

655—16.5(148I) Testing and drugs.

16.5(1) A licensee may:

- a.* Obtain and administer drugs in accordance with Iowa Code section 148I.4.
- b.* Obtain and administer the following drugs approved by the board of nursing:
 - (1) Pyridoxine (vitamin B6) IM or IV for treatment of hyperemesis;
 - (2) Terbutaline for cord prolapse; and
 - (3) Nifedipine for eclampsia.
- c.* Request board approval to obtain and administer other drugs, not otherwise stated in Iowa Code section 148I.4(1) “*d.*,” consistent with the practice of certified professional midwifery.
- d.* Obtain appropriate screening and testing for clients in accordance with Iowa Code section 148I.4(1) “*c.*”
- e.* Administer prescription drugs prescribed by a licensed health care provider to a client in accordance with Iowa Code section 148I.4(1) “*e.*”

16.5(2) A licensee who dispenses or administers controlled substances must adhere to 657—Chapter 10.

16.5(3) In addition to following the standards of practice for treating a client described in rule 655—16.3(148I), a licensee who administers a controlled substance shall practice in accordance with the following:

- a.* The client’s health history will include a personal and family substance abuse risk assessment performed by a licensed prescribing health care provider or the documented rationale for not performing the assessment.
- b.* The client’s health record must include documentation of the presence of one or more recognized indications for the use of a controlled substance.
- c.* A licensee who administers any controlled substance will maintain an active Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) registration and active controlled substances Act (CSA) registration when required by the DEA and the board of pharmacy.

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