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Penny Blanchard, APRN
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Dear Mrs. Blanchard:

Pursuant to your request as to whether the RN or APRN may provide neurofeedback services, the Board rendered the following nurse practice opinion:

Board approves that it is within the scope of practice for the RN to provide neurofeedback services provided the RN has the necessary knowledge, skills, and abilities to perform the procedures safely and competently and the procedure is ordered by an authorized prescriber.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this communication.

Sincerely,

Barbara L. Morvant, MN, RN
Executive Director
Louisiana State Board of Nursing

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