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Prescribing challenges and what the future holds

An inquiry focused session

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Introduction and overview

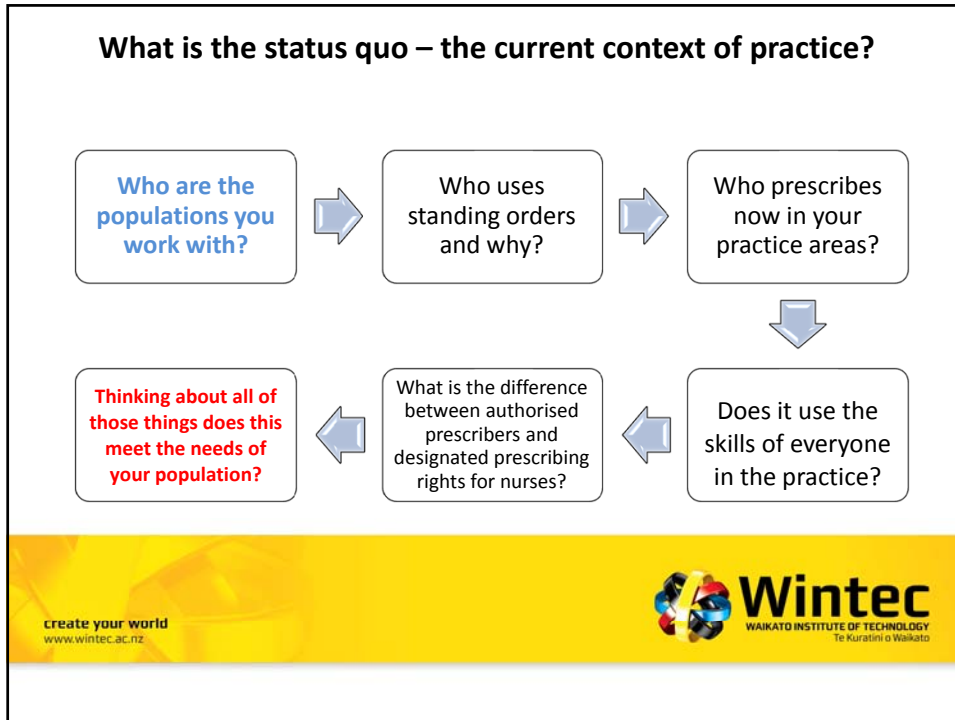
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Prescribing
competency
framework
developed

Education framework
for RN specialist
nurse prescribing

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So what now?

The diagram consists of five overlapping circles arranged in two rows. The top row has three circles: a pink one on the left, a purple one in the middle, and an orange one on the right. The bottom row has two circles: a light green one on the left and a light blue one on the right. The circles overlap in the center.

- How do we enable designated nurse prescribing?
- How many hours per week do RN prescribers need to be working to sustain a competent level of practice?
- What are the education needs of potential designated prescribers?
- What nursing leadership is needed?
- How much professional development and supervision is needed to support these nurses?

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Self assessment for prescribing practice

The diagram features a large, light grey arrow pointing to the right. Three rounded rectangular boxes are placed along the arrow's path. The first box is purple, the second is blue, and the third is teal.

- So what do you need to ask yourself and your staff?
- What knowledge and qualifications do you have that would contribute to your development on the prescribing pathway?
- What do you need to know to advise others?

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