

Workbench Coding Review Sheet

Dataset: Registered Nurse SOP Review Date: 7-20-15; 8-3-2015								
No.	State	Date of Entry	Question	Coder	Problem	Resolution Assigned to:	Coder Comments	Current Status
1.	MN	1-1-15	N/A	NW	Supervisor Comment: Looks good!	NW		Resolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.

2.	ND	4-4-14	What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professionals?	AK	<p>Supervisor Comment: CN An RN may not delegate activities that require specialized nursing expertise to unlicensed assistive personal. N.D. Admin. Code 54-05-02-07 (2)</p> <p>I think this is publishable, just want to make sure we have been CN this type of scenario throughout? NW and AK?</p>	AK + NW	<p>NW: I haven't been leaving CNs in this kind of situation throughout, but I don't think I've seen a state with this situation before. I can start to CN this situation from here on out though.</p> <p>AK- I add this where the law explicitly permits RN's to delegate activities requiring specialized nursing expertise to LPN's (N.D. Admin. Code 54-05- 01-08) and not unlicensed assistive personal (also indicated explicitly-See N.D. Admin. Code 54-07-03.1-03.1).</p> <p>This seems to be the general rule for most states that discuss RN delegation to LPN and unlicensed assistive personal in which</p>	Unresolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.
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						<p>the law almost always states specialized tasks cannot be delegated to UAP's.</p> <p>The delegation of specialized nursing tasks is usually conveyed in laws discussing LPN's scope of practice which states they work under the supervision of RN (or does tasks delegated to them by RNs) and then lists specialized nursing tasks they conduct.</p> <p>How do you guys feel about using this CN?</p> <p>AK-I'm in favor of keeping it within those states that explicitly permit RN's to delegate specialized nursing functions to LPN's but not UAP's.</p> <p>I did this because I recall we agreed to always CN those prohibited activities that could generally be delegated to one professional but not the other. I could also see us adding a protocol note as one reasonably assume an RN could delegate specialized nursing functions to other nurses and not non-nurses with less education and training then</p>	
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3.	MA	3-11-94	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	AK - NW	<p>Supervisor Comment: AK also answered Administer medication *I am not seeing this in the section cited</p> <p>NW also answered Formulate nursing care plan *I am seeing this in the following language <i>(collaborative planning and restoration of optimal functioning and comfort or for the dignified death of those they serve)</i>. I remember this being a sticking point before, but the meeting notes only say a nursing regimen is a plan, do we have any other clarification on this answer choice?</p>	AK - NW	<p>NW: I got nursing care plan from 3.02, "plan and implement nursing intervention which includes all appropriate elements of nursing care, prescribed medical or other therapeutic regimens mandated by the particular situation, scientific principles, recent advancements and current knowledge in the field;"</p> <p>Also from 3.05, "the plan of nursing actions, implementation of the plan, and evaluation of the plan are essential components of nursing practice and are the functions of the qualified licensed nurse"</p> <p>AK-Agree with plan, selected medication administration from 244 Mass. Code Regs. 3.05 (5) "Nursing Activities That May Not Be Delegated...[include] (d) Administration of medications except as permitted by M.G.L. c. 94C. Deduced medication administration was a task within their scope of practice as it listed as a nursing activity they cannot delegate.</p>	<p>Unresolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.</p>
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4.	MA	3-11-94	To which medical professional s can registered nurses delegate medical activities?	AK - NW	<p>Supervisor Comment: AK also answered: Licensed practical nurses (LPNs), Medical assistants, Medication aide</p> <p>*Not seeing these as answer choices in the sections you cited. I do see aides, but I thought for “medication aides” to be answered it needed to specifically say that.</p> <p>I do not remember ever deciding on Medical assistants and whether we needed the word “medical” in front of it in the law to be coded – but I think this one is a bit more flexible and could see why you coded it – we just need to make sure it is being coded the same way.</p>	AK -NW	<p>NW: Defer to AK on this one.</p> <p>AK-Unchecked LPN’s interestingly though law says 244 Mass. Code Regs. 3.02 “A registered nurse, within the parameters of his/her generic and continuing education and experience, may delegate nursing activities to other registered nurses and/or health care personnel...” Should we mention that we scoped out RN’s delegating to other RN’s, this is the first time I have been RN to RN delegation explicitly listed like this...</p> <p>Also, 244 Mass. Code Regs. 3.05 (1) defines Unlicensed Person as a nurses' aides, orderlies, assistants, attendants, technicians, home health aides, and other health aides.</p> <p>After taking a second look, agree medication aides and medication assistants should not should not be coded, coded. Don’t think</p>	<p>Unresolved</p> <p>Choose an item.</p> <p>Choose an item.</p> <p>Choose an item.</p>
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							<p>coding medical assistants would be good either as now see possessive punctuation : nurses'.... So if anything nurse's aide covers assistants etc....</p> <p>AK-Did we come to an agreement on this?</p>	
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5.	MA	3-11-94	What medical activities can registered nurses delegate to other medical professionals?	AK - NW	<p>Supervisor Comment: AK answered Perform tasks that require specialized nursing expertise, Assist with personal hygiene *I see assist with personal hygiene in the law</p> <p>NW answered Any activity the registered nurse believes the professional is qualified to perform *I see why you coded this, the delegation power seems broad</p>	AK -NW	<p>I got any activity from 3.05, “(a) The qualified licensed nurse delegating the activity is directly responsible for the nursing care given to the patient/client, and the final decision as to what nursing activity can be safely delegated in any specified situation is within the specific scope of that qualified licensed nurse’s professional judgment.</p> <p>(b) The qualified licensed nurse must make an assessment of the patient’s/client’s nursing care needs prior to delegating the nursing activity.</p> <p>(c) The nursing activity must be one that a reasonable and prudent nurse would determine to be delegatable within the scope of nursing judgment; would not require the unlicensed person to exercise nursing judgment;</p>	Unresolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.
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						<p>and that can be properly and safely performed by the unlicensed person involved without jeopardizing the patient's/client's welfare.</p> <p>(d) The unlicensed person shall have documented competencies necessary for the proper performance of the task on file within the employing agency; an administratively designated nurse shall communicate this information to the qualified licensed nurse(s) who will be delegating activities to these individuals.”</p> <p>AK-Agree with any activity, selected specialized nursing activities because law says RN's can delegate to RN's See 244 Mass. Code Regs. 3.02 (of which they have the same scope of practice, but can see not coding this way for consistencies sake if we are only coding those activities explicitly listed).</p> <p>What are your guys thoughts?</p> <p>AK-Personal Hygiene: 244 Mass. Code Regs. 3.05 (4) (c) Activities which meet or assist the patient/client in</p>	
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							meeting basic human needs, including, but not limited to: nutrition, hydration, mobility, comfort, elimination, socialization, rest and hygiene	
6.	MA	3-11-94	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when delegating to other medical professionals?	AK - NW	Supervisor Comment: AK also answered The registered nurse and medical professional must meet in person regularly *Not seeing this in the law	AK -NW	<p>NW: Defer to AK here</p> <p>AK-244 Mass. Code Regs. 3.05 (1) defines supervision as the “Provision of guidance by a qualified licensed nurse for the accomplishment of a nursing task or activity with initial direction of the task or activity <u>and periodic inspection of the actual act of accomplishing the task or activity.</u>”</p> <p>I read the requirement of in person periodic inspection of the actual act of accomplishing a task as constituting meeting regularly....I could see it going either way, though I have seen other jurisdictions with this requirement and think it is important to address, either through protocol note, etc.</p>	<p>Unresolved</p> <p>Choose an item.</p> <p>Choose an item.</p> <p>Choose an item.</p>

