

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
REGULATORY REVIEW COMMITTEE MEETING
Tuesday, January 23, 2024
Minutes**

Time and Place The Board of Nursing Regulatory Review Committee meeting was convened at 3:03 P.M. on January 23, 2024 in Board Room 4, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Henrico, Virginia.

**Committee
Members
Present**

Cynthia Swineford, RN, MSN, CNE, Chair
Yvette Dorsey, DNP, RN, Board Member
Robert Scott, RN, Board Member
Shanna W. Akers, EdD, MSN/MBA-HC, RN, CNE, NEA-BC, Virginia Nurses Association (VNA)
Christine Turner, PhD, RN, Virginia League for Nursing (VLN)
Chris-Tenna Perkins, PhD, RN, ANP, CNE, Virginia Association of Colleges of Nursing (VACN)
J. Anthony Williams, Ed.D., Virginia Department of Education (VDOE)

**Staff
Members
Present**

Jay Douglas, RN, MSM, CSAC, FRE, Executive Director
Jacquelyn Wilmoth, RN, MSN, Deputy Executive Director
Randall Mangrum, DNP, RN, Nursing Education Program Manager
Matt Novak, Policy and Economic Analyst, DHP

Public Comment No Public Comment

Review of Regulatory Process

Mr. Novak reviewed the committee charge.

Review of proposed changes to Chapter 27 – Regulations Governing the Nursing Education Programs

The committee reviewed 18VAC90-27-10 through 18VAC90-27-60 (E) to include committee feedback/suggestions for change from first meeting and suggestions from staff review. The committee had robust discussion regarding 18VAC90-27-40(A) and (C)(3)(a), as well as 18VAC90-27-60 (B) and (D).

During the discussion regarding 18VAC90-27-60 (D)(5), the committee provided feedback regarding graduate degree for didactic faculty was necessary for baccalaureate programs. The committee agreed the inclusion of 19VAC90-27-60(D)(5)(c) was very helpful for programs and would alleviate barriers in the hiring of clinical faculty.

Next Steps

The committee determined an additional meeting would be necessary to complete the review of Chapter 27. Mr. Novak confirmed a meeting in March 2023 would be acceptable to continue the process and shared by that time we would have an idea of bill progress during the General Assembly.

The committee was asked to save March 19, 2023 for the next committee meeting. Board staff asked the committee to retain their materials for the next meeting.

Meeting Adjourned 5:03 p.m.