

**MINUTES OF**  
**INDIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING**

Thursday, January 15, 2026  
at 8:30 a.m.

Indiana Government Center South  
Conference Center, Room B  
302 W. Washington St.  
Indianapolis, IN 46204

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Board Member	Title	Appointment Date	Expiration Date	Appointing Authority
Jennifer L. Miller, MSN, RN	Board President	02/01/2019	09/30/2026	Governor
Jason M. King, DNP, RN	Vice President	09/01/2019	07/31/2029	Governor
Angela Morris, MSN, RN	Secretary	11/01/2019	07/31/2029	Governor
Kim Cooper, MSN, RN	RN Prelicensure Faculty	10/22/2012	6/30/2026	Governor
Emily Segó, DNP, RN	RN member	5/10/2023	9/30/2027	Governor
Julian L. Gallegos, PhD, RN, FNP-BC	APRN w/ Rx Authority	6/13/2022	6/30/2026	Governor
Rena Magers, LPN	LPN member	9/11/2023	9/30/2027	Governor
Nancy Juengst, LPN	LPN member	9/20/2022	9/30/2026	Governor
Jessica Harlan-York, JD	Consumer member	9/20/2022	9/30/2026	Governor
Daniel Hayden DHA, MSN, CRNA	APRN member	08/01/2025	07/31/2029	Governor
Leah Scalf, DNP, RN, LNC, NE-BC	RN member	12/04/2025	11/30/2029	Governor

**Board Members Present:**

Jason King, DNP, RN  
Kim Cooper, MSN, RN  
Nancy Juengst, LPN  
Rena Magers, LPN  
Jessica Harlan-York, JD  
Daniel Hayden, DHA, MSN, CRNA  
Angela Morris, MSN, RN  
Julian L. Gallegos, PhD, RN, FNP-BC  
Leah Scalf, DNP, RN, LNC, NE-BC

**Board Members Absent:**

Jennifer L. Miller, MSN, RN  
Emily Segó, DNP, RN

**Advisory Counsel:**

Zanna Claire Dyer  
Jill Haddad

**PLA Staff:**

Audrea Racine  
Toni Herron  
Shawn Keep  
Anna Howe  
Connie Adams  
Rebecca Tinsley

**Court Reporter:**

Isabella Romaine

**I. Call to Order and Establishment of Quorum**

**8:30 a.m.**

**II. Adoption of the Agenda**

A motion was made and seconded to adopt the agenda with addition of discussion item.  
Cooper/Magers 9-0-0.

**III. Adoption of the Minutes**

1. Minutes of the Meeting on December 11, 2025  
A motion was made and seconded to adopt the minutes. Morris/Juengst 9-0-0.
2. Minutes of the Meeting on January 8, 2026  
A motion was made and seconded to adopt the minutes w/edits. Magers/Harlan-York 9-0-0.

**IV. Adoption of ALJ Recommendations**

1. ALJ Recommendations for December 11, 2025  
A motion was made and seconded to adopt the ALJ recommendations. Gallegos/Morris 9-0-0
2. ALJ Recommendations for January 8, 2026  
A motion was made and seconded to adopt the ALJ recommendations with exception of #7, #8, #17. Magers/Cooper 9-0-0.  
A motion was made and seconded to adopt the ALJ recommendations #8 Hayden/King 7-2-0.  
A motion was made and seconded to adopt the ALJ recommendations #7 & #17. Morris/Magers 8-0-0 (Cooper recused).

**V. Adoption of Recommended Orders**

1. Emily Nelson
2. Alison Young
3. Teri Bayer
4. Dawn Martin
5. Jesse Sanders
6. Megan Salisbury w/ Objection
7. Wubishet Mulletta (Amended)
8. Tara Capaldi
9. Stephany Guzman
10. Noel Putman

11. Miranda Davis
12. Kadee Klafka (Amended)
13. Julea Tomory
14. Matthew Mundie
15. Lynnsie Arion
16. Kristina Steele
17. Manpreet Kaur
18. Devon Rees
19. Jeremy Jones
20. Jennifer Roby
21. Genna Miller
22. Emily Milliken (Amended)
23. Cody Prickett
24. Abby Stiles
25. Jennifer Thomason
26. Jennifer Clark
27. Autumn Smallwood (Amended)
28. Angela Reed
29. Tracy Kramer

A motion was made and seconded to adopt recommended order #1-#5. Juengst/Morris 9-0-0.

