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## Nurse Educator's Perceptions of Using High-Fidelity Simulation in Teaching

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**N**urse Educator's Perceptions of Using High-Fidelity Simulation in Teaching. High-fidelity simulation in nursing refers to the use of computerized manikins to offer realistic hands-on training to nursing students. The problem addressed by this dissertation was resistance among some faculty to the use of new computerized simulation technology in the nursing curriculum. The research question for this case study investigated how faculty members can incorporate simulation into the curriculum and barriers faced in setting the stage for simulation experiences for their students.

The goal of this applied dissertation study was to examine the perceptions of nurse educators regarding the benefits of and barriers to use of high-fidelity (computerized manikin) simulation with students in a university nursing program. The theoretical underpinning of the study was concentrated within a constructivist framework.