Agenda for the Board of Nursing meeting to be held
January 13, 2022, at 8:30 a.m.
Best Western Plus, 2201 Wildcat Circle, Lincoln NE 68521

8:30 a.m. OPEN SESSION

A. Call to Order & Roll Call
   Announcement: A copy of the Open Meetings Act is available in the room.

B. New Board Member Introductions

C. Adoption of the Agenda

D. Approval of the Consent Agenda
   • Practice Committee 9/9/2021 Minutes
   • Board of Nursing 12/9/2021 Minutes

E. CLOSED SESSION - The Board will go into closed session for the purpose of review and discussion of investigative reports, licensure applications, and other confidential information, and for the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of the individuals.

OPEN SESSION

F. Licensure Recommendations

G. Practice Committee
   • Revisions to Team-Based Nursing Care Services Advisory Opinion
   • Affirmation of Safe Practice: Fitness to Practice Advisory Opinion
   • Affirmation of Safety to Practice: Staffing Assignments Advisory Opinion

H. COVID-19-Related Issues
   • Licensing Waivers
   • Vaccine Mandates
   • NCSBN Policy Statement: Dissemination of Non-Scientific and Misleading COVID-19 Information by Nurses

I. Initiatives to Address Nursing Shortage
   • NHA Draft Recommendations
   • HRSA Grant Application Update
   • Center for Nursing Focus Groups

J. NCSBN MidYear Meeting, March 15-17, 2022

K. New Member Orientation

L. Journal Article Discussion: “An Update on Clinical Judgment in Nursing and Implications for Education, Practice, and Regulation” by Mary Ann Jessee, PhD, RN. (Journal of Nursing Regulation, Vol. 12 No. 3, October 2021)

M. Communication
   • Public Hearing for Surgical First Assistant Regulations
   • Nursing News
   • Staff Updates

L. Conclusion & Adjournment

2022 Future Meeting Dates: Feb 10, Mar 10, Apr 14, May 12, Jun 9, Jul 14, Aug 11, Sep 8, Oct 13, Nov 10, & Dec 8

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