

Tennessee Board of Nursing
665 Mainstream Drive
Iris, Poplar, and Dogwood Rooms
Nashville, Tennessee

MINUTES

November 28-29, 2023

Tuesday, November 28, 2023

Martina Harris called the meeting to order at 8:32 a.m. in the Iris Room.

Roll Call and Quorum

Ms. Tanya McCray-Hicks called roll.

Present: Dru Malcolm, RN; Martina Harris, RN; Sheryl Wright, APRN; Samuel Alston, LPN; Angela Beard, RN; Charlotte Webb, APRN; James Darren McCoy, APRN; Nancy Anness, APRN

Absent: Sheila Bouie, RN; Amber Wyatt, APRN

A quorum was present.

Sherry Richardson advised Board Members of the need to vote for an acting Chair for this meeting due to the absence of the Chair and Vice Chair. Dr. Wright made a motion to nominate Dr. Martina Harris as the acting Chair for the meeting. Mr. McCoy seconded; motion carried.

Welcome and Introduction of Guests

Dr. Harris welcomed the Board members and guests in the audience. No guests were identified.

Call to Order

Martin Harris, called the meeting to order at 8:35 a.m. in the Iris Room.

Introduction of Staff

Sherry Richardson, Executive Director, introduced Board staff:

Elizabeth Cooper, Nurse Consultant
Tanya McCray- Hicks, Administrative Director
Therese McLean, Nurse Consultant
Bethany Hardcastle, Nurse Consultant
Mark Waters, Deputy General Counsel

Mr. Waters introduced the Legal Staff

Mr. Dolan – Attorney
Ms. Fisher – Attorney

Ms. Fine – Attorney
Ms. Moon – Attorney
Mr. Winters – Attorney
Mr. Zettersten - Attorney

Approval of Minutes

Dr. Malcom moved to approve minutes for the August 8-10, 2023, Board Meeting. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.

Mr. Alston moved to approve minutes for the October 20, 2023, Disciplinary Meeting. Mr. McCoy seconded; motion carried.

Assign Panels and Panel Chairs

Dr. Harris assigned panels and panel chairs:

Panel 1 – Martina Harris, Panel Chair; Charlotte Webb; Nancy Anness; Dru Malcolm
Panel 2 – Sheryl Wright, Panel Chair; Samuel Alston; Darren McCoy; Angela Beard

Call the Docket

Mr. Mark Waters called the docket.

Panel 1	Panel 2
Martina Harris, Panel Chair	Sheryl Wright, Panel Chair
Charlotte Webb	Samuel Alston
Nancy Anness	Darren McCoy
Dru Malcolm	Angela Beard
Sheila Bouie, Chair (arrived at 10:26)	

Disciplinary Business: Panel 1, Iris Room; Panel 2, Poplar Room.

Panel 2 adjourned to the Poplar Room.

Panel 1 – Martina Harris, Panel Chair; Charlotte Webb; Nancy Anness; Dru Malcolm
A quorum was present. Administrative Law Judge Richard Murrell presided.

Sheila Bouie arrived at 10:26 am.

Conduct Disciplinary Hearing(s) – Iris Room:

<p><u>Brittany Hartgrove</u> 10750 Garden Crossing Way, Apt. 301 Knoxville, Tennessee 37932</p>	<p>RN 172257 APRN 1842</p> <p>Docket Number: 17.19-231195A</p>	<p>Fine, State's Attorney</p>	<p>Agreed Order obtained prior to hearing (see information under Agreed/Consent orders)</p>
<p><u>Kelsey Rector</u> 5426 Double Branch Road Collinwood, Tennessee 38450</p>	<p>LPN 85689</p> <p>Docket Number: 17.19-233030A</p>	<p>Moon State's Attorney</p>	<p>Agreed Order obtained prior to hearing (see information under Agreed/Consent orders)</p>
<p><u>Rita Johnson</u> 191 Cheshire Drive Clarksville, Tennessee 37043</p> <p><u>Represented by:</u> Garrett Asher</p>	<p>RN 128408</p> <p>Docket Number: 17.19-231361A</p>	<p>Winters, State's Attorney</p>	<p>Ms. Johnson was present and was represented by attorney Garrett Asher.</p> <p>Opening statement made by Mr. Winters. Opening statement made by Mr. Asher.</p> <p>Mr. Winters presented closing statement with the State requesting revocation of license and placement on abuse registry. Mr. Asher made his closing statement requesting no disciplinary action.</p> <p>Following presentation of proof and deliberation the board rejects the findings of fact as written in the state's proposed order. The board will accept the State's and defense's #1 and #2 findings of fact in both proposed orders. Dr. Malcolm moved to accept proposal and seconded by Ms. Anness. Motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the conclusions of law as written in the defense's proposed order. Ms. Anness seconded; motion carried.</p>

