It's the law – 22 TAC § 225.13

DELEGATION DON'Ts

Nursing Tasks Prohibited from RN Delegation in Independent Living Environments for Clients with Stable and Predictable Conditions

- X Assessments requiring RN judgment, intervention, referral or follow-up
- X Formulation of a nursing care plan
- X Specific tasks in the nursing care plan and evaluation of the client's response
- X Responsibility and accountability of health teaching
- X Dose calculation*
- X Injectable medications†
- X Medications via a non-permanent tube
- X Receiving or requesting verbal or telephone orders related to medication administration
- X Initial medication doses‡

*See Rule 225.13(5)(A) for exceptions.

† See Rule 225.13(5)(B) for exceptions. ‡ See Rule 225.13(5)(E) for exceptions.

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