

Firelands Regional Medical Center School of Nursing

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Unit 5: Z- Chapter 5
Online Assignment (1H)

Directions: Follow specific instructions for each section of the assignment (1, 2 & 3) and answer all questions. This assignment is due in the Unit 5: Z- Ch. 5 dropbox 2/21/2022 at 0800.

1. Visit the OBN website: www.nursing.ohio.gov
To answer the questions (#1-32) use the following documents found on the website:

LAW AND RULES

LAW (NURSE PRACTICE ACT) - Ohio Revised Code (ORC) CHAPTER 4723

4723.24-License renewal
4723.28-Disciplinary actions
4723.281-Summary suspension
4723.32-Exemptions
4723.34-Reporting misconduct
4723.341-Immunity

ADOPTED RULES - Ohio Revised Code (ORC)

CHAPTER 4723-6 Alternative Program for Chemical
Dependency/Substance use Disorder Monitoring
CHAPTER 4723-7-Examination and Licensure
CHAPTER 4723-14-Continuing Education

BOARD GENERAL INFORMATION

How to Become a Board member
Overview of Board Operations and Guide to Public Participation in Rule Making

PRACTICE RN and LPN

RN and LPN Scopes of Practice

2. Visit the NCSBN website at: www.ncsbn.org Watch the “Substance Use Disorder” (<https://www.ncsbn.org/333.htm>) video to answer questions #33-43.
3. On the NCSBN website: Go to: “Membership” and then “Contact a US Member”. For the state you are assigned compare their licensure requirements with those of Ohio. The assigned states are listed in Week 7 Lessons on Edvance360. Answer question #44.

Directions: Highlight the one best statement which completes or answers the question.
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1. The Ohio Nurse Practice Act does not apply to:
 - A. registered nurses
 - B. licensed practical nurses
 - C. dialysis technicians
 - D. state-tested nursing assistants

2. In Ohio the license of a nurse will be automatically suspended upon that person's conviction of:
 - A. voluntary manslaughter
 - B. theft of narcotics
 - C. driving under the influence
 - D. embezzlement

3. Jane Smith, RN was arrested for theft of drugs at a hospital in Columbus Ohio. During her trial the case was thrown out because of improper police procedure. The Ohio Board of Nursing:
 - A. shall comply with the decision of the court and take no further action
 - B. shall hold a hearing to determine whether the license holder committed the act
 - C. shall immediately suspend her license
 - D. shall immediately order her to submit a blood toxicology test

4. Any person who reports a nurse to the Ohio Board of Nursing for a legitimate violation(s) of the Nurse Practice Act shall:
 - A. meet with an attorney before reporting the violation
 - B. provide evidence that a thorough investigation was done prior to the report
 - C. be liable for civil damages as a result of the report
 - D. not be liable for civil damages as a result of the report

5. When considering the standards for nursing practice as developed by the Ohio Board of Nursing, which component is included in RN practice standards, but not in LPN standards?
 - A. assessment
 - B. evaluation
 - C. analysis
 - D. implementation

6. How many contact hours of approved continuing nursing education must Ohio nurses complete during each 2 year licensure renewal period?
 - A. 12
 - B. 15
 - C. 24
 - D. 48

7. How do Ohio nurses report to the Board of Nursing that they have completed the required continuing nursing education hours?
- A. They send copies of their continuing education certificates.
 - B. They indicate they have completed the required hours on the licensure renewal application.
 - C. They must email a list of completed programs to the OBN Licensure Unit.
 - D. They have to complete a separate form listing all continuing education activities and mail it to the OBN every 2 years.
8. The mission of the Ohio Board of Nursing is to:
- A. protect the jobs of nurses
 - B. actively safeguard the health of the public
 - C. accredit nursing education programs
 - D. promote a positive image of nursing throughout the state
9. The Ohio Board of Nursing is financially supported by:
- A. donations
 - B. annual dues
 - C. individual licensure fees
 - D. the Ohio Nurses Association
10. A nurse who fails to use standard precautions in Ohio is:
- A. violating OSHA standards
 - B. violating the nurse practice act
 - C. putting the patient at risk
 - D. all of the above
11. In Ohio, licenses for registered nurse are renewed:
- A. every 2 years, odd numbered years
 - B. every 2 years, even numbered years
 - C. every 3 years
 - D. every 5 years
12. If a nurse is licensed in Ohio and wishes to move to another state, he/she can obtain licensure by:
- A. retaking the NCLEX-RN in that state
 - B. paying a minimum \$1000.00 fee
 - C. endorsement
 - D. certification
13. How are the members of the Ohio Board of Nursing chosen?
- A. by appointment of the U.S. President
 - B. by appointment of the Governor of Ohio
 - C. by a lottery system
 - D. by election of their peers

