

**LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING
EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING
JULY 24, 2007**

NOTICE

The Education Committee will meet on April 24, 2007 beginning at 9:00 a.m. at the Holiday Inn Select, 4728 Constitution Avenue, Baton Rouge, LA

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Minutes of April 25, 2007
4. New Business
 - 4.1 Site Visit Report - Loyola University School of Nursing, Nurse Practitioner Program
 - 4.2 Site Visit Report - William Carey University School of Nursing, Baccalaureate Degree Program, New Orleans Campus
 - 4.3 Site Visit Report – Southeastern Louisiana University School of Nursing, Baccalaureate Degree Program
 - 4.4 Request to consider the ADN to MSN (MSN Bridge Programs) from the University of Phoenix as equivalent to having the BSN
5. Old Business
 - 5.1 Reports from Schools on Conditional Approval
 - Dillard University – Focused Report and Site Visit Report
 - Grambling State University – Focused Report
 - Southern University – Focused Report
 - 5.2 Implementation of Criminal Background Checks for Students
 - 5.3 Update on Louisiana Delta Community College Proposal to Initiate an Associate Degree in Nursing Program
 - 5.4 Nursing Shortage
 - 5.5 Louisiana State University at Eunice Request for a Pilot Study on the Use of Preceptors
 - 5.6 Update on L. E. Fletcher Community College Proposal to Initiate an Associate Degree in Nursing Program
 - 5.7 Update on Revision of the LSBN School Annual Report Form
6. FYI
 - 6.1 McNeese State University College of Nursing, Associate Degree Nursing Program awarded initial accreditation as of Fall 2006 for five years from the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission
 - 6.2 Appointment of Dr. Demetrius J. Porche as Dean of the School of Nursing at Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center

- 6.3 Appointment of Ms. Laura S. Bonanno, CRNA, MS as Acting Director of the Nurse Anesthesia Program at Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center
- 6.4 Notification from Grambling State University of the appointment of Dr. Afua Ahrin as the Associate Dean for the School of Nursing. Dr. Rhonda Hensley is returning to the position of MSN Program Director and Dr. Karin Jones to remain as the BSN Program Director
- 6.5 Initiation of a “Break Term” for undergraduate, generic nursing students at William Carey University
- 6.6 Notification from Our Lady of the Lake College of their intent to increase enrollment of the New Orleans campus Accelerated ASN Program by an additional 50 students in January 2008 through a clinical partnership with West Jefferson Hospital.
- 6.7 Notification of the development of an Advanced Technical Certificate in Sepsis Awareness and Education course at St. Petersburg College in Florida.