\*\*\*Dr. King stepped out due to recusing for #6\*\*\*

A motion was made and seconded to adopt recommended order #6 to affirm the RO.

Magers/Gallegos 8-0-0.

A motion was made and seconded to adopt recommended orders #7-#29. Cooper/Morris 9-0-0.

RO order #12. Need to remove him from line 10. RO order #14 page 3, needs months added to 6. RO order #22 update aggravating to mitigating on line 7.

## **VI. Education**

1. Indiana University Kokomo request for substantive change with BSN Direct Admit Pathway – Angela Opsahl DNP, RN, CPHQ

Dr. Opsahl appeared on behalf of the program. IU Kokomo proposed a BSN direct admission track for well qualified students. The program provides a three-year plan of study by going year-round which will increase appeal to potential students and save money. The program would be composed of 6 traditional fall /spring semesters and include 3 summer semesters. Applicants would be required to have a GPA of 3.5 for admission and maintain that through the program. If the student drops below 3.0 GPA, they will fall out of progression and join the traditional 4 year BSN track. Discussions with clinical partners liked the option and felt that it would make use of clinical space that it not fully utilized during traditional breaks between semesters. The initial cohort in this track would be admitted starting in January 2027. After discussion, Board member Kim Cooper made a motion to approve the request and Board member Rena Magers seconded. Motion passes 8-0-0.

2. Fortis College status update – report attached

Ms. Herron stated that due to scheduling conflicts, Fortis representatives could not attend. Ms. Herron stated that they had submitted documents that are in the Board packet. Ms. Cooper made a motion to decline to accept the report as submitted. She requested a letter be sent to the corporate office stating the level of concern with their failure to appear when this visit had been

previously known to them. Board member Dr. Julian Gallegos seconded. Motion to decline acceptance passed. 8-0-0.

3. FYI ONLY:

- a. Ivy Tech Community College announces the appointment of Michelle Gonser MSN, RN as Assistant Vice President of Nursing and nursing program administrator effective 1/12/2026. (CV attached)
- b. Ivy Tech Marion announces the appointment of Amanda Gaskill MSN, RN, CCRN as Interim Dean effective 12.20.2025 upon the resignation of Dr. Michelle Dickey (CV attached)
- c. Keystone Nursing Academy announces the appointment of Lisa Gustus MSN, RN as Program Director effective 12/19/2025 upon the resignation of Cara Lee MSN, RN. (CV attached)
- d. Ivy Tech Nurse Refresher Course Update

**VII. Discussion Items**

1. OAG Report  
Amanda Cassidy, Section Chief, MFCU, provided the report.
2. ISNAP Report  
Tracy Traut, IPRP Director, provided the report.
3. Director's Report  
Audrea Racine, ISBN Director, provided the report.
4. 2026 Board Officer Election  
President nominations:
  - Jennifer Miller
  - Jason KingA motion to elect Jason King to be president. Gallegos/Morris 7-0-2.  
  
Vice President nominations:
  - Angela MorrisA motion to elect Angela Morris to be Vice President. 8-0-1  
  
Secretary nominations:
  - Kim CooperA motion to elect Kim Coper to be Secretary. 8-0-1
5. Rule Making- 848 IAC Nursing Late Fee (Regular)  
A motion was made and seconded to adopt 848 IAC Nursing Late Fee (Regular). Magers/ Harlan-York. 9-0-0.
6. Discuss ISNAP vs IPRP terminology  
ALJ recommendations and Orders should list ISNAP as the program.

**VIII. Proposed Settlement Agreements**

1. Cynthia Holland
2. Pamela Faurote

3. Misty Coburn
4. Andrea Aaron
5. Hallie Griffin
6. Breonna Johnson
7. Alicyn Gary-Hayes
8. Juliana Burckel

A motion was made and seconded to accept #1-#8. Magers/Hayden 8-0-0.

#### **IX. Summary Suspension Renewals**

1. In the Matter of the License of Teresa Waltz, 28168481A  
Administrative Cause No. 202507-NUR-0101  
Re: Motion to Vacate  
DAG: Natalie Stidd  
Respondent: Not present  
Exhibit(s): None  
Witness(es): None

A motion was made and seconded to grant the Motion to Vacate Summary Suspension Renewal. Gallegos/Harlan-York 8-0-0.

2. In the Matter of the License of Beth Burgess, 28116672A  
Administrative Cause No. 202412-NUR-0245  
DAG: Alex James  
Respondent: Not present  
Exhibit(s): None  
Witness(es): None

A motion was made and seconded to renew the summary suspension for 90 days. Harlan-York/Cooper 8-0-0.

