WCET® AT A GLANCE

The leading global organization dedicated to professional nursing in the field of ostomy, wound and continence care.

WCET® was founded in 1978 by Norma N. Gill and other international ET/Ostomy, Wound and Continence care experts from 15 countries.

WCET® has members in over 65 countries and on every continent.

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WCET® Mission, Vision & Values

Mission
To lead the global advancement of specialised professional nursing care for people with ostomy, wound or continence needs.

Vision
• The global leader in the specialty of ostomy, wound and continence care.
• Ensure specialised nursing care is available worldwide for all people with a need for ostomy, wound or continence care.
• Provide nurses worldwide with access to ostomy, wound and continence specialty education.

Values
• Respect the dignity and diversity of all persons.
• Integrity by following a recognised code of ethics.
• Communication between members and other like-minded professionals.
• Holistic care for the body, mind and spirit.
• Scientific approach using evidence-based, specialised education and care.

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Membership Benefits

Membership Includes

- WCET® quarterly Journal (ISSN 0819-4610) in English (print) and other languages (electronic)
- WCET® BullETin (ISSN 2652-1695) (electronic)
- Biennial Congress registration discount
- Educational materials
- Free access to members only webinars
- Twinning Project participation opportunities
- Access to Norma N. Gill Foundation Scholarships (NNGF®)
- Access to global communities of practice
- Opportunity to participate in WCET® leadership roles
- Excelsior College online nursing programs reduced tuition
- Exclusive members only rate for an online subscription to Advances in Skin & Wound Care
- Ongoing professional development

Focus on Education

WCET® provides nurses worldwide with access to ostomy, wound and continence specialty education.

ETNEP
Full ET Nursing Education Programs (ostomy, wound and continence care).

REP
Recognised Education Programs in either ostomy, ostomy and wound or ostomy and continence care.

The WCET® acknowledges this expanded role of ET/Ostomy, wound and Continence nurses and recognises the value of both ETNEPs and REP s.

WCET® may, upon request, assist with the development, facilitation and assessment of both ETNEPs and REP s.

ETNEP / REP recognition guidelines are found at www.wcetn.org/ETNEP/REP/recognitionprocess

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The premier assembly of ET/Ostomy, Wound and Continence nursing professionals in the world.
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Member Resources

Quarterly Journal
CINALH indexed Journal of the World Council of Enterostomal Therapists® provides scientific, clinically relevant information.

BullETin: The magazine for WCET® members
Available electronically to all members, the WCET® BullETin includes news from our members about initiatives around the world.

Webinars
Timely and accessible presentations on current ET/Ostomy, Wound and Continence issues and relevant information from leaders in the field.

WCET® Online Store
Please visit https://wcet-online-store.myshopify.com/ to purchase WCET® educational resources.

International Ostomy Guideline
2nd Edition (IOG)
The recommendations can be downloaded for free from the WCET® website. The printed booklet includes the extensive review and evaluation of Ostomy care literature.

Ostomy Pocket Guide (OPG)
This publication is a pocket size ostomy problem solving guide. Available in English and other languages.

Stoma Marking Pocket Guide
This pocket guide is designed as a quick reminder of the major elements that comprise the clinical practice of stoma site marking. Available in English and other languages.

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This toolkit includes electronic files for a 46-page Educational Booklet, Participant Handouts and PowerPoint Presentations on skin assessment, wound healing, dressings and much more.