosure Information

- (1) A statement of the overall philosophy and mission of the licensed facility and how it reflects the special needs of residents with dementia.
- (2) The process and criteria for placement, transfer, or discharge to or from the special care unit.
- (3) The process used for assessment and establishment of the plan of care and its implementation, as required under State and federal law.
- (4) Typical staffing patterns and how the patterns reflect the resident's need for increased care and supervision.

Disclosure Information

- (5) Dementia-specific staff training.
- (6) Physical environment features designed specifically for the special care unit.
- (7) Alzheimer's disease and other dementia-specific programming.
- (8) Opportunities for family involvement. (9) Additional costs or fees to the resident for special care

"special care unit" means a wing or hallway within a nursing home, or a program provided by a nursing home, that is designated especially for residents with Alzheimer's disease or other dementias,

Antipsychotic Collaborative

- October 10th 2012 in Greensboro- 118
- October 11th, 2012 in Cary- 134 Attendees
- October 16th 2012 in Charlotte- 184 Attendees
- Total= 436 SNF Attendees
 - 89 Surveyors and others
- Monthly calls

Permission

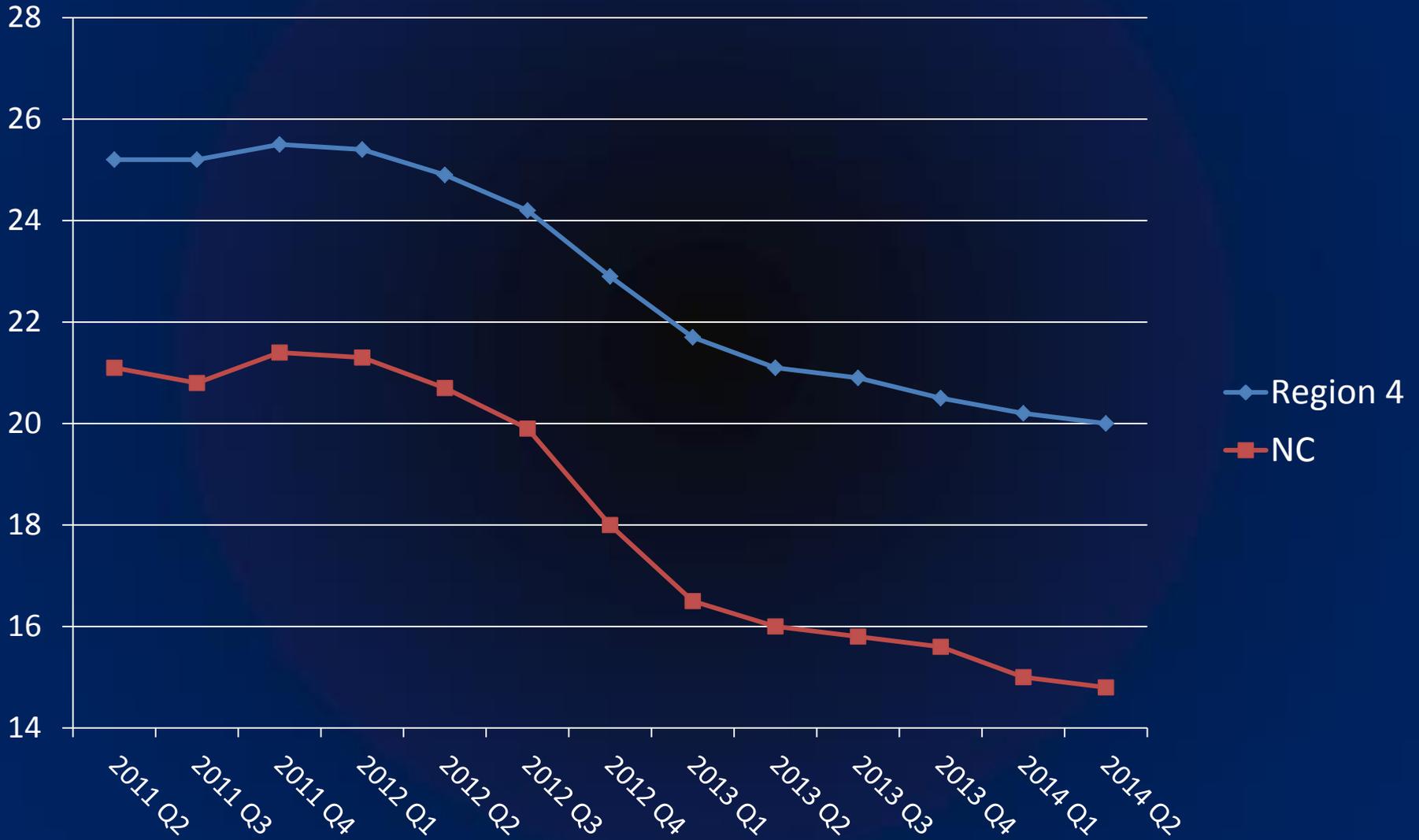
Partnership to Improve Dementia Care in Nursing Homes
 Antipsychotic Drug use in Nursing Homes Trend Update
 North Carolina Quarterly Prevalence of Antipsychotic Use for Long-Stay Residents
 2011Q2-2014Q2

2011 Q2	2011 Q3	2011 Q4	2012 Q1	2012 Q2	2012 Q3	2012 Q4	2013 Q1	2013 Q2	2013 Q3	2013 Q4	2014 Q1	2014 Q2
21.1%	20.8%	21.4%	21.3%	20.7%	19.9%	18.0%	16.5%	16.0%	15.8%	15.6%	15.0%	14.8%

7	US Rank in 2014Q2 (lower=better)
-6.61%	Percentage difference (2011Q4 - 2014Q2)
-30.8%	% Change

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CMS Region 4 v. NC



Rutgers University AHRQ Grant to study CMS National Partnership to Improve Dementia Care

*"Improving Medication Safety in Nursing Home
Dementia Care."*

Case studies of seven states: significant
improvement and little improvement.

“Several experts have identified NC as a state that
would be useful to study... strong improvement
work done in your state”