3. In the Matter of the License of Katherine Curtis, 28219859A, 71009057A/C  
Administrative Cause No. 202511-NUR-0162  
DAG: Ryan Eldridge  
Respondent: Not present  
Exhibit(s): None  
Witness(es): None

A motion was made and seconded to renew the summary suspension for 90 days. Cooper/Gallegos 8-0-0.

#### **X. Full Board Personal Appearance (10:00 a.m.)**

1. Christina Sohaski, Lic #28200433A: Christina is appearing for RN renewal. Positive response – termination. On 3/17/2025 unit video found that she documented on a patient safety monitoring round that was not completed. She has had continuous education and corrective actions dating back to 01/2021 resulting in unsafe patient practice. She worked at the hospital for 6 years. She was the clinical nurse coordinator for 2 years. She is currently at Wellstone in Jeffersonville. She just completed a 13-week contract with Wellstone. She just renewed contract through April with

Wellstone. She has changed the way she pulls medication. She is not in a supervising position. A motion was made and seconded to renew the license free and clear. Magers/Hayden 7-0-1.

**XI. Final Hearings (11:00 a.m.)**

1. In the Matter of the License of Rebecca Crabtree, 28258505A – **VACATED**  
Administrative Cause No. 202504-NUR-0055
2. In the Matter of the License of Andrea Aaron, 28191004A – **CONTINUED/PSA**  
Administrative Cause No. 202502-NUR-0026
3. In the Matter of the License of Misty Coburn, 28226159A/C - **CONTINUED/PSA**  
Administrative Cause No. 202501-NUR-0012
4. In the Matter of the License of Pamela Faurote, 202506-NUR-0074 – **CONTINUED/PSA**  
Administrative Cause No. 202506-NUR-0074
5. In the Matter of the License of Hallie Griffin, 28273969A/C - **CONTINUED/PSA**  
Administrative Cause No. 202505-NUR-0062
6. In the Matter of the License of Jill Nichols, 28177242A  
Administrative Cause No. 202503-NUR-0050  
DAG: Alex James  
Respondent: Not present  
Exhibit(s): None  
Witness(es): None

A motion was made and seconded to issue a Notice of Proposed Default. Gallegos/Harlan-York 7-0-0.

7. In the Matter of the License of Alicyn Gary-Hayes, 28266424A/C - **CONTINUED/PSA**  
Administrative Cause No. 202503-NUR-0033
8. In the Matter of the License of Jessica Jones-Smith, 28205223A - **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 202408-NUR-0165
9. In the Matter of the License of Patricia Millburg, 28218119A - **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 202502-NUR-0027
10. In the Matter of the License of Cynthia Holland, 27058244A – **CONTINUED/PSA**  
Administrative Cause No. 2023 NB 0112
11. In the Matter of the License of Breonna Johnson, 28254992A – **CONTINUED/PSA**  
Administrative Cause No. 202506-NUR-0075
12. In the Matter of the License of Alice Ngatia, 27078336A/C  
Administrative Cause No. 202506-NUR-0082  
DAG: Jerry Smith  
Respondent: Present with counsel, Lorie Brown  
Exhibit(s): State Ex. 1-7, Respondent Ex. A-G  
Witness(es): Brittany Snow, OAG investigator, Jane Onyango, Co-worker,

(Dr. King recused himself and left the room prior to the hearing)

A motion was made and seconded to deny the Respondent's motion to dismiss. Magers/Juengst 7-0-0.

State proved the count. A motion was made and seconded to issue letter of reprimand. Gallegos/Juengst 7-0-0.

13. In the Matter of the License of Miranda Kahn, 28212459A – **VACATED**  
Administrative Cause No. 2023 NB 0024

14. In the Matter of the License of Suzanne McCreary, 27060380A  
Administrative Cause No. 202501-NUR-0011  
DAG: Natalie Stidd  
Respondent: Not present  
Exhibit(s): None  
Witness(es): None

A motion was made and seconded to issue a Notice of Proposed Default. Magers/Morris 7-0-0.

15. In the Matter of the License of Juliana Burckel, 28153056A – **CONTINUED/PSA**  
Administrative Cause No. 202506-NUR-0076

## **XII. Orders to Show Cause (1:30 p.m.)**

1. In the Matter of the License of Robin Hoffman, 28138304A – **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 2020 NB 0035

2. In the Matter of the License of Tracie Vaughn, 27035595A  
Administrative Cause No. 2016 NB 249  
DAG: Jerry Smith  
Respondent: Not present  
Exhibit(s): None  
Witness(es): None

(Ms. Juengst recused herself and left the room)

A motion was made and seconded to issue a Notice of Proposed Default. Morris/Gallegos 7-0-0.