7.	MD	4-14-14	What medical activities can registered nurses	AK - NW	Supervisor Comment: AK also answered Administer medication, Counsel or educate patients, Perform tasks	AK -NW	NW: Agree with counsel/educate based on Md. Code Regs. 10.27.09.02 Standards of Care E. (2)(b)(ii) "counseling"	Unresolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.
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			<p>delegate to other medical professionals?</p>	<p>that require specialized nursing expertise</p> <p>*See why you coded counsel or educate, if from 10.27.06 – but that sounds like they can give them pamphlets etc... although that still is educating, so fine with keeping as long as consistent in other states. Although not seeing other two answer choices</p>	<p>See medication administration in Md. Code Regs. 10.27.11.05 F/H</p> <p>Agree with specialized nursing expertise based on Md. Code Ann., Health Occ. § 8-101(n)(1), ““Practice registered nursing” means the performance of acts requiring substantial specialized knowledge”</p> <p>AK-Still agree with educate council, no longer sure about medication administration because it seems to only apply in specific settings....</p> <p>See Md. Code Regs. 10.27.11.05 H. Delegation of Medication Administration.</p> <p>(1) The administration of medication as listed in §H(3) of this regulation may be delegated to certified medicine aides and medication technicians only in compliance with §H(2) of this regulation and when clients meet the requirements of Regulation .03F or .04D of this chapter in the following situations:</p>	
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						<p>(a) Supervised group living settings;</p> <p>(b) Supervised or sheltered work settings;</p> <p>(c) Independent living settings;</p> <p>(d) Schools;</p> <p>(e) Correctional institutions;</p> <p>(f) Hospice care;</p> <p>(g) Adult medical day care centers; and</p> <p>(h) Child care centers established for children with health or medical conditions or both.</p> <p>Also, no longer sure about activities requiring specialized nursing expertise as no mention of delegation to LPN's in the law and Md. Code Regs. 10.27.11.03 Criteria for Delegation states 9 (c) A nursing task delegated by the nurse may not require the unlicensed individual, certified nursing assistant, or medication technician to exercise nursing judgment or intervention except in an emergency situation.</p>	
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8.	MD	4-14-14	<p>What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professionals?</p>	AK - NW	<p>Supervisor Comment: AK also answered: Formulate nursing care plan, Administer medication</p> <p>These must be due to “to whom” can they delegate – maybe once we sort that out, this will not be a divergence</p> <p>CN and flag: An RN may not delegate tasks requiring specialized nursing expertise to an unlicensed individual, nursing assistant, or medication technician. Md. Code Regs. 10.27.11.03 (C). An RN cannot delegate medication administration to medicine aides and medication technicians. Md. Code Regs. 10.27.11.05 (H) (1).</p>	AK -NW	<p>NW: Agree with formulate nursing care plan, administer medication</p> <p>AK-Do not think CN’s are needed anymore. Deleted.</p>	<p>Resolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.</p>

