

**SHORTAGE OF SKILLED WORKERS IN INPATIENT LONG-TERM CARE IN THE FEDERAL STATE OF SAXONY-ANHALT: AN EVIDENCE-BASED OVERVIEW OF OPPORTUNITIES AND RISKS TO ADDRESS THE SHORTAGE OF QUALIFIED NURSING STAFF IN INPATIENT CARE**

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**ABSTRACT**

This article addresses the issue of the shortage of skilled workers and outlines the causes and shows ways to reduce it.

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