

Nevada State Board of
NURSING

**MINUTES OF THE
ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
Tuesday, August 7, 2018**

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of the Nevada State Board of Nursing
Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Advisory Committee was called to order
by
Sheryl Giordano, APRN-C, DNP, Chair
at 3:04 p.m. via videoconference at the Board of Nursing,
5011 Meadowood Mall Way, #300, Reno, Nevada, 89502 and the
Board of Nursing, 4220 So. Maryland Pkwy, #B300, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89119.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Cheryl A. Maes, PhD, MSN, APRN, FNP-BC
Patricia Strobehn, MSN, APRN, FNP-BC
Teresa Praus, MSN, APRN, FNP-BC
Paul Kapsar Jr, MSN, RN, APRN, FNP-BC
Aaron Bellow Jr., PhD, RN, APRN, FNP-BC
Jeanine Packham, DNP, ACNP-BC, CCRN-CMC, PHN
Rhone D'Errico, DNP, MSN, APRN-BC, FNP-C, PMHNP-BC, ENP-C

MEMBERS ABSENT

Maileen Ulep-Reed, MSN, APRN, FNP-BC
Pamela Burgio, MSN, RN, APRN, PNP

OTHERS PRESENT

Sheryl Giordano, APRN-C, APRN Consultant/Investigator, Chair
Kimberly Arguello, General Counsel
Cydnee Cernas, Management Assistant

CALL TO ORDER: S. Giordano called the meeting to order at 3:04 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

It was moved and seconded that the minutes for the meeting from 05/08/2018, be approved as written.
Motion made by Paul Kapsar, and seconded by Cheryl A. Maes with one abstention from Rhone
D'Errico. MOTION CARRIED.

B. OLD BUSINESS:

1. Board Meeting follow-up: K. Arguello provided an update from the July 2018 Board meeting. Ms. Arguello provided information from the Board meeting pertaining to a new policy that was signed regarding the Advisory Committees. The Board voted to no longer have liaisons to Advisory Committees.

2. Legislative Update: K. Arguello gave a legislative update as follows.

a. There was an APRN workshop held August 08, 2018 regarding the APRN continuing education regulations pertaining to the new opioid and suicide prevention CE's that have been required by AB474. The regulation workshop for these regulations will be at the September 12-14, 2018 Board meeting.

b. The Board will be moving forward with legislation to implement the nursing compact (eNLC). The eNLC is for RNs and LPNs only. There is a separate APRN compact.

C. NEW BUSINESS:

1. The APRN sub-committee reviewed and discussed the revision of the Nevada State Board of Nursing Scope of Practice Decision Tree. Dr. Jeanine Packham, DNP, presented one of two models for improving the current Scope of Practice Decision Tree. Dr. Sheryl Giordano, DNP, NSBN staff presented the second model. Paul Kapsar had a concern with Dr. Packham's model specific to the idea that CE's (continuing education) do not expand the scope of practice. Further, Mr. Kapsar pointed out that he had an issue with Dr. Packham's version in the 4th box from the attachment indicating that NSBN does not regulate an organization's policies and procedures per-se. Further Paul Kasper recommended changing the verbiage "does the agency have a policy and procedure in place that support the scope of practice". Trish Strobehn, Dr. Aaron Bellow and Rhone D'Errico all collectively added comments about the CEs and scope of practice. Dr. Cheryl Maes discussed LACE and indicated would provide further documentation as related to scope of practice. Mr. Kapsar motioned to move forward with the NSBN's model as it was presented and move forward with Dr. Packham's after the collected comments for concern had been reviewed and addressed with the current version. Dr. Packham to revise and re-submit. Dr. Aaron Bellow seconded the motion. MOTION CARRIED to forward the scope of practice tree draft to NPAC and the LPN Committees.

D. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS

- P. Strobehn requested a follow up from various committees regarding the above discussion.

PUBLIC COMMENT - None

ADJOURNMENT – the meeting adjourned at 4:05 p.m.

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