9.	MD	4-14-14	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when delegating	AK - NW	Supervisor Comment: AK also answered: The registered nurse and medical professional must meet in person regularly *not seeing this in the law	AK -NW	NW: Defer to AK here AK-Cited must meet in person regularly based on Md. Code Regs. 10.27.11.04 (6) (C) which states C. For the client whose health status meets	Resolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.
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			to other medical professional s?			<p>the criteria as stated in Regulation .03F of this chapter, the registered nurse managing the case shall make a supervisory on-site visit to the client at a minimum of every 45 days to...and D. (1) For the client whom the registered nurse has determined does not meet the criteria as stated in Regulation .03F of this chapter, the registered nurse shall: (1) Make a supervisory on-site visit to the client at least every 2 weeks to evaluate the criteria described in §C of this regulation; and</p> <p>From this is read to be as that the RN had to make regular on-site visits despite the condition of the patient....</p>	
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10.	MI	6-6-96	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	AK - NW	Supervisor Comment: NW also answered Provide treatment, Delegate medical acts to other medical professionals	AK -NW	NW: got provide treatment from Mich. Comp. Laws Ann. § 333.17201(a), “Practice of nursing” means the systematic application of substantial specialized knowledge and skill, derived from the biological, physical, and behavioral sciences, to the care, treatment...”	Resolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.
							Got delegation from Mich. Admin. Code R. 338.10104 (1) AK-Agree	

11	MI	6-6-96	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	AK - NW	<p>Supervisor Comment: NW also answered: Provide treatment, Delegate medical acts to other medical professionals *I see these in the law under (a)</p> <p>Note: wouldn't "delegate medical acts to other medical professionals be coded every time this: Does the law authorize registered nurses to delegate medical activities to other medical professionals? Is answered yes?</p> <p>AK – what is going on with the statute-is it an excerpt? If so, need clear {...} Goes (a),(b),(c), (2)</p>	AK -NW	NW: Defer to AK here AK-Agree with NW, the laws are not truncated. They are very short and all I could find.	Resolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.
12	MI	6-6-96	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when	AK - NW	<p>Supervisor Comment: AK also answered: The registered nurse must provide continuous supervision *How strictly have we been coding continuous</p>	AK - NW	NW: I have been only coding continuous supervision when I see the word continuous or when there is some indication that the nurse has to provide constant supervision. In this instance	Resolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.

			delegating to other medical professionals?		and this answer choice? I see why you coded this, but want to make sure the continuous is not misleading here		<p>where it just says, “Supervise and evaluate the performance of the delegatee.” I would go with nonspecific general supervision as our catch all</p> <p>AK-I agree with NW, also not sure why I selected “continuous supervision” may have been a mis click since the answer choice is right next to non-specific general supervision.</p> <p>I also only select continuous when stated explicitly in the law.</p>	
13	NH	7-1-11	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	NW-AK	Supervisor Comment: NW also answered Interpret patient medical information	NW-AK	<p>NW: I got interpret patient medical info from N.H. Rev. Stat. § 326-B:12(i), “Evaluating responses to interventions and the effectiveness of the plan of care.”</p> <p>AK-Did not select because only choose Interpret patient medical information where law explicitly shows an RN has used patient data, records, etc. to reach a direct decision....</p>	<p>Unresolved</p> <p>Choose an item.</p> <p>Choose an item.</p> <p>Choose an item.</p>

