

**Delegation Content**  
**Z-CH 14**  
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**ON-LINE CONTENT (1 H)**

**Learning Objective(s)**

- Discuss personal accountability when delegating.
- Explain and apply the five rights of delegation in nursing practice.
- Provide reciprocal feedback for the effective evaluation of the delegate's performance.

**ASSIGNMENT INSTRUCTIONS:**

Read the “National Guidelines for Nursing Delegation” document located in Week 2 Lessons on Edvance360 and answer the questions below. Place your answers to the questions in the Z-CH 14 drop box by 0800 on 01/11/2021.

1. State **each** example provided of when the National Guidelines for Nursing Delegation may be applied? (**HINT**: 3 examples were given in the document)
2. When do the National Guidelines for Nursing Delegation **not** apply?
3. In your own words, respond to the following:
  - a. Define delegation
  - b. Explain how delegation differs from assignment
  - c. Does either delegation or assignment require supervision? If so, by whom?
4. Discuss the responsibilities of the Delegator (licensed nurse) and the Delegatee as they relate to delegation. (**HINT**: both the Delegator and Delegatee have several responsibilities).
5. List **and** define (in your own words ) the five rights of delegation.

Please be prepared to share and discuss your answers in class. Also be prepared to demonstrate how to appropriately delegate, assign and supervise nursing tasks through role play.

***To receive full credit (1 H class time) for this assignment, it must be completed in its entirety by the due date/time assigned. Any assignment not completed in its entirety by the assigned due date and time will result in missed class time.***