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Disciplinary Action from January 12, 2022 Board Hearing

The files of 22 registrants were reviewed with a total of 23 actions taken:

Reinstatements

Granted/Suspended w Stay/Probation/Stips	1
Granted/Stipulations	0
Granted/Reprimand	0
Deny/Delay/Ratify	0
Deny/Delay/Stipulations	0
Approved for Probated Temp Permit	1
Request for Reconsideration	0

Discipline Actions

Summary Suspension (Ratify)	0
Revoked	3
Suspended/Stipulations	0
Automatic Revoke/Ratify Staff Action	0
Voluntary Surrender	0
Automatic Suspension/Ratify Staff Action	4
Suspended with Stay/Probation/Stipulations	1
Renewed License/Probation	0
Retain License/Probation	0
Reprimand	4
Request for Reconsideration	1

Endorsement

Approved Reprimand	0
Deny/Delay/Ratify Staff Action	1
Approved/Probation Stipulations	0
Delay/Stipulations	0
Automatic Suspension Ratify Staff Action	0

Education

Applicant: NCLEX Deny/Delay/Ratify Staff Action	1
Applicant: NCLEX/Approved/Stipulations	0
Applicant: NCLEX Deny/Delay/Stipulations	0
Applicant: NCLEX Automatic Suspension/Ratify	0
Student: Clinical Deny/Delay/Ratify Staff Action	4
Student: Clinical Approved	2
Student: Clinical Deny/Delay/Stipulations	0
Student: Clinical Automatic Suspension/Rescind	0
Request for Reconsideration	0

Nurse Licensure Compact (NLC) Discipline

Summary Suspension of Privilege to Practice (Ratify)	0
Privilege to Practice Suspended	0
Multistate License Converted to Single State License	0

Non-Discipline Actions

Hearing Recessed	0
Continuance	1
Charges Dismissed	0
Action Cleared	0
Other	0

Special Statistics Included in Above

Consent Orders	8
Applicant: NCLEX	1
Student: Clinical	6

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Legend

Actions

CO:	Consent Order
I:	Imposter
S:	Student
R:	Ratified
A:	Applicant
VS:	Voluntary Surrender
RNP:	Recovering Nurse Program

Augustine, Kelly Stein RN130836 (CO)

License suspended with stay and probated for three (3) years with stipulations.

Charge: Drug Screening Violation

Bell, Mary Elizabeth RN080048 (R)

License suspended due to non-compliance with RNP Agreement.

Charges: Violation of or Failure to Comply with Licensing Board Order and Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

Bossier, Donna Dabbs RN114786 (FO)

License permanently revoked.

Charges: Sexual Misconduct, Patient Abuse, and Conduct Evidencing Moral Unfitness

Capranica, Gregory Gian (A)(R)

Applicant denied approval to take the NCLEX-RN examination, to be issued a temporary permit, and to be issued a RN license.

Faucheux, Kristy Lynn RN104567 (FO)

License revoked. Respondent may not apply for reinstatement until five (5) years from the date of the Final Order, receipt of approval from Board staff, and submission to the reinstatement process.

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

Francois, Simone Michelle RN063022 (R)

License suspended due to non-compliance with Consent Order Agreement.

Charge: Violation of or Failure to Comply with Licensing Board Order

Garcia, Tracy Peavy RN081149 (CO)

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.

Charge: Error in Prescribing, Dispensing or Administering Medication

Gipson, Adrienne (S)(R)

Applicant denied approval to enroll in clinical nursing courses.

Harless, Kimberly Diane RN144665 (CO)

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and fine.

Charges: Conduct Evidencing Ethical Unfitness, Improper or Abusive Billing Practices, and Improper or Inadequate Supervision or Delegation

Hill, Brittany Adams (S)

Applicant approved to Enter/Progress in Clinical Nursing Courses notwithstanding the previous denial prohibiting the Applicant from submitting a new application before October 9, 2022

Juneau, Troy Dylan (S)(CO)

Applicant granted approval to enter, advance or continue in clinical nursing courses with probation and stipulations.

Kelley, Terri Copenhaver RN139793 (CO)

Respondent approved to be issued a probated temporary permit to complete the clinical portion of refresher course with stipulations. Further, upon successful completion of the refresher course and completion of the reinstatement process, Respondent's Registered Nurse license is reinstated with probation, to run concurrently with RNP Agreement executed on July 20, 2020.

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

Kerry, Jessica Sheree RN103917 (R)

License suspended for six (6) months following 2nd relapse.

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





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Melder, Michael Gene AP10013 (CO)

License suspension stayed and license reinstated with probation for a minimum of five (5) years to run concurrently with the RNP Agreement executed on October 20, 2020.

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

Rodgers, James (S)(R)

Applicant denied approval to enroll in clinical nursing courses.

Simon, Lori RN098037 (FO)

License revoked. Respondent may not apply for reinstatement until five (5) years from the date of the Final Order, receipt of approval from Board staff, and submission to the reinstatement process. Charge: Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse

Victory, Patricia Burgess RN073185 (CO)

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and a fine.

Charge: Drug Screening Violation

White, Juliana P. (S)(R)

Applicant denied approval to enroll in clinical nursing courses.

Whiteman, Casey Lynn (S)(R)

Applicant denied approval to enroll in clinical nursing courses.

Wilmot, Leigh Ann (A)(R)

Applicant delayed approval for licensure as Registered Nurse by endorsement with stipulations.

Charges: Failure to Disclose, Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Alcohol or Other Substance Abuse, and Unable to Practice Safely by Reason of Psychological Impairment or Mental Disorder.

Wolfe, Cotrice E.A. RN206582 (CO)

Letter of reprimand issued with stipulations and a fine.

Charge: Patient Abandonment

Young, Sandra Callais RN101475 (R)

License suspended due to action by the California Board of Nursing

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

Young, Sandra Callais RN101475 (FO)

The automatic suspension of Petitioner's Louisiana RN license was ratified. Further, Petitioner's Request for Reconsideration/ Rehearing of the automatic suspension was granted, and Board staff was instructed to offer Respondent a Consent Order to reinstate Respondent's license with a reprimand continuing education.

