

The current situation and the prospects of Japan Academy of Nursing Science



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The aging and the medical care in Japan

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- Japanese society has been aging rapidly
 - The total population of Japan: 127 million
 - The ratio of the elderly population (> 65 years old)

The aging ratio 26.7%,

One out of four people is the elderly



- Patients can no longer stay in hospitals and are sent back to their home for medical care.
- Community medical care and home medical care became important.
- The role of nurses has expanded

The expectation for the nurses

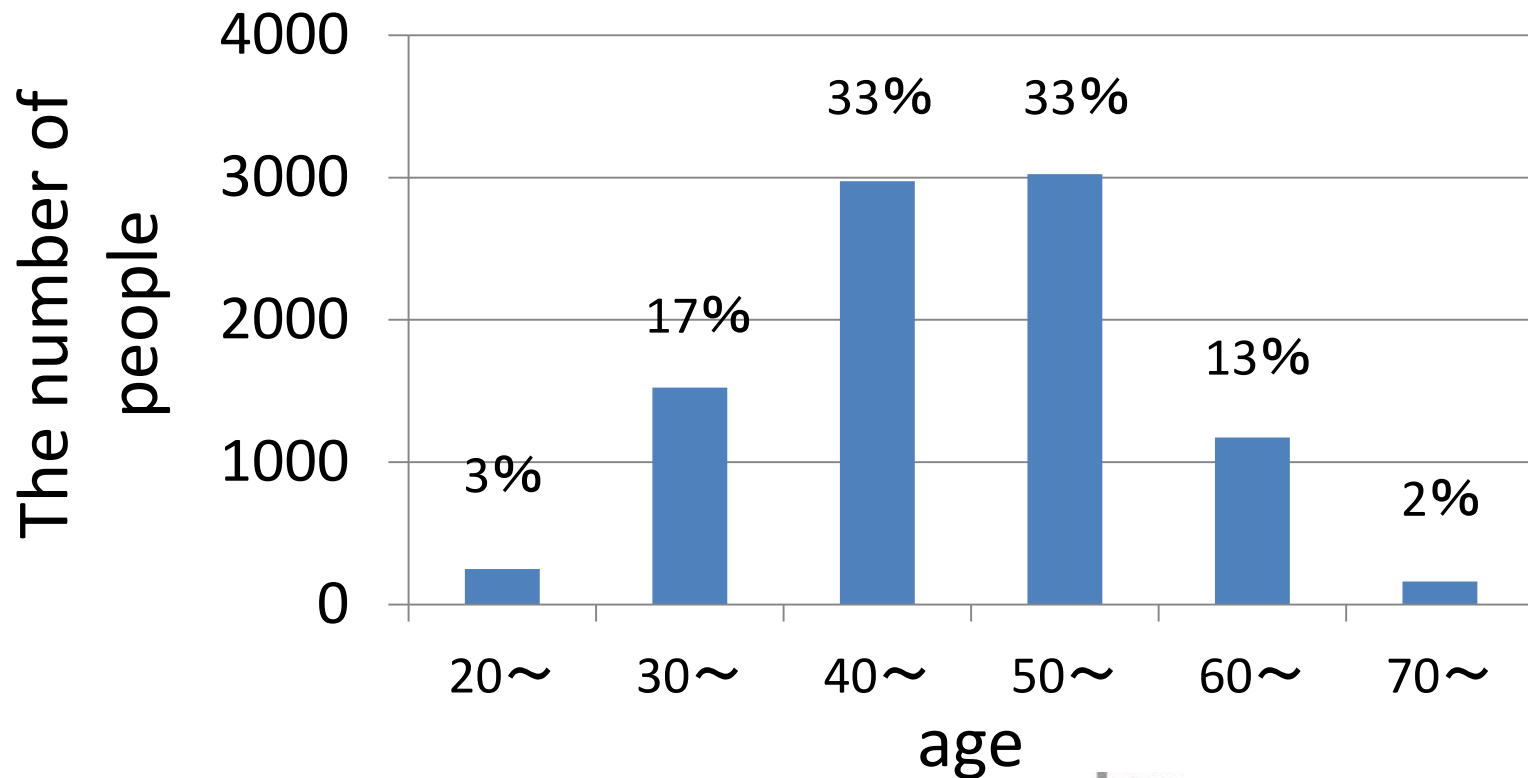
- The role of nurses has expanded.
 - Community medical care
 - The nursing care and medical practice at home
 - Specialized medical practice for nurses
- Nurses were allowed to give patients more medical practices under the doctor's instructions
- the new training system was started.

