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Rhonda is a certified hospice and palliative nurse with more than 25 years of hospice and palliative care experience. She has served in various leadership roles throughout her nursing career. Rhonda is an active member of the Hospice and Palliative Nurses Association. Her experience includes having served as the regulatory analyst for McKesson home care and hospice solutions. She has served as a board member for the OMAHA System representing hospice and palliative care. She has participated as an observer and participant of the SNOMED-CT Nursing Virtual Workgroup, advocating to ensure concepts relevant to hospice and palliative care were included for international consideration for mapping projects. Rhonda has collaborated with hospices across the nation in finding best practices and championing their integration using the electronic health record. Rhonda is one of the collaborative co-authors of the ICNP® Catalogue – Palliative Care.

https://www.icn.ch/sites/default/files/inline-files/Palliative_Care.pdf. The International Classification of Nursing Practice (ICNP®) is part of the World Health Organization Family of International Classifications (WHO-FIC).

Rhonda has a passion for assisting consulting firms, software companies and hospices with codifying components of her favorite classification system, The ICF (International Classification of Functioning, Disability, & Health).