

**21 NCAC 06X .0109      STUDENT PRACTICAL WORK; CREDIT FOR OBSERVING AND SERVING  
AS A CLIENT**

(a) No practical work may be done by students attending a school certified by the Board except within the school premises and under the direct supervision of a licensed instructor.

(b) Hours of credit shall be given to a student for time spent as a client in the ratio of one hour of practical credit for every three hours as a client. The maximum hours of practical credit to be given a student for time spent as a client or observing will be 30 credit hours. Any student observing, or as a client, may receive either theory or clinical practice hours but not both for the same unit of time.

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