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For the last several years she has been involved in nursing shared governance which aims to bring decision-making for practice change and solutions at the point of care. She strongly feels the clinical nurse, working with multidisciplinary colleagues, has the perspective needed to enact change that is patient-centered and logical with regards to implementation and sustainability. Goley has done a poster presentation at the 2015 ANCC Magnet Conference on “The Patient Experience as a Component of Nursing Shared Governance,” and co-authored an evidenced-based practice article, “Evaluating the Frequency of Vital Sign Monitoring During Blood Transfusion: An Evidence-based Practice Initiative” in CJON.

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