The Membership of JANS

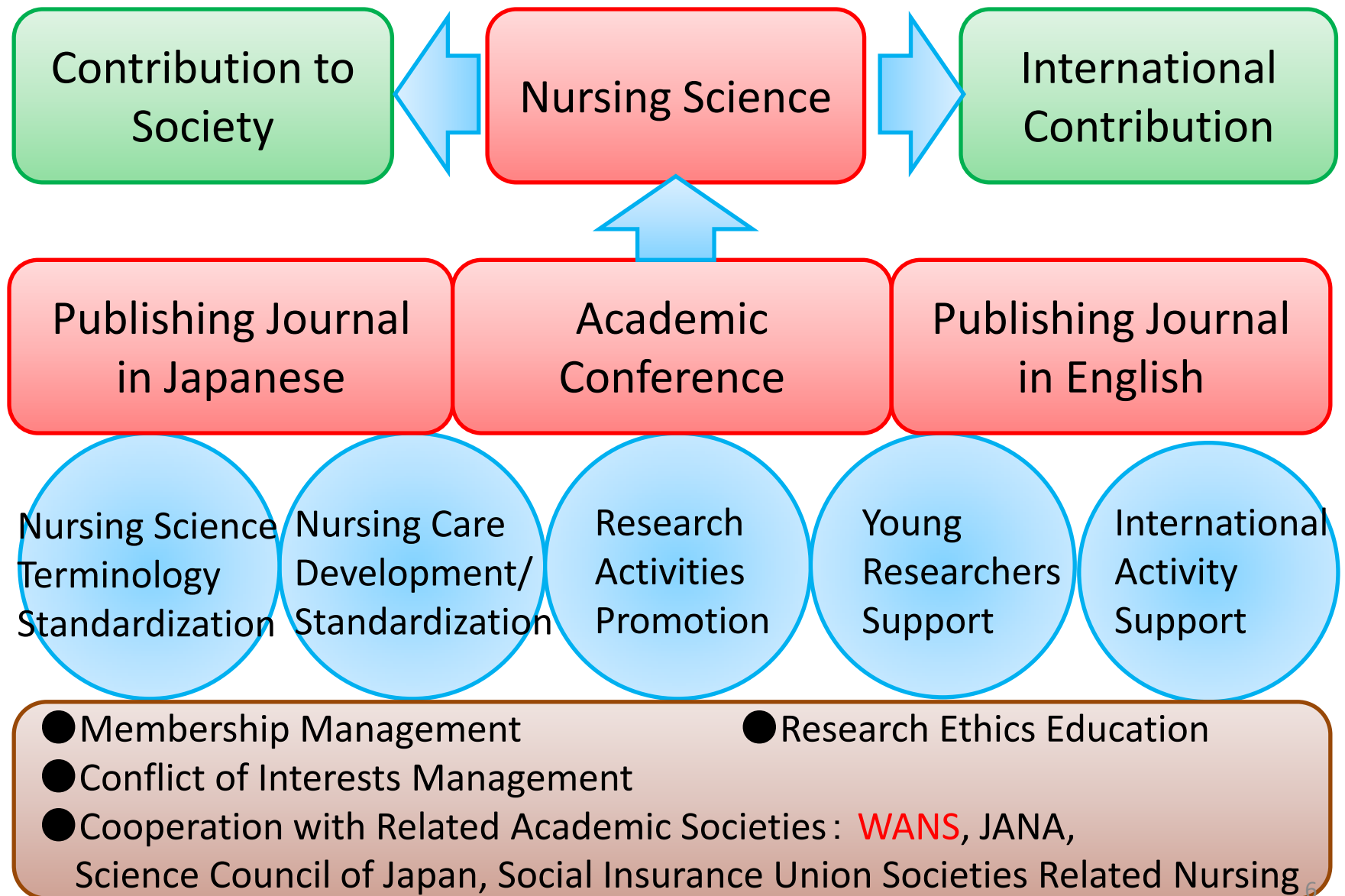
■ The number: 9,108 people (October 13, 2017)

