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Overview of Presentation

- Context
- From the literature
- Method
- Findings
- Reflection





Context

- A period of increased interest in HRH redesign
- Increased recognition that regulation can be a facilitator or barrier for change
- Existing work limited to a small number of comparative analytical works
 - normally drawn from same jurisdictional model





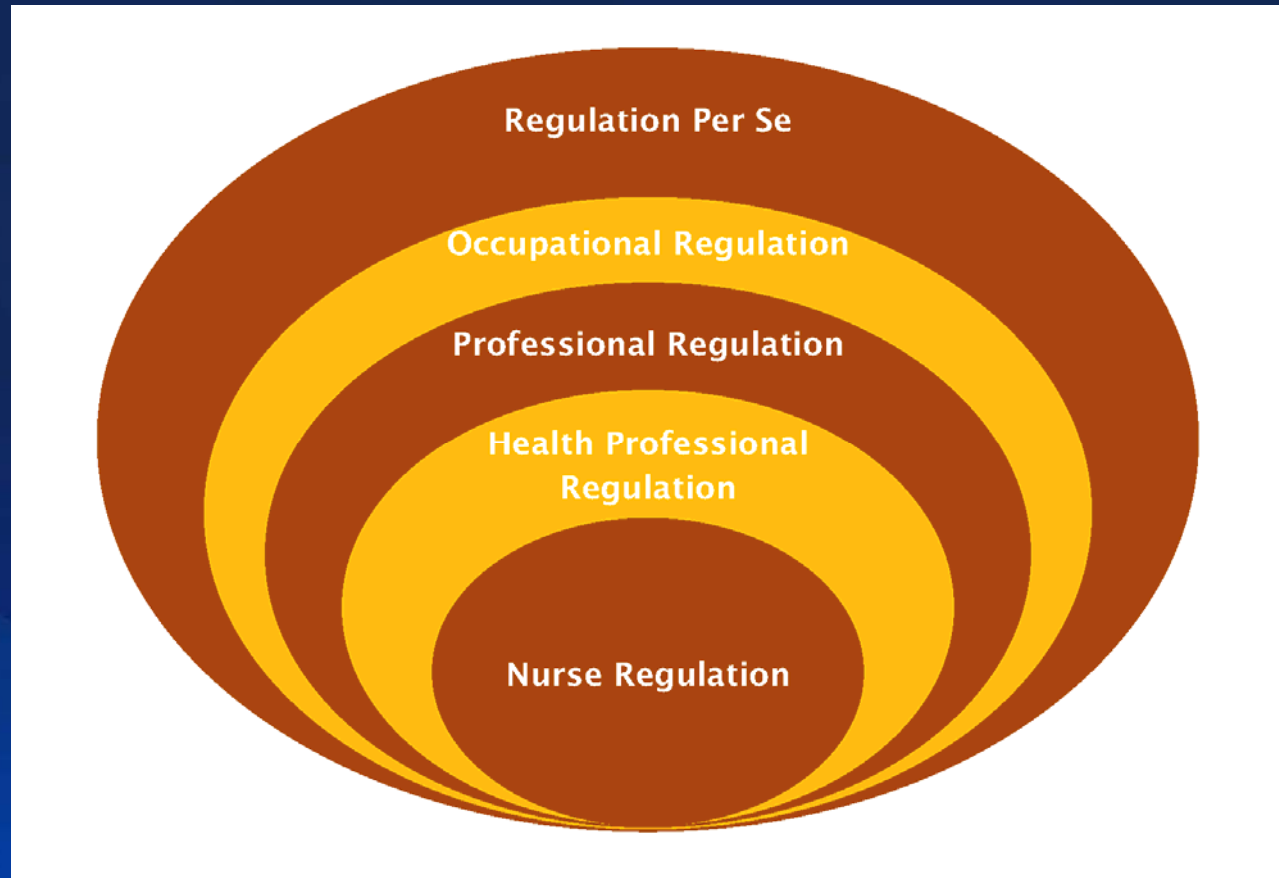
From the literature

- Locating Nurse Legislation
- Open Systems as an organising Framework
- Trends and Themes
- Macro, Meso & Micro Interaction across themes