			<p>Dr. Malcolm moved to accept no disciplinary action as written in the defense’s order. Ms. Anness seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Harris read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the policy statement. Ms. Anness seconded. The Board finds the appropriate action taken.</p>
<p><u>Joy E. Simmons</u> 2035 Crucifer Road Huron, Tennessee 38345</p> <p>Represented by: Rob McKinney, Esq.</p>	<p>RN 111831</p> <p>Docket Number: 17.19- 220388A</p>	<p>Winters, State’s Attorney</p>	<p>Ms. Simmons was present via phone and was represented by attorney Rob McKinney.</p> <p>Opening statement made by Mr. Winters attorney for the State. Opening statement made by Mr. McKinney, attorney for the respondent.</p> <p>Closing statement was given by Mr. Winters asking for license suspension and costs. Closing statement given by Mr. McKinney asking for dismissal of unprofessional conduct and TNPAP order.</p> <p>Following presentation of proof and deliberation Dr. Bouie moved to accept findings of fact as written in the state’s proposed order. Dr. Webb seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Bouie moved to accept the conclusions of law as written in the state’s proposed order. Dr. Malcolm seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Bouie moved to accept the disciplinary action of standard TNPAP with suspension of license.</p>

			<p>Ms. Anness seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Harris read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken.</p>
<p><u>Stephanie Goins</u> P.O. Box 1839 Barbourville, Kentucky 40906</p>	<p>KY – RN 1127444 APRN 19508</p> <p>Docket Number: 17.19- 234769A</p>	<p>Winters, State’s Attorney</p>	<p>Ms. Goins was not present and not represented by an attorney.</p> <p>Mr. Winters requested to proceed in Default. Dr. Malcolm moved to proceed in default; Ms. Anness seconded. Motion carried.</p> <p>Following presentation of proof and deliberation Ms. Anness moved to accept findings of fact as written in the state’s proposed order. Dr. Malcolm seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the conclusions of law as written in the state’s proposed order. Ms. Anness seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Bouie moved to accept the disciplinary action as in the state’s proposed order. Dr. Webb seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Harris read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken.</p>
<p><u>Melanie Chadwick</u> 626 Mer Rouge Drive. Nolensville, Tennessee 37135</p>	<p>RN 143617</p> <p>Docket Number: 17.19- 234809A</p>	<p>Winters, State’s Attorney</p>	<p>Ms. Chadwick was not present and not represented by an attorney.</p> <p>Mr. Winters requested to proceed in Default. Dr. Bouie moved to proceed in default; Dr. Webb seconded. Motion carried.</p>

			<p>Following presentation of proof and deliberation Dr. Webb moved to accept findings of fact as written in the state's proposed order. Dr. Malcolm seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Bouie moved to accept the conclusions of law as written in the state's proposed order. Dr. Malcolm seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Bouie moved to accept the disciplinary action of Revocation of license, civil penalties not to exceed \$15,000, and costs as amended in the state's proposed order. Dr. Malcolm seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Harris read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken.</p>
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Conduct Summary Action Hearing(s) – Iris Room:

None conducted

Adopt Agreed/Consent Orders – Iris Room:

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Brittany Hartgrove	RN 172257 APRN 1842	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Anness; motion carried.
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Jennifer E. Rogers	LPN 61111	Dr. Bouie moved to accept the agreed order as written. Seconded by Dr. Malcolm; motion carried.
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Donella Marie Tolbert	TX – LPN 164342 LPN 69796 (Expired)	Dr. Bouie moved to reject the consent order as written and board recommends revocation of multistate privilege. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Kristina Marie Warfel	RN 266652	Order presented was incomplete; no action taken.
Delmeicia Winings	LPN 98755	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.

