

**PUBLIC NOTICE – November 2013
NORTH DAKOTA BOARD OF NURSING**

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The North Dakota Board of Nursing took the following action during the November 21 & 22, 2013 meeting:

Disciplinary/Board Action

Action	Name	Registration #	City/State	Time frame	Penalty fee
Reprimand * Practice without License/Registration	*Brandenburg, Catherine	L6672	Edgeley, ND	N/A	\$1,500
	Dunn, Ashley	L14151	Fargo, ND	N/A	\$300
	*Eckroth, Whitney	UAP/Tech Applicant	Flasher, ND	N/A	\$100
	*Gallagher, Jennifer	UAP/Tech Applicant	Drayton, ND	N/A	\$500
	*Jahn, Elizabeth	RN Applicant	Thief River Falls, MN	N/A	\$200
	Reid, Karen	L13937	Michigan, ND	N/A	\$500
	Schirrick, Lisa	L9510 & R30644	Grand Forks, ND	N/A	\$500
	*Schirrick, Lisa	R30644	Grand Forks, ND	N/A	\$1,000
	*Seifert, Joanne	R24445	Casselton, ND	N/A	\$1,500
	*Sullivan, Thomas	UAP/Tech Applicant	Williston, ND	N/A	\$500
Extension of Previous Licensure Action (Suspension)	Grossman, Sheri	L9652	Strasburg, ND	3 years	\$1,200
Encumbered	Lufkin, Nicole	L14100	Crookston, MN	1 year	\$1,200
	Spiekermeier, Megan	L12983	Fargo, ND	3 years	\$500
Prescriptive Authority Encumbrance	Kunkle, Michelle	R38041	Williston, ND	3 years	\$800
Suspension * Stayed Action ** Stay Lifted	Duttenhefer, Doreen	L13783	Mandan, ND	N/A	N/A
	Good Bear, Erica	L11967	Minot, ND	3 years	\$500
	*Kunkle, Michelle	R38041	Williston, ND	3 years	See Encumbrance
	Rausser, Cynthia	R21912	Bismarck, ND	3 years	\$1,200
	*Spiekermeier, Megan	L12983	Fargo, ND	3 years	See Encumbered
Reinstated to Encumbered Status	Herbel, Jordan	L11032	Bismarck, ND	3 years	N/A
Voluntary Surrender	Brown, Laura	L11139	Williston, ND	N/A	\$200
Denial of Initial Licensure	Baptist, Brian	RN Applicant	Williston, ND	N/A	N/A
	Giles, Sabrina	RN Applicant	Williston, ND	N/A	N/A
	Toomey, John	RN Applicant	Bergland, MI	N/A	N/A

Action	Name	Registration #	City/State	Effective Date
Suspension	Fischer, Stephanie	L10644	West Fargo, ND	11/15/2013
	Grossman, Sheri	L9652	Strasburg, ND	09/25/2013
Suspension/ Cease & Desist	Nelson, Laura	L5256	Hettinger, ND	10/15/2013

BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

- Accepted the 2012-2013 Audit Report presented by Eide Bailly.
- Accepted the 2012-2013 Annual Report with corrections.

- Approved the full reimbursement of the Fargo hotel charge for Kalanek for attendance at the NDNA Convention & Center for nursing meeting.
- Approved reimbursement of actual lodging costs for board members and staff while representing the board or conducting board business if state rates are not available in the area.
- Approved the proposed revision to the investigative plan policy related to NURSYS disciplinary notifications in other jurisdictions.
- Accepted notification of the name change for University of Jamestown Baccalaureate Degree Nursing Program under the requirements of NDAC 54-03.2-02 organization and administration.
- Approved the University of Jamestown's notification of major programmatic changes as the program has full approval from the ND Board of Nursing and the programmatic changes are in compliance with NDAC 54-03.2-06-02.
- Accepted the University of ND College of Nursing and Professional Disciplines progress report toward compliance of NDAC 54-03.2-02 and NDAC 54-03.2-03 as fully met and request notification of final appointment of Nurse Administrator.
- The board found:
 - ✓ The University of Mary Graduate Family Nurse Practitioner program is in substantial compliance with NDAC 54-03.2 standards for Nursing Education program; and
 - ✓ Required notification on the status of the HLC Accreditation to offer a Doctoral Degree in Nursing prior to July 1, 2014 to show evidence of meeting NDAC 54-03.2-02-01. Accreditation requirements.
 - ✓ Required notification on the status of meeting NDAC 54-03.2-04-04. Baccalaureate or Graduate Nurse Program faculty qualifications prior to July 1, 2014. There must be sufficient faculty with graduate preparation and nursing expertise to achieve the purpose of the program.
- Will not recognize Pryor Seminars for CE for nursing license renewal as they do not meet the requirements of the board's CE renewal requirements policy.
- Approved a fee of \$200 for a two year approval for recognition of out of state CE offerings for RN/LPN refresher courses and LPN IV Therapy Courses.
- Approved the revised ND Board of Nursing guidelines for out-of-state nursing education program recognition and direct staff to research the number of clinical hours required for refresher courses.
- Approved the proposed revision to the Nursing Education Loan policies.
- Approved the FAQs related to Medication Administration in schools pending legal review.
- Supported the NDBOP proposed policy & procedure for proper repackaging of medications by licensed nurses
- Will not allow the delegation of repackaging of medications by medication assistants.
- Initially adopt the proposed revisions to NDAC title 54 for Public Hearing scheduled for January 16, 2014 pending editorial review by Special Assistant Attorney General.