

INDIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING

**Will meet on
Thursday, November 18, 2010
at 8:30 a.m.
in the Auditorium of the
Indiana Government Center-South
302 West Washington Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204**

I. CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM 8:30 a.m.

II. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

III. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES FROM THE OCTOBER 21, 2010 MEETING OF THE BOARD

IV. INDIANA STATE NURSES ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

V. EDUCATION

- A. University of Indianapolis – Proposal to begin a spring admission for 32 additional students.**
- B. FYI: Brown Mackie Fort Wayne: Appoint of Susan Holm, RN, MSN as Program Director for the Nursing Department**
- C. Ivy Tech Community College report; vote on Columbus ASN Accreditation**
- D. FYI: Ivy Tech Community College Bloomington: Celinda Kay Leach announces retirement.**
- E. FYI: ITT Technical Institute Newburgh: Program Chair Tamara Wilder retires, Sarah Seaton and Lucretia Trammill are acting as interim program directors.**
- F. FYI: MedTech College – Fort Wayne: ASN and LPN Program offering evening enrollment options.**
- G. MedTech College – Indianapolis: Site Visit Report and Recommendations from October 25, 2010 accreditation visit.**

VI. DISCUSSION

- A. Cristina Williams, R.N. License No. 28183505A (expired) – Request to voluntarily surrender**
- B. Juliann Lowe, LPN Exam Applicant, Personal Appearance**

VII. BOARD DIRECTOR REPORT

VIII. PERSONAL APPEARANCES 8:45 a.m.

Personal Appearance applicants will meet in the Auditorium but will be conducted by one or more Board Members in another conference center room concurrently with the administrative hearings scheduled for 8:45 a.m. The Board Member(s) conducting the personal appearance interviews will make recommendations to the full Board regarding their applications at the end of the full Board Meeting.

A. Appearances by Applicants for Licensure

- 1. Samantha King – Examination**
- 2. Chintan Patel - Endorsement**
- 3. Vernisha Grooms – Endorsement**
- 4. Cynthia Brady – Endorsement**
- 5. Relusta Johnson – Examination**
- 6. Kenya Threets – Endorsement**
- 7. Relusta Johnson – Examination**
- 8. Sheena Ervin – Examination**
- 9. Brook Lavignette - Examination**

B. Appearances by Applicants for Renewal

- 1. Tyna Clifton** License number: 27041893A
- 2. Cassandra Milligan** License number: 27055039A
- 3. LaDeena Varner** License number: 27050203A
- 4. Stephanie Willige** License number: 27058983A
- 5. Carla Dawson** License number: 27062357A
- 6. Tari Wolfe** License number: 27032122A
- 7. Jessica Russell** License number: 27057637A
- 8. Anthony Dix** License number: 27043331A
- 9. Rebecca Shank** License number: 27060337A
- 10. Debra Poynter** License number: 27026290A
- 11. Jennifer Lewis** License number 27061308A

12. Tonya Jean Wicker	License number: 27055984A
13. Lisa Marie Combs	License number: 27062163A
14. Angela Biddings	License number: 27050251A
15. Susan Jenkins	License number: 27044795A
16. Christopher King	License number: 27049930A
17. Johnniee Salyers	License number: 27024917A
18. Serina Winslow	License number: 27051961A
19. Lindsay Hilkey	License number: 27057910A
20. Thandiwe Zulu	License number: 27058592A
21. Bailey Leece	License number: 27063783A
22. Nancy Ann Polanco	License number: 27041522A
23. Candy Russell Hay	License number: 27028570A
24. Crystal Bonnländer	License number: 27058585A
25. Nathaniel Stone	License number: 27064870A
26. Penny Shorter	License number: 27031904A
27. Selina Buckles	License number: 27052349A
28. Nyoyokki Powers	License number: 27061034A
29. Shirley Hudson	License number: 28097794A

VIII. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

The following hearings are scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m. Cases will be heard on order of arrival, with the exception of agreements, which will be heard first. A sign-up sheet will be available at 8:00 a.m.

