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### Disciplinary Actions from February 19, 2013 Board Hearings

The files of 56 registrants were reviewed with a total of 64 actions taken (some individuals had more than one action):

#### Reinstatements

Granted/Stipulations/Active	4
Granted/Inactive	0
Denied/Delay	1
Denied/Ratify	1

#### Discipline Actions

Summary Suspension (Ratify)	4
Revoked	1
Suspended/Stipulations	3
Automatic Revoke/Ratify Staff Action	0
Inactive	0
Voluntary Surrender	1
Automatic Suspension/Ratify Staff Action	5
Suspend with Stay/Probate	6
Denied APRN License	0
Renewed License/Probation	0
Retain License W/Probation	0
Reprimand	6
Action Cleared	0
Charges Dismissed	0
Other	0
Continuance Granted	0

#### Endorsement

Grant/Stipulations	0
Deny/Delayed/Ratify Staff Action	4
Inactive Status/Stipulations	0

#### Education

Applicant: NCLEX Deny/Delay/Stipulations	0
Applicant: NCLEX Approved/Probation/Stipulations	6
Applicant: Denial/Suspension (Ratify)	0
Student: Clinical Approve/Probation/Stipulations	6
Student: Clinical Deny/Delay/Stipulations	15
Student: Automatic suspensions (clinical nursing)	1
Revised Suspension	0
Denied Rehearing/Reconsideration	0

#### Special Statistics Included in Above

Consent Orders	31
Applicant: NCLEX	6
Student's Clinical	21

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### Legend

#### Actions

<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

#### **Achor, Katherine Anne Quinn (CO) (S)**

Approved to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with probation for a minimum of 1 year with stipulations

#### **Antony, Ross Matthew (R) (S)**

Denied approval to enroll and/or to progress into clinical nursing courses with stipulations based upon plea of guilty to a felonious crime

#### **Best, Valerie Langford, RN030798 (CO)**

Suspended license with a stay of said suspension and license is probated for a minimum of 3 years with stipulations.  
Charges: Practiced Beyond the Scope of Practice; Sleeping While on Duty

#### **Blanchard, Lloyd J., III (CO) (S)**

Reprimand issued and shall be eligible to reapply for permission to enroll/progress in clinical nursing courses upon completion of stipulations

#### **Brouillette, Selina Mare, RN086436**

1/10/13 – Summary suspended license  
2/19/13 – By Final Order, ratified summary suspension of license issued on 1/10/13 and license suspension is continued with opportunity to request license reinstatement after completion of stipulations

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

#### **Bouck, Andrew Dinan (R) (S)**

Denied approval to enroll and/or to progress into clinical nursing courses with stipulations based upon plea of guilty to two or more misdemeanor crimes

#### **Bourque, Lauren Olivia, (CO) (S)**

Approved to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with probation for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations

#### **Carroll, Richard Arnold II, RN079202**

12/7/12 – Summarily suspended license  
2/19/13 – By Final Order, ratified summary suspension of RN license issued on 12/7/12 and license is permanently revoked and shall not be eligible to apply for license reinstatement.  
Charges: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

#### **Champagne, Elizabeth Rieke (R) (S)**

Denied approval to remain in clinical nursing courses with stipulations due to pending criminal charges

#### **Christman, Dorothy Cottrell, RN051697 (R) (A)**

Delayed Application for Reinstatement by Registered Nurse with stipulations due to having been diagnosed with or treated for substance dependence or substance use disorders.

#### **Clement, Meaghan Karissa (CO) (S)**

Delayed approval to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses until stipulations are met.

#### **Colvin, Bryan Leigh, RN132724 (CO)**

Suspended license with a stay of said suspension and license is probated for a minimum of 3 years with stipulations.  
Charges: Falsifying Records; Deferred Adjudication

#### **Cornwell, Lou Ann, RN107745**

12/26/12 - Summarily suspended license  
2/19/13 – By Final Order, suspension of license shall continue with opportunity to request license reinstatement after completion of stipulations.  
Charges: Unable to Practice Safely





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### **Cox,, Joy Comonique, (CO) (A)**

Approved to take NCLEX-RN, to be issued a probated temporary work permit and to receive a probated license for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations

### **Debarbieris, Janet Elizabeth, RN118909 (CO)**

Reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.  
Charges: Driving While Intoxicated

### **Farmer, Shawn James (R) (S)**

Suspended approval to continue in clinical nursing courses due to non-compliance with Board Agreement

### **Figuroa-Rivera, Jose Alberto (A)**

2/7/13 - Denied application for RN licensure by endorsement based upon conviction of a crime involving the production, manufacturing, distribution or dispensing of a controlled dangerous substance

2/19/13 – By Final Order, ratified denial issued on 2/7/13 of application for license by endorsement and permanently denied approval for licensure by endorsement.

Charges: Failure to Meet Initial Requirements of a License

### **Flucas, Bianca Meshon (R) (S)**

Denied approval to enter or progress into clinical nursing courses based upon plea of guilty to Unauthorized Use of an Access Card.

### **Foster, Danielle Bellanita, RN097994 (CO)**

Reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.  
Charges: Violation of or Failure to Comply With Licensing Board Order

### **France, Glenn Joseph (R) (S)**

Denied application to enroll in a clinical nursing course with stipulations based upon plea of guilty to two or more misdemeanor crimes.

### **Gascon, Dana Wilkinson (CO) (S)**

Approved to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with probation for the duration of enrollment clinical nursing courses with stipulations

### **Graham, David Temple, RN068146 (R) (A)**

Denied approval for licensure by reinstatement with stipulations based upon plea of guilty to two or more misdemeanor crimes.

