

**ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION  
DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION**

Meeting: **BOARD OF NURSING**  
 Meeting Date: July 13, 2018  
 Meeting Convened: 9:01 a.m.  
 Meeting Adjourned: 12:01 p.m.  
 Meeting Locations: Video Conference Chicago Office, Conference Room 9-040  
 Springfield Office, Conference Room 258

Members Present: Helen Catherine Miller, Vice-Chairperson  
 Veronica Armouti, Public Member  
 Ann Amaefule, Member  
 Charity Cooper, Member  
 Amanda Cuca, Member  
 Susan Emberson, Member  
 Mischelle Monagle, Member  
 Deborah Morris, Member  
 James Pedraza, Member

Board Members Absent: Jean Mau, Chairperson  
 Stacy J.B. Gordon  
 Laurie Manson-Round, Member  
 Bernadette Roche, Member

Staff Present: Jerry R. Miller, Board Liaison  
 Lucienne Doler, General Counsel  
 Reid Paxson, Administrative Assistant  
 Scottie Tyus, Administrative Assistant

Organizations Present: New Lake College  
 Illinois Central College  
 Adonis College of Nursing  
 Northwestern College  
 Herzing University  
 State Career College  
 CAAN Academy Nursing  
 Robert Morris University

Amendment to the Agenda: Under New Business Add: Election of Officers

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
<b>ANNOUNCEMENTS/ CORRESPONDENCE</b>	Newsletters and Correspondence were made available for board perusal.	N/A

<p><b>OLD BUSINESS</b></p> <p>Approval of Minutes - March 2, 2018</p>	<p>The March 2, 2018, meeting minutes were reviewed.</p>	<p>Motion was made/seconded Emberson/Pedraza to approve the March 2, 2018, meeting minutes.</p> <p>Motion Carried.</p>
<p><b>NEW BUSINESS</b></p> <p>Election of Officers</p>	<p>An election was held to fill the positions of chairperson and vice-chairperson.</p>	<p>Motion was made (Morris) and carried to elect Catherine Miller as Chairperson.</p> <p>Motion was made (Pedraza) and carried to elect Charity Cooper as Vice-Chairperson.</p>
<p><b>NATIONAL COUNCIL OF STATE BOARD OF NURSING</b></p> <p>Announcements</p>	<p>Michele Bromberg announced Catherine Miller, Ann Amaefule, Charity Copper and herself will be attending the 2018 Annual Meeting from August 14-19, 2018, in Minneapolis, Minnesota.</p> <p>She further indicated Catherine Miller will officially represent the Board at the Presidents meeting.</p> <p>Michele Bromberg also provided the board with some NCSBN updates relative to adopted rules and legislation throughout the United States.</p> <p>General discussion followed.</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p><b>LEGISLATIVE UPDATE</b></p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p><b>BOARD LIASION TIME</b></p>	<p>N/A</p>	<p>N/A</p>

<p><b>NURSING EDUCATION</b></p> <p>Herzing University - Out-of-State Education Seeking Student Nurse Clinical Placement in Illinois</p> <p>University of Pennsylvania - Out-of-State Education Seeking Student Nurse Clinical Placement in Illinois</p> <p>New Lake College - Proposed Curriculum Approval (LPN)</p> <p>CAAN Academy - Proposed Feasibility Study Approval (ADN)</p> <p>State Career College - Proposed Feasibility Study Approval (LPN)</p>		<p>The recommendations were delineated on the Action Sheets.</p> <p>Approved <b>Action Sheet No. 180872</b></p> <p>Approved <b>Action Sheet No. 180873</b></p> <p>Approved <b>Action Sheet No. 180874</b></p> <p>Approved <b>Action Sheet No. 180875</b></p> <p>Approved <b>Action Sheet No. 180876</b></p>
<p><b>APPLICATION REVIEW</b></p> <p>Continuing Education Sponsors</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Aetna Better Health of Illinois</li> <li>- Rainbow Hospice &amp; Palliative Care</li> <li>- Renew Now CE</li> </ul>	<p>The recommendation was delineated on the Action Sheet.</p> <p>Deferred <b>Action Sheet No. 180877</b></p> <p>Approved <b>Action Sheet No. 180878</b></p> <p>Deferred <b>Action Sheet No. 180879</b></p>
<p><b>CLOSED SESSION</b> <b>Deliberations/Regulatory</b> <b>10:32 a.m. - 11:57 a.m.</b></p>	<p>A roll call vote was taken to go into closed session to discuss deliberation/regulatory cases:</p> <p>Helen Catherine Miller - Aye Veronica Armouti - Aye Ann Amaefule - Aye Charity Cooper - Aye Amanda Cuca - Aye Susan Emberson - Aye Mischelle Monagle - Aye Deborah Morris – Aye James Pedraza - Aye</p>	