14. At least one contact hour of continuing education completed by licensed nurses in Ohio for licensure renewal must be in the area of:
- A. domestic violence
 - B. AIDS education
 - C. the Ohio Nurse Practice Act and the rules of the Board of Nursing
 - D. the Code of Ethics for Nurses
15. If a licensed nurse in Ohio shares patient information on Face Book this is a violation of the:
- A. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)
 - B. OBN Standards of Practice for the licensed nurse
 - C. ANA Code of Ethics for Nurses
 - D. All of the above
16. Which of the following actions can be utilized by the OBN to discipline a licensed nurse? **Select all that apply.**
- A. Suspension of the nursing license
 - B. Revocation of the nursing license
 - C. A \$500.00 fine per violation
 - D. A \$1000.00 fine per violation
17. Ohio nurses who have a substance abuse problem can avoid discipline if they enter which program?
- A. Alternative Program for Chemical Dependency
 - B. Narcotics Anonymous
 - C. Alcoholics Anonymous
 - D. Practice Intervention and Improvement Program
18. If a complaint is filed about a licensed nurse to the Ohio Board of Nursing, the Board will:
- A. provide the accused nurse with an attorney.
 - B. conduct a thorough investigation.
 - C. automatically suspend the accused nurse's license.
 - D. always schedule a hearing to review the complaint.
19. Within how many days of the change should a licensed nurse notify the Ohio Board of Nursing about a change in name or address?
- A. 7 days
 - B. 14 days
 - C. 21 days
 - D. 30 days
20. Practicing on a lapsed or inactive nursing license in Ohio is a violation of the:
- A. Nurse Practice Act
 - B. Code of Ethics
 - C. Joint Commission Accreditation Requirements

- D. OSHA regulations
21. According to the Ohio Nurse Practice Act, which persons are exempt from the licensing requirement?
- A. those providing nursing services to family members
 - B. nursing students
 - C. orderlies
 - D. all of the above
22. What is the name of the Ohio Board of Nursing quarterly publication in which disciplinary actions involving nurses are published?
- A. OBN Update
 - B. Ohio Report
 - C. Momentum
 - D. Perspectives
23. How often does the Ohio Board of Nursing hold meetings in Columbus?
- A. three times per year
 - B. four times per year
 - C. five times per year
 - D. seven times per year
24. What happens if a registered nurse does not complete the licensure renewal application by the deadline date?
- A. A late processing fee of \$25.00 is charged to the nurse
 - B. A late processing fee of \$50.00 is charged to the nurse
 - C. The license is suspended
 - D. The license is revoked
25. The members of the Ohio Board of Nursing include:
- A. four registered nurses, four licensed practical nurses and a clinical nurse specialist.
 - B. five registered nurses, five licensed practical nurses and a nurse practitioner.
 - C. six registered nurses, four licensed practical nurses and a physician.
 - D. eight registered nurses, four licensed practical nurses and one consumer member.
26. When is a nurse who received a **first** license by examination in Ohio required to complete the continuing education requirement for licensure renewal?
- A. at the first renewal
 - B. at the second renewal
 - C. at the third renewal
 - D. at the fourth renewal
27. A nurse who completes his/her nursing education in Ohio can take the licensure examination:
- A. in Ohio only

- B. in any state in the U.S.
- C. in Ohio, Michigan or Indiana
- D. in Ohio, Kentucky or West Virginia

28. Licensed practical nurses practice at the direction of a:
Select all that apply.

- A. licensed physician
- B. dentist
- C. podiatrist
- D. optometrist
- E. firefighter

29. Ohio law requires the Board of Nursing to review its administrative rules at least once every:

- A. 2 years
- B. 3 years
- C. 4 years
- D. 5 years

30. Which of the following are LPN practice prohibitions contained in Ohio law and rule?
Select all that apply.

- A. delegating nursing tasks as directed by the registered nurse
- B. supervising and evaluating “nursing practice”
- C. teaching the “practice of nursing”
- D. assessing the health status of a patient for purposes of providing nursing care
- E. administering IV push medications other than heparin or saline to flush

31. Which of the following persons are required to report misconduct of an RN or LPN to the Ohio Board of Nursing? **Select all that apply.**

- A. Nursing home administrator
- B. Director of nursing in a hospital setting
- C. County prosecutor
- D. Director of an ambulatory surgery center
- E. Family member of a licensed nurse

32. Which of the following are eligibility requirements for the OBN Alternative Program for Chemical Dependency? **Select all that apply.**

- A. The individual must hold a current, valid nursing license
- B. A substance use disorder assessment must be completed
- C. The individual must be currently using a drug of abuse
- D. The individual must request and the OBN must provide a program application including a temporary license or surrender form

Visit the National Council of State Boards of Nursing website www.ncsbn.org, watch the “Substance Use Disorder” video, and answer questions **33-43**.

33. When a nurse suffers from a substance use disorder, which of the following persons are negatively affected?

- A. patients
- B. colleagues
- C. the nurse with the disorder
- D. all of the above

34. Rank order the following steps to follow by a colleague or supervisor to help a nurse who has a substance use disorder?

- ___ Intervention to address the problem
- ___ Identify and report the problem
- ___ Monitoring the nurse after return to practice
- ___ Diagnose and treat the substance use disorder

35. Which of the following statements are true about substance use disorder? **Select all that apply.**

- A. Includes patterns of behaviors that range from misuse to dependency or addiction.
- B. Can include alcohol, legal drugs or illegal drugs.
- C. Usually only affects persons of lower socioeconomic status.
- D. Substance use disorder cannot be successfully treated.
- E. Nurses can have a higher incidence of dependence on controlled substances due to increased access.
- F. Addiction is a chronic and relapsing brain disease.

36. Which of the following factors increase a nurse's opportunity and risk for addiction:

- A. Staffing shortages
- B. Long work hours
- C. Workplace bullying
- D. All of the above

37. What is the term utilized for a nurse improperly removing drugs from floor stock or from a patient's medication supply for the nurse's personal use?

- A. Transference
- B. Diversion
- C. Redistribution
- D. Hoarding

38. Which of the following are behavioral changes often demonstrated by nurses with a substance use disorder? **Select all that apply.**

- A. Frequent trips to the bathroom
- B. Professional appearance at all times
- C. Wearing short sleeves in the warm weather
- D. Diminished alertness
- E. Excessive mistakes, including medication errors

39. Many nurses with substance use disorder:

- A. are unidentified
- B. are untreated
- C. continue to practice

D. all of the above

40. What are the responsibilities of nurse managers in relation to substance use disorder?

- A. Encourage open dialogue of staff
- B. Educate staff that the disorder is a medical condition, not a personal failure
- C. Ensure that co-workers understand they have a professional and ethical responsibility to report a colleague's suspected drug use to the nurse manager
- D. All of the above

41. In the case of substance use disorder, when is the formal meeting known as an intervention appropriate?

- A. When a nurse makes one medication error
- B. When a nurse is late two days in one month
- C. When there is sufficient documentation to show the nurse's behavior is outside of expected norms
- D. When the nurse requests to leave early twice in two months

42. Many boards of nursing offer alternative-to-discipline programs for nurses with a substance use disorder. These programs are:

- A. Non-punitive
- B. Voluntary
- C. Non-disciplinary
- D. All of the above

43. Which of the following activities help to prevent a relapse when a nurse treated for substance use disorder returns to work?

- A. random drug testing
- B. documented attendance at 12-step programs
- C. professional support groups
- D. all of the above

44. Name of state assigned for licensure comparison:

Discuss three differences in licensure requirements for the state you were assigned.