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QUESTION: Is it within the scope of practice of licensed practical nurses (LPN) to perform pulmonary artery pressure monitoring procedures?

The State Board of Nursing for South Carolina acknowledges that it is **NOT** within the role and scope of practice of the LPN to perform pulmonary artery pressure monitoring procedures.

This statement is an advisory opinion of the Board of Nursing as to what constitutes competent and safe nursing practice.