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QUESTION: Is it within the role and scope of responsibilities of the licensed practical nurse (LPN) to administer RhoGAM [rho (D) immune globulin (human)] or via the intramuscular (IM) route, Rhophylac [rho (D) immune globulin intravenous (human)]?

The State Board of Nursing for South Carolina acknowledges that it is within the role and scope of responsibilities of the licensed practical nurse (LPN) to administer via the intramuscular (IM) route either RhoGAM [rho (D) immune globulin (human)] or Rhophylac [rho (D) immune globulin intravenous (human)] as ordered by an authorized licensed provider. It is not within the role and scope of responsibilities of the licensed practical nurse (LPN) to administer Rhophylac [rho (D) immune globulin intravenous (human)] via the intravenous (IV) route.

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