

# **DIVISION SCOPE OF SERVICE**

**Division: GULF COAST** 

**DHP Classification: LICENSED VOCATIONAL NURSE (LVN)** 

Name of Dependent Healthcare Professional (DHP):

### **Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN):**

The LVN must have equivalent qualifications and competence as employed individuals performing the same or similar services at the facility, as defined by facility job description.

#### **Definition of Care or Service:**

Provide physician support in the delivery of clinical services

## Setting(s):

• Healthcare facilities including but not limited to hospitals, outpatient treatment facilities, imaging centers, and physician practices

Supervision: Direct supervision by department director, surgeon

**Evaluator:** Department director

#### Qualifications:

- Current LVN licensure in Texas or a compact license holder
- Completion of LVN program
- BLS

#### **Experience:**

1-3 years LVN experience preferred

#### Competencies:

The LVN will demonstrate:

- o Demonstrates knowledge and responsibility in care and use of equipment and supplies, charges accurately, and reports equipment malfunctions
- Demonstrates proficiency in performance of job-related technical skills
  Demonstrates proficient knowledge regarding operation of patient-related equipment.
- o Accurately pulls for cases (equipment and supplies) for next-day or emergency procedures
- Able to recognize life-threatening situations and responds appropriately
- Uses job knowledge/proficiency of skills to successfully assist in orientation of new employees
- Ensures personal safety and the safety of patients and visitors
- o Consistently follows all assignments through to completion
- Conveys an appropriate appearance by consistent adherence to departmental/hospital dress code regulations
- Follows scheduled breaks and meals in the allotted amount of time
- o Demonstrates familiarity with capabilities of information management system (Meditech)
- Demonstrates knowledge and application of appropriate support, padding, and restraining devices for the protection patients as needed
- Demonstrates knowledge of the appropriate instrument set and equipment needed for the patient
- Demonstrates knowledge and application of appropriate support for the adolescent/adult population undergoing a surgical procedure



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- Infection prevention
  - o Practices consistent hand hygiene
  - Uses personal protective equipment (PPE)
  - o Maintains current immunization for influenza
- Complies with Isolation precautions

DHP Printed Name:	DHP Signature:
Company/Vendor:	Date: