

# **Notice: Active Delegation Agreements**

All active delegation agreements will remain in effect and be considered equivalent to collaboration agreements starting October 1, 2024, until officially terminated.

Any changes to the practice or employment of a Physician Assistant (PA) working under an active delegation agreement are not permitted. If a PA needs to make any changes, they must enter into a collaboration agreement with one or more patient care team physicians, notify the Board of this executed collaboration agreement, and terminate the existing delegation agreement.

## **FAQs:**

**Q: Do I have to replace my active delegation agreement with a collaboration agreement by October 1st, 2024?**

**A:** No. Physician assistants are not required to change/update their current active delegation agreements to collaboration agreements if there is no change in the physician assistant's employment or practice.

**Q: What happens to my active delegation agreement with my supervising physician on October 1st, 2024?**

**A:** On October 1st, 2024, all active delegation agreements will remain active and be treated the same as a collaboration agreement until terminated.

**Q: Will existing delegation agreements ever have to transition to Collaboration Agreements?**

**A:** A physician assistant with an active delegation agreement does not need to transition to a collaboration agreement if there is no change in the physician assistant's employment or practice.

Any change to the employment or practice of the physician assistant that requires modification to the active delegation agreement will require the physician assistant to execute a collaboration agreement with one or more patient care team physicians, notify the Board of the executed collaboration agreement, and terminate the delegation agreement.

**Q: Can I modify my active delegation agreement?**

**A:** A delegation agreement may not be modified after October 1st, 2024. Any changes (practice setting, authority to prescribe or dispense, telehealth, etc.) to the physician assistant's employment or practice will require the execution of a collaboration agreement with one or more patient care team physicians, notification to the board of the execution of the collaboration agreement, and termination of the delegation agreement.