Locating Nurse Legislation





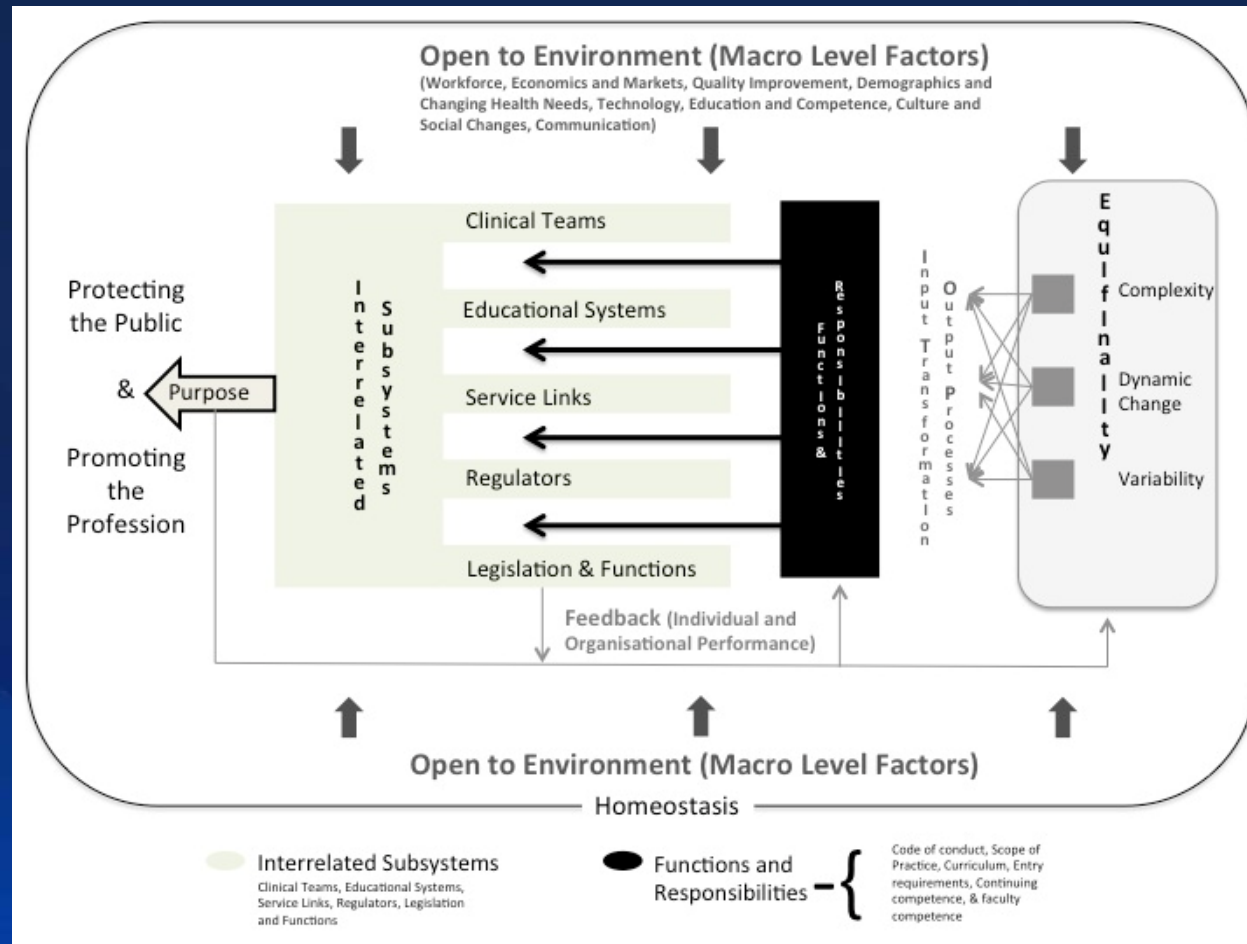
Open Systems

- **Widely Applied** Ludwig von Bertalanffy 1940s
- Suitable for considering linear and non linear interaction
- **Seven Dimensions** Kast and Rosenzweig (1972)
 - Open to environment, Integrated subsystems, Input-transformation-output-process, Teleology or purpose, Feedback, Homeostasis, Equifinality





Trends and Themes





Macro, Meso, Micro Interaction

WORKFORCE		Mutual Recognition, migration and workforce mobility;	Workforce reform, efficiency and effectiveness	Workforce planning
Macro	Open to Environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Labour migration • Costly and lengthy processes • Facilitating movement and protecting the public • Agreement development and knowledge of functioning • Changing workforce flows 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New cadres of workers • Outcomes of differing cadres • New regulatory processes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Career frameworks • Positive practice environments • Nurse patient/population ratios • Data quality and prospective modelling
Meso	Interrelated sub-systems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Relationships between different ministries • Education service links • Links between jurisdictions • Service/Recruitment agency relationships 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inter-professional collaboration • Overlapping/shared scopes of practice • Turf wars 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education and service links • Links between service sectors • Links between education providers
Micro	Input-transformation-output processes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Qualification portability and calibration • Adaptation programmes • Language and cultural competence • Administrative burden • Complaints and competence tracking 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supervision and delegation • Changing scopes of practice • Competence based curricula 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Competence based scopes of practice • Reduced attrition • Programme articulation and APEL





Also from the literature

Models of regulation

A continuum of regulation

From self-
regulation



To government
controlled
regulation

