

481—41.1 (135H) Definitions.

“*Nurse practitioner*” means a registered professional nurse who is currently licensed to practice in the state, who meets state requirements and is currently licensed to practice nursing under the nursing board[655] rules in the Iowa Administrative Code.

“*Physician*” means a person licensed to practice medicine and surgery, osteopathic medicine and surgery or osteopathy under Iowa Code chapter 148, 150 or 150A.

“*Physician assistant*” means a person licensed to practice under Iowa Code chapter 148C.

“*Psychiatric services*” means services provided under the direction of a physician which address mental, emotional, medical or behavioral problems.

“*Resident*” means a person who is less than 21 years of age and has been admitted by a physician to a psychiatric medical institution for children.