



Appendix

Questionnaire Questions

1. What is your age?
2. What unit do you currently work on?
3. How long have you worked on your current unit?
4. What other departments have you worked on as a registered nurse? If applicable.
5. During the spring of 2020 how worried were you about the impact of coronavirus on your physical and mental health?
6. Did you provide direct patient care to COVID-19 patients during the pandemic?
7. Did you work as a nurse on your unit or did float to another unit during the COVID-19 pandemic?
8. Have you ever received education on how to safely wear PPE before the COVID-19 pandemic?
9. Did you receive additional education from your hospital on how to safely wear PPE during the COVID-19 pandemic?
10. How satisfied are you with the level of education in regards to PPE from your hospital?
11. Do you feel your unit followed CDC guidelines during the COVID-19 pandemic?
12. Was PPE easily accessible and available to you on your unit during the COVID-19 pandemic?
13. Have you felt your unit was not properly stocked with adequate PPE during the COVID-19 pandemic?
14. Were you instructed to re-use PPE in an effort to save on cost and supply?
15. Did you feel safe wearing your hospital provided PPE during the COVID-19 pandemic?
16. At any point during the COVID-19 pandemic did you use your own finances to provide yourself with PPE for work?
17. How supported did you feel during the COVID-19 pandemic from your hospital administration regarding the use and supply to PPE?
18. What emotions did you experience during the beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic in regards to the supply of PPE?
19. Have your emotions towards the supply and distribution of PPE changed since the beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic? If yes, please describe.
20. Did you experience any physical injury while using PPE?
21. If you answered "yes" to the previous question, please describe your injury below.
22. Have you felt your units supply of PPE has improved since the pandemic?
23. How easy or difficult is it for you to work effectively these days with the PPE you're supplied with?
24. How compliant were you to the best of your ability, utilizing PPE while working with COVID-19 patients?
25. Choose your emotions that best explain why you wore PPE during the COVID-19 pandemic.
26. Choose your emotions that best explain how you use PPE currently.
27. Did the lack of PPE distribution influence your decision to receive the COVID-19 vaccination?