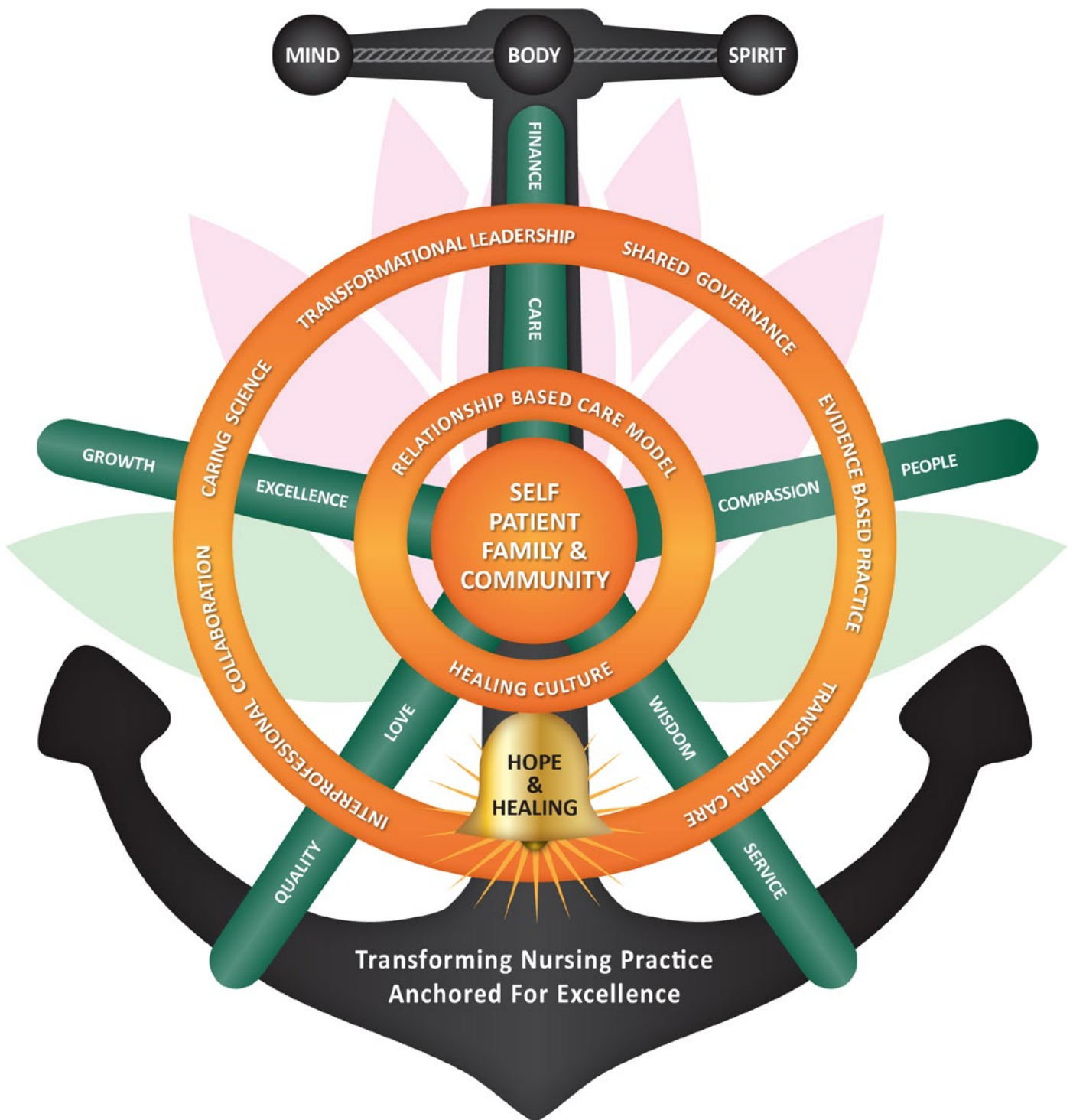


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What is a Professional Practice Model? A schematic representation symbolizing our beliefs, values and theories that drive our practice and the care delivery system for nursing practice. Why is it important to have a model? It translates the concepts from theory to practice, focuses on self, patient, family and community as the center of our practice and focus, and is a representation of nursing in all facilities, and is our blueprint on how we operate. This model overarches our care delivery system and encompasses all that we represent and deliver as an organization. This professional practice model represents nursing practice at University of Miami Hospital and Clinics.

Lotus:

Symbolizes purity promotes positivity and calmness, enlightenment and rebirth. Also symbolizes our affiliation with the Watson Caring Science Institute (WCSI).

Mind, Body, Spirit:

Focusing on mental, physical and spiritual health.

Anchor:

"A person or thing that provides strength and support" Nursing provides the strength and focus to lead the organization into the future. We are Anchored for Excellence.

The Helm:

"The entire steering apparatus of a ship" to steer or direct our nursing vision.

At the Center:

Self, Patient/Family and Community

Relationship-Based Care Model:

Relationship-based care is built upon 3 key relationships:

Relationship with self

Relationship with co-workers/others

Relationship with patients/families

Healing Culture:

We integrate healing and caring practices into our work.

Bell of Hope and Healing:

For all patients

Core Nursing Values:

Care, Compassion, Wisdom, Love, Excellence

Nursing Theories that lead Nursing Practice:

Jean Watson's Theory of Caring Science

Madeleine Leininger's Theory of Transcultural Care

Other Principles That Drive/Guide Practice:

Shared Governance

Evidence-Based Practice

Transcultural Care

Inter-professional Collaboration

Transformational Leadership

UMHC Organizational Pillars of Excellence:

People, Service, Quality, Finance, Growth