Mark Waters

Barbara L. Bolton	RN 99138	Dr Webb moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Malcolm; motion carried.
Eric D. Carithers	RN 166454	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Melanie A. Daugherty	RN 262777 LPN 79296	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Anness; motion carried.
Tara Hunter	RN 220072	Dr. Harris moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Autumn L. May	RN 230227	Dr. Webb moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Malcolm; motion carried.
Grace A. Porter	RN 159031	Ms. Anness moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.

Eric Winters

Linda M. Brannick	LPN 40704	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Catherine S. Chinkers	RN 178464	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Sandra E. Cox	RN 53274 APRN 5602	Dr. Bouie moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Jason B. Crocket	RN 241387	Dr. Bouie moved to reject the consent order as written, suggest standard probation for future order. Seconded by Dr. Malcolm; motion carried.
Brittney D. Fraker	RN 223423 APRN 31740	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Bouie; motion carried.
Terriest V. Haire	RN 178773 APRN 20009	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Susan L. Hall	RN 171722	Dr. Bouie moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Malcolm; motion carried.
Kerri Hopkins aka Kerri L. Bowman	RN 201841 APRN 25248	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Bouie; motion carried.
Tamra King	LPN 88085	Dr. Bouie moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Karen Dawn Lee	APRN 14091 KY – RN 1009178 KY – APRN 3005590	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Shirley A. Miller	LPN 67993	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written.

		Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Kelsey C. Murphy	LPN 88870	Dr. Bouie moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Malcolm; motion carried.
Carol Joetta Sayger	LPN 79668	Dr. Bouie moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Malcolm; motion carried.
Darla C. Scobey	RN 137867	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Meredith C. Smith	RN 166273	Dr. Bouie moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Sheila Turner	MS – RN 878411	Dr. Bouie moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.

Dr. Harris and Ms. Anness left at 5:35pm; quorum was still present.

Panel 1 recessed at 6:45pm.

Panel 2 – Sheryl Wright, Panel Chair; Samuel Alston; Darren McCoy; Angela Beard
A quorum was present. Administrative Law Judge J. Shannon Barnhill presided.

Ms. Beard left meeting at 7:50 pm; quorum was still present.

Panel 2 recessed at 7:28pm

Conduct Disciplinary Hearing(s) – Poplar Room:

<u>Lachina Mauldin</u> 429 Kenesaw Avenue, Apt. E Knoxville, TN 37919	LPN 94593 Docket Number: 17.19- 232586A	Trawick, State’s Attorney	Ms. Mauldin was present and was not represented by an attorney. Opening statement made by Ms. Trawick. Opening statement made by Ms. Mauldin. Following presentation of proof and deliberation Mr. McCoy moved
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			<p>to accept findings of fact as amended. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Mr. McCoy moved to accept the conclusions of law as amended in the state's proposed order. Ms. Beard seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Mr. McCoy moved to accept the disciplinary action of Suspension of license, completion of EBAS exam, 3 continuing education hours to include ethics, civil penalty, and costs as amended; once completed appear before ARC for reinstatement of single state license. Ms. Beard seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Wright read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken.</p>
<p><u>Michelle M. Martinov</u> 170 Trent Rd. Bean Station, TN 37708</p>	<p>RN 192189</p> <p>Docket Number: 17.19- 232984A</p>	<p>Trawick, State's Attorney</p>	<p>Ms. Martinov was not present and not represented by an attorney.</p> <p>Ms. Trawick requested to proceed in Default. Mr. McCoy moved to proceed in default; Mr. Alston seconded. Motion carried.</p> <p>Following presentation of proof and deliberation Mr. McCoy moved to accept findings of fact as written in the state's proposed order. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Mr. McCoy moved to accept the conclusions of law as written in the state's proposed order. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.</p>

