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MICHIGAN BOARD OF NURSING DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING OF AUGUST 6, 2015

APPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Nursing Disciplinary Subcommittee met in regular session on August 6, 2015 at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan.

CALL TO ORDER

Lars Egede-Nissen, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 2:02 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Lars Egede-Nissen, Public Member, Chairperson
Kathy Bouchard-Wyant, RN, B.A
Tiffany McDonald, RN

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Shellayne Grimes, Executive Secretary, Legal Affairs Division
Cheryl Wykoff Pezon, Board Manager, Legal Affairs Division
(arrived at 2:12 p.m.)
Virginia Abdo, Compliance Manager, Enforcement Division
Krista Sheroski, Analyst, Enforcement Division
Kelly Dent, Analyst, Enforcement Division
Bridget Smith, Assistant Attorney General

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to approve the July 9, 2015 with the following corrections:

On page 9, under the case of **Regina Paul Liugi Ajak, LPN – Proposal for Decision**

The second Motion should read:

(1) (b) **Medical Medication Errors**

On page 9, under the case of **Tasmiyah Nadirah Gaskins, RN, LPN - Proposal for Decision**

The second Motion should read:

(1) (c) **Medical Medication Errors**

(1) (d) **Medical Medication Administration**

On page 10, under the case of **Craig Randall Wright, RN - Proposal for Decision**

The second Motion should read:

(1) (c) **Medical Medication Errors**

(1) (d) **Medical Medication Administration**

MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to approve the agenda with the following correction:

On page 3 of the Agenda, Under **Announcements**, the date for the next regularly scheduled meeting should read ~~September 6~~ **September 3, 2015**.

MOTION PREVAILED

REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

Jennifer Lee Harrison, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Miki Lynn Auel, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Robin Michelle Cash-Larsen, RN, CNP – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Randall Kish Lindstrom, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Tonya Leah Lunsford, RN, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Stephanie Lyne Patel, RN, CNP – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Almira Nuesca Rimando, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Kimberly Joanne Wells, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to reject the Consent Order and Stipulation and offer a counter-offer to extend Respondent's probationary period to one (1) year not to exceed three (3) years, with the following terms and conditions:

(1) Respondent shall be required to complete a minimum of three (3) credits of continuing education in the following area:

a) Infection Control for Nursing

(2) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

All other terms of the Consent Order and Stipulation to remain as written.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Stacie Marie Tyree, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Tonya Marie Warren, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Vershawn Machel Davis, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to reject the Consent Order and Stipulation and offer a counter-offer for Respondent to complete a minimum of three (3) credits of continuing education in the following area:

a. Disciplinary Actions

Additionally, a fine shall be assessed in the amount of \$500.00.

All other terms of the Consent Order and Stipulation to remain as written.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Tamera S. Schmidt, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Teri Jean Heather, LPN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Sheryl Elizabeth Davis, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Brenda Kay Fochtman, RN – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Richard S. Shaffer, RN – Request for Dismissal

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to accept the Request for Dismissal.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Rhonda Lee Brumley, RN – Proposal for Decision

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to accept the Proposal for Decision.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to dissolve the Order of Summary Suspension and suspend Respondent's license for a minimum of one (1) day until HPRP compliant.

Respondent shall be placed on probation for two (2) years not to exceed five (5) years, with the following terms and conditions:

(1) Respondent shall be required to complete a minimum of three (3) credits of continuing education in the following areas:

- a) Disciplinary Actions
- b) Understanding Substance Abuse Disorder

(2) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Chari Chanel, LPN – Proposal for Decision

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to accept the Proposal for Decision.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to limit Respondent's license from practicing nursing until evidence is submitted that Respondent has a full and unencumbered license in the state of Texas.

Additionally, a fine shall be assessed in the amount of \$250.00.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote was followed: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Stefanie Lyn Bailey, RN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to suspend Respondent's license for six (6) months and one (1) day.