■ Female: 8,162 people

■ Male: 946 people



The purpose and functions of JANS



The Purpose of JANS



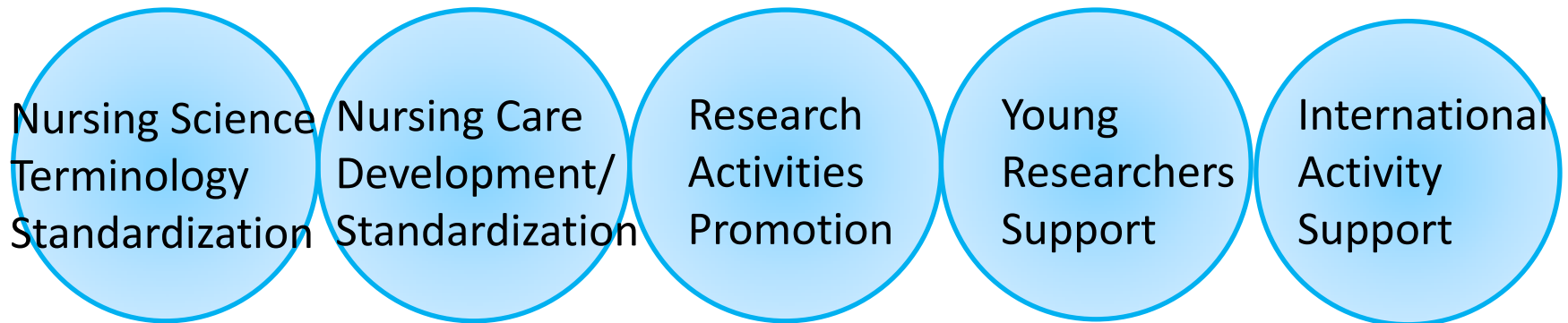
- JANS promotes a nursing research to develop the nursing science.
- JANS is making contribution to both Japanese and International society by the nursing science.

The activities of JANS



- Hold Academic Conference
- Publishing Journals of Japan Academy of Nursing Science (in Japanese)
- Publishing Japan Journal of Nursing Science (in English)

Five Pillars of the Activities of JANS



- Nursing Science Terminology Standardization
- Nursing Care Development/ Standardization
- Research Activities Promotion
- Young Researchers Support
- International Activities Support

The Base of the Activities

- Membership Management
- Conflict of Interests Management
- Cooperation with Related Academic Societies : **WANS**, JANA, Science Council of Japan, Social Insurance Union Societies Related Nursing
- Research Ethics Education

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- Conflict of Interests Management
- Cooperation with Related Academic Societies :
 - **The World Academy of Nursing Science: WANS**
 - Japan Association of Nursing Academies: JANA
 - Science Council of Japan
 - Social Insurance Union Societies Related Nursing

The Academic Conference of JANS

■ JANS36 December 10-11, 2016

➤ The mission statement :

A system design and nursing research for
the happiness of nations

➤ Participants: 4,306 people

■ JANS37 December 16-17, 2017

➤ The mission statement :

