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### Disciplinary Actions from November 17-18, 2015 Board Hearings

The files of 44 registrants were reviewed with a total of 48 actions taken:

#### Reinstatements

Granted/Stipulations/Active	10
Granted/Inactive	0
Denied/Delay	0
Denied/Ratify	0

#### Discipline Actions

Summary Suspension (Ratify)	4
Revoked	0
Suspended/Stipulations	6
Automatic Revoke/Ratify Staff Action	0
Inactive	0
Voluntary Surrender	3
Automatic Suspension/Ratify Staff Action	4
Suspend with Stay/Probate	8
Denied APRN License	0
Renewed License/Probation	0
Retain License W/Probation	0
Reprimand	5
Action Cleared	0
Charges Dismissed	0
Other	0
Imposter	0

#### Endorsement

Approved/Reprimand	0
Denied/Delayed	0
Inactive Status/Stipulations	0

#### Education

Applicant: NCLEX Deny/Delayed/Ratify Staff Action	0
Applicant: NCLEX Approved/Probation/Stipulations	0
Applicant: Delay/Deny/Ratify Staff Action	0
Student: Clinical Approved/Probation/Stipulations	2
Student: Clinical Deny/Delay/Stipulations	1
Student: Clinical Delay/Deny/Ratify Staff Action	1
Automatic Suspension/Ratify Staff Action	0
Student: Clinical Reprimand	4

#### Special Statistics Included in Above

Consent Orders	36
Applicant: NCLEX	0
Student's Clinical	9

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**Legend**

**Actions**

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

**RNP:** Recovering Nurse Program

**Adams, Brandi Gentsch RN128125 (CO)**

8/25/15 - Summary Suspension  
11/10/15 - Agreed to Summary Suspension of 8/25/15 and to continued suspension with opportunity to request license reinstatement after completion of stipulations.  
Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or other Substance Abuse

**Barfoot, Angela Danielle (S) (CO)**

Applicant is delayed approval to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with stipulations.

**Batten, Jason Lee RN107769 (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.  
Charge: Inappropriate, Incomplete, or Improper Documentation

**Bell, Irayel Rochelle (S) (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.

**Bernard, Allison RN116259 (CO)**

Suspension of license is stayed and license is reinstated with probation for a minimum of 3 years with stipulations.  
Charge: Violation of or Failure to Comply with Licensing Board Order

**Cody, Cherie Knieper RN073486/AP04596**

By Final Order, controlled substance prescriptive authority privileges, for Schedule II (non-narcotics) for ADD, is suspended for one year, and APRN and RN licenses were suspended with stay and probated for a minimum of 3 years with stipulations.

Charge: Failure to Maintain Adequate or Accurate Records

**Comeaux, Melanie Broussard RN071324 (R)**

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

**Compton, Terry Blais RN051414/AP02089 (CO)**

RN and APRN licenses suspended with stay and probated for a minimum of 1 year with stipulations.  
Charge: Filing False Reports or Falsifying Records, Substandard or Inadequate Care and Improper or Inadequate Supervision or Delegation

**Drennan, Deric Adrian RN104768 (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.  
Charge: Failure to Disclose

**Endres, Rebecca Clymire RN064916 (CO)**

Suspension of license is stayed and license is reinstated with probation for a minimum of 5 years with stipulations.  
Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

**Engibous, Lisa Elaine (S) (CO)**

Applicant approved to advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with probation and stipulations.

**Fontenot, Bobby James RN103819/AP07217 (CO)**

5/29/15 - Summary Suspension  
10/19/15 - Agreed to Summary Suspension of 5/29/15 and to continued suspension with opportunity to request license reinstatement after completion of stipulations.  
Charge: Sexual Misconduct

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

Suspension of license is stayed and license is reinstated with probation for a minimum of 4 years with stipulations.  
Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse





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### **Guidry, John Paul (S) (R)**

Delayed approval to enter or progress into clinical nursing courses based upon diagnosis of chemical dependency.

### **Green, Michelle Carlisia (S) (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.

### **Hanks, Denise Mouton RN123113**

By Final Order, license is suspended with an opportunity to request license reinstatement after completion of stipulations.

Charge: Failure to Cooperate with Board Investigation and Pending Criminal Matter

### **Helfinstine, Clinton Jerrod RN120961 (CO)**

Suspension of license is stayed and license is reinstated with probation for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations.

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

### **Hill, Charles Albert RN116414 (VS)**

Voluntary Surrender of license for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations.

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

### **Jiminez-Bergeron, Michelle RN101659 (CO)**

License suspended with stay and probated for a minimum of 3 years with stipulations.

