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**481—58.19(135C)** Required nursing services for residents. The program plan for nursing facilities shall have the following required nursing services under the 24-hour direction of qualified nurses with ancillary coverage as set forth in these rules:

**58.19(1)** Activities of daily living.

- a. Bathing; (II, III)
- b. Daily oral hygiene (denture care); (II, III)
- c. Routine shampoo; (II, III)
- d. Nail care; (III)
- e. Shaving; (III)
- f. Daily care and application of prostheses (glasses, hearing aids, glass eyes, limb prosthetics, braces, or other assistive devices); (II, III)
  - g. Ambulation with equipment if applicable, or transferring, or positioning; (I, II, III)
  - h. Daily routine range of motion; (II, III)
  - i. Mobility (assistance with wheelchair, mechanical lift, or other means of locomotion); (I, II, III)
  - *j*. Elimination.
  - (1) Assistance to and from the bathroom and perineal care; (II, III)
  - (2) Bedpan assistance; (II, III)
  - (3) Care for incontinent residents; (II, III)
- (4) Bowel and bladder training programs including in-dwelling catheter care (i.e., insertion and irrigation), enema and suppository administration, and monitoring and recording of intake and output, including solid waste; (I, II, III)
- k. Colostomy care (to be performed only by a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse or by a qualified aide under the direction of a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse); (I, II, III)
- *l.* Ileostomy care (to be performed only by a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse or by a qualified aide under the direction of a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse); (I, II, III)
  - m. All linens necessary; (III)
  - *n*. Nutrition and meal service.
  - (1) Regular, therapeutic, modified diets, and snacks; (I, II, III)
  - (2) Mealtime preparation of resident; (II, III)
  - (3) Assistance to and from meals; (II, III)
  - (4) In-room meal service or tray service; (II, III)
- (5) Assistance with food preparation and meal assistance including total assistance if needed; (II, III)
  - (6) Assistance with adaptive devices; (II, III)
- (7) Enteral nutrition (to be performed by a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse only); (I, II, III)
  - o. Promote initiation of self-care for elements of resident care; (II, III)
- p. Oral suctioning (to be performed only by a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse or by a qualified aide under the direction of a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse). (I, II)

## **58.19(2)** *Medication and treatment.*

- a. Administration of all medications as ordered by the physician including oral, instillations, topical, injectable (to be injected by a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse only); (I, II)
  - b. Wound care; (I, II)
  - c. Blood glucose monitoring; (I, II)
  - d. Vital signs, blood pressure, and weights; (I, II)
  - e. Ambulation and transfer; (II, III)
  - f. Provision of restraints; (I, II)
- g. Administration of oxygen (to be performed only by a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse or by a qualified aide under the direction of a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse); (I, II)
  - h. Provision of all treatments; (I, II, III)
- *i.* Provision of emergency medical care, including arranging for transportation, in accordance with written policies and procedures of the facility; (I, II, III)

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*j.* Provision of accurate assessment and timely intervention for all residents who have an onset of adverse symptoms which represent a change in mental, emotional, or physical condition. (I, II, III)