

Nevada State Board of NURSING

BOARD MEETING AGENDA

DATE AND TIME January 20-21, 2021. The Board meeting will commence at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, January 20, 2021, continuing until all Board business is completed.

VIDEO/TELECONFERENCE Audio Conference Number: 1 775-321-6111
Phone Conference ID: 774 689 874#

To join the meeting via video, please click here: [NV State Board of Nursing Board Meeting](#)

PHYSICAL LOCATION None

On March 22, 2020, Nevada Governor Steve Sisolak signed Declaration of Emergency Directive 006. Section 1 of that Emergency Directive suspended the requirement contained in NRS 241.023(1)(b) that there be a physical location designated for meetings of public bodies. Section 3 of that Emergency Directive suspended the requirements contained in NRS 241.020(4)(a) that public notice agendas be posted at physical locations within the State of Nevada.

This meeting of the Nevada State Board of Nursing will take place exclusively through telephonic means based upon Nevada Governor Steve Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency in the State of Nevada in response to COVID-19, and upon the Nevada State Board of Nursing's obligation to timely conduct Board business.

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- Items on the agenda may be taken out of order.
- The Board may combine two or more agenda items for consideration.
- The Board may remove an item from the agenda or delay discussion relating to an item on the agenda at any time.
- Consent agenda items are shown in italics

The mission of the Nevada State Board of Nursing is to protect the public's health, safety, and welfare through effective regulation of nursing.

Public Comment Procedure:

1. Pursuant to Emergency Directive issued by Governor Sisolak, public comment may be made telephonically or via email at **nsbnpubcom@nsbn.state.nv.us**;
2. To provide public testimony by telephone during public comment, members of the public may call the toll number above. For those who would like to listen to the meeting, please make sure to mute your phone once you join the meeting;
3. Public Comment will be taken at the beginning and at the end of every day of the Board meeting;

4. Public Comment may also be taken at other such times as requested so long as the request that Public Comment be taken will not interrupt ongoing Board business;
5. Depending on the number of individuals wishing to address the Board, a reasonable time, place, and manner limitation on the public comments may be set;
6. The Board will not restrict comments based upon viewpoint;
7. The Board reserves the right to limit Public Comment to three minutes;
8. No action may be taken upon a matter raised during Public Comment until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken.

CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMENT

A. BOARD GOVERNANCE AND ADMINISTRATION

**For
Possible
Action**

1. *Approval of Board Meeting Minutes: November 18-19, 2020*
2. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding support for changes to NRS.442.250 to include APRNs in the definition of practitioners to be authorized to perform abortions
3. Review, discussion, and action regarding possible settlement of Ryan and Liscio v. State of Nevada Ex Rel., Nevada State Board of Nursing
4. Review and discussion of legislative updates
5. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding reconsideration of Board decision to hold July 2021 Board meeting in rural location
6. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding FY 2020/2021 projected revenue loss of RN/LPN late fees
7. Executive Director Report
8. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding proposed revisions to the Nevada State Board of Nursing Yes Answer policy
9. Review and discussion on FY 2019/2020 NSBN Annual Statistics report
10. *Review and discussion of Goals and Objectives FY 2020/2021*
11. Review of 2020 Customer Satisfaction Survey results
12. Review and discussion regarding students with disabilities

B. NURSING PRACTICE

**For
Possible
Action**

1. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding appointment to the Nursing Practice Advisory Committee:
 - a. Laura Kennedy, RN21452 (Reappointment)

C. EDUCATION

**For
Possible
Action**

1. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding approval of Las Vegas College's LPN Program 6-month report and continued provisional approval
2. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding Unitek College request for installment of Dr. Sandra Olguin as Assistant Dean of Nursing over the Reno campus. She will have campus oversight of the Practical Nursing and BSN programs
3. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding approval of Unitek College's LPN and BSN Program 6-month report and continued provisional approval
4. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding Truckee Meadows Community College Nursing Assistant Program request to reduce course hours from 168 hours to 120 hours
5. Review and discussion, regarding Headmaster CNA Certification Exam pass rates by program for 4th Quarter 2020 and Annual Pass rate for 2020

6. Review and discussion, regarding the NCLEX year-to-date first-time pass rates, Nevada scores benchmarked against national scores for 4th quarter 2020 and Annual Pass rates for 2019 and 2020
7. Review and discussion regarding the NCLEX year-to-date first-time pass rates for 4th quarter 2020
8. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding approval of Nightingale College's 6-month report and continued provisional approval
9. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding the request for approval for the Sonder CNA Training LLC
10. Review, discussion, and possible action on Nightingale College BSN Program's request for substantive curriculum change which includes moving all labs to an online format
11. Review, discussion, and possible action on Nightingale College BSN Program's (Las Vegas Campus) request for approval as an Out-of-State Nursing Program to use clinical sites in Nevada

DISCIPLINE PROGRAMS

**For
Possible
Action**

1. Applications (initial and renewal in question)
 - a. *Cavaiani, Nicholas, CNA025831*
 - b. Kelley, Rodger, RN applicant
 - c. King, Kenyoda, RN applicant

**For
Possible
Action**

2. Settlement agreements
 - a. *Syphus, Deborah, RN62604*
 - b. *Means, Ariane, RN78161*
 - c. *Nellis, Scott, RN14878*
 - d. *Raper, Lorinda, RN50609*
 - e. *Rhodes, Jessica, CNA026016*
 - f. *Oneal, Tamika, CNA030516*
 - g. *Call, Katie, LPN17846*

**For
Possible
Action**

3. Formal administrative hearings
 - a. Arrey, Carla, LPN14513
 - b. Brown, Ashlee, CNA31080
 - c. Horton, Ryan, RN81137
 - d. Miranda, Ariana, CNA816674
 - e. Novick, Elena, RN67552
 - f. Rehtzigel, Deanna, RN47462
 - g. Rich, Nikema, LPN13875
 - h. Taylor Sanderson, Leora, APRN002548

**For
Possible
Action**

4. Special Action
 - a. Montgomery, Karri, RN41233 - Reconsideration Request
 - b. Sharon Schwartz-Kranich, LPN11144 - Reinstatement Applicant
 - c. Baylock, Cheryl, RN832979 - Reconsideration Request
 - d. Khachadrian, Michelle, RN applicant – Reconsideration Request

**For
Possible
Action**

E. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR AGENDA ITEMS FOR FUTURE BOARD MEETINGS

PUBLIC COMMENT

ADJOURNMENT

Consent Agenda items shown in italics

****Pursuant to NRS 241.030(1), The Nevada State Board of Nursing may conduct a closed meeting to consider the character, allegations of misconduct, professional competence, or physical and mental health of a person.**

Anyone desiring additional information regarding the meeting, including information on how to obtain supporting board meeting material is invited to call Jan Hewitt at (775) 687-7740. Supporting material for the public body is available on the Nevada State Board of Nursing's website, located at www.nevadanursingboard.org. The Board of Nursing complies with A.D.A. requirements; persons requiring special equipment or considerations are requested to contact the Board's administrative office at least five days in advance of the meeting.

NOTICES POSTED AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS

www.nevadanursingboard.org

www.notice.nv.gov

January 13, 2021

