

# Nevada State Board of **NURSING**

## **Disciplinary and Licensure/Certification Actions taken by the Nevada State Board of Nursing for the period of October 3, 2015, through November 12, 2015**

*Please note some disciplinary orders by the Board may not be effective yet due to legal notice requirements. Please call the Board office to obtain further information regarding the effective dates of these outcomes.*

**Abrera, Marlene, RN70400:** Agreement for Reprimand for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (27) failing to perform nursing functions in a manner consistent with established or customary standards.

**Anderson, Nicole, CNA017208:** Voluntary Surrender of Certificate in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(e) controlled substances and/or alcohol, (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, NAC 632.890 (12) privacy violation, (27) failing to perform nursing functions in a manner consistent with established or customary standards, (29) sexual conduct with patient or client, and (42) professional boundaries/social media.

**Applegate, Nancy, RN78643:** Voluntary Surrender of License in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(m) action in another state.

**Bashaw, Dianne, CNA019011:** Certificate revoked, may not apply for reinstatement for one year for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (11) positive drug screen as a condition of employment.

**Bernstine, Dorcas, CNA applicant:** Application denied for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(a) fraudulent application, and (1)(b) criminal conviction.

**Biegler, Tiffany, RN70572:** Agreement for Reprimand and Continuing Education for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, NAC 632.890 (16) failing to properly document controlled substances, and (27) failing to perform nursing functions in a manner consistent with established or customary standards.

**Borrero, Yanira, CNA applicant:** Order of Probation for three years for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(b) criminal convictions, and (1)(e) alcohol and/or controlled substances.

**Buntin, Nicole, RN70068:** Voluntary Surrender of License in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, (1)(o) failing to comply with a Board order, and NAC 632.320 (36) failing to comply.

**Bussiere-Bermeo, Bonnie Ann, CNA026646:** Renewal application denied for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, NAC 632.415 unprofessional conduct, and NAC 632.890 (26) violation of state/federal nursing law/regulation.

**Casanova, Dennis, RN63576:** Agreement for Reprimand and Continuing Education for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, NAC 632.890 (2) practice beyond scope, (24) failing to collaborate with health care team, and (27) failing to perform nursing functions in a manner consistent with established or customary standards.

**Cooper, Patricia, RN17506:** Agreement for Reprimand, Fine of \$500, and Continuing Education for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (30) failing to fulfill chief nurse duties.

**Culver, Janice, RN26063:** Agreement for Reprimand and Continuing Education for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, NAC 632.890 (20) inaccurate recording, and (27) failing to perform nursing functions in a manner consistent with established or customary standards.

**Dory, Heather, CNA021197:** Order for Reprimand, Fine of \$200, and Continuing Education for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(a) fraudulent application and (1)(b) criminal conviction.

**Fairchild, Kelsey, RN75850:** Voluntary Surrender of License in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(e) controlled substances and/or alcohol, (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, (1)(o) failing to comply with an order of the Board, and NAC 632.890 (36) failing to comply.

**Files, Nicole, RN76834:** Agreement for Probation for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (16) failing to properly document controlled substances.

**Gilger, Jazmine, RN34787:** Renewal application denied for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(a) fraudulent application and (1)(b) criminal conviction.

**Hall, Amy, CNA025837:** Voluntary Surrender of Certificate in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, (1)(o) failing to comply with a Board order, NAC 632.890 (10) positive drug screen on duty, and (36) failing to comply.

**Hamilton, Sarina, CNA applicant:** Application denied for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(b) criminal conviction.

**Harris, Judith, LPN06990:** Voluntary Surrender of License in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (37) practice without a license.

**Hochman, Susan, RN81877:** Voluntary Surrender of License in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, NAC 632.890 (2) performing acts beyond the scope of practice of nursing, (21) obtain, possess, furnish prescription drugs without authorization, and (27) failing to perform nursing functions in a manner consistent with established or customary standards.