			<p>Mr. McCoy moved to accept the disciplinary action of revocation of licensure, civil penalty and costs as amended in the state’s proposed order. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Mr. Alston moved to accept the policy statement, Mr. McCoy seconded, motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Wright read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken.</p>
<p><u>Heather Boswell</u> 185 Rose Lane Burlison, TN 38015</p> <p>(Mr. Alston recused from case)</p>	<p>LPN 68394</p> <p>Docket Number: 17.19-234964A</p>	<p>Heacock State’s Attorney</p>	<p>Ms. Boswell was not present and not represented by an attorney.</p> <p>Mr. Heacock requested to proceed in Default. Mr. McCoy moved to proceed in default; Ms. Beard seconded. Motion carried.</p> <p>Following presentation of proof and deliberation Mr. McCoy moved to accept findings of fact as written in the state’s proposed order. Ms. Beard seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Mr. McCoy moved to accept the conclusions of law as written in the state’s proposed order. Ms. Beard seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Mr. McCoy moved to accept the disciplinary action of Revocation, civil penalty, and costs as stated in the state’s proposed order. Ms. Beard seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Wright read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety, and welfare of</p>

			the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken.
<p><u>Harley English</u> 169 Echo Drive Elizabethton, TN 37643</p>	<p>LPN 85972</p> <p>Docket Number: 17.19- 232647A</p>	<p>Heacock State's Attorney</p>	<p>Ms. English was not present and not represented by an attorney.</p> <p>Mr. Heacock requested to proceed in Default. Mr. McCoy moved to proceed in default; Mr. Alston seconded. Motion carried.</p> <p>Following presentation of proof and deliberation Mr. McCoy moved to accept findings of fact as written in the state's proposed order. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Mr. McCoy moved to accept the conclusions of law as written in the state's proposed order. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Mr. McCoy moved to accept the disciplinary action of Revocation, civil penalty and costs as stated in the state's proposed order. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Dr. Wright read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken.</p>
<p><u>Amber Irick</u> 1309 Olterman Private Drive Kingsport, TN 37665</p>	<p>RN 180226</p> <p>Docket Number: 17.19- 233792A</p>	<p>Heacock State's Attorney</p>	<p>Ms. Irick was not present and not represented by an attorney.</p> <p>Mr. Heacock requested to proceed in Default. Mr. McCoy moved to proceed in default; Mr. Alston seconded. Motion carried.</p> <p>Following presentation of proof and deliberation Mr. Alston moved to accept findings of fact as written</p>

			<p>in the state’s proposed order. Mr. McCoy seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Mr. McCoy moved to accept the conclusions of law as written in the state’s proposed order. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Mr. McCoy moved to accept the disciplinary action of Revocation of licensure with costs as amended in the state’s proposed order. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Ms. Wright read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken.</p>
<p><u>Alexandria Schumaker</u> 138 Pebble Drive Bristol, Virginia 24201</p> <p>Represented by: None (Chris Tardio withdrew as counsel prior to this meeting)</p>	<p>RN 172257 VA RN 0001236107</p> <p>Docket Number: 17.19- 222394A</p>	<p>Fisher, State’s Attorney</p>	<p>Ms. Schumaker was not present and not represented by an attorney.</p> <p>Ms. Fisher requested to proceed in default. Mr. McCoy moved to proceed in default, Ms. Beard seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Following presentation of proof and deliberation Mr. McCoy moved to accept findings of fact as written in the state’s proposed order. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Mr. McCoy moved to accept the conclusions of law as written in the state’s proposed order. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.</p> <p>Mr. McCoy moved to accept the disciplinary action of Revocation, civil penalty and costs as requested in the state’s proposed order. Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.</p>

			Ms. Wright read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken.
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Conduct Summary Action Hearing(s) – Poplar Room:

Non conducted

Adopt Agreed/Consent Orders – Poplar Room:

Gerard Dolan

Terrie Haynes Watson	APRN 12936 RN 55927	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Beard; motion carried.
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Nicole Fisher

Tamara Carpenter	LPN 83917	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Alea M. Couly	RN 191585	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Beard; motion carried.
Bryan W. Mebane	RN 207792	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Maria D. Snyder	RN 228131	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.

John Heacock

Whitney Michelle Adkins	RN 239892	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
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Mary Anne Bowen	NC - RN 185525	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Beard; motion carried.
Ousman Madado Cham	MS - LPN 323076	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Rhett Wilson Delaney	RN 212443	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Meagan LouAnne Glenn	LPN 96656	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Victoria Ann Golden	RN 192712	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
Deborah Jane Haga	RN 40617	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Beard; motion carried.
Cleola M. Hogan	LPN 79196	Ms. Beard moved to accept the agreed order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
James Anthony Isabella	RN 207600	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.

