**20:48:04.02:06.  Nursing tasks that may not be delegated to dialysis technician.** The following nursing tasks may not be delegated to a dialysis technician:

(1)  Initiation or discontinuation of dialysis via a central catheter except as authorized in § 20:48:04.02:10;

(2)  Administration of medications, except as authorized in § 20:48:04.02:05 or as delegated in accordance with §§ 20:48:04.01:09 to 20:48:04.01:13, inclusive;

(3)  Administration of blood or blood products;

(4)  Acceptance of medical orders.

(5)  Assessments that require professional nursing judgment, intervention, referral, or follow-up;

(6)  Formulation of a plan of nursing care and evaluation of the client's response to the care rendered;

(7)  Specific tasks involved in the implementation of a plan of nursing care that require nursing judgment or intervention; and

(8)  Health counseling or teaching.

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