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NEVADA STATE BOARD OF NURSING

MEETING MINUTES
LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Thursday, February 19, 2026

The Nevada State Board of Nursing Licensed Practical Nurse Advisory Committee Meeting was called to order by Sam McCord, RN, BSN, Director of Investigations and Discipline, at 9:00 a.m. on February 19, 2026, via video and telephonic conferencing.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Christy Coss, RN
Cheri Crumley, LPN
Janai McFarland, LPN

MEBERS ABSENT

Carl Balcom, DNP, MBA, RN, NEA-BC, CHE, FACHE
Samantha Polfer, BSN, RN, CCHP-RN

OTHERS PRESENT

Sam McCord, Director of Investigation and Discipline (Chair)
Gabriela Hernandez-Aguilar, Management assistant
Cathy Dinauer, Executive Director
Fred Olmsted, General Counsel
Michael Stiller, Guest
Miriam Roesler, Guest
Roberto Hernandez, Guest

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by Sam McCord at 9:00am.

Public Comment: None.

A. Approval of Minutes: Member Crumley made a motion to approve the minutes for December 4, 2025 as written. Member McFarland seconded the motion. Motion passed.

B. Old Business: None.

C. New Business:

1. Cathy provided a summary of the January 2026 Board meeting. Two board members, Ovidia McGinnis (LPN member) and Rochelle O'Driscoll (consumer member), completed their terms and were recognized at the January board meeting. We welcomed two new members: Sylvia Acosta (LPN member) and Sherry Glockner (consumer member). A regulation hearing was held regarding RN and APRN delegation and supervision of MAs. The board adopted the regulation as written. The next step is review by the Legislative Commission on February 26, 2026. The board approved practice decisions related to physician involvement and a school nurse regulation on nasal suctioning. Several appointments and reappointments to advisory committees were also made. The Education agenda focused on review of nursing and CNA programs. The meeting concluded with scheduled hearings.
2. Sam reviewed the scope of practice trends for the first and second quarters of 2025-2026
3. Training was provided on public meeting law and committee procedural responsibilities by McCord.
4. Future meetings were rescheduled to Tuesdays. Member Crumley made a motion to approve the changes. Member McNary Seconded the motion. Motion passes.
5. The practice decision titled *Postmortem ENUCLEATION* remains rescinded.

Recommendations for Agenda Items for Future Committee Meeting: May 26, 2026: Review and discuss the practice decisions titled *PICC line*.

Public Comment: None.

Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 9:36am. on Thursday February 19, 2026