

Nevada State Board of **NURSING**

BOARD MEETING MINUTES December 4, 2012

The Board Meeting of the Nevada State Board of Nursing was called to order by President Tish Smyer, DNSc, RN, at 8:37 a.m. on Tuesday, December 4, 2012, videoconferenced at Nevada State Board of Nursing, 5011 Meadowood Mall Way #300, Reno, NV 89502 and 2500 W. Sahara Ave., Suite 207, Las Vegas NV 89102.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Tish Smyer, DNSc, RN, President
Doreen Begley, MS, RN, Member
Jennifer Snidow, CNA, Member
Sandy Halley, Consumer Member

OTHERS PRESENT

Debra Scott, MSN, RN, FRE, Executive Director
Chris Sansom, MSN, RN Director of Operations
Fred Olmstead, General Counsel
C. Ryan Mann, RN, Application Coordinator
Keith Marcher, Chief Deputy Attorney General, Board Counsel
Jared Armstrong, Management Assistant
Cyndie Souza, Management Assistant

CALL TO ORDER – 8:37 a.m.

PUBLIC COMMENT: There were no public comments at the beginning of the meeting.

D. DISCIPLINE PROGRAMS

1. Applications (initial and renewal in question)

- ACTION a. Falley, Kimberly, CNA011223: Applicant was present. It was moved and seconded the Board accept the renewal application for certification. **MOTION CARRIED.**
- ACTION b. Victorio, Alea, CNA012038: Applicant was present. It was moved and seconded the Board accept the renewal application for certification. **MOTION CARRIED.**
- ACTION c. Morton, Yolanda, CNA applicant: Applicant was present. It was moved and seconded the Board deny the application for certification for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(b) criminal conviction and order the denial become part of the applicant's permanent record and be published and reported to all appropriate agencies. **MOTION CARRIED.**
- ACTION d. Ontiveros, Laura, LPN applicant: Applicant was present. It was moved and seconded the Board accept the application for licensure. **MOTION CARRIED.**
- ACTION e. Hampton, Brigitte, CNA applicant: Applicant was present. It was moved and seconded the Board accept the application for certification and issue an Order for Probation for one year for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(b) criminal convictions

- ACTION and order the disciplinary action become part of the applicant's permanent record and be published and reported to all appropriate agencies. MOTION CARRIED.
- ACTION f. Belluomini, Eddie, RN applicant: Applicant was not present. It was moved and seconded the Board accept the application for licensure. MOTION CARRIED.
- ACTION g. Blair, Patricia, CNA applicant: Applicant was present. It was moved and seconded the Board deny the application for certification for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(b) criminal convictions and order the denial become part of the applicant's permanent record and be published and reported to all appropriate agencies. MOTION CARRIED.
- ACTION h. Jones, Nina, CNA011415: Applicant was present. It was moved and seconded the Board accept the renewal application for certification and issue an Order of Reprimand, Fine of \$200 and that she take and successfully completed a board approved nursing documentation course and the National Council of State Boards of Nursing Nevada Nurse Practice Act course and order the disciplinary action become part of the applicant's permanent record and be published and reported to all appropriate agencies for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(m) previous Board action and (1)(o) failure to comply with Board order. MOTION CARRIED.
- ACTION i. Risley, Summer, RN applicant: Applicant was not present. It was moved and seconded this matter be continued to the January, 2013 Board meeting and request that Ms. Risley be present. MOTION CARRIED.
- ACTION j. Atchison, Brandie, CNA022612: Applicant was not present. It was moved and seconded the Board deny the renewal application for certification for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(b) criminal conviction and (1)(e) controlled substances and/or alcohol and order the denial become part of the applicant's permanent record and be published and reported to all appropriate agencies. MOTION CARRIED.

2. Settlement agreements

- a. Dunn, Lisa, RN22658: Consent Agreement for Fine of \$200 Renewal Applicant for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(a) fraudulent application and (1)(b) criminal conviction. Accepted under the Consent Agenda.
- b. Escalera, Juan, CNA018691: Consent Agreement for Fine of \$100 Renewal Applicant for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(a) fraudulent application and (1)(b) criminal conviction. Accepted under the Consent Agenda.
- c. Redmer, Cheri, RN13747: Consent Agreement for Fine of \$200 Renewal Applicant for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(a) fraudulent application and (1)(b) criminal conviction. Accepted under the Consent Agenda.
- d. Hadel, Susan, LPN14191: Agreement for Fine of \$300 and classes for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (37) practicing without an active license. Accepted under the Consent Agenda.
- e. Andries-Bay, Shawnette, RN19898: Agreement for Fine of \$600 for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (37) practicing without license/certificate. Accepted under the Consent Agenda.
- f. Solomon, Kathleen, RN08976, APN00438: Consent Agreement for Fine of \$200 Renewal Applicant for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(a) fraudulent application and (1)(b) criminal conviction. Accepted under the Consent Agenda.
- g. Winters, Stacy, CNA015470: Contract for Temporary Voluntary Surrender of Certificate for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(e) controlled substances and/or

- alcohol, (1)(g) unprofessional conduct and NAC 632.890 (18) diversion of equipment or drugs. Accepted under the Consent Agenda.
- h. Jackson, Donnie, RN applicant: Agreement for Monitoring for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(e) controlled substances and/or alcohol. Accepted under the Consent Agenda.
 - i. Bardini, Sally, LPN09687: Agreement for Probation for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(g) unprofessional conduct, (1)(k) falsified information to obtain a controlled substance, NAC 632.890 (21) obtain, possess, furnish prescription drugs without authorization and (26) violation of state/federal nursing law/regulation. Accepted under the Consent Agenda.
3. Successful completion of probation – No business
 4. Reinstatement of licensure/certification – No business
 5. Formal administrative hearings – No business
 6. Board-directed investigations – No business
 7. Ratification of staff denials – NRS 632.320 (1)(a) fraudulent application
 - a. Akuna, Cherise, CNA applicant: Applicant was not present. It was moved and seconded the Board ratify the staff denial of the application for certification for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(a) fraudulent application and (1)(b) criminal conviction and order the denial become part of the applicant's permanent record and be published and reported to all appropriate agencies. Approved under the Consent Agenda.
 - b. Concepcion, Justine, RN applicant: Applicant was not present. It was moved and seconded the Board ratify the staff denial of the application for certification for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(a) fraudulent application and (1)(m) action in another state and order the denial become part of the applicant's permanent record and be published and reported to all appropriate agencies. Approved under the Consent Agenda.
 8. Ratification of staff denials – NRS 632.320 (1)(b) convictions
 - a. Benford, Krystal, CNA applicant: Applicant was present. It was moved and seconded the Board ratify the staff denial of the application for certification for violation of NRS 632.320 (1)(b) criminal conviction and order the denial become part of the applicant's permanent record and be published and reported to all appropriate agencies. MOTION CARRIED.
 - b. This item was removed from the agenda.
 9. Special Action
 - a. This item was removed from the agenda.

ACTION

PUBLIC COMMENT – There were no public comments at the end of the meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 a.m. on December 4, 2012.