- A. State of Indiana v. Elizabeth Ellen Leon, R.N., License No. 28106735A**
Administrative Cause No. 2007 NB 0003
Re: Order to Show Cause
- B. In the Matter of the License of: Tina Klinedinst, R. N., License No. 28133813A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 215
Re: Order to Show Cause
- C. In the Matter of the License Application of: Vanessa Zolmer**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 226
Re: Petition for Review of Decision to Deny License Application
- D. In the Matter of the License Application of: Jamie Wilkins**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 227
Re: Petition for Review of Decision to Deny License Application
- E. In the Matter of the License Renewal Application of: Rosa Hodgson**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 228
Re: Petition for Review of Decision to Deny License Renewal Application
- F. In the Matter of the License of: Amy L. Blair, L.P.N., License No. 27060757A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 204
Re: Proposed Settlement Agreement
- G. In the Matter of the License of: L. Michelle Jansons, R.N., License No. 28123067A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 206
Re: Proposed Settlement Agreement
- H. In the Matter of the License of: Staci Heflin, L.P.N., License No. 27040953A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 168
Re: Settlement/Prehearing Conference
- I. In the Matter of the License of: Wendy Lea Harsha, R. N., License No. 28167213A**
Administrative Cause No. 2009 NB 245
Re: Order to Show Cause
- J. State of Indiana v. Laura Lee Harrold, L.P.N., License No. 27037424A**
Administrative Cause No. 2001 NB 0092
Re: Order to Show Cause
- K. In the Matter of the License of: Kelly Dianne Fritz, R. N., License No. 28155472A**
Administrative Cause No. 2008 NB 129
Re: Order to Show Cause

- L. State of Indiana v. Mary Beth Hoffer, R.N., License No. 28151545A**
Administrative Cause No. 2005 NB 0178
Re: Request to Withdraw Probation
- M. In the Matter of the License of: Jeffrey Cole, R.N., License No. 28094780A**
Administrative Cause No. 2009 NB 122
Re: Order to Show Cause
- N. In the Matter of the License of: Timothy Elsworth, R.N., License No. 28116874A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 158
Re: Settlement Conference
- O. In the Matter of the License of: Kevin Paul Wilson, L.P.N., License No. 27055029A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 205
Re: Settlement/Pre-Hearing Conference

The following hearings are scheduled to begin at 1:30 pm. Cases will be heard on order of arrival, with the exception of agreements, which will be heard first.

- P. In the Matter of the License of: Mary Jane Paul, R.N., License No. 28105286A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 164
Re: Proposed Settlement Agreement
- Q. In the Matter of the License of: Janice Ingle, R.N., License No. 28122855A**
Administrative Cause No. 2009 NB 189
Re: Disciplinary Hearing
- R. In the Matter of the License of: Michael Miller, L.P.N., License No. 27044831A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 201
Re: Disciplinary Hearing
- S. In the Matter of the License of: Christina Pedigo, L.P.N., License No. 27054745A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 130
Re: Settlement Conference
- T. In the Matter of the License of: Darleen Davoust., License No. 28100359A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 157
Re: Disciplinary Hearing
- U. In the Matter of the License of: Pamela Liggett, L.P.N., License No. 27060335A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 154
Re: Settlement Conference
- V. In the Matter of the License of: Pamela Smyth, R.N., License No. 28117763A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 159
Re: Disciplinary Hearing
- W. In the Matter of the License of: Lee Ann Power, R.N., License No. 28167779A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 212
Re: Settlement/Pre-Hearing Conference
- X. In the Matter of the License of: Harriet Lee Pennington, R.N., License No. 28113881A**
Administrative Cause No. 2008 NB 104
Re: Order to Show Cause
- Y. In the Matter of the License of: Carol Breen, R.N., License No. 28126291A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 187
Re: Settlement/Pre-Hearing Conference
- Z. In the Matter of the License of: Paula Watson, R.N., License No. 28126354A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 172
Re: Proposed Settlement Agreement
- AA. In the Matter of the License of: Rachael Henson, R.N., License No. 28192326A**
Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 145
Re: Request to Withdraw Probation

