



**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY
OFFICE OF NEVADA BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND COUNCILS STANDARDS**

NEVADA STATE BOARD OF NURSING

BOARD MEETING AGENDA

September 16-17, 2026
Nevada State Board of Nursing, Conference Room
6005 Plumas St., Suite 101
Reno, Nevada 89519

The Board meeting will commence at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, September 16, 2026, continuing at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, September 17, 2026, until all Board business is completed.

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Public Comment Procedure:

1. Public Comment will be taken at the beginning and at the end of every day of the Board meeting; public comment may be made in person at the meeting, virtually, telephonically at 775-321-6111 and press Phone Conference ID 179 734 522#, or via email at **nsbnpubcom@nsbn.state.nv.us**.
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4. Those individuals wishing to present public comment are asked to state and spell their name prior to providing public comment.
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: July 15-17, 2026.*
2. *Review, discussion, and possible action regarding FY 2026/2027 Goals and Objectives.*
3. *Review, discussion, and possible action regarding NSBN Staff/Board conference/training report.*
4. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding moving the July 14-16, 2027, board meeting to July 21-23, 2027.
5. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding moving the March 10-11, 2027, board meeting to March 17-18, 2027.
6. Review and discussion regarding the acknowledgement of Cathy Dinauer for her service to the Nevada State Board of Nursing.
7. *Review, discussion, and possible action regarding FY 2025/2026 annual statistics.*
8. Review, discussion and possible action regarding the next procedural steps in the hiring process for the Executive Director.

B. NURSING PRACTICE

**For
Possible
Action**

1. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding application for appointment to the Education advisory Committee.
 - a. Lisa Thomas, RN24107
 - b. Sheryl Bennett, RN66427

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2. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding application for appointment to the CNA and Medication Aide Advisory Committee.
 - a. Niculina Cristina Popa, RN91710
 - b. Kevin Mercado, CNA 868984
3. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding application for re-appointment to the Education Advisory Committee,
 - a. Dawn Horton, RN45795
4. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding proposed revisions made by the Board on July 15, 2026, to the Nevada State Board of Nursing Practice Decision titled: The Role of LPN Regarding Central Venous Lines.
5. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding reappointment to the Licensed Practical Nurse Advisory Committee.
 - a. Cheri Crumley, LPN14006
6. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding reappointment to the Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Advisory Committee
 - a. Rebecca Scarpa, APRN000753

C. EDUCATION

**For
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Action**

1. Review, discussion, and possible action related to Unitek College's request to remove approval for their Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) program.
2. Review, discussion, and possible action related to Unitek College's request to increase enrollment of the Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program to 210 total students.
3. Review, discussion, and possible action related to Unitek College's request for approval of the Direct-entry Master of Science in Nursing (DMSN) program with maximum enrollment of 60 students.
4. Review, discussion, and possible action related to Unitek College's request for approval of Dr. Kezia Lilly as the interim program director for the Direct-entry Master of Science in Nursing (DMSN) program.
5. Review, discussion, and possible action related to Unitek College's request to implement the updated National Practical Nursing Curriculum (PN 3.0) for Practical Nursing program with the March 2027 cohort, which includes refinement of course descriptions and sequencing and integration of Watson's Caring Science throughout the curriculum.

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6. Review, discussion, and possible action related to University of Nevada Reno Orvis School of Nursing's request for approval of the Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) track at University of Nevada Reno Lake Tahoe Campus.
7. Review, discussion, and possible action related to approval of Las Vegas College's Associates of Applied Science (AAS) Nursing Degree program's teach out plan.
8. Review, discussion, and possible action related to approval of Las Vegas College's Practical Nursing (PN) Program Conditional Approval report.
9. Review, discussion, and possible action related to Carrington College-Las Vegas Campus' Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) NCLEX status report.
10. Review and Discussion related to the RN Entry to Practice Roundtable Discussion

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11. Review and discussion related to 2026 2nd and 3rd quarter first-time NCLEX pass rates.
12. Review and discussion regarding CNA Certification Exam 2026 Credentia second quarter and Headmaster third quarter pass rates.
13. Review and discussion regarding updates of Headmaster as the new CNA test vendor.
14. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding approval of Gardnerville Health and Rehabilitation Nursing Assistant Training Program's submitted update on their remediation plan.
15. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding approval of Shiloh CNA School's submitted update on their remediation plan.
16. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding approval of Standards of Excellence's Nursing Assistant Training Program's submitted update on their remediation plan.

D. DISCIPLINE PROGRAMS

**For
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1. Applications (initial and renewal in question)
 - a. Atisele, Jude, RN47710
 - b. Gibbs, Candice, RN applicant
 - c. Greer, Misty, RN applicant
 - d. Jarvis, Mandy, RN applicant
 - e. Jelks, David, RN applicant
 - f. Jensen, Amy, RN/APRN applicant
 - g. Marble, Patience, CNA applicant
 - h. Nelson, Cheyenne, RN/APRN applicant
 - i. Smith, Latrice, CNA applicant
 - j. *Garcia, Corazon, CNA013368*
 - k. *Smith, Esther, CNA034209*
 - l. *Williamson, Brittany, CNA027998*
 - m. *Walters, Sara, CNA033576*
 - n. *Winters, Jimmitrice, CNA027996*
 - o. *Balingit, Annsandra, CNA 812990*
 - p. *Ambrosio, Kenneth Ray, CNA 810788*
 - q. *Ramdayal, Karen, CNA013497*
 - r. *Smith, Sharmaine, CNA036098*
 - s. *Williams, Lanisha, CNA 824573*
 - t. *Hall, Kevisha, CNA036762*
 - u. *Prentice, Belinda, CNA029758*
 - v. *Cuevas Vega, Beatriz, CNA035261*

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2. Settlement agreements
 - a. *Rangel Almanza, Brenda, RN 854221*
 - b. *Thomas, Jennifer, LPN 839092*
 - c. *Burroughs, Stephanie, LPN 832317*
 - d. *Falter, Bay-Ink-Raine, APRN 836624*
 - e. *Hancock, Susan, APRN002413*
 - f. *Price, Jessicka, APRN 827657*
 - g. *Aydin, Amanda, APRN001782*

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- h. *Perkins, Deborah, APRN 814887*
- i. *Enriquez, Lindsey, APRN002049*
- j. *Thomas, Alize, CNA 876545*
- k. *Maxie, Lashondar, LPN 820016*
- l. *Kon, Emily, RN87032*
- m. *Powell, Marti, RN 894054*

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- 3. Formal administrative hearings
 - a. Akioyame, Franklin, APRN001048
 - b. Anokwuru, Chinyere, APRN 889090
 - c. Bennett, Johnna, CNA 843223
 - d. Fairley, Robert, CNA035662
 - e. Knight, Haleigh, RN 814428
 - f. Mathew, Annie, APRN001223
 - g. Raini, Francis, APRN 813247
 - h. Saxton, Michael, CNA 886668

**For
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- 4. Special Action
 - a. Sosa, Cinthya, RN 849892 (Reinstatement)
 - b. Skibitzke, Michael, RN 813908 (Reconsideration)

E. RECOMMENDATIONS FOR AGENDA ITEMS FOR FUTURE BOARD MEETINGS

PUBLIC COMMENT

ADJOURNMENT

Consent Agenda items shown in italics

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