

Ethical Dilemmas, and Motivation among Nurses during the COVID-19 pandemic

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ABSTRACT

- Background: Positioned at the frontlines of the battle against COVID-19 disease nurses are expected and feel obligated to provide care they feel subject to a greater degree of ethical pressure Aim of the study: to assess attitude of nurses toward ethical dilemma during the covid -19 outbreak and motivation to provide care. Subjects and Methods: Research design: A descriptive design was utilized in this study. Setting: This study was conducted at Al-Ahrar zagazig Teaching Hospital. Subjects: A simple random sample was selected from nurses (n= 233). Tools of data collection: data were collected using Two tools The ethical dilemmas, and factors affect nurses motivation to work during covid questionnaire Results: The most of studied nurses had negative attitude regarding various ethical dilemmas, and a high level of egarding factors affect motivation to work during covid-19. Conclusion: most of studied nursing had a Positive attitude regarding various ethical dilemmas during the COVID-19 pandemic Also, most of studied nursing had high level of perception regarding Factors affect motivation to work during covid-19 outbreak Additionally, there was a positive significant relation between factors affect motivation to work during covid-19 outbreak and nurses attitude regarding various ethical dilemmas during the COVID-19 pandemic
- **Recommendations:** it is recommended that Apply training and development of ethical leadership are essential to encourage followers to engage in social learning of ethical behaviors .Nursing programs should be managed in a way to prevent nurses to be exhausted Further research should be

paid to enhance motivation of workers in the healthcare sector by reconsidering the working conditions and the availability of adequate equipment.

Key words: Ethical Dilemmas, Perceived Risk, Motivation

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