

## Venous Thromboembolism (VTE) Prevention Survey Instructions

We are asking participation to validate a VTE Prevention Model. This involves selecting **1 or 2 staff nurses** per organization to complete a survey that should take about 30 minutes. The VTE Prevention Model is a **core set of data elements** for assessments, nursing diagnoses, interventions, and outcomes documented in flowsheets or other structured forms within electronic health records (EHRs) by staff nurses. The purpose of this survey is to learn whether the VTE Prevention Model is generalizable across health care organizations.

**We want to know if the data elements on the survey are useful for your nurses (these elements might not be in your EHR today).** When completing the survey, please consider the following:

1. The data elements and values would be used by general (front line staff) nurses or other clinicians in hospitals, emergency departments, outpatient clinics, or rehab.
2. There may be synonyms you use, rather than the exact words we included. Please note synonyms in the synonym column i.e. you may have a synonym such as an answer for level of assistance needed for mobility either as minimal or 1 person assist.
3. The information model is vendor neutral and each vendor may implement the information in different ways.

Please complete the survey at the following URL by June 30, 2022.

[https://flomap.ahc.umn.edu/admin/flook/publicsurvey/?kind=VTE%20Information%20Model&user\\_id=1](https://flomap.ahc.umn.edu/admin/flook/publicsurvey/?kind=VTE%20Information%20Model&user_id=1)

We appreciate you sharing your expertise and time. Results will be included in a publication and the VTE Prevention Model will be available for use by any organization.

Thank you so much.

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