14	NH	7-1-11	What medical activities can	NW-AK	Supervisor Comment: NW answered Any activity the registered nurse believes the	NW-AK	NW: agree with what LF said re administer medication	Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.
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			registered nurses delegate to other medical professionals?		<p>professional is qualified to perform</p> <p>AK answered Administer medication</p> <p>I think they can only administer meds if they have a certificate, and since we are coding for baseline delegatee's I don't think I would code Administer Meds</p>		<p>AK-Ok with this, though I know in the NP dataset we did not consider whether a medical professional was certified, from protocol:</p> <p>Researchers found that some states required medical professionals to be "certified" before they could be delegated to, such as a "Certified Nurse Aide". The Supervisor excluded certification requirements because of variation and inconsistencies across states. Researchers coded the identification of any "certified" medical professional into the most closely related existing category ("Certified Nurse Aide" = "Nurse Aide").</p> <p>I also understand that we differed from NP coding scheme in only considering general settings....We could still code baseline for just settings.</p>	
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15.	NJ	11-9-04	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	NW-AK	Supervisor Comment: NW also answered Interpret patient medical information	NW-AK	NW: Our meeting notes indicate that we code interpret patient medical info when the nurse doesn't just make an observation, but also makes an assessment based on this observation. RNs in NJ can diagnose patients, meaning	Resolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.
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							<p>identifying physical/psychosocial signs and symptoms, and they can also manage the nursing regimen, meaning they can select and perform therapeutic measures to effectively carry out their nursing regimen. To me this indicates they can perform assessments based on their observations. N.J. Stat. § 45:11-23 b.</p> <p>AK-Agree.</p>	
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16.	NJ	11-9-04	What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professionals?	NW-AK	<p>Supervisor Comment: NW answered No medical activities are indicated in the law</p> <p>AK answered Perform tasks that require specialized nursing expertise *agree with this, <i>A registered professional nurse may not delegate the performance of a nursing task to persons who have not been adequately prepared by verifiable training and education.</i></p>	NW-AK	<p>NW: I disagree here, I wouldn't code "Perform tasks that require specialized nursing expertise" because the prohibition is talking about nursing tasks in general. It is common to say in the law that the RN can't delegate nursing tasks that the medical professional is not trained for. This to me just means that the medical professional has to be qualified to perform the activity. But there is no mention of specialized nursing tasks here, whereas other states do use the word specialized. Specialized tasks are more complex than ordinary nursing tasks. So I would code any qualified person</p>	Unresolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.
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							<p>for who can be delegated to based on this language.</p> <p>AK: Law provides further support for original response</p> <p>N.J. Admin. Code § 13:37–6.2 (b) No task may be delegated which is within the scope of nursing practice and requires:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The substantial knowledge and skill derived from completion of a nursing education program and the specialized skill, judgment and knowledge of a registered nurse;	
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17.	NV	7-1-13	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	NW-AK	Supervisor Comment: NW also answered Interpret patient medical information *Still diverging on this answer a bit – should we delete and scope out?	NW-AK	NW: I thought we had taken a very broad interpretation of “interpret patient medical information” based on our meeting notes, which I discuss above. I think based on our current definition this isn’t really different from perform assessment or perform nursing diagnosis. I would scope it out, it feels redundant in its current state and the law usually doesn’t use this exact language.	Unresolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.
							AK-I am fine with scoping out.	

18.	NV	7-1-13	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when delegating to other medical professionals?	NW-AK	<p>Supervisor Comment: AK also answered The registered nurse and medical professional must meet in person regularly *I see why you coded this, from this: <i>“Supervision” means direction by a qualified nurse for the accomplishment of a nursing task or activity, including initial direction and periodic inspection of the actual accomplishment of the task or activity.</i></p> <p>I think I would have coded that either non-specific general supervision or less likely continuous supervision (Depending on how we are coding continuous)</p>	NW-AK	<p>NW: I would go with continuous here because it isn't mentioned that the RN has to meet in person. However, it is indicated that the RN has to provide constant supervision (“periodic”). I would code non-specific general supervision when it says that supervision is required but it is not delineated.</p> <p>AK-I only coded the The registered nurse and medical professional must meet in person regularly & The level of supervision is dependent upon the patient's condition and form of treatment as these were the responses I saw explicitly in the law. I could see adding continuous though I believe in the past we only coded this were we saw “continuous” in the law or a very similar synonym</p> <p>I don't think non-specific general supervision applies here because the law specifies two distinct types of required supervision. I believed we only coded non-specific general were the law only references</p>	Resolved Choose an item. Choose an item. Choose an item.
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							“supervision” but provides no examples of how this should be carried out...	
19	AL	12-28-09	What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professionals?	AK	This is in the citation box (should be a CN): An RN may not delegate medication administration to unlicensed assistive personnel. Ala. Admin. Code 610-X-6-.11 (4) (c) We think this is publishable right?	AK	NW: looks publishable to me AK-Moved and agree	Resolved
20	CA	1-1-13	To which medical professionals can registered nurses delegate medical activities?	NW	Please code – do we need to add the CN as an answer choice? CN and flag: Registered nurses can delegate medical activities to psychiatric technicians, pursuant to Cal. Business and Professions Code Â§ 2728.	NW	NW: I had home health aides coded here but we removed the answer choice. I would be inclined to remove the HHA statute and the psychiatric technician statutes, and just code no medical professionals are listed in the law. I coded no medical professionals in the law for now.	

