



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

NEVADA STATE BOARD OF NURSING

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING AGENDA

October 12, 2026
Nevada State Board of Nursing, Conference Room
6005 Plumas St., Suite 101
Reno, Nevada 89519

The Special Board meeting will commence at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, October 12, 2026, continuing until all Board business is completed.

To join by VIDEO/TELECONFERENCE:

<https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/234478149214757?p=05FUN4k2HKqfNdFfcR>

To join by meeting ID through Microsoft Teams:

Meeting ID: 234 478 149 214 757
Passcode: gC7RN3ht

To join by telephone:

Audio Conference Number: +1 775-321-6111
Phone Conference ID: 865 029 001#

**You may download an electronic copy of this agenda from our website by typing
in the website address provided below:**

<https://nevadanursingboard.org/board-meeting/>

- 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.
- For those who would like to listen to the meeting, please make sure to mute your phone once you join the meeting. Please only unmute when you are called upon to speak during the meeting.

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. 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 865 029 001# or via email at **nsbnpubcom@nsbn.state.nv.us**.
2. To provide Public Comment via video/teleconference, members of the public may join the meeting virtually or call the toll number above.
3. 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.
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. Review, discussion and action regarding interviews for the Executive Director position:
 - a. Kerry Palakanis, DNP, APRN, FNP-C
 - b. LaDonna Marsh, PhD, MSN, RN, CEN, FRE
 - c. Valerie Hall, MBA, RN

***For
Possible
Action***

2. Review, discussion, and possible action regarding the selection of the final candidate for the Executive Director position.

PUBLIC COMMENT

ADJOURNMENT

****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 Corina Jimenez at (702) 668-4524. Supporting material for the public body is located at 6005 Plumas St., Suite 100, Reno, Nevada, and 5820 S. Eastern Ave, Suite 200, Las Vegas, Nevada. Per NRS 241.020, persons/facilities desiring copies of the Board of Nursing agenda must submit their request in writing every six months. It is possible that an amended agenda, adding new items to the original agenda, will be published for any Board meeting. Amended notices will be posted in accordance with the Open Meeting Law; however,

they will not be mailed to individuals on the Board's mailing list. 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

Nevada State Board of Nursing website www.nevadanursingboard.org

Nevada Public Notices website www.notice.nv.gov

Nevada State Board of Nursing offices:

6005 Plumas St, Suite 100, Reno, Nevada, 89519

5820 S. Eastern Ave., Suite 200, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89119

Last updated: 10/6/2026