### **Herrington, James Brett (A)**

By Final Order, granted approval to take the NCLEX-RN, to be issued a probated temporary work permit and after successfully passing the NCLEX-RN, will receive license with probation for a minimum of 5 years with stipulations.

### **Holmes, Joann, (CO) (S)**

Delayed approval to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses until stipulations are met.

### **Johnson, Brittany Senea (CO) (S)**

Delayed approval to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses until stipulations are met.

### **Johnson, Timothy Thomas, (CO) (A)**

Approved to take NCLEX-RN, to be issued a probated temporary work permit and to receive a probated license for a minimum of 1 year with stipulations  
Charges: Criminal Arrests

### **Keckler, Cassie Hunt (R) (S)**

Denied approval to enter or progress into clinical nursing courses based upon plea of guilty to Unauthorized Use of an Access Card.

### **Kuebel, Robin Calecas, RN043150 (CO)**

Reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.  
Charges: Failure to Disclose; Violation of or Failure to Cooperate with Board Investigations

### **Landor, Joselyn Monique, RN134588 (CO)**

1/4/13 – Summarily suspended license

2/6/13 – Agrees to license summary suspension issued on 1/4/13 and to continued license suspension with the opportunity to request license reinstatement after completion of stipulations.

Charges: Unable to Practice Safely





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### **Lavergne, Tammy (CO) (A)**

Approved to take NCLEX-RN examination, to be issued a probated temporary permit and to be issued a suspended license, with a stay of said suspension, with probated for a minimum of 1 year with stipulations.

Charges: Practiced Beyond the Scope of Practice

### **Lee, Scott Anthony, II, (CO) (S)**

Delayed approval to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses until stipulations are met.

### **Lemarie, Lisette Marie (R) (S)**

Denied approval to enter or progress into clinical nursing courses with stipulations based upon plea of guilty to two misdemeanor crimes

### **Lewis, Tracey Gaudet, RN102538 (CO)**

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

### **Luhowiak, Michael Rush, RN137525 (R)**

Suspended license due to non-compliance with Board Agreement

### **McCanliss, Tiffany Ann (CO) (A)**

Approved to take NCLEX-RN, issuance of probated permit, and issuance of license as a RN with suspended license, with stay of said suspension, and with probation for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations

Charges: Criminal Conviction; Unable to Practice Safely

### **Melder, Gregory Allen, RN070252 (VS)**

Voluntary surrender of license for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations prior to requesting reinstatement

### **Miller, Tyler Quinn (CO) (S)**

Approved to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with probation for a minimum of 1 year with stipulations

### **Moore, Jennifer Parks, RN097427 (R)**

Suspended license for a minimum of 6 months due to non-compliance with Board Agreement

### **Norris, Julianne Elizabeth, RN135627 (CO)**

Reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.

Charges: Failure to Submit to a For Cause Drug Screen

### **Peterson, Susan Handy, RN088015 (CO)**

Suspended license with a stay of said suspension and license is probated for a minimum of 2 years with stipulations.

Charges: Falsifying Medical Records; Error in Administering Medication

### **Ream, Tara Bendily (R) (S)**

Denied approval to remain in clinical nursing courses with stipulations based upon a plea of guilty to misdemeanor theft

### **Ruffin, Sonya Jones, RN119957**

By Final Order, approved request for reinstatement of RN license with probation for a minimum of 5 years with stipulations.

### **Santana, Debra Edwards, RN097886 (CO)**

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

### **Simon, Paulette (A)**

12/5/12 - Denied RN licensure by endorsement based on plea of guilty to Possession of Marijuana with Intent to Distribute 2/19/13 – By Final Order, ratified denial for licensure by endorsement issued on 12/5/12 and permanently denied approval of application for licensure by endorsement.

Charges: Failure to Meet Initial Requirements of a License

### **Singleton, Mallorie Nicole (CO) (S)**

Approved to enter/progress to the next clinical nursing course/sequence with probation until graduation with stipulations

### **Smith, Candace Shalane, (R) (S)**

Denied application to enroll in clinical nursing courses based upon plea of guilty to two or more misdemeanor crimes

### **Smith, Shannon Byrne (CO) (S)**

Delayed approval to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with stipulations are met





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### **Smith, Stacy V., RN075617 (CO)**

Suspended license with a stay of said suspension and license is probated for a minimum of 1 year with stipulations.

Charges: Tested positive on a breath alcohol screen while on duty

### **Tatman, Nancy Lynn, RN115659 (CO)**

Suspended license with stay of said suspension and license is probated for a minimum of 3 years with stipulations.

Charges: Deferred Adjudication; Failure to Disclose; Failure to Cooperate with Board Investigation

### **Thompson, Michael Hunter (CO) (S)**

Delayed approval to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with stipulations are met

### **Van Akkeren, Jeanie Wallace, RN114998 (R)**

Suspended license due to disciplinary action taken by the Mississippi Board of Nursing

### **Walker, Susan Wood, RN062377 (R)**

Suspended license due to non-compliance with Board Agreement

### **Watts, Tamara Sheneice, (CO) (A)**

Approved to take NCLEX-RN, and upon successfully passing, to receive a RN license; letter of reprimand issued with stipulations

Charges: Prior Criminal Arrests

### **White, Maurice Jr, RN136878 (R)**

Suspended license due to non-compliance with Board Order

### **Wilson, Lisa Zobrist, RN116987, AP06494 (CO)**

Suspension of license is stayed; RN and APRN licenses are reinstated with probation for a minimum of 5 years with stipulations

### **Zieman, Tiffany Lynn, RN111655 (CO)**

Suspended license with stay of said suspension and license is probated for a minimum of 3 years with stipulations

Charges: Unable to Practice Safely