## **XIII. Probation Withdrawals (1:30 p.m.)**

1. In the Matter of the License of Tammy Harvey, 28130741A- **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 2023 NB 0052

2. In the Matter of the License of Heather Hill, 28211692A- **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 2021 NB 0025

3. In the Matter of the License of Jacki Lee, 28246046A- **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 2023 NB 0131

4. In the Matter of the License of Tracy Allen, 28149115A- **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 2011 NB 0481

5. In the Matter of the License of Jason Berry, 28175612A- **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 2019 NB 0211
6. In the Matter of the License of Jayla Byler, 27075857A- **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 2020 NB 0230
7. In the Matter of the License of Drake Cunningham, 28291225A- **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 202405-NUR-0099
8. In the Matter of the License of Jennifer Gravel, 27070188A- **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 2023 NB 0108
9. In the Matter of the License of Cameron Kitchell, 28202553A/C, 71014062A- **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 2023 NB 0130
10. In the Matter of the License of Caitlyn Tracey, 28197989A- **CONTINUED**  
Administrative Cause No. 2020 NB 0069

**XIV. Reinstatements (1:30 p.m.)**

1. In the Matter of the License of Penny Felty, 28201394A  
Administrative Cause No. 2020 NB 0042  
DAG: Autumn Murphy  
Petitioner: present, with counsel, Julie Alexander  
Exhibit(s): Petitioner Ex. 1-7  
Witness(es): Petitioner

A motion was made and seconded to reinstate Respondent's license on indefinite probation, not less for 18 months, keep board apprised of contact info, terminations, arrest, etc., no supervisory or preceptor roles, signed board order, quarterly reports, active practice 1 year, \$5 health records fee. Hayden/Gallegos 8-0-0.

2. In the Matter of the License of Marcie Bryant, 28138133A, 09000156A  
Administrative Cause No. 2018 NB 0100  
DAG: Jacy Rush  
Petitioner: present, with counsel, Amanda Gray  
Exhibit(s): Petitioner Ex. A-F  
Witness(es): Petitioner, Tracy Traut, IPRP Director

A motion was made and seconded to deny the reinstatement. Mitigating: transparency, professionalism, Aggravating: Letter from Dr. Green re the hallucinations. Cooper/Magers 6-3-0.

3. In the Matter of the License of Dawn Stwalley, 28121820A  
Administrative Cause No. 2014 NB 0230  
DAG: August Petrunaro  
Petitioner: present and comfortable proceeding  
Exhibit(s): State Ex. 1  
Witness(es): Petitioner, Tracy Traut, IPRP Director

A motion was made and seconded to reinstate Respondent's license on indefinite probation for the length of her RMA, either (1) do an NCLEX review course with a green light or 95% predictor score, take and pass NCLEX, then complete a nursing refresher course with clinical component, no supervisor positions, keep board apprised of contact info, new terminations, arrests etc., signed board orders, quarterly reports, active practice 12 months. Gallegos/Morris 8-0-0.

4. In the Matter of the License of Jameka Kennedy, 28219189A  
Administrative Cause No. 2016 NB 0252  
DAG: Jerry Smith  
Petitioner: present and comfortable proceeding  
Exhibit(s): Petitioner Ex. A  
Witness(es): Petitioner, Tracy Traut, IPRP Director, Monica Sweigart, IPRP

A motion was made and seconded to accept TN board enforced refresher course that she completed. Hayden/Magers 9-0-0.

A motion was made and seconded to reinstate on indefinite probation for the length of RMA, signed board order, quarterly reports, 1 year active practice, keep board apprised of contact info, new terminations, arrests, mitigating factor: she completed TN board endorsed nurse refresher. Hayden/Scalf 9-0-0.

5. In the Matter of the License of Nakia Murrell, 27066285A  
Administrative Cause No. 2018 NB 0335  
DAG: Timothy Fox  
Petitioner: present and comfortable proceeding  
Exhibit(s): State Ex. 1, State Ex. 2  
Witness(es): Petitioner, Tracy Traut, IPRP Director

A motion was made and seconded to reinstate on indefinite probation for length of RMA, signed board order, quarterly reports, 1 year active practice, keep board apprised of contact info, new arrests, terminations, relapses, etc., board approved nurse refresher course prior to petitioning, cost of proceedings, \$5 health records fee. Cooper/Gallegos 9-0-0.

