

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

HB5757

by Rep. Sara Feigenholtz

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.

LRB099 20522 SMS 45061 b

HB5757

1

AN ACT concerning regulation.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 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)

7 (Section scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2018)

8 Sec. 55-30. LPN scope of practice.

9 (a) Practice as a licensed practical nurse means a scope of 10 basic nursing practice, with or without compensation, as 11 delegated by a registered professional nurse or an advanced 12 practice nurse or as directed by a physician assistant, 13 physician, dentist, or podiatric physician, <u>and and</u> includes, 14 but is not limited to, all of the following:

15 (1) Collecting data and collaborating in the16 assessment of the health status of a patient.

17 (2) Collaborating in the development and modification
18 of the registered professional nurse's or advanced
19 practice nurse's comprehensive nursing plan of care for all
20 types of patients.

21 (3) Implementing aspects of the plan of care as22 delegated.

23

(4) Participating in health teaching and counseling to

promote, attain, and maintain the optimum health level of patients, as delegated.

3 (5) Serving as an advocate for the patient by 4 communicating and collaborating with other health service 5 personnel, as delegated.

6 (6) Participating in the evaluation of patient 7 responses to interventions.

8 (7) Communicating and collaborating with other health9 care professionals as delegated.

10 (8) Providing input into the development of policies11 and procedures to support patient safety.

12 (Source: P.A. 98-214, eff. 8-9-13.)