Purpose:
The purpose of this course is to provide current, comprehensive information regarding the competencies, scope of practice, and behaviors of the Arkansas Licensed Practical Nurse.

Overall Goals:
Upon successful completion of this course, the practical nurse will:
1. Differentiate between the scope of practice of an LPN and an RN.
2. Utilize the Scope of Practice Decision Making Model to determine safe and effective practice.
3. Determine the role of the practical nurse in delegation of nursing tasks to unlicensed persons.
4. Recognize the 6 Rights of Medication Administration within the LPN Scope of Practice.
5. Identify safe methods for storage and retrieval of patient information via electronic devices within HIPAA guidelines.
6. Identify behaviors or actions that would be considered grounds for disciplinary action according to the Arkansas State Board of Nursing.
7. Identify the purposes and standards of practice of professional organizations for the LPN as defined by NAPNES, NFLPN, and ALPNA.
8. Score 80% or above on the LPN Exam found at the end of this course.

Course Content:
The course has six units and a final examination:
- Scope of Practice
- Delegation
- Medication Administration
- Disciplinary Action
- Confidentiality HIPPA
- LPN Nursing Associations
- PN Scope of Practice and Behaviors Exam

Access:
The course is accessed from the website: www.educationcenterarna.org The course instructions and materials are available online. An examination will be given upon completion of the course. The pass rate for the examination is 80%.

Please Note: Participants who do not successfully complete the course are required to take the course again, including enrollment for the course and payment of course fees.

Fee: $75 payable by credit card ONLY. American Express will not be accepted.

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