The diversity design in nursing

: Care Innovation the society needs

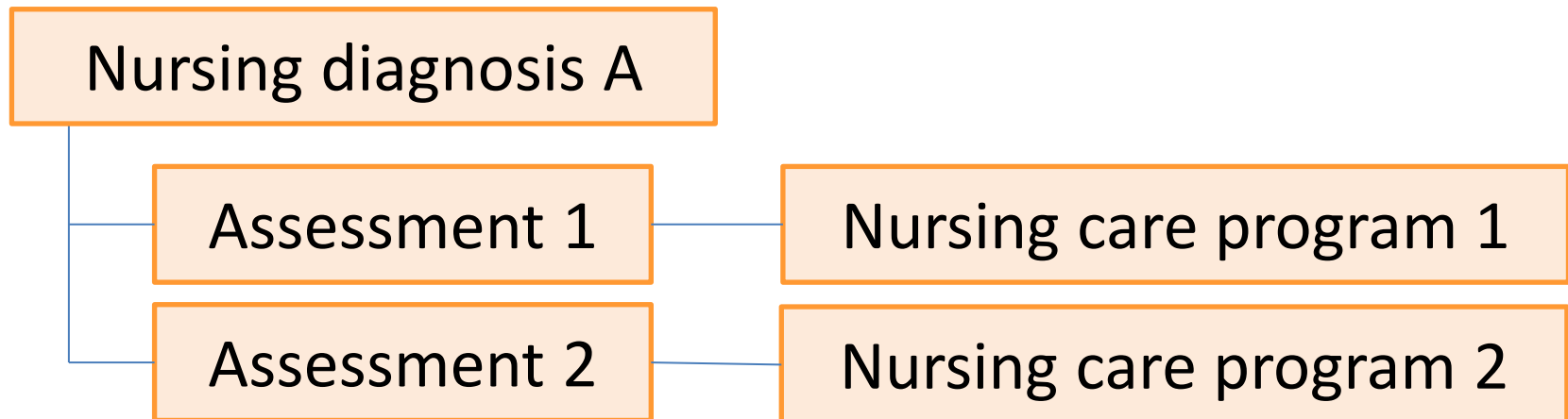
The prospects for the future

The current situation in nursing

- Many clinical nurses provide patients nursing care based on clinical path in their hospitals.
- Nursing diagnosis science has been organized systematically.
- Nursing care science for treatment has not been organized systematically.

Nursing care program

- Nursing diagnosis includes some assessment.
- To develop the nursing care programs based on each assessment.



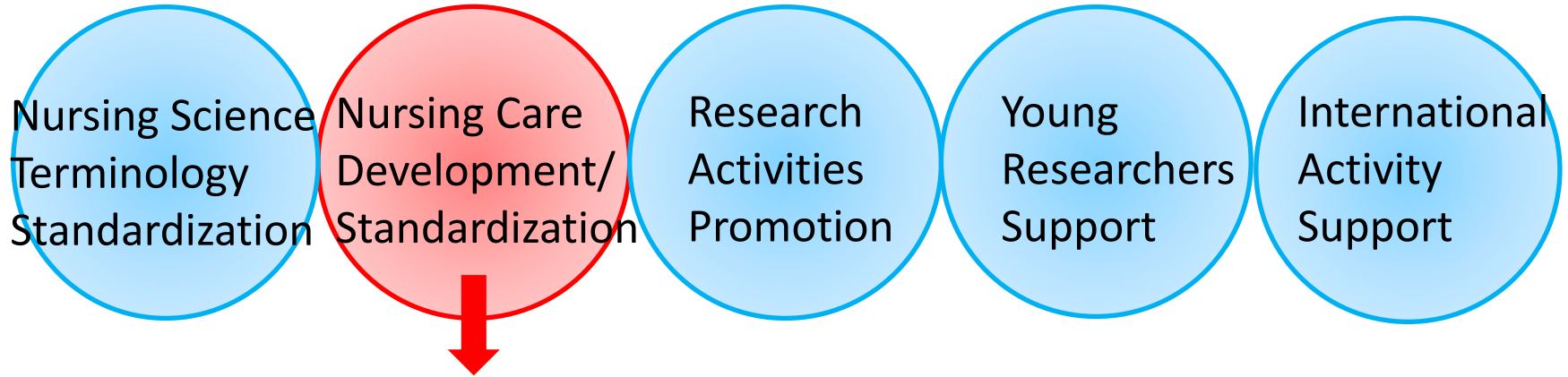
The prospects for the future

- As practical science, nursing science needs to develop and systematize its methodology.
 - To support the life of the patients with medical treatment
 - To develop a program and set standards for nursing care.



Nursing Care Science

The prospects for the future



Nursing Care Development and Standardization

- To show evidence based on nursing research
- To create standards for nursing care programs
- To establish nursing care methodology using these programs

The prospects for the future

- Nursing science has made great progress in the last 50 years.
- In the next 50 years, it will be necessary to develop nursing methodology.
- JANS took the first step toward the establishment of nursing care science.

Thank you very much for your kind attention.



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