## WISCONSIN NURSE AIDE CANDIDATE HANDBOOK COMPETENCY EXAM UPDATES LOG

Version #	Update Date	Updates Made
V69 V 68	November 1, 2023  July 1, 2023	Updates effective November 1, 2023  (PLEASE SEE THE HIGHLIGHTED STEPS IN THE CANDIDATE HANDBOOK)  Assisting a Resident with a Bedpan with Hand Washing Required (pages 42-43) Catheter Care for a Female Resident with Hand Washing Required (page 43) Dressing a Bedridden Resident with an Affected (weak) Side (pages 45-46) Positioning Resident in Bed on their Side (pages 50-51)  Updates effective July 1, 2023 Update to the Registry Reciprocity / Out-of-State Transfers information:
		Out-of-State Reciprocity procedure updated [pages 6-7]
V 67	June 12, 2023	Updates effective June 12, 2023:  Check/View Notifications Section added [pages 22-23]- instructions for candidates' reference to access messages within their TMU© record.  Identification Section [page 24]-  • Alien Registration Card (may contain a fingerprint in place of a signature)  • Work Authorization Card (may contain a fingerprint in place of a signature)  Knowledge Exam Section [page 31]-  • Scratch paper and calculators are not allowed during testing.
V 66	October 7, 2022	Changes effective for testing on October 7, 2022 are highlighted gray.  Screen shots and detailed information for navigating TMU© were added for ease of use.  TESTING ATTIRE: Visible tattoos and or body art must be covered to the greatest extent possible. REMOVED (page 23)
		Added - VIRTUAL KNOWLEDGE EXAM OPTION (pages 33-34)  UPDATES MADE TO THE FOLLOWING TASKS:  (PLEASE SEE THE HIGHLIGHTED STEPS IN THE CANDIDATE HANDBOOK)  Assisting a Resident to Ambulate using a Gait Belt (pages 36-37)  Assisting a Resident who is Dependent with a Meal (page 37)  Assisting a Resident with a Bedpan, Measure and Record the Output with Hand Washing Required (pages 38-39)  Catheter Care for a Female Resident with Hand Washing Required (page 39)  Foot Care for One Foot (pages 42-43)  Weighing an Ambulatory Resident: Will no longer be tested.
V 62	September 1, 2021	NEW TESTING ATTIRE: Fingernails need to be short (no longer than ¼ inch in length), well-kept (filed, no jagged edges) and clean.  TESTING ATTIRE OLD V61: Artificial nails are not allowed while testing. This includes, but is not limited to, extenders, bondings, acrylic tips, appliqués, wrapping, tapes, gels, fiber, or nail jewelry including glued or pierced. Natural fingernails should be short and well-kept and no longer than ¼ inch in length.

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**NEW TESTING POLICIES:** Foreign word-for-word translation dictionaries are allowed. No electronic dictionaries are allowed. Please see more detailed information under the Knowledge Test section.

TESTING POLICIES OLD V61: No translation dictionaries are allowed, either paper format or electronic.

NEW KNOWLEDGE EXAM: Foreign language paper word-for-word translation dictionaries are allowed and must be shown to the RN Test Observer at check-in (for both a virtual knowledge test and an on-site test event) and to the Knowledge Test Proctor when you enter the knowledge test room (on-site test event). If there is any writing or definitions, the translation dictionary will not be permitted to be used during testing. Electronic dictionaries are not allowed.

## ADDED NO SHOW EXCEPTIONS:

<u>Virtual testing issues</u>: D&SDT-HEADMASTER must be contacted within one business day via phone call, fax or email and appropriate documentation must be submitted within **three (3) business days** of the exam date. If we do not receive proof within the 3-business day time frame you will have to pay as though you were a No Show.

- Internet outage or issue: Documentation from Internet provider showing outage date and times.
- Computer or cell phone issue: If computer or cell phone fail to work for any reason, documentation from a computer repair technician/shop or other appropriate documentation.

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