Kristen Moon

Kayla Marie Bacon	LPN 98926	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Beard; motion carried.
Kathy Marie Bryant	LPN 68254	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Beard; motion carried.

Keyshia Burns	LPN 96198	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Kayla Cunningham	LPN 95822	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Jennifer Elaine Daniel	RN 135302	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Allen T. Dutton	LPN 59856	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Beard; motion carried.
Stacey Ann Frost	LPN 63746	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
Tristin Garner	LPN 74735	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Beard; motion carried.
Ursula L. Jackson	RN 161242	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Veronica R. Johnson aka Veronica R. Grubb	LPN 71525	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
Maryanne G. Kryschuk	RN 184083	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Daniel M. Merryman	RN 169213	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.

Giancarlo A. Perozo	RN 199578	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
Elizabeth Warren Poglitsch	RN 222065	Mr. Alston moved to accept the agreed order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Jessica T. Price	RN 170728	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Wesley Garriott Ralston	AZ – RN 273691	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
Donna Jo Robinette	RN 199162	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Mason Robinson	LPN 97171	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Beard; motion carried.
Erin Watkins	RN 247398	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
Tiffany N. Williams	RN 128614	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Clinton Wayne Wright	RN 205452	Ms. Beard moved to accept the agreed order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Kelsey Rector	LPN 85689	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the agreed order as written.

		Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
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Jonathan Adam Keller	LPN 79162	Mr. Alston moved to accept the agreed order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Randall Guillermo Munoz	RN 253599	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
Ryan Paul Phillips	RN 213739	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.

Katherine Trawick

Angela D. Bonner	RN 162474	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Patricia Campbell	RN 136816	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
Angela Colburn	RN 195374	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Elizabeth Michelle Goodwin	RN 217840	Mr. Alston moved to accept the agreed order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Jennifer Gritzenbach	RN 216233	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
Rachel L. Lennon	LPN 71001	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.

Timothy Dean Palaske	LPN 98661	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Gregory J. Waack	RN 225493	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
Raven J. Warren	RN 223796	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.

Wednesday, November 29, 2023

Call to Order

Sheila Bouie, Chair, called the meeting to order at 8:31 a.m. in the Iris Room.

Roll Call and Quorum

Ms. Tanya McCray-Hicks called roll.

Present: Sheila Bouie, RN; Dru Malcolm, RN; Martina Harris, RN; Sheryl Wright, APRN; Samuel Alston, LPN; Charlotte Webb, APRN; James Darren McCoy, APRN; Nancy Anness, APRN

Absent: Amber Wyatt, APRN; Angela Beard, RN

A quorum was present.

Welcome and Introduction of Guests

Dr. Bouie welcomed the Board members and guests in the audience. No guests were identified.

Introduction of Staff

Sherry Richardson, Executive Director, Introduced Board staff:
Elizabeth Cooper, Nurse Consultant
Therese McLean, Nurse Consultant
Bethany Hardcastle, Nurse Consultant
Tanya McCray-Hicks, Administrative Director
Mark Waters, Deputy General Counsel
Mr. Zettersten, Attorney

Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL

Seeking approval of letter of intent and initial application to offer a Doctor of Nurse Anesthesia Practice Program. Presenting Information: Dr. Stacey VanDyke, Program Director. Following the presentation and discussion, Dr. Harris made a motion to grant approval of the letter of intent and initial application to Florida State University for the Doctor of Nurse Anesthesia Practice Program based on Administrative Rule 1000-01-.05 (3), (4) initial approval of nursing schools. The program meets all Board standards in T.C.A. statutes and TN Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations. Seconded by Dr. Wright; motion carried.

Herzing University – Online, Madison, WI

Seeking approval of letter of intent and initial application to offer a Master of Science in Nursing Direct Entry Program. Presenting Information: Dr. Stephanie Black, Associate Dean of Online Prelicensure Nursing. Following the presentation and discussion, Mr. McCoy made a motion to grant approval of the letter of intent and initial application to Herzing University – Online for the Master of Science in Nursing Direct Entry Program based on Administrative Rule 1000-01-.05 (3), (4) initial approval of nursing schools. The program meets all Board standards in T.C.A. statutes and TN Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations. Seconded by Dr. Harris; motion carried.

