



A newsletter brought to you by the Office of Research, PCS

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We wish you happy holidays from the Office of Research!



Recognition

**Congratulations to Stanford Health Care's
Nurse Scientist from the Office of Research:**

**Mary E. Lough PhD, RN, CCNS, FCCM,
FAHA, FCNS, FAAN**

On October 26, 2019, Mary E. Lough was inducted as a Fellow of the American Academy of Nursing (FAAN) in Washington, D.C. We asked Dr. Lough what it means to be a Fellow with the American Academy of Nursing and to share her experience with us.

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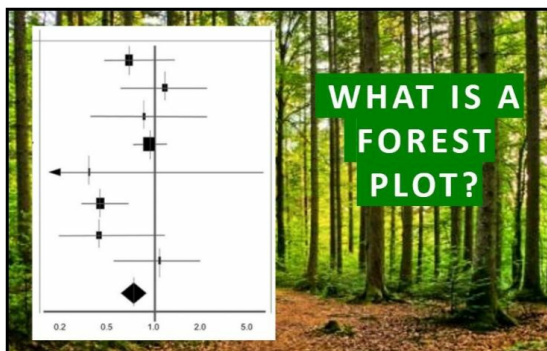


Palliative Care and End of Life Outcomes Following High Risk Surgery

Maria Yefimova, PhD, RN, a Nurse Scientist from the Office of Research, presented her research entitled “Palliative Care and End of Life Outcomes Following High Risk Surgery” at the Association of VA Surgeons in April 2019. Maria was the only nurse scientist on a multidisciplinary team who conducted this research.

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Education



What is a Forest Plot? - What is it used for? – How do you read it?

A Forest Plot is the name of a statistical information display created as part of a systematic review with meta-analysis of the literature. Interestingly, no one is sure why this statistical output is called a Forest Plot. Some think it is because the output resembles a tree. This article provides information about how to interpret a Forest Plot.

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Spotlight



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