

Endocrine System Treatments and Procedures

Texas Administrative Code
Chapter 602 -- Procedures Requiring Full Disclosure of Specific Risks and Hazards--List A

§602.5 Endocrine System

(a) Thyroidectomy.

- (1) Acute airway obstruction requiring temporary tracheostomy.
- (2) Injury to nerves resulting in hoarseness or impairment of speech.
- (3) Injury to parathyroid glands resulting in low blood calcium levels that require extensive medication to avoid serious degenerative conditions, such as cataracts, brittle bones, muscle weakness and muscle irritability.
- (4) Lifelong requirement of thyroid medication.

(b) Parathyroidectomy.

- (1) Acute airway obstruction requiring temporary tracheostomy.
- (2) Injury to nerves resulting in hoarseness or impairment of speech.
- (3) Low blood calcium levels that require extensive medication to avoid serious degenerative conditions, such as cataracts, brittle bones, muscle weakness, and muscle irritability.

(c) Adrenalectomy.

- (1) Loss of endocrine functions.
- (2) Lifelong requirement for hormone replacement therapy and steroid medication.
- (3) Damage to kidneys.

(d) Other procedures.

(e) See also Pancreatectomy under §602.3 of this chapter (relating to Digestive System Treatments and Procedures).

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Chapter 603 Procedures Requiring No Disclosure of Specific Risks and Hazards--List B

§603.5. Endocrine System Treatments and Procedures.

No procedures assigned at this time.

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