**Hubbard, Laurie, CNA010500:** Renewal application denied for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, NAC 632.415 unprofessional conduct, and NAC 632.890 (26) violation of state/federal nursing law/regulation.

**Hunt, Lucretia, CNA032189:** Voluntary Surrender of Certificate in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(b) criminal conviction, (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, (1)(o) failing to comply with a Board order, and NAC 632.890 (36) failing to comply.

**Huttner, Laura, RN79235:** Order to accept the handwritten and notarized voluntary surrender of license for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(m) action in another state.

**Kerr, Peggy, RN38821:** Voluntary Surrender of License in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(c) conviction for violating industrial insurance and NAC 632.890 (26) violation of state/federal nursing law/regulation.

**Kintzler, Samantha, CNA022082:** Renewal application denied for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, NAC 632.415 unprofessional conduct, and NAC 632.890 (26) violation of state/federal nursing law/regulation.

**Leone, Amanda, RN66040:** Voluntary Surrender of License in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(e) controlled substances and/or alcohol, (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, (1)(o) failing to comply with an order of the Board, and NAC 632.890 (36) failing to comply.

**Litchfield, Shelby, RN26073:** Agreement for Reprimand and Fine of \$1,700 for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (37) practice without a license.

**Miller, Elizabeth, RN45836:** Agreement for Reprimand and Continuing Education for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, NAC 632.890 (20) inaccurate recording/falsifying, (25) failing to observe/report, (27) failing to perform nursing functions in a manner consistent with established or customary standards, and (40) medication error.

**Moala, Melissa, RN66606:** Voluntary Surrender of License in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(e) controlled substances and/or alcohol, (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, and NAC 632.890 (16) failing to properly document controlled substances.

**Monteclar, Emmanuel, CNA021764:** Voluntary Surrender of Certificate in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(b)(1) involving moral turpitude, (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, NAC 632.890 (27) failing to perform nursing functions in a manner consistent with established or customary standards, (29) sexual contact with a patient or client, (33) abuse of a patient, and (42) professional boundaries/social media.

**Moon, Catherine, LPN15502:** Renewal application denied for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(m) action in another state.

**Norberg, Erik, RN46157:** Agreement for Reprimand and Continuing Education for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (27) failing to perform nursing functions in a manner consistent with established or customary standards.

**Quesada, Monica, CNA032599:** Certificate revoked, may not apply for reinstatement for one year for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(o) failure to comply with a Board order.

**Smith, Christi, LPN12814:** Agreement for Reprimand for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (42) professional boundaries/social media.

**Stephen, Danielle, RN34783:** Voluntary Surrender of License in Lieu of Other Disciplinary Action for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(e) controlled substances and/or alcohol, (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, (1)(o) failing to comply with an order of the Board, and NAC 632.890 (36) failing to comply.

**Virgil, Thea, CNA applicant:** Application denied for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(b) criminal conviction.

**White, Melissa, RN77849:** Agreement for Reprimand for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (2) practicing beyond scope.

**Wright, Anthony, RN34778:** Order to accept the handwritten and notarized voluntary surrender of license for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (27) failing to perform nursing function in a manner consistent with established or customary standards.

**Yaeger, Olivalda, CNA005306:** Renewal application denied for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, NAC 632.415 unprofessional conduct, and NAC 632.890 (26) violation of state/federal nursing law/regulation.

**Zeme, Brian, RN63552:** Order for Fine of \$50 for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, NAC 632.415, and NAC 632.890 (26) violation of state/federal nursing law/regulation.

**Licenses/certificates suspended for any amount of time for violation of Board order. Check the most current license status on the Board's website as a suspension may be lifted if the nurse is in compliance:**

Baker, Kimberly, CNA023850

Kerr, John, CNA031634

Ortiz, Gerri, CNA027724

Peterson, Vicki, CNA091823

Rankin-Larue, Ann Marie, RN54666

West, Quintasha, CNA029051