6. In the Matter of the License of Jill Werlinger, 28126503A  
Administrative Cause No. 2006 NB 0100  
DAG: Timothy Fox  
Petitioner: present and comfortable proceeding  
Exhibit(s): State Ex. 1  
Witness(es): Petitioner, Audrea Racine, ISBN Director, Tracy Traut, IPRP Director

A motion was made and seconded to deny the reinstatement. The board recommends that Petitioner reenroll with ISNAP, take an NCLEX review course, NCLEX exam and nurse refresher course or she can reenroll in a nursing program. Cooper/Hayden 9-0-0.

7. In the Matter of the License of Haley Johnson, 28266875A  
Administrative Cause No. 2023 NB 0229  
DAG: None  
Petitioner: present and comfortable proceeding  
Exhibit(s): Petitioner A-D  
Witness(es): Petitioner, Tracy Traut, IPRP, Audrea Racine, ISBN Director

A motion was made and seconded to reinstate on indefinite probation, for the length of her RMA, compliance with RMA, signed board order, quarterly reports, keep board apprised of contact info, new terminations, relapses, one year of active practice, \$5 health records fee. Magers/Cooper 9-0-0.

## **XV. Default Hearings**

1. In the Matter of the License of Brian Patchett, 28221151A  
Administrative Cause No. 202505-NUR-0063  
DAG: Timothy Fox  
Respondent: Not present  
Exhibit(s): None  
Witness(es): Jack Guanajuato, Investigator, OAG, Audrea Racine, ISBN Director

A motion was made and seconded to hold Respondent in default. Morris/Cooper 9-0-0.  
A motion was made and seconded to Revoke Respondent's license and \$5 health records fee and cost of proceedings. Aggravating factors: did not participate in the board proceeding, overwhelming amount of records with nursing skill errors. Cooper/Morris 9-0-0.

2. In the Matter of the License of Thomas Parkes, 28202678A  
Administrative Cause No. 202405-NUR-0083  
DAG: Ryan Eldridge  
Respondent: Not present  
Exhibit(s): None  
Witness(es): McKinzee Napier, OAG investigator

A motion was made and seconded to hold Respondent in default. Gallegos/Harlan-York 7-0-0.  
A motion was made and seconded to revoke Respondent's license and \$5 health records fee and cost of proceedings. Magers/Scalf 7-0-0.

3. In the Matter of the License of Kelly Yeakel, 27067992A  
Administrative Cause No. 2021 NB 0016  
Re: Response Received on 12/22/2025  
DAG: Autumn Murphy  
Respondent: Not present  
Exhibit(s): State Ex. 1-2  
Witness(es): None

A motion was made and seconded to hold Respondent in default. Hayden/Magers 9-0-0.  
A motion was made and seconded to indefinitely suspend license for not less than 18 months, 12 months of complete compliance with ISNAP, signed board order from her and employer, complete MMPI-3 mental health evaluation to be completed 12 months prior to petitioning, follow all recommendations, 12 CEUs in professionalism, 12 CEUs in self-care, 12 CEUs in substance use, \$5 health records fee, Aggravating factors: failure to engage, failure to engage for 36 months, only took 12 months to have issues after obtaining license, missed checked ins. Cooper/Hayden 9-0-0.

4. In the Matter of the License of Beth Milbee, 28168165A  
Administrative Cause No. 2021 NB 0150  
DAG: Timothy Fox

Respondent: Not present  
Exhibit(s): State Ex. 1-2  
Witness(es): Tracy Traut, Director IPRP,

A motion was made and seconded to hold Respondent in default. Gallegos/Cooper  
A motion was made and seconded to revoke Respondent's license, \$5 fee and cost of proceedings. Aggravating factors: polypharmacy, multiyear lack of engagement, medications without rx's, lack of responsibility. Harlan-York/Cooper 9-0-0.

5. In the Matter of the License of Erica Chatterton, 27063041A  
Administrative Cause No. 2012 NB 146  
Re: Response Received on 12/17/2025  
DAG: Autumn Murphy  
Respondent: Present  
Exhibit(s): State Ex. 1-7, Respondent Ex. A-F  
Witness(es): Respondent, Tracy Traut, Director, IPRP

A motion was made and seconded to set aside default. Gallegos/Harlan-York 7-0-0.  
A motion was made and seconded to continue previous terms of probation, must have evaluation with ISNAP and reenroll. Renew 1 year of restrictions terms: Shall not practice in home health or hospice, nor can she practice in a supervisory role for the first year of nursing practice. Shall not pass or have access to narcotics and must be supervised by an on-site nurse for her first year of nursing practice Cost of proceedings. 6 hours CEUs in Impaired Nursing, 6 hours in Self-care and coping. Hayden/Gallegos. 7-0-0.

