

Virginia Board of Nursing

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VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING

VIRTUAL BUSINESS MEETING

Final Agenda

Department of Health Professions, Henrico, Virginia 23233

Tuesday, May 18, 2021 at 9:00 A.M. – Quorum of the Board

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CALL TO ORDER: Marie Gerardo, MS, RN, ANP-BC; President

ESTABLISHMENT OF A QUORUM.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Staff Update:

- **Sylvia Tamayo-Suijk** accepted the Senior Discipline Specialist position (**replacing Darlene Graham**)

A. UPCOMING MEETINGS:

- The **VIRTUAL** NCSBN Board of Directors meeting is scheduled for June 9, 2021– Ms. Douglas will attend as president of NCSBN Board of Directors.
- The Committee of the Joint Boards of Nursing and Medicine **VIRTUAL** meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, June 16, 2021 at 9:00 am.
- The **VIRTUAL** NCSBN Board of Directors meeting is scheduled for July 12-14, 2021 – Ms. Douglas will attend as the President of NCSBN Board of Directors.

REVIEW OF THE AGENDA:

- Additions, Modifications
- Adoption of a Consent Agenda
- **CONSENT AGENDA**
 - B1** March 22, 2021 Formal Hearings*
 - B2** March 23, 2021 Business Meeting**

B3 March 24, 2021 Panel A – Formal Hearings*
B4 April 29, 2021 Possible Summary Suspension Consideration & Formal Hearings**

C1 Financial Report as of March 31, 2021*
C2 Board of Nursing Monthly Tracking Log*
C3 HPMP Report as of March 31, 2021*
C4 The Committee of the Joint Boards of Nursing and Medicine April 21, 2021 Business Meeting DRAFT minutes**
C5 The Committee of the Joint Boards of Nursing and Medicine April 21, 2021 Informal Conference DRAFT minutes**
C6 Executive Director Report

DIALOGUE WITH DHP DIRECTOR OFFICE– Dr. Brown and/or Dr. Allison-Bryan

B. DISPOSITION OF MINUTES – None

C. REPORTS

- Board of Health Professions May 13, 2021 Meeting – **Ms. Hershkowitz**

D. OTHER MATTERS:

- Board Counsel Update (**verbal report**)
- Informal Conferences for the second half of 2021 – **Ms. Morris**

E. EDUCATION:

- Education Update – **Ms. Wilmoth (verbal report)**

F. REGULATIONS/LEGISLATION– Ms. Yeatts

F1 Status of Regulatory Actions

F2 Chart of post – General Assembly Acts/Studies

F3 Adoption of Final Regulations for Prohibition on Conversion Therapy (18VAC90-19 and 30)

F4 Adoption of Final Regulations for Simulation in Nursing Education Programs (18VAC90-27)

F5 Revision of Guidance Documents (GDs) Cover Sheet

- **GD 90-4** *Opinion on how licensure as a nurse relates to service on a volunteer rescue squad**
- **GD 90-63** *Registered Nurses and Procedural Sedation***

10:00 A.M. – PUBLIC COMMENT

10:30 A.M. – PUBLIC HEARING on Proposed Regulations for Prescriptive Authority for Nurse Practitioners - Waiver of Electronic Prescribing (18VAC90-40-122)

- Proposed Regulations for Waiver for Electronic Prescribing**

11:00 A.M. – Changes to Certified Nurse Aide (CNA) and Nursing SRP Worksheet Presentation by Neal Kauder and Kim Small, VisualResearch

- Revised Sanctioning Reference Points for CNAs and Nurses Presentation**

1:00 P.M. – Presentation by Bonnie Price, DNP, RN, SANE-A, SANE-P, AFN-BC, Administrative Director, Bon Secours Richmond Health System, Community Health Advocacy

- Overview of the Human Trafficking Taskforce
- Massage Therapy Sexual Assault/Boundary Violation Cases – Understanding the Impact on Victims

2:00 P.M. – AGENCY SUBORDINATE RECOMMENDATION CONSIDERATION

- #1 – Sandra Fontana, LPN*
- #2 – Anne Coppedge Gill, RN*
- #3 – Melinda Faye Brown, RN**
- #4 – Adewumi Solomon Adesina, RN**
- #5 – Yasmine Aba Acquah, LPN**

How to

G. CONSENT ORDERS: (Closed Session)

- G1 – Xu Zhang, LMT*

3:30 P.M. - POSSIBLE SUMMARY SUSPENSION CONSIDERATION

- TBD

MEETING DEBRIEF

ADJOURNMENT

(* mailed 4/28) (** mailed 5/6)

Public Hearing

Proposed Regulations - Waiver for Electronic Prescribing

No Board action

18VAC90-40-122 Waiver for electronic prescribing

A. Beginning July 1, 2020, a prescription for a controlled substance that contains an opioid shall be issued as an electronic prescription consistent with § 54.1-3408.02 of the Code of Virginia, unless the prescription qualifies for an exemption as set forth in subsection C of § 54.1-3408.02.

B. Upon written request, the boards may grant a one-time waiver of the requirement of subsection A of this section for a period not to exceed one year, due to demonstrated economic hardship, technological limitations that are not reasonably within the control of the prescriber, or other exceptional circumstances demonstrated by the prescriber.