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(Kang, 1996).

(Halter, 1998; Tusek & Cwynar, 2000).

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(Shames, 1996).

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<Table 1> The research design

	Pretest	Treatment	Posttest
Experimental group	E1	Lecture & guided imagery	E2
Control group	C1	Lecture	C2

C1, E1 : Anxiety, Stress  
 C2, E2 : Anxiety, Stress, Performance score of intramuscular injection

(Speck, 1990).

(Blainey, 1980)

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<Table 2>.

<Table 2> The anxiety scores, stress levels and score of fundarmental nursing before guided-imagery intervention in the experimental group and control (N = 36)

	experimental(n = 17) mean ± S.D.	control(n = 19) mean ± S.D.	t	p
Anxiety	2.33 ± 0.62	2.45 ± 0.53	.60	.55
Stress	54.81 ± 27.32	60.11 ± 22.34	.61	.54
Score of fundamental nursing	92.56 ± 3.12	93.42 ± 3.36	.78	.44

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(Moye, Richardson, Post-White & Justice, 1995),

가 (t = 3.74, p = .00).

60.11 ± 22.34      65.94 ± 23.31      가

54.81 ± 27.32      48.87 ± 26.66      가

(t = 1.70, p = .09).

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(Kim, 1999; Kim, 1997; Klaus et al., 2000; Suk, 2001; Tusek et al., 1997),

Speck(1990) , 3  
Stephens(1992)  
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<Table 3> The differences of the anxiety scores, stress levels and performance score of intramuscular injection before and after guided-imagery intervention between the experimental group and control (N = 36)

	Before Mean ± S.D	After Mean ± S.D	Difference (after-before) Mean ± S.D	t	p
Anxiety					
Exp.	2.33 ± 0.62	2.05 ± 0.48	-0.27 ± 0.34	3.74	.00
Cont.	2.45 ± 0.53	2.68 ± 0.63	0.23 ± 0.47		
Stress					
Exp.	54.81 ± 27.32	48.87 ± 26.66	-5.60 ± 9.27	1.70	.09
Cont.	60.11 ± 22.34	65.94 ± 23.31	3.76 ± 19.42		
Performance score of intramuscular injection					
Exp.		10.52 ± .84		2.25	.03
Cont.		9.73 ± 1.25			



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- Abstract -

### The Effects of Guided Imagery on Nursing Students Performing Intramuscular Injections

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**Purpose:** The anxiety and stress of nursing students on performance intramuscular injection diminished nursing skill performance. The purpose of this study was to identify the effects of the guided imagery program on anxiety, stress and nursing skill performance of nursing students.

**Method:** The study design was time series with a nonequivalent control group pretest-

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posttest study. The Data were collected from the 30th of Oct. to the 6th of Nov. 2001. The objects of this study were 36 sophomores of university (18 for the experimental group, 18 for the control group). The Instruments used in this study were State Trait Anxiety Inventory developed by Spielberger (1972), Visual Analogue Scale for Stress and Nursing skill performance developed by the researcher. The guided imagery was provided through audiotapes to the subjects for 8 minutes. The pretest was given before the therapy to measure variables for both groups and the posttests were performed after intervention. The data were analyzed by the SAS program

using t-test and paired t-test.

Result: The results of this study are as follows. The level of anxiety of students who received the guided imagery were significantly lower than that of control group. the level of stress had a deeling tendency and the nursing skill performance level was significantly higher than that of control group.

Conclusion: The guided imagery suggested as an effective nursing intervention did reduce the anxiety and promoted nursing skill performance of nursing students.

Key words : Guided imagery, Anxiety, Stress, Intramuscular injection