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## PRACTICE COMMITTEE NOTICE

The Practice Committee will meet on **January 21, 2009 at 9:00 am** at the Conference Center of the Louisiana State Board of Nursing, located at 17373 Perkins Road, Baton Rouge, LA 70810.

## **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Minutes of the October 22, 2008 Practice Committee meeting
- 4. Old Business
  - 4.1 Update on PICC line rule making.
  - 4.2 Update on aesthetic and cosmetic procedures. (2<sup>nd</sup> mailing)
  - 4.3 Update on Discussion Item:

National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) Consensus Model for APRN Regulation Licensure, Accreditation, Certification and Education (July 7, 2008).

- 5. New Business:
  - 5.1 Request for Opinion:

Whether it is within the scope of practice for a registered nurse to independently monitor a patient during abdominal paracentesis, change bottle/collection device until flow of ascites fluid stops, remove trocar, and dress site, with physician in the endoscopy center.

(Digestive Health Center of Louisiana, Gastroenterology Associates, LLC)

5.2 Request for Opinion:

Whether it is within the scope of practice for a registered nurse working in the Recovery School District (RSD) to work with an unsupervised LPN "school nurse" employed by a Charter School sharing a common nursing station. (Recovery School District (RSD) New Orleans, LA.)

- 6. Announcements/Communications
  - 6.1 Communication from the LSNA (Louisiana State Nurses Association) regarding the practice of teaching and administering injectable medications by non-nurses specifically registered dietitians.
- 7. Adjournment