

SCOPE OF PRACTICE COMMITTEE MINUTES

June 2, 2015

Members Present: See Attached List

Guests Present: See Attached List

Call to Order:

Lori Gutierrez, co-chairperson, called the meeting to order at 10:08 am.

I. Introductions

Ms. Gutierrez welcomed the newly appointed committee members and asked all the committee members to introduce themselves.

II. Review and approval of March 3, 2015 minutes.

A motion was made by Elizabeth Allen & seconded by Nancy Panthofer to accept the minutes. Motion carried.

III. Advisory Opinions reviewed/approved at the March 26 & 27, 2015 Board Meeting

- A. Prescription Medical Renewals Using a Nursing Protocol in an Ambulatory Setting.
- B. Intraventricular Implanted Devices Temporary Intracranial Catheters.
- C. Intradermal, Subcutaneous, and Submucosal Infiltration of Local Anesthetic Agents: Role of the Nurse.

IV. Review of current advisory opinions

A. PICC Insertion, Suturing, Maintenance, Removal, & Verification of Tip Placement

Rescheduled for August 25, 2015, Scope of Practice meeting.

B. Stress Testing

Dr. Karla Baning reviewed the suggested changes to this advisory opinion. There was some discussion on the Licensed Independent Practitioner (LIP) "being present, as defined by the facility. The recommended changes was to say "immediately available" as defined by the facility. Basic advanced life support classes were added to the requirements.

Recommendation/Action Taken/Responsible For: A motion was made by Theresa Frimel, seconded by Dr. Karla Baning, to take the revised draft to the July 23-24, 2015, Board Meeting. Motion carried. Responsible person – Judy Bontrager.

C. Advisory Opinion Process

Nancy Panthofer stated that she felt the diagram gives a clear picture of the process and recommended no changes.

Recommendation/Action Taken/Responsible For: A motion was made by Yvonne Sposito, seconded by Dr. Karla Baning, to take the recommendation for no changes to the July 23-24, 2015, Board Meeting. Motion carried. Responsible person – Judy Bontrager.

D. Contrast Media Injection

Linda Tinker recommended the addition of a statement to clearly indicate that it is not within the scope of practice for an RN/LPN to independently inject contrast media into coronary arteries. Minor changes were made for clarity and the references were updated.

Recommendation/Action Taken/Responsible For: A motion was made by Peggy Hampton, seconded by Dr. Robin Kirschner, to take the recommendation to the July 23-24, 2015, Board Meeting. Motion carried. Responsible person – Judy Bontrager.

E. Foot Care

Yvonne Sposito reviewed this advisory opinion with the committee. She noted that Medicare no longer reimburses podiatrists for some of the procedures so nurses are doing more foot care. Yvonne Sposito also commented on the level of detail of AZ's requirements as compared with advisory opinions in other states. The committee recommended changing the required training in level III from "certification in foot care" to "demonstrated competency" and changing Nurse Practitioners to Advanced Practice RN.

Recommendation/Action Taken/Responsible For: A motion was made by Dr. Karla Baning, seconded by Melanie Burzych, to take the revised draft to the July 23-24, 2015, Board Meeting. Motion carried. Responsible person – Judy Bontrager.

F. Informed Consent

Shelly Lanagan noted the purposed changes to this advisory opinion: definition of informed consent, and additions to the course of instruction. Discussion centered on the differences between obtaining an informed consent and witnessing an informed consent. Other members noted difficulties that occur when consents are being obtained. Additional input, references, and research requested before taking to the board for approval

Recommendation/Action Taken/Responsible For: Bring a revised draft advisory opinion to the August 25, 2015, SOP meeting. Eva Caruso, Shelly Lanagan, Yvonne Sposito, Melanie Burzych, Derek Moore, Joe Varela.

G. Chronic Dialysis in an Outpatient Facility: The Role of the LPN

Dr. Nancy Spahr reviewed the purposed changes for this advisory opinion including: revision of the course of instruction and rationale, and update of the references. After discussion it was decided to remove the paragraph addressing Peritoneal Dialysis from this advisory opinion and address in a frequently asked question (FAQ).

Recommendation/Action Taken/Responsible For:

1. A motion was made by Linda Tinker, seconded by Melanie Burzych, to take the revised draft to the Board Meeting. Motion carried. Responsible person – Judy Bontrager.

2. Develop a FAQ for peritoneal dialysis to place on the board's website Responsible person – Peggy Hampton, Jean Cooper.

H. Dual Profession and Dual Health Care Licensure/Certification

Dr. Karla Baning discussed potential changes to add clarity to this advisory opinion. Various members of committee voiced examples from their experiences. Discussion will continue at the August 25, 2015, SOP meeting. Dr. Nancy Spahr suggested that once the board receives and approves our recommendation it would be helpful to write an article for the Board's Journal.

Recommendation/Action Taken/Responsible For: Continue discussion at August 25, 2015, SOP meeting - Dr. Karla Baning. Invite Executive Director to be present for discussion – Judy Bontrager.

I. Moderate Sedation/Analgesia For Diagnostic and Therapeutic Procedures.

Postponed until August 25, 2015, Scope of Practice meeting due to full agenda.

V. Topics of Discussion

A. Low Dose Ketamine Administration for Treatment of Intractable or Chronic Pain

Guests Teri Reyburn-Orna, NP, and Molly Matthews with Cardon's Children's Hospital, and Rebecca Hogan NP and Janet Semonova with Phoenix children's Hospital were present to address Ketamine administration. They noted this is currently a "hot topic":. New uses for ketamine include acute pain, neuropathic pain, cancer pain, opioid induces hyperalgesia, burn patients, end of life pain, and chronic pain and palliative care. Ketamine is used at Phoenix Children's Hospital for patients in severe pain in ICU's and on the floors. Continuous infusions are between 0.1 – 0.5 mg/kg/hr and in ICU's they titrate up to 1mg/kg/hr. Dosing is based on clinical effects and limiting side effects. Research has shown it can decrease opioid requirements. They discussed potential side effects, contraindications and required monitoring, and benefits of ketamine. They noted there is a low risk of adverse events with low dose infusion dosing of ketamine.

Recommendation/Action Taken/Responsible For: Continue work on a draft advisory opinion and return to August 25, 2015, SOP meeting – Eva Caruso, Catherine Riedel, Nancy Panthofer, Angie Bannochie, Joe Varela, and Belinda Weiss.

B. Information for New Members

The Following information was reviewed.

- Meet dates (10am – 2pm), SOP purpose/goals
- Advisory opinion process
- Advisory opinions needing review in 2015
- Template used when drafting new advisory opinion
- Sample advisory opinion used when you submit draft to SOP committee
- APA 6th Edition Guidelines for reference/APA sample formatting/Essential Elements for References.
- Membership list 2015 – 2017
- Electronic links to other State Boards of Nursing
- Advisory opinion "hits" on website

VI. Next SOP meeting is August 25, 2015, at 10 am.

VII. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 2:30 pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by:



Judy Bontrager RN, MN

Draft Minutes submitted to the Board March 26-27, 2015.

Minutes to be approved by the SOP Committee at the June 2, 2015, meeting.

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Scope of Practice Committee Meeting
Arizona State Board of Nursing

List of Attendees

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Angie Bannochie, RNC-NIC, BSN
Barbara Crivellaro DNP, RN
Belinda Weiss RN
Catherine Riedel, RN, MSN, ACNS-BC
Derek Moore BSN, RN, CMSRN
Elizabeth Allen, RN, MSN, CCRN
Eryn Draganski MSN, RN, ANP-C
Jean Cooper RN, MSN, LNCC
Joe Varela III RN, BSN, CCRN-CSC-CMC,CEN
Judy Irvin RN, JD
Karla Baning, RN, ACNP-C, CCRN, CNRN, DNP, SCRNI
Larry Helwig, RN
Lesley Eastman, RN, BSN, WCC
Linda Tinker, MSN, RN, CHSE
Lynnette Sommers RN, DON-CLTC
Marlene Steinheiser RN, MSN, CRNI
Melanie Burzych RN
Nancy Panthofer, MSN, RN, NE-BC
Nancy Spahr, EdD, MS, RN-BC, MBA, CNS
Peggy Hamptin RN, BSN
Robin Kirschner EdD, MA, RN, NEA-BC, CNE,
CRA
Shelly Lanagan, RNC-OB, MS, WHNP
Theresa Frimel, MSN, RN, CNE
Yvonne Sposito, RN, MHS

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Crystal Weikel, RN, MN, DNSc
Eva Caruso, RN, MSN, ACNS-BC
Jaime Cowgur RN
Jody Coolman, RNC-OB, BSN
Kamee Witts RN, BSN, VA-BC
Marlene Eriacho, MBA/HCA, BSN, RN
Omar Beltran, RN, BSN, Masters
Theresa Finney, RN, BSN, MBA, Rac-CT, NHA
Victoria Graham, RN, BSN

BOARD STAFF ATTENDING:

Judy Bontrager, RN, MN
Cindy Mand, RN, BSN

BOARD MEMBERS ATTENDING:

Lori A Gutierrez, BS, RN-C, DON-CLTC, CBN
Theresa Berrigan, LPN

GUESTS PRESENT:

Janet Semenova
Rebecca Hogan
Teri Reyburn-Otne
Molly Matthews