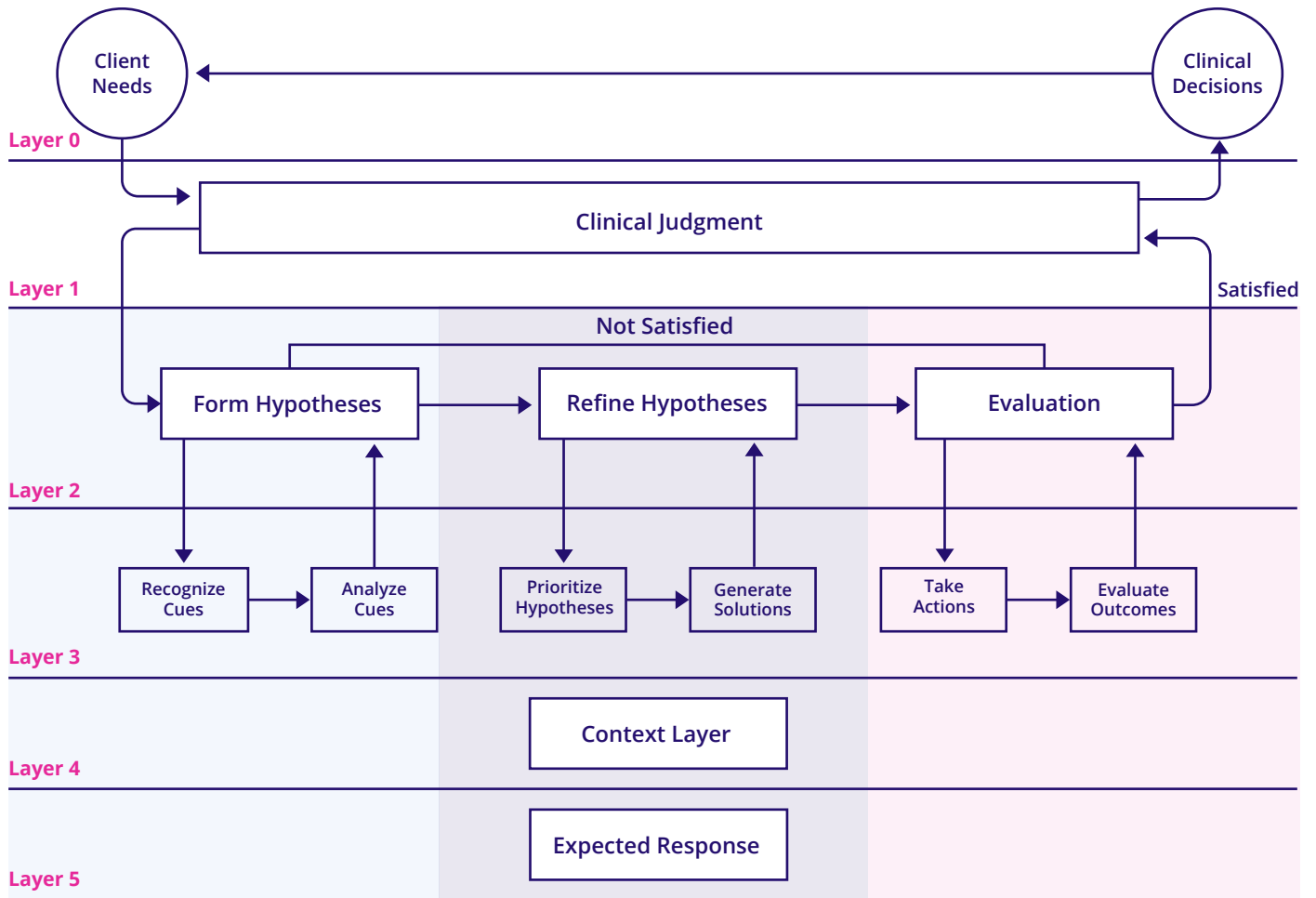


# NCSBN Clinical Judgment Measurement Model



## Kaplan's Decision Tree Framework

- 1

Identify the topic of the question by interpreting the information in the stem and choices of the question using learned content knowledge.
- 2

Identify choices as assessments or Implementations. Using the knowledge of the condition as described in the stem, identify the likely problems and then identify the priority problem.
- 3

**Does Maslow apply?**  
Rate the potential choices and select one with the highest priority.
- 4

**Are all the answers physical?**  
Apply knowledge of ABCs to evaluate hypotheses.
- 5

**What is the outcome (client response) to the nurses' action?**  
Has the desired outcome been achieved?