21	IL	8-18-14	What medical activities can registered nurses delegate to other medical professional s?	NW	<p>You coded both: Administer medication, No medical activities are indicated in the law</p> <p>Shouldn't it be one or the other? If administer medication please cite</p>	NW	<p>NW: I recoded to no medical activities in the law. LPNs are not authorized to administer medication in this jurisdiction, but there is nothing prohibiting RNs from delegating it in general.</p>	
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22	IA	7-1-15	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	AK – NW	<p>NW also answered Administer medication, Perform nursing diagnosis</p> <p>*Seeing admin medication as a non- delegable activity</p>	AK – NW	<p>NW: Administer medication Iowa Admin. Code 655-6.3 (3)c/d. The licensed practical nurse shall not perform any activity requiring the knowledge and skill ascribed to the registered nurse, including: c. The administration of medicated intravenous solutions, intravenous medications and blood components.</p> <p>d. The initiation or administration of medications requiring the knowledge or skill level currently ascribed to the registered nurse.</p> <p>Perform nursing diagnosis: Iowa Code § 152.1 (6.a.) 6. The “practice of the profession of a registered nurse” means the practice of a natural person who is licensed by the board to do all of the following: a. Formulate nursing diagnosis</p> <p>AK-Agree with NW</p>	Resolved
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23	IA	7-1-15	What medical activities are registered	AK – NW	AK answered Perform assessments, Perform tasks that require	AK – NW	NW: The reason I didn't select assessments is because I see perform assessments as an activity	
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			<p>nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professionals?</p>		<p>specialized nursing expertise</p> <p>NW answered No medical activities are indicated in the law</p>	<p>that an RN can't delegate to an LPN (Iowa Admin. Code 655-6.3(3)), but I don't see a general rule that prohibits RNs from delegating these tasks in general (maybe an RN could delegate the task to another RN in this jurisdiction, for example, just not an LPN). If it is enough that they can't delegate it to an LPN though, agree with AK.</p> <p>Did not see specialized nursing expertise</p> <p>AK:</p> <p>Perform Assessments: 6.3(3) The licensed practical nurse shall not perform any activity requiring the knowledge and skill ascribed to the registered nurse, including:</p> <p>a. The initiation of or assessment related to procedures/therapies requiring the knowledge or skill level ascribed to the registered nurse.</p> <p>After taking a second look, I would not code tasks that require specialized nursing expertise as the law only prohibits LPN's from doing</p>	
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							<p>activity requiring the knowledge and skill ascribed to the registered nurse” So if the answer choice defines nursing activity as that all nurses, I would not code it.</p> <p>Also, not sure if the assessment prohibition in the law is related to all assessments are only those requiring RN specialty. If so, then I could agree with NW’s coding.</p>	
24	IA	7-1-15	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when delegating to other medical professional s?	AK – NW	AK also answered The level of supervision is dependent upon the patient’s condition and form of treatment	AK – NW	<p>NW: Not seeing this in the law.</p> <p>AK: Agree with NW, unselected</p>	Resolved

25	NM	1-19-15	What medical activities can registered nurses delegate to other medical professionals?	AK – NW	AK also answered Perform assessments, Manage and supervise medical professionals	AK – NW	<p>NW: I kind of see perform assessments in N.M. Stat. § 61-3-3 (J. 1) under activities an LPN can perform, but my issue with that is LPNs can also perform tasks under the supervision of a physician, so I don't think it is super explicit. Also, it says contribute to assessments, which is a bit different than performing them with</p>	Unresolved
							<p>autonomy. But maybe AK found this somewhere else?</p> <p>Not seeing manage and supervise in the law.</p> <p>AK-Agree with NW on assessment but see N.M. Code R. 16.12.5.10 (3) The registered nurse may delegate to the licensed practical nurse the supervision/direction of the medication aide.</p>	