The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL

Seeking approval of letter of intent and initial application to offer the following programs: Master of Science in Nursing with Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) emphasis; Master of Science in Nursing with Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP) emphasis; Master of Science in Nursing with Dual FNP-PMHNP (Dual) emphasis; Master of Science in Nursing with Nursing Administration (NA) emphasis; Post Graduate Certificate with Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) emphasis; Post Graduate Certificate with Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP) emphasis; BSN to DNP (FNP, PMHNP, Dual FNP-PMHNP, NA concentrations). Presenting Information: Dr. Amy Lee, Associate Dean of Graduate Programs and Dr. Julie Sanford, Dean. Following the presentation and discussion, Dr. Webb made a motion to grant approval of the letter of intent and initial application to University of Alabama for the following programs: Master of Science in Nursing with Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) emphasis; Master of Science in Nursing with Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP) emphasis; Master of Science in Nursing with Dual FNP-PMHNP (Dual) emphasis; Master of Science in Nursing with Nursing Administration (NA) emphasis; Post Graduate Certificate with Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) emphasis; Post Graduate Certificate with Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP) emphasis; BSN to DNP (FNP, PMHNP, Dual FNP-PMHNP, NA concentrations) based on Administrative Rule 1000-01-.05 (3), (4) initial approval of nursing schools. The program meets all Board standards in T.C.A. statutes and TN Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations. Seconded by Dr. Harris; motion carried.

Arizona College of Nursing, Memphis, TN

Seeking approval of letter of intent and initial application to offer a Pre-Licensure Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program. Presenting Information: Dr. Deborah Long, Dean of Nursing and Sr. Director of Nursing Regulatory Affairs; Dr. Mable Smith, Provost and Vice President of Academic

Affairs; and Dr. Barbara Hall, Vice President of Nursing Regulatory Affairs. Following the presentation and discussion, Ms. Anness made a motion to grant approval of the letter of intent and initial application to Arizona College of Nursing – Memphis for a Pre-Licensure Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program based on Administrative Rule 1000-01-.05 (3), (4) initial approval of nursing schools. The program meets all Board standards in T.C.A. statutes and TN Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.

Emory & Henry College, Marion, VA

Seeking approval of letter of intent and initial application to offer a Master of Science in Nursing with the following tracks: Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) and Clinical Nurse Specialist Adult/Gerontology – Nurse Educator. Presenting Information: Dr. Laurie Anne Ferguson, Founding Dean and Professor. Following the presentation and discussion, Dr. Malcolm made a motion to grant approval of the letter of intent and initial application to Emory & Henry College for the Master of Science in Nursing Program with the following tracks: Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP) and Clinical Nurse Specialist Adult/Gerontology – Nurse Educator based on Administrative Rule 1000-01-.05 (3), (4) initial approval of nursing schools. The program meets all Board standards in T.C.A. statutes and TN Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.

Casa Loma College, Nashville, TN

Seeking approval for letter of intent to offer an Associated of Applied Science in Nursing (ASN) using a blended (hybrid) delivery modality. Presenting information: Dr. Tami Little, Nursing Program Director; Dr. Scott Sand, President; Dr. Elena Felipe, Provost; and Dr. Lee Skinkle, Senior Director of Compliance. Following the presentation and discussion, Mr. McCoy made a motion to grant approval for letter of intent to Casa Loma College for an Associate of Applied Science in Nursing (ASN) using a blended (hybrid) delivery modality based on Administrative Rule 1000-01-.05 (2), initial development of the nursing program. The program meets all Board standards in T.C.A. statutes and TN Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations. Seconded by Dr. Harris; motion carried.

Walters State Community College Division of Workforce Training, Morristown, TN

Seeking approval for Medication Aide Training Program. Presenting information: Ms. Angelique Bair, Program Director and Dr. Linda Nelms, Coordinator Division of Workforce Training. Following the presentation and discussion, Dr. Webb made a motion to grant approval for the Medication Aide Program based on Administrative Rule 1000-05-.07 Training Programs. The program meets all Board standards in T.C.A. statutes and TN Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations. Seconded by Dr. Wright; Dr. Harris, opposed; motion carried.

