

Nevada State Board of NURSING

MINUTES OF THE
ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Tuesday, August 13, 2024

CALL TO ORDER

The committee meeting was called to order by Kerry Palakanis, DNP, FNP-C, APRN, APRN Consultant and Investigator and Chair, at 3:00 p.m., virtually via Teams.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Danielle Barisone, MSN, APRN-FA, AGPCNP-BC, CNOR
Amanda Cormican, RN, APRN, CPNP-PC
Rhone D'Errico, DNP, MBA, APRN, FNP-BC, PMHNP-BC, ENP-C, CNE, ACUE
Crystal Huffaker, DNP, APRN, FNP-BC
Samantha Peckham, DNP, APRN, AGACNP-BC, FNP-BC, ENP-C, CNE, ACUE
Karen Wagner, MS, PNP, FNP-BC
Greg Jones CRNA, MS, BSN
Dominic M. Etli, DNP, MSN, APRN

MEMBERS ABSENT

Andrea Hill DNP, APRN, FNP-BC
Rebecca Scarpa, DNP, APRN

OTHERS PRESENT

Kerry Palakanis, DNP, FNP-C, APRN, Chair
Fred Olmstead, General Counsel
Cathy Dinauer, Executive Director
Cydnee Perez, Audit Investigator
Erin Ellis, APRN
Kevin Speed, General Counsel for Flawless Med Spa
Larry Wagner, Clinical Specialist
Alex Tanchek, Silver State Government Relations
Sabrina Schnur, Belz & Case Government Affairs

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PUBLIC COMMENT: R. D'Errico has requested the Board post updated NAC changes to the Boards website to help APRN's stay in compliance with new regulation requirements related to continuing education and renewal requirements.

- A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: D. Etli motioned to approve the February 13, 2024 minutes as written. C. Huffaker Seconded. Motion Carried.

B. OLD BUSINESS: No Business

C. NEW BUSINESS:

1. E. Ellis presented the practice decision request related to addressing the APRN scope of practice in performing water-jet assisted liposuction and lipotransfer. R. D' Errico has motioned to continue the practice decision to the next committee meeting so that further research can be done. K. Wagner Seconded. Motion Carried.
2. The discussion regarding APRN scope of practice relating to surgical procedures has been continued to the next committee meeting.
3. Cathy Dinauer gave an update from the July 2024 Business Board meeting. Board elections took place Cheryl Maes was elected Board President, Elizabeth Trilops was elected Vice President and Elizabeth De Leon-Gamboa was elected Secretary. C. Dinauer further discussed the Board members received training from the Director of the Nevada Commission on Ethics. The annual goals and objectives were reviewed and approved along with the annual budget. C. Dinauer had her annual evaluation and new committee members were appointed to the Nursing Practice Advisory Committee. C. Dinauer gave an update on SB431 regarding combining and consolidating of all occupational boards.

D. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE AGENDA ITEMS FOR November 19, 2024:

- C.1
- C.2

PUBLIC COMMENT: R. D'Errico announced that he is attending his last committee meeting, he has been serving on the committee since 2018 and has completed his final term. He stated it has been a great privilege and is grateful for being involved.

ADJOURNMENT: 4:00 p.m.