

BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF NURSING CARE INSTITUTION ADMINISTRATORS AND ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY MANAGERS

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BOARD MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA November 18, 2024

The Board's mission is to protect the health, welfare, and safety of the public who seek and use the services of nursing care institution administrators and assisted living facility managers.

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** to the members of the State of Arizona Board of Examiners of Nursing Care Institution Administrators and Assisted Living Facility Managers ("Board") and to the general public that the Board will hold a regular monthly Board meeting, which is open to the public on: **Monday, November 18, 2024, Regular Board Meeting, to be held at 1740 W. Adams Street, Board Meeting Room C, Phoenix, Arizona 85007 at 9:00AM.**

Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as a sign language interpreter, by contacting Jack Confer at 602-542-8156 (or through the Arizona Relay Service at 711). Please make your request as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

The Board President reserves the right to change the order of the items listed on the Agenda. Board members may be present by telephone.

During the course of the meeting, the Board, upon a majority vote of a quorum of the members, may hold an executive session for the purposes of obtaining legal advice from the Board's attorney on any matter listed on the Agenda pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3), and for the purpose of discussion or consideration of confidential material pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2). The executive session will be held immediately after the vote and will not be open to the public. As a reminder, the resident's name is confidential. You must refer to a resident by their initials or "resident."

Items that are referenced as a "Consent Agenda" may be considered as a single action unless a Board Member removes a specific item for review, discussion, and action separately from the other Consent Agenda items.

The Board will review, discuss, and may take action on the following matters listed on the agenda. The Agenda November 18, 2024, Regular Board Meeting is as follows:

I. ROLL CALL

II. <u>DECLARATION OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST – A.R.S. § 38-503</u>

III. <u>DECLARATION OF RECUSAL(S)</u>

IV. CALL TO THE PUBLIC

Persons who want to address the Board do not need to request permission in advance, but they do need to complete a "Request to Speak to the Board" form so that the Board is aware that they are here and that they want to speak to the Board. Each person who wants to address the Board will be given five (5) minutes to do so. However, the Board may limit the number of persons speaking on each issue to a reasonable number of persons. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02(H), the Board can discuss or take action only on matters that are listed on the Agenda. Board action on issues that are not listed on the Agenda is limited to directing staff to study the matter or to schedule the matter for further discussion at a future Board Meeting.

V. REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Board may vote to go into Executive Session pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2) (to discuss confidential information), A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3) (to receive legal advice). Board Review, Consideration and Action on Approval of Minutes

A. Draft October 21, 2024 Regular Board Meeting Minutes

VI. REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON FORMAL ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS, PROPOSED CONSENT AGREEMENTS, INFORMAL SETTLEMENT CONFERENCES OR MOTIONS TO DEEM ALLEGATIONS ADMITTED:

The Board may vote to go into Executive Session pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2) (to discuss confidential information), A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3) (to receive legal advice).

A. Formal Hearing Keith Boal 2024-NCI-0118 9:05 AM B. Formal Hearing Ligia Ilea 2024-NCI-0105 9:30 AM

VII. REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION CONCERNING INTERIM CONSENT AGREEMENT REACHED AFTER DENIAL OF APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE. ACTION MAY INCLUDE, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO, TERMINATING OR EXTENDING THE AGREEMENT, REVIEWING ANY EVALUATIONS AND POTENTIALLY ACCEPTING RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED THEREIN, CONSIDERATION TO GRANT LICENSURE AND/OR CONTINUINGTHE FORMAL HEARING.

The Board may vote to go into Executive Session pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2) (to discuss confidential information), A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3) (to receive legal advice).

A. Ryan Weaks Manager Application 2024-NCI-0367

VIII. <u>CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS: REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON</u> COMPLAINT CASE REVIEWS

The Board may vote to go into Executive Session pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2) (to discuss confidential information), A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3) (to receive legal advice). The name of a Resident is confidential information. In public session, the Board members, staff, and the licensee should refer to the Residents as "Resident" or use the Resident's initials. The Board may block vote as desired.

Consent agenda items may be considered as a single action or block vote. The Board may remove an item from the consent agenda for discussion. For items in agenda section (A), (B) and (C) the Board may review, discuss and take possible action on the below listed matter(s) and on previously offered proposed consent

agreements. Action may include, but is not limited to, acceptance, rejection, or modification and reoffering of the previously offered consent agreement. Action may also include the request to appear at a future meeting. Items in section (A), (B) and (C) may also be considered as a single action or block vote.

