## **RÉSUMÉ DIGEST**

## ACT 295 (HB 702) 2020 Regular Session

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Existing law provides that a licensed practical nurse shall administer his job duties under the direction of a licensed physician, optometrist, or dentist acting individually or in his capacity as a member of the medical staff or registered nurse.

<u>New law</u> adds physician assistant as an individual who may provide direction to a licensed practical nurse to perform his necessary duties.

Effective Aug. 1, 2020.

(Amends R.S. 37:961(4))