BB. In the Matter of the License of: Jennifer Haskin, L.P.N., License No. 27052186A

Administrative Cause No. 2008 NB 205

Re: Request to Withdraw Probation

CC. In the Matter of the License of: Debra Ann Bueche, R.N., License No. 28082544A

Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 185

Re: Extension of Summary Suspension

IX. DEFAULT HEARINGS

A. In the Matter of the License of: Jason Riley, L.P.N., License No. 27040346A

Administrative Cause No. 2002 NB 0090

Re: Notice of Proposed Default and Summary Suspension Order

B. In the Matter of the License of: Tameka Vironet, L.P.N, License No. 27059687A

Administrative Cause No. 2010 NB 155

Re: Notice of Proposed Default

X. ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE RECOMMENDATIONS FROM NOVEMBER 4, 2010 ALJ MEETING

A. In the Matter of the License of: Joan Sherry Kleaveland (Podjan), R.N., License No. 28104615A

Administrative Cause No. 2003 NB 0190

Re: Request to Withdraw Probation

Ms. Kleaveland did not appear and will be rescheduled for the December 16, 2010 Board Meeting for consideration of her request.

B. State of Indiana v. Angela M. Schwingle (Bucher), L.P.N., License No. 27039830A

Administrative Cause No. 2006 NB 0063

Re: Request to Withdraw Probation

Ms. Bucher appeared before Jerry Burghduff, acting as the Nursing Board's Administrative Law Judge, in regards to her petition to withdraw the probationary status from her license. The State of Indiana was represented by Deputy Attorney General Patricia Gibson. Mr. Burghduff found that the requirements of the Board's 5-22-08 order have been satisfied and recommended that the request to withdraw probation be granted.

C. In the Matter of the License of: Jamie Green, R. N., License No. 28192515A

Administrative Cause No. 2009 NB 149

Re: Request to Withdraw Probation

Ms. Green appeared before Jerry Burghduff, acting as the Nursing Board's Administrative Law Judge, in regards to her petition to withdraw the probationary status from her license. The State of Indiana was represented by Deputy Attorney General Patricia Gibson. Mr. Burghduff found that the requirements of the Board's 8-25-09 order have been satisfied and recommended that the request to withdraw probation be granted.

D. State of Indiana v. Lori Ann Geisleman (Crody), R.N., License No. 28121653A

Administrative Cause No. 2001 NB 082

Re: Request to Withdraw Probation

Ms. Crody appeared before Jerry Burghduff, acting as the Nursing Board's Administrative Law Judge, in regards to her petition to reinstate her suspended license. The State of Indiana was represented by Deputy Attorney General Patricia Gibson. Mr. Burghduff found that the requirements of the Board's 5-09-05 order have been satisfied and recommended that the request to reinstate her suspended license to active unrestricted status be granted.

E. In the Matter of the License of: Nichole Thompson, L.P.N., License No. 27060741A

Administrative Cause No. 2009 NB 020

Re: Request to Reinstate

Ms. Green appeared before Jerry Burghduff, acting as the Nursing Board's Administrative Law Judge, in regards to her petition to reinstate her suspended nursing license. The State of Indiana was represented by Deputy Attorney General Patricia Gibson. Mr. Burghduff found that the requirements of the Board's 6-23-10 order have been satisfied and recommended that the license be reinstated on an indefinite probationary status.