<p><b>RECONVENED - OPEN SESSION</b>  <b>11:57 a.m.</b></p> <p>Deliberation/Regulatory</p>		<p>The recommendations for the cases were made in open session and referred to the appropriate attorney(s) for follow-up.</p> <p>Each individual recommendation is listed below:</p>
<p>Martha Acosta</p> <p>Recommendation: Refuse to renew.</p>	<p>17-02826-1</p>	<p>Nussbaum</p>
<p>*****  *****</p> <p>David Berger</p> <p>Recommendation: Indefinite Suspension; Upon filing a petition for restoration the respondent must provide proof of evaluation by a certified addictionologist, and meet the recommendations of the assessment. If she remains out of practice for five years, she must present evidence of successful completion of a Department-approved licensure examination (NCLEX).</p>	<p>17-03122-1</p>	<p>Nussbaum</p>
<p>*****  *****</p>		
<p>Jessica Blake</p> <p>Recommendation: Indefinite Suspension.</p>	<p>17-06366-1</p>	<p>Skoglund</p>
<p>*****  *****</p>		
<p>Alicia Childress</p> <p>Recommendation: Denied.</p>	<p>17-06180-1</p>	<p>Nussbaum</p>
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<p>Anita Gurkin</p> <p>Recommendation: Indefinite suspension; Upon filing a petition for restoration the respondent must provide proof of evaluation by a certified addictionologist, and meet the recommendations of the assessment. If she remains out of practice for five years, she must present evidence of successful completion of a Department-approved licensure examination (NCLEX).</p>	<p>17-07145-1</p>	<p>Nussbaum</p>
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Maureen Martin 17-08126-1 Nussbaum

Recommendation: Indefinite Suspension.

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Vanessa Mason 17-09214-1 Reda

Recommendation: Indefinite Suspension.

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Corbin McCabe 16-05993-1 Nussbaum

Recommendation: Revoke.

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Megan Moreland 17-01374-1 Nussbaum

Recommendation: Indefinite suspension, minimum 18 months. Upon filing a petition for restoration the respondent must provide proof of evaluation by a certified addictionologist, and meet the recommendations of the assessment. If she remains out of practice for five years, she must present evidence of successful completion of a Department-approved licensure examination (NCLEX).

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Rebecca Root 17-02517-1 Nussbaum

Recommendation: Accept Administrative Law Judge's recommendation.

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Lindsay Sams 17-06468-1 Thom

Recommendation: Indefinite suspension. Upon filing a petition for restoration the respondent must provide proof of evaluation by a certified addictionologist, and meet the recommendations of the assessment. If she remains out of practice for five years, she must present evidence of successful completion of a Department-approved licensure examination (NCLEX).

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Diane Smith 17-10476-1 Nussbaum

Recommendation: Refuse to renew.

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Zosima Victuelles 17-06723-1 Nussbaum

Recommendation: Indefinite Suspension.

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Terra Warthen 16-04493-1 Nussbaum

Recommendation: Administrative Warning Letter.

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Ozlem Whalen 17-11042-1 Thom

Recommendation: Indefinite suspension, minimum 3 years. Upon filing a petition for restoration the respondent must provide proof of evaluation by a certified addictionologist, and meet the recommendations of the assessment. If she remains out of practice for five years, she must present evidence of successful completion of a Department-approved licensure examination (NCLEX).

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Christopher Williams 17-10501-1 Nussbaum

Recommendation: Indefinite suspension. Upon filing a petition for restoration the respondent must provide proof of evaluation by a certified addictionologist, and meet the recommendations of the assessment. If she remains out of practice for five years, she must present evidence of successful completion of a Department-approved licensure examination (NCLEX).

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Andrea Zavakos 15-06251-1 Canavan

Recommendation: Indefinite Suspension.

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The following signed Findings of Fact; Conclusions of Law, and Recommendations to the Director were forwarded to the respective attorney(s):

Lindsey Alexander	15-11063-1	Reda
Anthony Alford	17-00529-1	Nussbaum
Rachelle Elmore	16-11465-1	Nussbaum
Evita Anderson	17-00876-1	Nussbaum
Melinda Bottinelli	17-11401-1	Skoglund
Alicia Childress	17-06180-1	Nussbaum
Rachel Cornwell	16-03009-1	Nussbaum
Josephina Datingaling	16-11079-1	Canavan
Steven Dzyban	17-01988-1	Skoglund
Kristina Hale	16-09285-1	Nussbaum
Mardi Halperin	17-07784-1	Skoglund
Julianne Hunter	16-03781-1	Reda

Elizabeth Kelly	17-05309-1	Nussbaum
Lucille Leblanc	15-09333-1	Reda
Anna Liebscher	17-00127-1	Skoglund
Beth Maurer	17-04460-1	Thom
Deborah Maxwell	17-09790-1	Skoglund
Corbin McCabe	16-05993-1	Nussbaum
Lisa McCoy-Miller	17-10620-1	Skoglund
Kristal McWhirter	16-06495-1	Reda
Alejandro Mendoza	17-07391-1	Skoglund
Deborah Meredith	15-10831-1	Reda
Marc Montecillo	17-11737-1	Skoglund
Kimberly Nelson	15-07046-1	Reda
Patrice Ricci	16-03815-1	Reda
Samantha Rivera-Chavez	17-03299-1	Nussbaum
Alex Salazar	16-08949-1	Nussbaum
Michele Sarpy	17-05153-1	Skoglund
Paula Thomas Simpson	16-10268-1	Nussbaum
Carroll Smith	16-01671-1	Reda
Rachel Smith	16-06626-1	Reda
Lois Syse	15-09149-1	Nussbaum
Nancy Tapscott	15-09255-1	Reda
Regina Young	17-07792-1	Skoglund
<b>ADJOURNMENT</b>		There being no further business to be brought before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 12:01 p.m.