

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2019 and 2020 HB2603

by Rep. Fred Crespo

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

225 ILCS 65/55-30

Amends the Nurse Practice Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning a licensed practical nurse's scope of practice.

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1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Nurse Practice Act is amended by changing Section 55-30 as follows:
- 6 (225 ILCS 65/55-30)

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- 7 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2028)
- 8 Sec. 55-30. LPN scope of practice.
 - (a) Practice as a licensed practical nurse means a scope of nursing practice, with or without compensation, under the the guidance of a registered professional nurse or an advanced practice registered nurse, or as directed by a physician assistant, physician, dentist, podiatric physician, or other health care professionals as determined by the Department, and includes, but is not limited to, all of the following:
 - (1) Conducting a focused nursing assessment and contributing to the ongoing comprehensive nursing assessment of the patient performed by the registered professional nurse.
 - (2) Collaborating in the development and modification of the registered professional nurse's or advanced practice registered nurse's comprehensive nursing plan of care for all types of patients.

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- 1 (3) Implementing aspects of the plan of care.
- 2 (4) Participating in health teaching and counseling to 3 promote, attain, and maintain the optimum health level of 4 patients.
 - (5) Serving as an advocate for the patient by communicating and collaborating with other health service personnel.
 - (6) Participating in the evaluation of patient responses to interventions.
 - (7) Communicating and collaborating with other health care professionals.
- 12 (8) Providing input into the development of policies
 13 and procedures to support patient safety.
- 14 (Source: P.A. 100-513, eff. 1-1-18.)