PERSONAL APPEARANCES

A. Appearances by Applicants for Renewal

30. Janet McFarland License Number: 27026145A
Ms. McFarland appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported a 2010 arrest for driving under the influence of a controlled substance. She is on criminal probation for one year. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be renewed free and clear.
31. Catherine Fisher License Number: 27043320A
Ms. Fisher appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported incidents involving termination for substance abuse. Ms. Narwold recommended that Ms. Fisher be assessed by ISNAP and that she sign an RMA if eligible. She will be renewed on a probationary status for at least one year of compliance with an ISNAP RMA if eligible. If she is not a candidate for ISNAP, she will be renewed free and clear.
32. Angie Manchinila License Number: 27057862A
Ms. Manchinila appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported disciplinary actions in her scope of employment as a nurse regarding documentation errors. She did not report an Ohio disciplinary action for prior felony conviction. Ms. Narwold recommended that her license be renewed.
33. Sarah Moehring License Number: 27060299A
Ms. Moehring appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported a December 2008 OWI arrest. This was her second OWI conviction. Ms. Narwold recommended that Ms. Moehring be assessed by ISNAP and that she sign an RMA if eligible. She will be renewed on a probationary status for at least one year of compliance with an ISNAP RMA if eligible. If she is not a candidate for ISNAP, she will be renewed free and clear.
34. Jill Davis License Number: 27026173A
Ms. Davis did not appear before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She is currently in full compliance with an ISNAP RMA which she has participated in since September 2009. Prior to entering ISNAP, she was terminated from employment for a positive drug screen for morphine and related criminal possession felony conviction. Ms. Narwold recommended that her license be renewed.
35. Heather Mason License Number: 27050424A
Ms. Mason appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported a termination for diversion of a controlled substance at her place of employment. She went into ISNAP but her RMA was closed in 2009 for noncompliance. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be renewed on a probationary status for at least 6 months of compliance with a renewed ISNAP RMA.
36. Sarah Congleton License Number: 27060855A
Ms. Congleton appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported 3 multiple incidents in her scope of employment at 2 separate facilities for errors in documentation and procedure regarding medications. Ms. Narwold recommended that her license be renewed free and clear.
37. Darla Springer License Number: 27052350A
Ms. Springer appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding a pending OWI charge. She is currently participating in ISNAP. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be renewed on probation for at least 6 months of compliance with her ISNAP RMA.
38. Lutisha Woods License Number: 27054708A
Ms. Woods appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported a conviction for OWI in 2009. She has a prior conviction for OWI in 1995. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be renewed free and clear.
39. Suzanne Kleifgen License Number: 27027965A
Ms. Kleifgen appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported a termination for substance abuse issues. She is on criminal probation for possession of controlled substances. She is in full compliance with an ISNAP RMA. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be renewed free and clear.
40. Sherry Montaro License Number: 27045465A
Ms. Montaro appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported a conviction for negligent homicide regarding a traffic accident. She has completed all the terms of her criminal probation. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be renewed free and clear.
41. Lacie Selke License Number: 27059041A
Ms. Selke appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported pending criminal charges for a domestic incident. Ms. Narwold recommended that Ms. Selke be assessed by ISNAP and that she sign an RMA if eligible. She will be renewed on a probationary status for at least one year of compliance with an ISNAP RMA if eligible. If she is not a candidate for ISNAP, she will be renewed free and clear.

42. Karen Gudeman License Number: 27022966A
Ms. Gudeman appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported a 2009 conviction for OWI for which she has completed her criminal probation. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be renewed free and clear.
43. Regina King License Number:
Ms. King appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported a 2009 conviction for OWI. She is on criminal probation for 2 additional years. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be renewed free and clear.
44. Kimberly Krutz License Number: 27038353A
Ms. Krutz appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported a felony OWI conviction, her second OWI conviction. She participated in ISNAP and completed the program successfully. Ms. Narwold recommended that her license be renewed free and clear.
45. Vicki Gerkin License Number: 27030631A
Ms. Gerkin appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported a conviction for trafficking with an inmate. She participated previously in ISNAP following Board discipline in 2004. Ms. Narwold recommended that her license be renewed free and clear.
46. Sandra Elliott License Number : 27058886A
Ms. Elliot appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She reported several disciplinary actions and terminations over the past 2 renewal cycles for medication errors and failure to comply with employer regulations. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be renewed on a probationary status for at least 6 months with bi-monthly employer reports (self-reports if unemployed), and completion of at least 24 contact hours of CE for nurses, 8 each in medication administration, documentation, and ethics.
47. Leigh Ann Wiley License Number: 27024099A (Expired 2006)
Ms. Wiley appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She has not practiced since 1998. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be renewed upon proof of registration in a nursing refresher course.
48. Priscilla Kreamelmeyer License Number: 28020407A (Expired 2005, 2nd request to appear)
Ms. Kreamelmeyer did not appear before the Board. Ms. Narwold and Mr. Burghduff recommended that she be contacted and offered a probationary license with her practice limited to parish and volunteer nursing.
49. Katrina Peronto License Number: 27051470A
Ms. Peronto appeared before Ms. Narwold regarding her application for renewal of licensure. She disclosed a termination for leaving during shift. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be renewed free and clear.

