

Division of Child Nursing

Outline

In undergraduate and postgraduate education, we are responsible for Child Nursing. Child Nursing focuses on the health of children and their families. Our research interests are listed below.

Faculty members

Professor; Kumi Mikuni, RN, PHN, Ph.D. (Nursing)

Associate professor; Chikako Kinami, RN, Ph.D. (Nursing)

Assistant professor; Yukari Kawasaki, RN.

Assistant professor; Mai Tanimoto, RN, MSN.

Main research in progress

- 1) Child-care and parenting support
- 2) Nursing of children with severe motor and intellectual disabilities
- 3) Newborn skincare instruction for mothers conducted by public health nurses
- 4) Nursing the father of an infant admitted to the NICU

Current publications

- 1) Mikuni, K. et al. "Mother-child interaction between nursery school children and working mothers." *Jpn. J. Med. Psychol. Study Infants* 2012, 21(2), 77-85.
- 2) Kinami, C. "The effect of an educational program emphasizing interaction in the act of dietary assistance: For nurses and welfare workers in facilities for persons with severe motor and intellectual disabilities." <http://id.nii.ac.jp/1145/00064582/>
- 3) Kawasaki, Y., Kinami, C., & Mikuni, K. "A Literature Review on Hospital-Based Nurse Leadership." *Journal of Nursing and Social Services*, 2012, 19, 33-41.
- 4) Mikuni, K., Kinami, C., Kato, Y., & Kawasaki, Y. "The corporal punishment of infants by parents: A literature review." *Health Sciences University of Hokkaido Journal of nursing and social services* 2020, 27, 39-45.
- 5) Tanimoto, M. "Nurses' perceptions that psychology and nursing practices of fathers with infants immediately following admission to the NICU." *Journal of School of Nursing and Social Services, Health Sciences University of Hokkaido*, 2022, 18(1), 21-28.
- 6) Kawasaki, Y, Kinami, C., Kato, Y., & Mikuni, K. "Problems of public health nurses when providing mothers how to care for their children's skin." *Journal of School of Nursing and Social Services, Health Sciences University of Hokkaido*, 2021, 17(1),43-49.

【 Education Field 】

Health Promotion of the Children and Families

Nursing Care of Infant and Children

Clinical Practicum in Child Health Nursing

【 Research Field 】

Interaction between Child and Caregiver

Nursing Care of Child and Family