26.	NM	1-19-15	<p>What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professionals?</p>	AK – NW	<p>AK also answered Perform tasks that require specialized nursing expertise</p> <p>NW also answered Perform nursing diagnosis</p> <p>AK CN: An RN may not delegate the specific functions of nursing assessment, evaluation and nursing judgment to non-licensed persons. N.M. Code R. 16.12.2.12 (B) (3)</p>	AK – NW	<p>NW: I think I got diagnosis from N.M. Code R. 16.12.2.12 (B. 3), “The nurse may not delegate the specific functions of nursing assessment, evaluation and nursing judgment to non-licensed persons.” I guess I interpreted this to include diagnosis, but I can see how it isn’t very explicit.</p> <p>I guess AK may have gotten perform tasks that require specialized nursing expertise from the same section? I wouldn’t code specialized nursing expertise off of that because I see other states who say it more explicitly.</p> <p>AK-I also coded specialized tasks due to the into head section stating</p>	Unresolved
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							<p>“The nurse shall assign/delegate to licensed and unlicensed persons only those nursing actions which that person is prepared, qualified or licensed or certified to perform....” Though I agree with NW that other states are more explicit.</p> <p>Defer to LF...</p>	
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27.	NM	1-19-15	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when delegating to other medical professionals?	AK – NW	AK also answered: The registered nurse and medical professional must meet in person regularly, The registered nurse must be available in person, The registered nurse must be available via telecommunication,	AK – NW	<p>I got my answer from N.M. Code R. 16.12.5.7 (GG.), ““Supervision/direction’ means initial and ongoing verification of a person’s knowledge and skills in the performance of a specific function or activity as demonstrated by periodic observation, direction and evaluation of that person’s knowledge and skills as related to the specific function or activity.”</p> <p>AK-The registered nurse must be available via/The registered nurse must be available in person telecommunication: N.M. Code R. 16.12.5.10 (d) (1) (a) a licensed nurse shall be available 24 hours a day (on call) to supervise medication aides as determined by the agency work hours-I interpreted on call as meaning by telephone and in person as</p>	
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							<p>individuals I know in the medical profession that are on call all night must be physically present in the treatment facility or available easily by phone.</p> <p>I also interpreted the below as indicating the RN and medical professional must meet in person regularly since the supervision reads as though it has to be in person and periodic: N.M. Code R. 16.12.5.7 (GG.), ““Supervision/direction“ means initial and ongoing verification of a person's knowledge and skills in the performance of a specific function or activity as demonstrated by periodic observation, direction and evaluation of that person's knowledge and skills as related to the specific function or activity.</p>	
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28.	NY	1-1-15	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	AK – NW	AK also answered Formulate nursing care plan, Delegate medical acts to other medical professionals	AK – NW	NW: I think this got mixed up because I had those answers but AK didn't. At any rate, Formulate nursing care plan: N.Y. Education Law § 6901 (1.) "1. "Diagnosing" in the context of nursing practice	Resolved
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							<p>means that identification of and discrimination between physical and psychosocial signs and symptoms essential to effective execution and management of the nursing regimen. Such diagnostic privilege is distinct from a medical diagnosis.” It says management of the nursing regimen which indicates to me the nurse has control over the nursing care plan.</p> <p>Delegate medical acts to other medical professionals: N.Y. Education Law § 6902 (2.) “2. The practice of nursing as a licensed practical nurse is defined as performing tasks and responsibilities within the framework of casefinding, health teaching, health counseling, and provision of supportive and restorative care under the direction of a registered professional nurse or licensed physician, dentist or other licensed health care provider legally authorized under this title and in accordance with the commissioner's regulations.”</p> <p>AK-Agree with NW</p>	
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29.	NY	1-1-15	To which medical professional s can registered nurses delegate medical activities?	AK – NW	<p>AK answered Counsel or educate patients</p> <p>NW answered No medical activities are indicated in the law</p>	AK – NW	<p>NW: I think this one was for What medical activities can registered nurses delegate to other medical professionals?</p> <p>I am a bit confused AK would code this because he coded that RNs can't delegate activities for the SOP question? Maybe it is under N.Y. Education Law § 6902 (2.) because LPNs can be supervised by an RN, and counselling or educating patients is in their SOP.</p> <p>I think this is a bit of a stretch, I thought we were looking for general rules for what an RN can delegate.</p> <p>AK-I coded council or educate patients based on N.Y. Education Law § 6902 (2) The practice of nursing as a licensed practical nurse is defined as performing tasks and responsibilities within the framework of case finding, health teaching, health counseling, and provision of supportive and restorative care under the direction of a registered professional nurse.</p>	Unresolved
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							I see this as showing the ability to delegate council or educating patient but also understand NW's perspective on it being a stretch as I have seen more precise language in other jurisdictions... I'll defer to LF.	
30	OR	6-24-08	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	NW - AK	NW also answered- Dispense medication, Perform examinations	NW - AK		
31	OR	6-24-08	To which medical professional s can registered nurses delegate medical activities?	NW - AK	AK also answered Medication aide	NW - AK		

32	OR	6-24-08	What medical activities can registered nurses delegate to other medical professional s?	NW - AK	NW also answered Administer medication AK also answered Perform assessments, Make referrals to specialists	NW - AK		
33	OR	6-24-08	What medical activities are registered	NW - AK	NW answered Perform assessments, Formulate nursing care	NW - AK		

			nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professional s?		plan, Perform nursing diagnosis AK answered Perform tasks that require specialized nursing expertise			
34	OR	6-24-08	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when delegating to other medical professional s?	NW - AK	AK also answered The registered nurse and medical professional must meet in person regularly, The registered nurse must be available in person	NW - AK		

