Transcultural Nursing Skills Self-Assessment Form

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| Please indicate (with an *X)* either *Ye*s or *No* to the following questions related to your current transcultural nursing skills. | | |
| **Transcultural Nursing Skills** | **Yes** | **No** |
| I make a concerted effort to pronounce my patients’ first and last names even when they seem “strange” to me. |  |  |
| I realize that learning about different cultures is a life-long experience. |  |  |
| I understand the differences between interpreters and translators. |  |  |
| I step out of my comfort zone to assess, understand, and deal with my own prejudices |  |  |
| I always demonstrate a caring attitude with all my patients regardless of the color of their skin or their ethnic background. |  |  |
| Sometimes I take it personally when a patient from a different culture does not understand my questions. |  |  |
| Rarely do I reflect on how my own identify impacts how my transcultural patients perceive me. |  |  |
| Often I recognize that learning styles may be different, and I adapt my teaching styles. |  |  |
| I consistently model my acceptance of various cultures for other staff members. |  |  |
| I accept suggestions for being more culturally sensitive from my coworkers. |  |  |
| **Total number of *No*s *and Yes*es** |  |  |

\*If you answered *No* to any of these questions, what do you need to do to be able to answer *Yes* within the next few weeks?