

Nevada State Board of **NURSING**

MINUTES OF THE NURSING PRACTICE ADVISORY SUBCOMMITTEE

Thursday, December 15, 2022

CALL TO ORDER

The committee meeting was called to order by Cathy Dinauer, Executive Director, at 3:00 p.m., at the Board of Nursing offices via video conference between 5011 Meadowood Mall Way, Ste. 300, Reno, NV, 89502 and 4220 S. Maryland Parkway, Ste. B300, Las Vegas, NV.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Laura Kennedy, RN, BSN, MBA
Nettie Kinder, RN
Pamela Adzima, MHA, BSN, RN

MEMBERS ABSENT

OTHERS PRESENT

Cathy Dinauer, Executive Director, Chair
Cydnee Perez, Management Assistant
Debra Fox, University Medical Center
Heather Spaulding, University Medical Center
Allan Schwartz, Public Member

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order by C. Dinauer at 3:00 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

- Allan Schwartz discussed the class outline that was distributed to the committee for review. A. Schwartz wanted to let the committee know that nitrous oxide is extremely safe and learnable; he feels that having someone with an advanced practice degree in nursing is an unnecessary step and thinks that any licensed professional can learn to use it. Nitrous oxide is a safe and effective drug.
- Allan Schwartz asked if BLS would be a requirement.
- Allan Schwartz asked if it would be mentioned that it is appropriate to administer nitrous oxide with local anesthetic but not a moderate sedation agent.
- Allan Schwartz asked if anything would be included in the draft to outline the requirements for training in the knowledge base for nitrous oxide.

A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: L. Kennedy Motioned to approve November 7, 2022, minutes as written. P. Adzima Seconds. Motion Carried

B. OLD BUSINESS:

1. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding the proposed practice decision request titled: Nitrous Oxide/Oxygen administration outside the operating room. L.

Kennedy Motioned to move forward with the practice decision draft and present to the next Nursing Practice Advisory Committee with the revisions and discussions, including the competencies highlighted in blue. N. Kinder Seconded. Motion Carried.

C. NEW BUSINESS: No Business

D. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR AGENDA ITEMS FOR THE NEXT MEETING:

PUBLIC COMMENT:

- Allan Schwartz thanked the committee for allowing him to join the meeting.
- C. Dinauer thanked everyone for attending and for all the work, comments, and discussion that's taken place to draft the practice decision.

ADJOURNMENT- The meeting was adjourned at 4:13 p.m.

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AGENDA NURSING PRACTICE ADVISORY SUBCOMMITTEE

Thursday, December 15, 2022, at 3:00 p.m.

THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD VIRTUALLY ONLY

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The Nursing Practice Advisory Subcommittee meeting will commence at 3:00 p.m. on December 15, 2022.

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

The mission of the Nursing Practice Advisory Committee is to advise the Nevada State Board of Nursing on nursing practice issues to protect the public's health, safety and welfare through the effective regulation of nursing.

Public Comment Procedure:

1. Public comment may be made in person at the meeting, 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 committee 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 committee business;
5. Depending on the number of individuals wishing to address the committee, a reasonable time, place, and manner limitation on the public comments may be set. The committee will not restrict comments based upon viewpoint;
6. The committee Chair reserves the right to limit Public Comment to three minutes;
7. 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.

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PUBLIC COMMENT

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PUBLIC COMMENT

ADJOURNMENT

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