Vantage Pointe Village, Ashland City, TN

Seeking approval for Medication Aide Training Program. Presenting information: Mr. Matthew Dickson, Program Director and Ms. Sheila McArdle, Executive Director. Following the presentation and discussion, Dr. Wright made a motion to grant approval for the Medication Aide Program based on Administrative Rule 1000-05-.07 Training Programs. The program meets all Board standards in T.C.A. statutes and TN Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.

Morning Pointe Senior Living, Ooltewah, TN

Seeking approval for Medication Aide Training Program. Presenting information: Ms. Nancy Woods, Program Director and Ms. Barbara Reed, Program, Facility, and Education Administrator. Following the presentation and discussion, Ms. Anness made a motion to grant approval for the Medication Aide Program based on Administrative Rule 1000-05-.07 Training Programs. The program meets all Board standards in T.C.A statutes and TN Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.

American Health Communities, Franklin, TN

Seeking approval for Medication Aide Training Program. Presenting information: Ms. Heather Giles, Program Director and Ms. Courtney Amador, Sr. Director of Quality. Following the presentation and discussion, Dr. Harris made a motion to grant approval for the Medication Aide Program based on Administrative Rule 1000-05-.07 Training Programs. The program meets all Board standards in T.C.A statutes and TN Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.

Consider Vote to Approve E.D. Application Review Committee Recommendations- Ms. Hardcastle PHNC2 and Ms. Richardson, ED:

Ms. Richardson and Ms. Hardcastle presented 2 cases from ARC.

- Shahnaz Poursaied, RN #181186 reinstatement applicant, recommend denial of licensure due to unprofessional conduct. This recommendation is pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated §63-7-115(a)(1)(C)(F). Applicant requested a continuation until February 2024.
- Joi Kelly, File #264806, RN endorsement applicant, recommend denial of licensure due to unprofessional conduct. This recommendation is based off Tennessee Code Annotated §63-7-115(a)(1)(F). Also request denial based off TN BON rule 1000-01-.13(j): discipline of a license to practice nursing by another state or territory of the United States for any act or omission which would constitute grounds for the revocation, suspension, probation or other discipline of a license in this state. Dr. Harris made a motion to vacate decision from August 2023 Board Meeting to deny endorsement application and redecide case today. Mr. McCoy seconded; motion carried. After testimony from Ms. Kelly and discussion, Dr. Harris moved to accept the denial of RN endorsement application; Ms. Beard seconded; motion carried.

Presentation: Tennessee Center for Nursing Advancement Update:

Dr. Holly Wei, Interim Executive Associate Dean and Chief Nursing Administrator, Associate Dean for research and Scholarship for East Tennessee State University, and Interim Executive Director, Appalachian Highlands Center for Nursing Advancement/Tennessee Center for Nursing Advancement presented information. No action taken.

Discussion of Student Nurse Apprenticeships:

Mr. Andrew Burnett, Vice President of Workforce Strategies & Rural Health and Dr. Ferrol Thomas, Director of Workforce Strategies, Tennessee Hospital Association presented information. No action taken.

Adopt Consent Agenda

- School Announcements
- Education Consent Agenda
- OGC Report
- Investigations Report
- TNPAP Report
- ED Report
- Board Meeting Debrief Survey August 9-10, 2023

Motion made by Dr. Malcolm to adopt the consent agenda; Mr. McCoy seconded; motion carried.

Approve Travel:

- NCSBN Scientific Symposium—January 23-24, 2024—Scottsdale, AZ: requesting 3 to attend (1 Staff and 2 Board Members)
- NCSBN Mid-Year Meeting—March 11-14, 2024—Atlanta, GA: requesting 4 to attend (2 Staff and 2 Board Members; Ms. Richardson as one of the attendees)
- APRN Roundtable—April 2024, Rosemont, IL: requesting 1 to attend (1 Board Member).
- RX Drug Abuse & Heroin Summit—April 1-4, 2024, Atlanta, GA: requesting 3 to attend (Linda Johnson as one of the attendees)

Motion made by Mr. McCoy to approve Travel and Dr. Wright seconded; motion carried.

Review, discuss, and vote on rulemaking to comply with Service Members Civil Relief Act Changes:

Mr. Waters, Deputy General Counsel presented information. Dr. Harris made a motion to approve Health Related Boards to conduct a rule making hearing on behalf of the Board of Nursing. Mr. McCoy seconded; Motion carried.