Charge: Other Unprofessional Conduct: Excessive Absenteeism and Tardiness, Inappropriate, Incomplete or Improper Documentation, Substandard or Inadequate Care, Practicing Beyond the Scope of Practice, and Filing False Reports or Falsifying Records

### **Lauto, Paula Olano RN064459 (CO)**

Suspension of license is stayed and license is reinstated with probation for a minimum of 3 years with stipulations.

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

### **Laventure, Marita (S) (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.

### **Letard, Matthew Thomas RN140357 (R)**

License suspended due to non-compliance with Board Order.

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

### **Mercer, Abigail Lorine RN136327 (CO)**

License suspended with stay and probated for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations.

Charge: Two Alcohol Related Arrests

### **Meyers, Peter Calvin RN113599 (CO)**

Suspension of license is stayed and license is reinstated with probation for a minimum of 4 years with stipulations.

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

### **Mickens, Petrial RN109292**

By Final Order, license is probated for a minimum of 3 months with stipulations.

Charge: Patient Abandonment

### **Miles, Rodneisha Frances RN142309 (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.

Charge: Failure to Provide Medically Reasonable and/or Necessary Items or Services

### **Moss, Sharon Waddell RN058023 (CO)**

Suspension of license is stayed and a probated temporary permit is issued until completion of clinical refresher course after which license will be reinstated with probation for a minimum of 4 years with stipulations.

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

### **Orr, Victoria Lane RN138838 (CO)**

Suspension of license is stayed and license is reinstated with probation for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations.

Charge: Filing False Reports or Falsifying Records, Substandard or Inadequate Skill Level, Unauthorized Prescribing of Medication, Unauthorized Dispensing of Medication, Unauthorized Administration of Medication, and Demonstrated Inappropriate, Incomplete or Improper Documentation





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### **Pipes, Pamela Elizabeth RN125204 (CO)**

Suspension of license is stayed and license is reinstated with probation for a minimum of 5 years with stipulations.  
Charge: Unable to Practice Safe by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substances

### **Primeaux, Bridget Alexis RN127137 (CO)**

License suspended with opportunity to request reinstatement after completion of stipulations.  
Charge: Unprofessional Conduct, Excessive Absences and Negative Comments, Falsifying Records and Drug Screening Violation

### **Rambin, Diane Salveson RN073676 (VS)**

8/12//15- Summary Suspension  
11/10/15 Agreed to Summary suspension of 8/12/15 and Voluntary Surrender of license for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations.  
Charge: Substandard or Inadequate Patient Care, Substandard or Inadequate Skill Level and Drug Screening Violation

### **Sallinger, Lauren Defreese RN099082/AP05594 (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.  
Charge: Failure to Consult or Delay in Seeking Consultation with Supervisor/Proctor and Substance or Inadequate Care

### **Sanders, Veronica Hankmeier RN113804 (CO)**

License suspended with stay and probated for a minimum of 1 year with stipulations.  
Charge: Pending Criminal Matters

### **Sasser, Jessica Barnes RN133152 (CO)**

9/16/15 - Summary Suspension  
11/9/15 - Agreed to Summary Suspension of 9/16/15 and to continued suspension with opportunity to apply for reinstatement after completion of stipulations.  
Charge: Diversion of Controlled Substance

### **Slaughter, Robert Paul RN124357 (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.  
Charge: Substandard or Inadequate Care and Inadequate or Improper Infection Control Practices

### **Smith, Jimmie Dale RN096903 (CO)**

Suspension of license is stayed and license is reinstated with probation for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations.  
Charge: Drug Screening Violations

### **Smith, Brittany Renee RN134339 (CO)**

License suspended for a minimum of 3 months with stipulations.  
Charge: Filing False Reports or Falsifying Records, Substandard or Inadequate Care, Improper or Inadequate Supervision or Delegation, and Error in Prescribing, Dispensing or Administering Medication

### **Todd, Courtney Leann (S) (CO)**

Applicant approved to enter/progress to the next clinical nursing course/sequence with probation and stipulations.

### **Thiel, Kati Alice RN137640 (R)**

License suspended due to non-compliance with RNP Agreement.  
Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

### **Tortorich, Kristi Redmond RN127192 (R)**

License suspended due to non-compliance with RNP Agreement.  
Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

### **Wallace, Frances Nicole RN128793 (CO)**

License suspended with stay and probated for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations.  
Charge: Failure to Provide Medically Reasonable and/or Necessary Items or Services and Substandard or Inadequate Care

### **Winfield, Michelle N (S) (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.

### **Wilkinson, Katrinka Ann RN133686 (VS)**

Voluntary Surrender of license for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations.  
Charge: Diversion of Controlled Substances, Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Psychological Impairment or Mental Disorder and Pending Criminal Matter





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### **Zurn, Christine Faye RN050926/AP05607 (CO)**

Respondents RN/APRN licenses are suspended with a stay and licenses are probated for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations.

Charge: Alcohol Related Arrests

