

Virginia Board of Nursing

Cutting of Corns and Warts by RN's and LPN's

The cutting of corns and warts with a scalpel is the practice of medicine or podiatry and not within the scope of practice the Registered Nurse or Licensed Practical Nurse.

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