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### Disciplinary Action from February 10, 2021 Board Hearing

The files of 47 registrants were reviewed with a total of 49 actions taken (some individuals had more than one action):

#### Reinstatements

Granted/Suspended w Stay/Probation/Stips	6
Granted/Stipulations	0
Granted/Reprimand	2
Deny/Delay/Ratify	0
Deny/Delay/Stipulations	0
Approved for Probated Temp Permit	1
Request for Reconsideration	0

#### Discipline Actions

Summary Suspension (Ratify)	1
Revoked	0
Suspended/Stipulations	2
Automatic Revoke/Ratify Staff Action	0
Voluntary Surrender	4
Automatic Suspension/Ratify Staff Action	7
Suspended with Stay/Probation/Stipulations	4
Renewed License/Probation	0
Retain License/Probation	0
Reprimand	3
Request for Reconsideration	1

#### Endorsement

Approved Reprimand	1
Deny/Delay/Ratify Staff Action	0
Approved/Probation Stipulations	0
Delay/Stipulations	0
Automatic Suspension Ratify Staff Action	0

#### Education

Applicant: NCLEX Deny/Delay/Ratify Staff Action	0
Applicant: NCLEX Approved/Probation/Stipulations	0
Applicant: NCLEX Approved/Reprimand/Stipulations	0
Applicant: NCLEX Deny/Delay/Stipulations	0
Applicant: NCLEX Automatic Suspension/Ratify	0
Student: Clinical Deny/Delay/Ratify Staff Action	7
Student: Clinical Approved/Probation/Stipulations	4
Student: Clinical Approved/Reprimand	0
Student: Clinical Deny/Delay/Stipulations	0
Student: Clinical Automatic Suspension/Rescind	1
Request for Reconsideration	0

#### Nurse Licensure Compact (NLC) Discipline

Summary Suspension of Privilege to Practice (Ratify)	0
Privilege to Practice Suspended	0
Multistate License Converted to Single State License	1

#### Non-Discipline Actions

Hearing Recessed	0
Continuance	3
Charges Dismissed	0
Action Cleared	0
Consent Order Countered	1

#### Special Statistics Included in Above

Consent Orders	24
Applicant: NCLEX	0
Student: Clinical	12

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**Legend**

**Actions**

**CO:** Consent Order  
**I:** Imposter  
**S:** Student  
**R:** Ratified  
**A:** Applicant  
**VS:** Voluntary Surrender

**RNP:** Recovering Nurse Program

**Abate, Julie Newman RN074624 (CO)**  
Applicant approved for RN licensure by reinstatement and a letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.  
Charge: Practicing with an Expired License

**Aranyosi, Stephen (S)(CO)**  
Applicant approved to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with probation for five (5) years to run concurrently with Student Program Agreement executed December 28, 2020, upon completion and approval of the application process, and with stipulations.

**Armstrong, Kimberly Mullins RN117809 (CO)**  
Respondent approved to be issued a probated temporary permit to complete the clinical portion of refresher course with stipulations. Further, upon successful completion of the refresher course and completion of the reinstatement process, Respondent's Registered Nurse license shall be reinstated with probation for minimum of two (2) years with stipulations.  
Charge: Other, Criminal Arrest

**Austin, Brandy Butler RN116878 (CO)**  
License suspension stayed and license reinstated with probation for five (5) years to run concurrently with RNP Agreement executed September 17, 2020, and with stipulations.  
Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

**Babin, Jennifer RN127508 (R)**  
License suspended due to non-compliance with Board Order.  
Charge: Violation of or Failure to Comply with Licensing Board Order.

**Baker, Patrick Tremain (S)(R)**  
Applicant denied approval to enter, advance or progress into clinical nursing courses. Applicant may submit a new application after April 24, 2021.

**Brunet, Heather Airhart RN127815 (VS)**  
Voluntary Surrender of RN license for a minimum of two (2) years with stipulations.  
Charge: Unable to Practice by Reason of Psychological Impairment or Mental Disorder

**Burkhardt, Jessica McPherson RN137752 (R)**  
License suspended due to non-compliance with RNP Agreement.  
Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

**Carbo, Claudia Delgado (S)(CO)**  
Applicant approved to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with probation for two (2) years with stipulations.

**Catalano, Melissa Ann RN134761 (CO)**  
License suspended with stay and probated for five (5) years to run concurrently with RNP Agreement executed September 14, 2020, and with stipulations.  
Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

**Des Forges, Stephanie Marse RN127169**  
By Final Order, Petitioner's Request for Reconsideration of Board staff's December 7, 2020, automatic suspension of her RN license was granted.

**Folks, Lacy RN141426 (VS)**  
Voluntary Surrender of RN license for a minimum of two (2) years with stipulations.  
Charges: Drug Screening Violation and Unable to Practice Safely





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### **Francis, Kahalisia Mitchell RN104931 (CO)**

License suspension stayed and license reinstated with probation for five (5) years to run concurrently with RNP Agreement executed April 29, 2020, and with stipulations. Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

### **Givens, Tracie Lyn RN118901, AP07207 (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine. Charges: Practicing Beyond the Scope of Practice and Error in Prescribing, Dispensing or Administering Medication

### **Guirlando, Kadee Teddlie RN148501 (CO)**

Board countered Consent Order.

### **Guste, Joshua James Patrick (S)(R)**

Applicant denied approval to enter, advance or progress into clinical nursing courses. Applicant may submit a new application after June 8, 2021.

