Nevada State Board of Nursing

MINUTES OF THE
NURSING PRACTICE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
April 12, 2016

CALL TO ORDER
The committee meeting was called to order by C. Dinauer, MSN, RN, Executive Director, at 9:00 a.m., at the Board of Nursing offices via videoconference between 5011 Meadowood Mall Way, Ste. 300, Reno, Nevada 89502, and 4220 S. Maryland Parkway Ste. B300, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119.

MEMBERS PRESENT
Cathy Dinauer, MSN, RN, Executive Director, Chair
Mary Ann Brown, MSN, RN, Board Liaison
Deena McKenzie, MSN, RN, CNML, Board Liaison
Danielle Craperi, RN Ovidia McGinnis, LPN
Lori Roorda, RN M. Jeanne Hesterlee, RN
Gail Alexander, RN Marti Cote, RN
Margaret Kowiczyn, RN Cynthia Gorham, RN
Abbie Purney, APRN Anne Diaz, RN

MEMBERS ABSENT
Leanna Keith, MSN, RN Mary Brann, RN
Vicky Hardaway, RN

OTHERS PRESENT
Fred Olmstead, General Counsel
Kimberly A. Arguello, Deputy General Counsel
Sam McCord, BSN, RN, Director of Nursing Practice
Hillary Murphy, Executive Assistant
Christie Daliposon, Management Assistant

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

A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The corrected minutes of the February 9, 2016, meeting were reviewed and approved as written.

B. OLD BUSINESS
1. Report from the March 2016 Board Meeting: C. Dinauer reviewed the staffing changes because of C. Sansom’s retirement. C. Dinauer announced that S. McCord will be the committee chair for the Nursing Practice Advisory Committee starting at the next meeting.
C. NEW BUSINESS
   1. Orientation of new committee members: There were no new members to orient.
   2. Legislative update: F. Olmstead informed committee members that the Education, Advanced Practice Registered Nurse, and Licensed Practical Nurse Regulations were adopted and effective as of April 5, 2016. F. Olmstead informed committee members that the Board has chosen to bring the Enhanced Nurse Licensure Compact before the legislature at the 2017 Legislative Session. The committee discussed possible changes as a result of the Enhanced Nurse Licensure Compact.
   3. Review and discussion regarding the availability of IV certification course in Nevada: C. Dinauer informed committee members this issue was brought to the attention of the Board at the March Board Meeting. O. McGinnis explained availability of IV Certification Courses for LPNs in Northern Nevada is a problem, because it is either not available or the LPN must travel to Las Vegas. The committee discussed IV Certification for LPNs in Nevada.

D. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING:
   • S. McCord proposed a possible practice decision request brought forth regarding APRNs providing women’s health screenings and sexually transmitted disease testing via telemedicine with the help of a qualified and competent RN.
   • O. McGinnis informed the committee there may be discussion coming to the committee to provide more clarity in the definition between assessments.

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

ADJOURNMENT - The meeting was adjourned at 9:42 a.m.