#### **XVI. Prehearing Settlement Conferences (Room 3, 9:00 a.m.)(Conducted by Angie Morris)**

1. In the Matter of the License of Jami Strahm, 28230026A  
Administrative Cause No. 202510-NUR-0154
2. In the Matter of the License of Dannielle Ferguson, 27076273A/C  
Administrative Cause No. 202503-NUR-0039
3. In the Matter of the License of Desta Lovell, 28217124A  
Administrative Cause No. 202508-NUR-0125  
  
Failed to appear. OAG requested NOPD.
4. In the Matter of the License of Christian McNeal, 27068551A  
Administrative Cause No. 202508-NUR-0116
5. In the Matter of the License of Kori Babb, 28156131A  
Administrative Cause No. 202508-NUR-0124  
  
Failed to appear. OAG requested NOPD.
6. In the Matter of the License of Sherice Anderson, 27052602A/C  
Administrative Cause No. 202507-NUR-0089
7. In the Matter of the License of Ameth Senghor, 27079856A  
Administrative Cause No. 202507-NUR-0099

**XVII. Personal Appearances (Rooms 1&2, 11:00 a.m.)(Conducted by ALJ Cooper)**

1. Fatmata Sillah, Lic# 28264769A/C: Fatmata is appearing for RN renewal. She obtained her degree from Palm Beach School of Nursing. This nurse's name, DOB and/or SSN was included on an affidavit provided by the Department of Health and Human Services - Office of Inspector General and the Federal Bureau of Investigation pursuant to their investigation into nursing programs. The affidavit was executed by a nursing school and identified this individual as a person that was issued an illegitimate diploma and transcript. Went to school in Delaware Leads School of Technology for her LPN. She was licensed in Delaware. Then, she went to Palm Beach School of Nursing for a bridge program for LPN to RN. (Palm Beach was not approved to offer Bridge program). She has never lived in IN and isn't planning to move here. Recommendation: Deny renewal application, her name is listed on FBI affidavit as receiving fraudulent diploma and transcript.
2. Charlanski Bates, Lic# 28263610A/C\*\*: She is appearing for RN renewal. She obtained her degree from Palm Beach Vocational Institute in 2019. This nurse's name, DOB and/or SSN was included on an affidavit provided by the Department of Health and Human Services - Office of Inspector General and the Federal Bureau of Investigation pursuant to their investigation into nursing programs. The affidavit was executed by a nursing school and identified this individual as a person that was issued an illegitimate diploma and transcript. She went to Brown Mackey for her LPN in 2012 and was licensed. Went back to school in FL for her RN. She was told her credits were too old to transfer so she went to Palm Beach in 2019. Finished school at Palm Beach. Took clinicals in Fort Lauderdale. (Palm Beach was not approved to offer Bridge program). Completed her BA at CTU Colorado Tech. Recommendation: Deny renewal application, her name is listed on FBI affidavit as receiving fraudulent diploma and transcript.
3. Evelyn Raymond Odiaka, Lic# 28275147A/C\*\*: Evelyn is appearing for RN renewal. She obtained her degree from Siena College of Health in 2020. This nurse's name, DOB and/or SSN was included on an affidavit provided by the Department of Health and Human Services - Office of Inspector General and the Federal Bureau of Investigation pursuant to their investigation into nursing programs. The affidavit was executed by a nursing school and identified this individual as a person that was issued an illegitimate diploma and transcript. She obtained her license in 2022. She did community health in Texas on her compact license. She found Siena College of Health in 2019 to 2020 and graduated. Some online and had to fly to Florida for clinicals. Only simulators for her clinicals. She did not attend any hospitals or any medical facilities. Recommendation: Deny renewal application, her name is listed on FBI affidavit as receiving fraudulent diploma and transcript.
4. Folake Fawibe, Lic# 28247653A\*\* **Failed to Appear. Second attempt. Deny renewal application.**
5. Maggy Jean-Giles, Lic# 28285316A/C: Maggy is appearing for RN renewal. She obtained her degree from Med-Life Institute in 2015. This nurse graduated from Med-Life Institute, Naples. Pursuant to its investigation into nursing programs, the Department of Health and Human Services - Office of Inspector General and the Federal Bureau of Investigation provided an affidavit from the former owner and operator of Med-Life Institute, Naples. The affidavit states that the program was only approved to provide on campus instruction, and none of the individuals residing outside of Florida who were issued Practical Nursing or Associate of Science diplomas and transcripts from in or around 2015 to present completed the required program hours and clinical training necessary to obtain diplomas and transcripts. She was terminated in 2023. She had a complaint from a coworker and they filed a consumer complaint. She was working at Franciscan; she was there with an employment agency. They terminated the contract. She then