### **Hartwick, Mary (S)(R)**

Applicant denied approval to enter, advance or progress into clinical nursing courses. Applicant may submit a new application after May 4, 2021.

### **Henry, Tisha Brown (S)(R)**

Applicant denied approval to enter, advance or progress into clinical nursing courses. Applicant may submit a new application after November 26, 2024.

### **Hidalgo, Krista Thibodeaux RN131853 (CO)**

License suspension stayed and license reinstated with probation, for a minimum of five (5) years, to run concurrently with Disciplinary RNP agreement, executed December 10, 2020, and with stipulations. Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

### **Hill, Jhirmetha Lloydette RN121228 (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine. Charge: Substandard or Inadequate Care

### **Horning, Kimberly Blades RN094415 (CO)**

License suspension stayed and license reinstated with probation for five (5) years to run concurrently with the RNP Agreement executed April 17, 2020, and with stipulations. Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

### **Hotard, Scott Joseph RN085150**

By Final Order, Respondent's license was suspended, with stay of said suspension, and probated for a minimum of two (2) years with conditions. Charges: Error in Prescribing, Dispensing or Administering Medication and Drug Screening Violation

### **Kennedy, Tara (S)(R)**

Applicant denied/delayed approval to enter, advance or progress into clinical nursing courses with stipulations.

### **Kilgore, Stephanie Renee (S)(R)**

Applicant denied approval to enter, advance or progress into clinical nursing courses. Applicant may submit a new application after July 7, 2022 with stipulations.

### **Kim, Joo Sun (A) (CO)**

Applicant approved for licensure as RN by endorsement, including multi-state license, and a letter of reprimand issued with stipulations. Charge: Failure to Disclose

### **Kisner, Alfred Roy RN147920 (R)**

License suspended due to non-compliance with Board Order. Charge: Violation of or Failure to Comply with Licensing Board Order

### **Ledet, Justin Andrew (S)(CO)**

Applicant granted approval to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with probation for five (5) years to run concurrently with Student Program Agreement executed October 20, 2020, upon completion and approval of the application process, and with stipulations.





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### **Marchand, Danielle Lelia RN142210 (CO)**

License suspended with stay and probated for two (2) years with stipulations. Louisiana multistate license converted to a single state license.

Charges: Other – Medication Discrepancies

### **McLendon, Joanie RN123151**

By Final Order, Respondent's license was suspended, with a stay of said suspension, and probated for three (3) years with conditions.

Charges: Unable to Practice Safely and Drug Screening Violation

### **Miller, Rusty Matthew RN127131 (R)**

License suspended due to non-compliance with RNP Agreement.

Charge: Violation of or Failure to Comply with Licensing Board Order

### **Millsap, Misty Lynn RN113338 (CO)**

12/9/2020 – Summary Suspension

01/04/2021 – Agreed to license Summary Suspension of 12/9/2020 and to continued suspension with opportunity to apply for reinstatement after completion of stipulations.

### **Newton, Dedra Miller AP04603 (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.

Charges: Practicing Beyond the Scope of Practice

### **Noland, Michael Paul RN154934 (VS)**

Voluntary Surrender of RN license for a minimum of two (2) years with stipulations.

Charges: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

### **Palmer, Maggie Hebert RN068430 (VS)**

Voluntary Surrender of RN license for a minimum of two (2) years with stipulations.

Charge: Substandard or Inadequate Care

### **Rosenbalm, Lacey Lee RN114357 (CO)**

License suspension stayed and license reinstated with probation for five (5) years to run concurrently with RNP Agreement executed February 21, 2020, and with stipulations.

Charges: Violation of or Failure to Comply with Licensing Board Order and Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

### **Simmons, Erica Nicole RN127790 (CO)**

License suspension stayed and license reinstated with probation for a minimum of two (2) years with stipulations.

Charges: Other – Post Evaluation Recommendation for Monitoring

### **Smith, Sarah Amanda RN200891**

By Final Order, Respondent's license was suspended. Respondent shall have the opportunity to request license reinstatement after completion of stipulations, receipt of approval from Board staff, and submission to the reinstatement process.

Charges: Diversion of Controlled Substance, Drug Screening Violation, and Failure to Cooperate with Board Investigation

### **Sones, Kristy Mitchell RN101451 (R)**

License suspended due to non-compliance with Board Order.

Charge: Violation of or Failure to Comply with Licensing Board Order

### **Thomas, Kantesha Danielle (S)(R)**

Applicant denied approval to enter, advance or progress into clinical nursing courses. Applicant may submit a new application after May 7, 2021.

### **Thompson, Logan Bryant RN162000 (R)**

License suspended due to non-compliance with RNP Agreement.

Charges: Violation of or Failure to Comply with Licensing Board Order and Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

### **Trevino, Dortehea Acklin RN048681 (R)**

License suspended due to non-compliance with Board Order.

Charges: Violation of or Failure to Comply with Licensing Board Order and Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse





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**Williams, Blaire (S)(R)**

Student's approval to enter/continue/progress in clinical nursing courses was rescinded.

**Wisdom, Clint David RN161980 (CO)**

Applicant approved for RN licensure by reinstatement and a letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.

Charge: Practicing with an Expired License

**Woodard, Kacee Devin (S)(CO)**

Applicant approved to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with probation for two (2) years contingent upon meeting admission requirements established by the nursing program and with stipulations.

