

OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE AND SUPERVISION

Definitions of Levels of Supervision

Supervise: To oversee for direction. Supervision implies that there is appropriate referral, consultation, and collaboration between the supervisor and supervised, with the physician/patient relationship remaining intact.

Direct Supervision: Requires the physical presence of the supervising physician in the office or operating suite before, during and after the treatment or procedure and includes diagnosis, authorization, and evaluation of the treatment or procedure with the physician/patient relationship remaining intact. "Direct Supervision" and "Supervision and Control" are synonymous in this law and these rules.

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