

Delegation Decision Checklist (The Five Rights)

Chapter 24: Delegation and RN Scope-of-Practice Guidelines

- ☐ Right Task: Is this task within the delegate's scope and job description?
 - ☐ Right Circumstance: Is the patient's condition stable and appropriate for delegation right now?
 - ☐ Right Person: Does this specific delegate have the training and demonstrated competence for this task?
 - ☐ Right Direction/Communication: Have you given clear, specific instructions and expected outcomes?
 - ☐ Right Supervision/Evaluation: Will you follow up to confirm the task was completed correctly?
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