B. Appearances by New Applicants

50. Tracey Deegan – RN Endorsement
Ms. Deegan appeared before the Board regarding her application for licensure in Indiana by endorsement. Her Louisiana license is currently on a probationary status with requirement for substance use monitoring. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be issued on probation for the duration of an ISNAP RMA.
51. Maria Agtuca – RN Exam, graduated in 1996
Ms. Agtuca appeared before the Board regarding her application for licensure by examination. She graduated from nursing school in 1996 and has not passed the entrance exam on two previous attempts. Ms. Narwold recommended that she attend some refresher course or audit labs from a nursing program prior to being made eligible to exam.
52. Christopher Castello – RN Exam applicant
Mr. Castello appeared before the Board regarding his application for licensure by examination. He reports a 2001 forgery charge, 2002 OWI. Ms. Narwold recommended that he be made eligible to test and issued free and clear upon passing.
53. Thomas Loveless – RN Exam applicant
Mr. Loveless appeared before the Board regarding his application for licensure by examination. He reports a 2010 public intoxication arrest. Ms. Narwold recommended that he be made eligible to test and issued free and clear upon passing.
54. Natalie Myer – RN Exam applicant
Ms. Myer appeared before the Board regarding her application for licensure by examination. She reports incidents regarding her practice as a paramedic. Ms. Narwold recommended that she be issued. Free and clear.

XI. ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE RECOMMENDATIONS FROM OCTOBER 7, 2010 ALJ MEETING (DENIALS)

State of Indiana v. Nadine Pearish, R.N., License No. 28147530A

Administrative Cause No. 2000 NB 023

Re: Request to Reinstate

Ms. Pearish appeared before Jerry Burghduff, acting as the Nursing Board's Administrative Law Judge, in regards to her petition to reinstate her suspended license. The State of Indiana was represented by Deputy Attorney General Thomas McGee. Mr. Burghduff found that the requirements of the Board's 4-16-2002 order have not been satisfied and recommended that the request for reinstatement be denied.

State of Indiana v. Mona Hoffmann, L.P.N., License No. 27038377A

Administrative Cause No. 96 NB 046

Re: Request to Reinstate

Ms. Hoffman appeared before Jerry Burghduff, acting as the Nursing Board's Administrative Law Judge, in regards to her petition to reinstate her suspended license. The State of Indiana was represented by Deputy Attorney General Darren Covington. Mr. Burghduff found that the conditions imposed for reinstatement in the Board's 7-8-04 order have not been met and recommended that the request for reinstatement be denied.

In the Matter of the License of: John Murray, R. N., License No. 28150136A

Administrative Cause No. 2009 NB 186

Re: Request to Withdraw Probation

Mr. Murray appeared before Jerry Burghduff, acting as the Nursing Board's Administrative Law Judge, in regards to his petition to withdraw the probationary status from her license. The State of Indiana was represented by Deputy Attorney General Thomas McGee. Mr. Burghduff found that the conditions imposed for withdrawal of probation in the Board's 12-22-09 order have been met if Mr. Murray provides a copy of his Board Order signed by his employer by October 21, 2010, and recommended that the request for withdrawal of probation be granted if he does, otherwise it will be denied.

XI. ADJOURNMENT

Next Scheduled Meetings:

Thursday, December 2, 2010 – Administrative Law Judge Meeting

Indiana Government Center-South

Conference Room D

Thursday, December 16, 2010 - Full Board Meeting

Indiana Government Center-South

Auditorium