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Disciplinary Action from May 8, 2019 Board Hearing

The files of 19 registrants were reviewed with a total of 20 actions taken (some individuals had more than one action):

Reinstatements

Granted/Stipulations/Active	3
Granted/Inactive	0
Granted/Reprimand	1
Denied/Delayed/Ratify	0
Denied/Delayed/Stipulations	0

Discipline Actions

Summary Suspension (Ratify)	1
Revoked	0
Suspended/Stipulations	2
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	0
Action Cleared	0
Charges Dismissed	0
Other - Petition for Reconsideration or Rehearing	4
Continuance Granted	0

Endorsement

Approved/Reprimand	0
Deny/Delay/Ratify Staff Action	0
Inactive Status/Stipulations	0

Education

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

Special Statistics Included in Above

Consent Orders	10
Applicant: NCLEX	1
Student's Clinical	3

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Legend

Actions

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

RNP: Recovering Nurse Program

Blanchard, Laura Christine (S)(CO)

Applicant is granted approval to enter/progress in clinical nursing courses with probation for two (2) years with stipulations.

Dalrymple, Tammy RN105875 (CO)

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

Danos, Katie Benoit RN121418 (CO)

Suspension of license is stayed, and license is reinstated with probated for a minimum of five (5) years with stipulations. Charges: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse and Drugs Screening Violation

Davis, Jackson (S)

By Final Order, Petitioner’s Petition for Reconsideration or Rehearing is GRANTED and, based upon a review of the record, the denial of Petitioner’s application to practice as a student nurse or to enter/progress in clinical nursing courses, ratified by the Board on March 13, 2019, is modified.

Fruge, Stacy RN125338 (CO)

Suspension of license is stayed, and license is reinstated with probated for a minimum of four (4) years and three (3) months with stipulations. Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

Gotch, Jessica Michelle (S)(CO)

Applicant is granted approval to enter/progress to next clinical nursing course/sequence with probation and stipulations.

Harrison, Shandy Victoria (A)(CO)

Applicant is granted approval to take the licensure exam and a letter of reprimand is issued with stipulations and a fine. Charge: Failure to Disclose

Johnson, Cyndie Arrienne (S)

By Final Order, Petitioner’s Petition for Reconsideration or Rehearing is DENIED and the denial of Petitioner’s application to practice as a student nurse or to enter/progress into clinical nursing courses, ratified by the Board on March 13, 2019 is affirmed.

Melerine, Kerri Bartron RN141510 (CO)

11/27/2018 - Summary Suspension
04/23/2019 – Agreed to license Summary Suspension of 11/27/2018 and to continued suspension with the opportunity to apply for license reinstatement after completion of stipulations.
Charges: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse, Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Psychological Impairment or Mental Disorder and Substandard or Inadequate Care

Neil, Maggie Mae RN131350

By Final Order, license suspended with opportunity to request reinstatement of license after completion of stipulations. Charges: Drug Screening Violation, Failure to Provide Medically Reasonable and/or Necessary Items or Services and Narcotics Violation or Other Violation of Drug Statutes

Pesnell, Wendy Cockerham RN133128 (R)

License suspended due to noncompliance with Board Order. Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or other Substance Abuse

Powers, Rebecca Nations RN125967

By Final Order, Petitioner’s Petition for Reconsideration or Rehearing is DENIED and the suspension of Petitioner’s license, ratified by the Board on February 13, 2019 is affirmed.





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Rose, Sheena Sherecka (S) (R)

Applicant is delayed approval to enter or progress into clinical nursing courses based upon revocation of LPN license.

Rosenbalm, Lacey Lee RN114357 (R)

License suspended due to noncompliance with Board Order.
Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or other Substance Abuse

Roy, Kathleen Istre RN044331 (CO)

Applicant is approved for licensure by reinstatement and a letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and a fine.
Charge: Practicing With an Expired License

Sanders, Cynthia Draper RN084558 (CO)

License suspended, with a stay and probated for a minimum of two (2) years with stipulations.
Charge: Practicing Beyond the Scope of Practice, Unauthorized Dispensing of Medication and Incomplete or Improper Documentation

Simmons, Erica Nicole RN127790 (R)

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

Viator, Brandon John (S)

By Final Order, Petitioner's Petition for Reconsideration or Rehearing is DENIED and the denial of Petitioner's application to practice as a student nurse or to enter/progress into clinical nursing courses, ratified by the Board on October 10, 2018 is affirmed.

Workman, Patricia Modica RN096038 (CO)

License suspended, with a stay and probated for a minimum of two (2) years with stipulations.
Charges: Disruptive Conduct, Patient Abuse and Substandard or Inadequate Care