35	PA	4-25-09	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	NW - AK	NW also answered Perform examination	NW - AK		
36	SC	6-3-05	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	NW - AK	NW also answered Formulate nursing care plan, Provide treatment AK also answered Perform nursing diagnosis	NW - AK		
37	SC	6-3-05	What medical activities can	NW - AK	NW answered Assist with personal hygiene, Any activity the registered nurse	NW - AK		
			registered nurses delegate to other medical professionals?		believes the professional is qualified to perform AK answered Administer medication, Conduct medical tests, Counsel or educate patients, Manage and supervise medical professionals			

38	SC	6-3-05	What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professionals?	NW - AK	NW answered No medical activities are indicated in the law AK answered Administer medication AK CN: RN may not delegate administering medications to unlicensed assistive personnel. S.C. Code Â§ 40-33-42 (C)	NW - AK		
39	AL	12-28-09	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	AK - AS	AK also answered Perform examinations, Provide treatment, Make referrals to specialists	AK- AS		
40	AL	12-28-09	To which medical professionals can registered nurses delegate medical activities?	AK - AS	AK answered Licensed practical nurses (LPNs), Any qualified individual AK CN: An RN may not delegate medication administration to unlicensed assistive personnel. Ala. Admin.	AK- AS		

					Code 610-X-6-.11 (4) (c) AS answered Medical professionals are not indicated in the law *Not seeing LPN, possibly could infer any qualified individual			
41	AL	12-28-09	What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professionals?	AK - AS	AK answered Administer medication AS answered Perform tasks that require specialized nursing expertise	AK- AS		

42	AL	12-28-09	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when delegating to other medical professionals?	AK - AS	AK answered The registered nurse must be available in person, The registered nurse must be available via telecommunication, The level of supervision is dependent upon the patient's condition and form of treatment AS answered Non- specific general supervision	AK- AS		
43	AR	8-16-13	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	AK - AS	AS also answered Counsel or educate patients	AK- AS		
44	AR	8-16-13	To which medical professionals can registered nurses delegate medical activities?	AK - AS	AK also answered Any qualified individual	AK- AS		

45			What medical activities can registered nurses delegate to other medical professionals?		AK also answered Counsel or educate patients, Assist with personal hygiene			
46	AR	8-16-13	What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professionals?	AK - AS	<p>AK also answered Perform tasks that require specialized nursing expertise</p> <p>AK CN: An RN may not delegate the administration of parenteral, enteral, or injectable medications or administer any substances by nasogastric or</p>	AK- AS		
					<p>gastrostomy tubes. Ark. Code Ann. Â§ 17-87- 705 (3) (b).</p> <p>LF: I don't think we need this CN – do you?</p> <p>AS also answered Perform assessments</p>			

47	CA	1-1-13	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	NW – AS	<p>NW also answered Provide treatment</p> <p>AS also answered Delegate medical acts to other medical professionals</p> <p>*I may have asked this above but wouldn't delegate medical acts... be answered in every state?</p>	NW – AS		
48	CA	1-1-13	To which medical professional s can registered nurses delegate medical activities?	NW	<p>NW Flag and Note: Registered nurses can delegate medical activities to psychiatric technicians, pursuant to Cal. Business and Professions Code Â§ 2728.</p> <p>*I don't think we need this do you?</p>	NW		
49	CA	1-1-13	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when	NW – AS	AS answered The registered nurse must be available in person, The registered nurse must provide continuous supervision	NW – AS		

			delegating to other medical professionals?		NW answered Non- specific general supervision			
50	DC	3-26-14	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	NW – AS	NW also answered Perform examinations, Perform nursing diagnosis, Order medical tests, Make referrals to specialists, AS also answered Perform assessments,	NW – AS		
51	DC	3-26-14	To which medical professionals can registered nurses delegate medical activities?		NW also answered Medical technicians, Any qualified individual			
52	DC	3-26-14	What medical activities can registered nurses delegate to other medical professionals?	NW – AS	NW answered Any activity the registered nurse believes the professional is qualified to perform AS answered No medical activities are indicated in the law	NW – AS		

53	DC	3-26-14	What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from	NW – AS	NW also answered Make referrals to specialists	NW – AS		
			delegating to other medical professionals?					
54	DC	3-26-14	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when delegating to other medical professionals?	NW – AS	NW also answered The registered nurse must be available via telecommunication, Non-specific general supervision AS also answered The registered nurse must provide continuous supervision, The level of supervision is dependent upon the patient's condition and form of treatment	NW – AS		
55	DE	5-11-14	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	AK - AS	AK also answered Conduct medical tests	AK - AS		