Consider and Vote on Petition for Rule Change to the First Time Medication Aide Training Program Certification Pass Rate Standard:

Ms. Richardson and Mr. Waters presented information. No action taken.

Fiscal Report:

Ms. Emily Godwin, Fiscal Director, presented information. No action taken.

Consider and Vote on Petitions for Order of Compliance and Modification:

Mr. Waters presented 1 order of Compliance to be considered.

- Donna Clayton White, RN 112047 and APRN 18035 motion made by Mr. McCoy to accept the Order of Compliance as written. Motion seconded by Dr. Malcolm; motion carried.

Consider Vote to Approve E.D. Application Review Committee Recommendations- Ms. Hardcastle PHNC2 and Ms. Richardson, ED:

Mr. Waters presented 7 conditional license orders from ARC.

- Gregory Liles, LPN #81763, reinstatement applicant, recommend acceptance of the conditional license order as written. Dr. Harris moved to accept the conditional license order as written; Mr. McCoy seconded; motion carried.
- Brandon Hicks, File #100886, LPN exam applicant, recommend acceptance of the conditional license order as written. Dr. Harris moved to accept the conditional license order as written; Mr. Alston seconded; motion carried.
- Rachel Layne, LPN #75909, reinstatement applicant, recommend acceptance of the conditional license order as written. Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the conditional license order as written; Mr. McCoy seconded; motion carried.
- Ashley Loerzel, File #100852, LPN endorsement applicant, recommend acceptance of the conditional license order as written. Mr. McCoy moved to accept the conditional license order as written; Ms. Anness seconded; motion carried.
- Emily Meeks, RN #145180, reinstatement applicant, recommend acceptance of the conditional license order as written. Mr. McCoy moved to accept the conditional license order as written; Ms. Beard seconded; motion carried.
- Amy Rushton, File #274922, RN endorsement applicant, recommend acceptance of the conditional license order as written. Mr. McCoy moved to accept the conditional license order as written; Ms. Anness seconded; motion carried.
- Andrea Smith, RN #180315, reinstatement applicant, recommend acceptance of the conditional license order as written. Dr. Bouie moved to accept the conditional license order as written; Mr. McCoy seconded; motion carried.

Public Comment:

No one signed up to speak.

Conduct Summary Action Hearing(s):

Mr. Waters stated none this afternoon.

Adopt Agreed/Consent Orders

John Heacock

Kristi A. Jenkins	RN 77414	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Wright; motion carried.
Michele Leigh Jordan	RN 124175	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the agreed order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Rhonda Ladd	LPN 61469	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Harris; motion carried.
Allyson Mariah Long	LPN 92949	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.
Carol Allison Pickrell	RN 262041	Dr. Wright moved to accept the agreed order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Kiley Pine	RN 210041	Dr. Webb moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Malcolm; motion carried.
Angela M. Register	LPN 75103	Dr. Bouie moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Beard; motion carried.
Tammy G. Shipley	RN 116903	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the agreed order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Ashley Leigh Thomas	LPN 78605	Ms. Anness moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Doris T. Tumblin	LPN 78529	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Wright; motion carried.
Shawna R. Tyo	LPN 42999	Ms. Anness moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. Alston; motion carried.

Adam Veillon	RN 145816	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Webb; motion carried.
Sherri D. Wallace	LPN 56469	Mr. Alston moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Malcolm; motion carried.
David C. Whittaker	VA – RN 0001318623	Dr. Wright moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Mr. McCoy; motion carried.
Teresa Dawn Wright	RN 270326	Ms. Beard moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Ms. Anness; motion carried.
Alicia Michelle Young	LPN 88608	Mr. McCoy moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Wright; motion carried.

Brittany Kendrick

Chanda McElyea	RN 139627 APRN 12196	Dr. Webb moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Harris; motion carried.
Jerry J. Coleman	RN 158294 APRN 18803	Dr. Malcolm moved to accept the consent order as written. Seconded by Dr. Wright; motion carried.

Debrief/Open Discussion/Other Business - Dr. Bouie: Board members discussed aspects of the meeting that went well, what didn't go well, what was learned.

Adjourn: Motion to adjourn made by Mr. McCoy and seconded by Ms. Anness, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 4:40 p.m.