

Nevada State Board of **NURSING**

DISABILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Thursday October 17, 2019

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of the Nevada State Board of Nursing Disability Advisory Committee was called to order by Sherri Twedt, BSN, RN, at 9:03 a.m. via videoconference at the Board of Nursing, 5011 Meadowood Mall Way, # 300, Reno, Nevada, 89502 and the Board of Nursing, 4220 S. Maryland Pkwy, Ste. B300, Las Vegas, NV 89119.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Sherri Twedt, BSN, RN Compliance Coordinator, Chair
Rebecca Gebhardt, DNP, APRN, Member
Beth Kiehn, APRN, Member
Toril Strand, BA, RN-C, Member
Susan O'Day, MEd, RN, CPAN, Member
Richard Angelastro, MS, RN, Member

MEMBERS ABSENT

Susan Hubbard, MS, BS, RN, Member
Peggy Cullum, BSN, RN, Member

OTHERS PRESENT

Stacy Shaw, Management Assistant
Sam McCord, BSN, RN, Director of Nursing Practice

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 9:02 a.m. by Sherri Twedt, Compliance Coordinator, Chair.

PUBLIC COMMENT: No public comment.

A. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** The minutes from the July 18, 2019 were approved as written.

B. **NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Review and discussion of the September 2019 Board follow-up along with the annual statistics presented by S. McCord.
2. Evaluations were submitted by the committee members present.

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C. OLD BUSINESS:

1. Review and discussion regarding the development of Board processes to support nurses and CNAs in monitoring programs with dual diagnosis. The screening questions were accepted with recommended changes. Motion carried.

D. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING:

1. Review, discussion, and possible action on research for 5-year monitoring agreements. What the best practices for substance use disorders for nurses and how long should they be on agreement. Starting with inpatient vs. outpatient treatment and if 180 hours of treatment is enough treatment.
2. Review, discussion, and possible action for 2020 DAC calendar.

PUBLIC COMMENT: S. Twedt talked about the Opioid Summit with the Governor.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 10:49 a.m.

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