went to Connecticut for work on her compact. The Suncoast college for her LPN in 2012 and got her RN in 2017 at Med-Life Institute in Bradenton. Both programs were in person. She has lived in Indiana since 2023. Recommendation: Renew license and refer to OAG.

6. Sarah Hall, Lic# 28262674A\*\*Failed to Appear. Second attempt. Deny renewal application.
7. Julie Dabney, Lic# 28151340A\*\*: Julie is appearing for RN renewal. Positive response – criminal conviction. In January 2016, she appeared before the board for her 4th DUI and was renewed on probation. In May 2025, she pled guilty to resisting law enforcement and DUI. Lorie Brown is her attorney. Long history of drug and alcohol abuse. Battling for 20 years with alcohol. She was in a black out and was being pulled over, at some point she hit another car and ignored a flag man in a construction zone. She was arrested for DUI. She has been sober since 7/25/2024. She self-reported to IPRP. She is still waiting for RMA details. She was working with IU Health, 2013-2024. Employment was severed because she was incarcerated. She is back currently working with IU Health Metro Family Medicine, outpatient clinic. She successfully completed a previous 3-year RMA. Recommendation: Renew on probation for 3 years or length of RMA, whichever is longest, signed board orders from her and employer, must have 12 months of active practice, keep board aware of all changes, quarterly reports. Aggravating factors: black out status is scary, her ability to shut out details, she was in a construction zone, the length of her addiction. Mitigating factors: recognition of her lifelong condition, engagement in her current therapy, the number of meetings attended, the faith her employer has in her even though she was incarcerated, she self-reported to ISNAP. She accepts the terms.
8. Miranda Boykin, Lic. 28259409A\*\*: Miranda is appearing for RN renewal. Positive response – criminal conviction. In October 2024, she pled guilty to Battery Against a Public Safety Official, the charge of DUI was dismissed. In July 2025, she pled guilty to Operating a Vehicle While Intoxicated. She was pulled over in her neighborhood. She argued with her husband after drinking and he called the police when she got in her car and left. This is her second DUI. Her probation is done in February 2027. She entered ISNAP and was given a 2-year RMA that will be done 9/2027. She was diagnosed with moderate alcohol use disorder. She was working as an oncology nurse at community north from 2022-2024, she left there and has not worked since. She is currently in therapy once a month. Recommendation: Renew on probation for 2 years or the length of the RMA or successful completion of criminal probation, whichever is longest. Must comply with ISNAP, must have one year of active practice, signed board orders from her and her employers, quarterly reports, keep the board aware of any changes, re-engage with ISNAP. Aggravating Factors: 2 arrests with alcohol in less than one year, unaware of BAL, serious diagnosis that reflects moderate use, very close to severe diagnosis. Mitigating factors: 444 days sober, active engagement in therapy, acceptance of the diagnosis of alcoholism. She was provided intake info for ISNAP. She accepts the terms.
9. Megan Browning, Lic# 28185628A/C\*\*: Megan is appearing for RN renewal with counsel. Positive response. In October 2024, she entered into a diversion agreement for an allegation of domestic violence under MCL 769.4a under Michigan Law. She was not convicted of any offense and has successfully completed the diversion program and will have no criminal record as a result. In July 2024, was arrested for domestic violence. She battered her spouse at the time. She completed 12 months of probation. She has since got divorced and moved back to Indiana and works at Jane Pauley community health center. She completed IOP and was diagnosed with PTSD. Her current employer is aware of the incident. She also completed anger management sessions. Recommendation: Renew license free and clear. Mitigating factors: transparent, has current and consistent employment, employer is aware, she relocated and resides with family that support her, she has completed treatment, she placed her son in therapy.
10. Alicia Hart, Lic# 28180182A\*\*: Alicia is appearing for RN renewal. No positive response. Previous positive response in 2023 for one criminal matter and termination. Failed to disclose

