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### Disciplinary Actions from December 3, 2015 Board Hearings

The files of 18 registrants were reviewed with a total of 23 actions taken:

#### Reinstatements

|                             |   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Granted/Stipulations/Active | 2 |
| Granted/Inactive            | 0 |
| Denied/Delay                | 0 |
| Denied/Ratify               | 0 |

#### Discipline Actions

|  |   |
|--|---|
| Summary Suspension (Ratify)              | 5 |
| Revoked                                  | 1 |
| Suspended/Stipulations                   | 6 |
| Automatic Revoke/Ratify Staff Action     | 0 |
| Inactive                                 | 0 |
| Voluntary Surrender                      | 0 |
| Automatic Suspension/Ratify Staff Action | 3 |
| Suspend with Stay/Probate                | 2 |
| Denied APRN License                      | 0 |
| Renewed License/Probation                | 0 |
| Retain License W/Probation               | 0 |
| Reprimand                                | 2 |
| 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 | 1 |
| Student: Clinical Deny/Delay/Stipulations         | 0 |
| Student: Clinical Delay/Deny/Ratify Staff Action  | 0 |
| Automatic Suspension/Ratify Staff Action          | 1 |
| Student: Clinical Reprimand                       | 0 |

#### Special Statistics Included in Above

|                    |    |
|--------------------|----|
| Consent Orders     | 11 |
| Applicant: NCLEX   | 0  |
| Student's Clinical | 2  |

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|             |                          |
|-------------|--------------------------|
| <b>CO:</b>  | Consent Order            |
| <b>I:</b>   | Imposter                 |
| <b>S:</b>   | Student                  |
| <b>R:</b>   | Ratified                 |
| <b>A:</b>   | Applicant                |
| <b>VS:</b>  | Voluntary Surrender      |
| <b>RNP:</b> | Recovering Nurse Program |

#### **Avery, Frances Vuci RN106312 (R)**

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

#### **Carubba, Victoria Janea (S) (R)**

Denied approval to continue in clinical nursing courses due to non-compliance with Board Order.

#### **Comstock, John C. RN095733 (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 Psychological Impairment or Mental Disorder.

#### **Cox, John Matthew RN118681 (CO)**

License suspended and shall not request reinstatement for minimum of 6 months with stipulations.  
Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse.

#### **Kees, Katherine Cooksey RN067010 (CO)**

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.  
Charge: Practice Beyond the Scope of Practice and Filing False Reports or Falsifying Records.

#### **Krail, Katherine Greer RN109080 (CO)**

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

#### **Lampard, Patrick Stephen RN137523 (CO)**

09/18/15 –Summary Suspension  
11/18/15- Agreed to Summary Suspension of 9/18/15 and to continue suspension with opportunity to apply for license reinstatement after completion of stipulations.  
Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Other Substance.

#### **Lee, Stephanie Weisean RN086059 (R)**

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

#### **McCrea, Jennifer Phares RN142834 (CO)**

License suspended with stay and probated for a minimum of 24 months with stipulations.  
Charge: Other – Drug Related Arrests

#### **Miller, Roxanne Louise RN143008 (CO)**

9/30/15- Summary Suspension  
12/1/15- Agreed to Summary Suspension of 9/30/15 and to continued suspension with opportunity to apply for license reinstatement after completion of stipulations.  
Charge: Substandard or Inadequate Care, Diversion of Controlled Substance and Narcotics Violation and Violation of Drug Screen.

#### **Ogburn, Julia Van Es RN148275**

9/30/15 – Summary Suspension  
12/3/15 - By Final Order, ratified the 9/30/15 summary suspension issued by Board staff and license suspension shall continue with opportunity to request reinstatement after completion of stipulations.  
Charge: Diversion of Controlled Substances and Narcotics Violation or Other Violation of Drug Statutes





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### **Pickus, David Scott (S) (CO)**

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

### **Quandt, Virginia Williams RN 116076 (R)**

License suspended due to action by Mississippi Board of Nursing.

Charge: License Revocation, Suspension or Other Disciplinary Action Taken by a Federal, State or Local Licensing Authority.

### **Renfroe, Christina West**

10/21/15 – Summary Suspension

12/3/15 - By Final Order, ratified the 10/21/15 summary suspension issued by Board staff and Respondent's Registered Nurse license is permanently revoked.

Charge: Criminal Conviction and Breach of Confidentiality

### **Ronquillo, Matthew Jude RN119090 (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.

### **Sargus, Nancy Anne RN091882**

By Final Order, Respondent's Registered Nurse license is suspended for a minimum of 6 months, with opportunity to request reinstatement after completion of stipulations.

Charge: Substandard or Inadequate Patient Care, Tested Positive for Hydromorphone on a Reasonable Suspicion Drug Screen, Demonstrated Long Term Use of Controlled Medications and Demonstrated Inappropriate, Incomplete or Improper Documentation.

### **Searcy, Fred William RN125534 (CO)**

9/30/15 Summary Suspension

11/24/2015 Agreed to Summary Suspension of 9/30/15 and to continue license suspension with opportunity to apply for license reinstatement after completion of stipulations.

Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substances.

### **Zamora, Karen Wood RN111527 (CO)**

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

Charge: Mild Alcohol Use Disorder.