A. Staff Recommendation for Disciplinary Consent Agreement(s). Action may also include Summary Suspension of the license or certificate, the Issuance of a Letter of Concern, or Dismissal, in any of the following cases:

1.	Christina Bustamante	2024-NCI-0253
2.	Pamela Wright	2024-NCI-0334
3.	Ray Serafino Jr	2024-NCI-0350

Consent Agreement(s) signed prior to meeting

4.	Ryan Arguillo	2024-NCI-0467
5.	Nathan Koford	2024-NCI-0488
6.	Mignonette Reyes	2024-NCI-0358
7.	Tanisha Sanchez	2024-NCI-0388
8.	Tanisha Sanchez	2024-NCI-0389
9.	Elena Sik	2024-NCI-0287
10.	Catherine Gamel	2024-NCI-0346
11.	Jessica McPherson	2024-NCI-0379

B. Staff Recommendation for Non-Disciplinary Letter of Concern(s). Action may include rejection of the recommendation and the Offer of a Disciplinary Consent Agreement, in any of the following cases:

Tanisha Sanchez	2024-NCI-0343
Maria Parham	2024-NCI-0345
Anthony Pennacchio	2024-NCI-0354
Priscilla Muresan	2024-NCI-0372
John Rosness	2024-NCI-0373
Lemuel Tanglao	2024-NCI-0378
Esther Maciuc	2024-NCI-0384
Terrell Nievera	2024-NCI-0387
Diana Tinta	2024-NCI-0390
Ryan Arguillo	2024-NCI-0509
	Tanisha Sanchez Maria Parham Anthony Pennacchio Priscilla Muresan John Rosness Lemuel Tanglao Esther Maciuc Terrell Nievera Diana Tinta Ryan Arguillo

C. Staff Recommendation for Dismissal(s). Action may include rejection of the recommendation and the Issuance of a Letter Concern or Offer of a Disciplinary Consent Agreement, in any of the following cases:

1.	Laura Olson	2024-NCI-0275
2.	Susan Archer	2024-NCI-0309
3.	Megan Majors	2024-NCI-0318
4.	Lavinia Mateescu	2024-NCI-0348
5.	Garrett Jones	2024-NCI-0349
6.	Annalis Lajeunesse	2024-NCI-0351
7.	Nicholas Radeka	2024-NCI-0352
8.	Nina Webb	2024-NCI-0353
9.	Kimberly Fulton	2024-NCI-0355
10.	Rebecca Golubjatnikov	2024-NCI-0356
11.	Patsy Dorame	2024-NCI-0370
12.	Nathan Koford	2024-NCI-0371

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2024-NCI-0383
2024-NCI-0399
2024-NCI-0400
2024-NCI-0471
2024-NCI-0493
2024-NCI-0385

IX. 2025 PROPOSED LEGISLATION (Possible Discussion & Vote)

Review, Discussion, and Possible Vote and/or direction to staff concerning the Boards' possible request for Legislative changes next session. Action may include but is not limited to directing staff to seek approval for legislative changes related to: 1. Proving the Board the ability to conduct formal interviews (A.R.S. §§ 36-446.03 AND -446.07); 2. Proving the Board with delegation authority to assist Board staff in the offer of consents and disposition of cases informally (A.R.S. § 36-446.03); 3. Establishment of fees for the issuance of duplicate certificates/licenses (A.R.S. §§ 446.03 AND -446.04); 4. Expansion of application entry level requirements for an Administrator license to include applicable healthcare professions with appropriate training and experience (A.R.S. § 36-446.04); 5. Elimination of temporary license prohibitions pursuant to A.A.C. R4-33-203. The purpose of this discussion and possible vote is to gain Board consensus on legislative changes and provide strategic direction to the Board's Registered Pubic Lobbyist.

X. BOARD VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

XI. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT

Board to review, discuss and possibly take action on the following items:

A. Budget Update, Licensing, Probation & Investigation Statistics (Possible Discussion & Consideration)

XII. FUTURE ITEMS AND MEETING DATES

December 9, 2024, January 13, 2025 & February 10, 2025

XIII. ADJOURNMENT

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Jack Confer, Executive Director