56	DE	5-11-14	To which medical professional s can registered nurses delegate medical activities?	AK - AS	AK answered Any qualified individual AS answered Medical professionals are not indicated in the law	AK - AS		
57	DE	5-11-14	What medical activities can	AK - AS	AK answered Any activity the registered nurse believes the	AK - AS		

			registered nurses delegate to other medical professional s?		professional is qualified to perform AK CNL RN's may not delegate the dispensing of medication to any other individual not licensed to dispense. 24 Del. Admin Code Â§ 19007.6.3.1.5 *I think this is publishable AS answered No medical activities are indicated in the law			
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58	DE	5-11-14	What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professionals?	AK - AS	AK also answered Make referrals to specialists	AK - AS		
59	DE	5-11-14	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when delegating to other medical professionals?	AK - AS	AK also answered The level of supervision is dependent upon the patient's condition and form of treatment	AK - AS		
60	IL	8-18-14	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	NW - AS	AS also answered Provide treatment	NW - AS		

61	IL	8-18-14	To which medical professional s can registered nurses delegate medical activities?	NW - AS	NW also answered Any qualified individual AS also answered Licensed practical nurses (LPNs)	NW - AS		
62	MA	3-11-94	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	AK - AS	AK also answered Administer medication, Provide treatment AS also answered Formulate nursing care plan	AK - AS		
63	MA	3-11-94	To which medical professional s can registered nurses delegate medical activities?		AS also answered Medical assistants, Medication aide			
64	MA	3-11-94	What medical activities can registered nurses delegate to	AK - AS	AK also answered Perform tasks that require specialized nursing expertise, Any activity the registered nurse believes the	AK - AS		

			other medical professional s?		professional is qualified to perform			
65	MA	3-11-94	What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professional s?	AK - AS	AK also answered Make referrals to specialists AK CN: An RN may not delegate tasks which require specialized nursing expertise to unlicensed assistive personal. 244 Mass. Code Regs. 3.05 (5) *I think this is publishable	AK - AS		
66	MA	3-11-94	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when delegating to other medical professional s?	AK - AS	AS also answered Non-specific general supervision AK also answered The registered nurse and medical professional must meet in person regularly	AK - AS		

67	MD	4-14-14	What medical activities can registered nurses delegate to other medical professionals?	AK - AS	<p>AK also answered Counsel or educate patients, Perform tasks that require specialized nursing expertise</p> <p>AS CN: However, Md. Code Regs. 10.27.11.05(G) prohibits certain actions involved with administration of medications. There are:</p>	AK - AS		
					<p>(1) Calculation of any medication dose; (2) Administration of medications by injection route; (3) Administration of medications by way of a tube inserted in a cavity of the body; and (4) Administration of medication by intravenous route.</p> <p>*This may be important to publish – to discuss, AK thoughts?</p>			

68	MD	4-14-14	What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical professionals?	AK - AS	AK also answered Administer medication AS also answered Perform nursing diagnosis	AK - AS		
69	MD	4-14-14	What supervisory activities must the registered nurse perform when delegating to other medical	AK - AS	AK also answered The registered nurse and medical professional must meet in person regularly	AK - AS		

			professional s?					
70	NJ	11-9-04	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	NW - AS	AS also answered Administer medication	NW - AS		

71	NJ	11-9-04	To which medical professional s can registered nurses delegate medical activities?	NW - AS	NW also answered Any qualified individual	NW - AS		
72	NJ	11-9-04	What medical activities can registered nurses delegate to other medical professional s?	NW - AS	NW answered Any activity the registered nurse believes the professional is qualified to perform AS answered No medical activities are indicated in the law	NW - AS		
73	NJ	11-9-04	What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical	NW - AS	NW answered No medical activities are indicated in the law AS answered Perform tasks that require specialized nursing expertise	NW - AS		
			professional s?					

74	WA	4-15-13	What medical activities are included in a registered nurse's scope of practice?	NW - AS	NW also answered Provide treatment AS also answered Conduct medical tests	NW - AS		
75	WA	4-15-13	To which medical professional s can registered nurses delegate medical activities?	NW - AS	NW answered Medical assistants, Medical technicians, Nurse aide, Any qualified individual AS answered Medical professionals are not indicated in the law	NW - AS		
76	WA	4-15-13	What medical activities can registered nurses delegate to other medical professional s?	NW - AS	NW also answered Dispense medication, Assist with personal hygiene	NW - AS		

77	WA	4-15-13	What medical activities are registered nurses prohibited from delegating to other medical	NW - AS	<p>AS also answered Perform tasks that require specialized nursing expertise</p> <p>NW CN: The registered nurse may delegate the administration of insulin, although they are prohibited from delegating the</p>	NW - AS		
			professional s?		<p>administration of other medications, pursuant to Wash. Rev. Code Â§ 18.79.260.</p> <p>*I think this CN is publishable</p>			