

WEST VIRGINIA CODE: §30-7A-1

§30-7A-1. Definitions.

- (a) The term “practical nursing” means the performance for compensation of selected nursing acts in the care of the ill, injured, or infirm under the direction of a registered professional nurse or a licensed physician or a licensed dentist, and not requiring the substantial specialized skill, judgment and knowledge required in professional nursing.
- (b) The term “practical nurse” means a person who has met all the requirements for licensure as a practical nurse and who engages in practical nursing as hereinabove defined.
- (c) The term “board” as used in this article, shall mean the board of examiners for licensed practical nurses as set forth in section five of this article.