second criminal matter. She was arrested in September 2022, after having a mental health breakdown. She fired a gun into the air and indicated she was suicidal at the time. She pled guilty to misdemeanor criminal recklessness. She was placed on probation for one year. In September 2023, her probation officer filed a probation violation due to new criminal charges. In July 2023, she was charged with battery and interference with reporting a crime. The status of that case is unknown. She failed to disclose this to the board as well. In July 2024, she was unsuccessfully discharged from her criminal probation. She works at Greencroft. They are aware of the incident. No discipline. She was at Valley View before that for 2 years. She was the DON at Majestic, had been there for three months. Incident happened and she was let go because of the arrest. Her daughter claimed that she hit her and called the police but she was not arrested for that. She has a record for a hit and run. She sideswiped another vehicle and kept going. She has been diagnosed with PTSD and depression. Recommendation: Renew free and clear. Mitigating factors: continued work with a therapist, she recognizes her diagnosis, her workplace is aware of her past, her workplace is faith based, she was not under the influence of drugs or alcohol other than her prescription.

11. Charlene Welch, Lic# 28162324A\*\*Failed to Appear. Second attempt. Deny renewal application.
12. Amy Conley, Lic# 28222847A\*\*Failed to Appear. Second attempt. Deny renewal application.
13. Jessica Kyde, Lic# 28188756A/C\*\*: Jessica is appearing for RN renewal. Positive response-termination. She worked at St. Elizabeth Healthcare sine 9/15/2014. She worked as emergency department bedside nurse. She was flagged in diversion software system for high occurrences of whole dose waste of intravenous opioids compared to peers. Video surveillance revealed documentation of waste with no physical wasting of medications on 10/15/2023 as well as piggy backing onto another nurse's pyxis access to sign off on waste under their name. She refused fitness for duty evaluation and left the organization. She was informed she would be terminated on 10/16/2023. She provided a substance abuse evaluation to the board in word document and not signed by the provider. She had been working at Miami Valley Hospital in Dayton, OH. She was terminated from there for drug diversion. KY did an investigation and found no merit and IN did as well. The last time she worked was September 2025. Recommendation: Renew free and clear. Mitigating factors: transparent, she was employed for 10 years at St. Elizabeth, she was an education specialist, she hasn't worked since 9/2025.
14. Jamie Green, Lic# 28192515A\*\*Failed to Appear. Second attempt. Deny renewal application.
15. Letitia Boyett, Lic# 28202254A-TABLED
16. Ashley Litzau, App# 4313853-Failed to appear. Reschedule.
17. Jessica Colbert, Lic# 28215198A- CONTINUED
18. Eric Vicars, Lic# 28234624A – CONTINUED
19. Liza Zwick, Lic# 28145918A/C - CONTINUED
20. Jennifer Murphy, Lic# 28248525A: Jennifer is appearing for RN renewal. Positive response – pending criminal matters. She was working in Fort Walton Beach at Emerald Coast Center. In May 2025, she was accused and arrested for stealing a firearm from a coworker. She was living and working in Fort Walton Beach. Was being stalked by a friend, was offered a gun from a coworker that she could borrow to keep herself safe until she got her own. She left Florida to come back to Indiana and brought the gun with her. The coworker then called police and reported the gun stolen. She was given one year probation in Dec. 2025 and will be completed in Dec 2026. Recommendation: Renew on probation for one year or length of criminal probation, whichever is longer, signed board orders by her and employers, one year of active practice, quarterly reports, keep the board aware of any changes. Aggravating factors: had something that didn't belong to her and left the state, and it was a gun. She accepts the terms.

21. Candice Freeman, Lic# 28262120A: Candice is appearing for RN renewal. Positive response – criminal matters. In September 2025, she pled guilty to failure to make, keep or furnish records. She also has a pending theft charge in October 2025. She was at IU North as a travel nurse for 6 weeks but before this she was at IU West for a year and a half. She was terminated from the VA because of this conviction. She received 1 year probation, community service 40 hours, she had an evaluation through CARE and was determined to not have any issues. Recommendation: Renew on probation for 1 year. Signed board orders by her and her employers, quarterly reports, one-year active practice, must keep the board aware of any changes. She accepts the terms.

## **XVIII. Adjournment**

### **Upcoming Board Meetings:**

<b><u>Date</u></b>	<b><u>ALJ/Full</u></b>	<b><u>Location</u></b>
February 5, 2026	ALJ	Virtual
February 19, 2026	Full	Room W064