Additionally, a fine shall be assessed in the amount of \$250.00, payable prior to filing an application for reinstatement.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Nancy Lee Bell, RN, LPN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to place Respondent on probation for one (1) year not to exceed three (3) years, with the following terms and conditions:

- (1) Respondent shall be required to complete a minimum of three (3) credits of continuing education in each of the following areas:
 - a) Professional Accountability/Legal Liability
 - b) Critical Thinking
 - c) Ethics

- d) Disciplinary Actions
- e) End of Life Care/Pain Management

(2) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

Additionally, a fine shall be assessed in the amount of \$250.00.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Renatta Sharece Cloud, LPN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to issue a reprimand.

Additionally, a fine shall be assessed in the amount of \$250.00.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Bethanee Amy Gillard, RN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to suspend Respondent's license for a minimum of one (1) day until deficient employer reports or reports of non-employment are received and the fine of \$250.00 is paid.

Upon reinstatement, Respondent must comply with the previous order.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Danielle Arlene-Ryan Kokkonen, RN, LPN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to suspend Respondent's license a minimum of one (1) day until HPRP compliant.

Respondent shall be placed on probation for two (2) years not to exceed five (5) years, with the following terms and conditions:

- (1) Respondent shall be required to complete a minimum of three (3) credits of continuing education in each of the following areas:

- a) Disciplinary Actions
- b) Understanding Substance Use Disorder

(2) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

Additionally, a fine shall be assessed in the amount of \$250.00, payable prior to reinstatement.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Shashi Kiran Lamba, RN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to suspend Respondent's license for a minimum of one (1) day until required continuing education is completed and the fine of \$250.00 is paid.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Jennifer Lynn Mezey, LPN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to dissolve the Order of Summary Suspension and suspend Respondent's license for six (6) months and one (1) day.

Additionally, a fine shall be assessed in the amount of \$250.00, payable prior to reinstatement.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Daniel Lou Page, RN, LPN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to suspend Respondent's license for a minimum of one (1) day until HPRP compliant and the fine of \$250.00 is paid.

Upon reinstatement, Respondent must comply with the previous order.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

James Lewis Preston, RN, LPN, NHA – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to place Respondent on probation for two (2) years not to exceed five (5) years, with the following terms and conditions:

- (1) Respondent shall be required to complete a minimum of three (3) credits of continuing education in each of the following areas:
 - a) Professional Accountability/Legal Liability
 - b) Ethics
 - c) Disciplinary Actions

- (2) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

Additionally, a fine shall be assessed in the amount of \$1,000.00, payable within 60 days.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Carla Green Sexton, LPN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to place Respondent on probation for one (1) year not to exceed three (3) years, with the following terms and conditions:

- (1) Respondent shall be required to complete a minimum of three (3) credits of continuing education in each of the following areas:
 - a) Documentation
 - b) Medication Errors
 - c) Critical Thinking
 - d) Disciplinary Actions

- (2) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

Additionally, a fine shall be assessed in the amount of \$250.00, payable within 60 days.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Felecia Gloritha Simmons, RN, LPN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to issue a reprimand.

Additionally, a fine shall be assessed in the amount of \$250.00.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Elizabeth Michele Unverzagt, RN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by Bouchard-Wyant, seconded by McDonald, to dissolve the Order of Summary Suspension and suspend Respondent's license for six (6) months and one (1) day.

Additionally, a fine shall be assessed in the amount of \$250.00, payable prior to filing an application for reinstatement.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

Deanna Rose Wetters, LPN – Administrative Complaint

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to suspend Respondent's license for a minimum of one (1) day until the fine of \$250.00 is paid and completion of a minimum of three (3) hours of continuing education in the area of Disciplinary Actions is completed.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas – Bouchard-Wyant, McDonald, Egede-Nissen

MOTION PREVAILED

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on September 3, 2015 scheduled to begin immediately following the Board of Nursing full board meeting, scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m., at the Ottawa Building, 611 W. Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Room 3, Lansing, Michigan.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by McDonald, seconded by Bouchard-Wyant, to adjourn the meeting at 2:47 p.m.



Lars Egede-Nissen, Chairperson



Date Minutes Approved

Prepared by:
Shellayne Grimes, Executive Secretary

August 7, 2015