

NEBRASKA BOARD OF PHARMACY
MEETING MINUTES
July 14, 2025

ROLL CALL

Sabrina Beck, R.P., Chairperson, called the meeting of the Board of Pharmacy to order at 9:02 a.m. in the Husker Room at the Hampton Inn & Suites, located at 7343 Husker Circle, Lincoln, Nebraska. The meeting was conducted In-Person and by WebEx. The following Board members answered the roll call:

Sabrina Beck, R.P., Chairperson
Charles Tomlinson, R.P., Vice-Chairperson
Kenneth Kester, R.P., J.D. Secretary
Darrell Klein, J.D.
Amy McMurtry, RP

A quorum was present, and the meeting convened.

Also present were: Dean Willson, R.P., Pharmacy Inspector; Melissa Pollard, R.P., Pharmacy Inspector; John Hayes, R.P., Pharmacy Inspector, Janis Gaden-Harris, Health Licensing Coordinator; Heather Ord, Health Licensing Coordinator; Mindy Lester, Assistant Attorney General; Mo Li, Law Clerk; Teresa Hampton, Department Attorney; Jeff Newman, Investigator; and Mark Meyerson, Investigator.

Beck announced that there is a copy of all the public documents being reviewed at this meeting available in the meeting room pursuant to the Open Meetings Act.

In accordance with Neb. Rev. Stat. § 84-1411 of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act, copies of the agenda were e-mailed to the Board members and other interested parties, posted on the DHHS web site: <https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Agendas-and-Minutes.aspx> and posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance of the NSOB (Nebraska State Office Building) 14th & M Streets on 7/7/2025.

REVIEW OF AGENDA

Adoption of Agenda

Klein moved, seconded by Tomlinson, to approve the agenda as presented with the Chair having the authority to rearrange agenda items as needed. Voting aye: Beck, Kester, Klein, McMurtry, Tomlinson. Voting nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None. Motion carried.

Additions, Modification, Reordering

There are no additions, modifications, or reordering at this time.

Adoption of Consent Agenda(s)

The Board requested that the following applications be removed from the Consent Agenda:

- Zach Arnold (e-mail ballot) – Pharmacy Technician
- Jon Engelbart (e-mail ballot) – Pharmacy Technician
- Trevor Gibbons – Pharmacy Technician
- Mattie Gilley – Pharmacy Technician
- Julie Meints – Pharmacy Technician

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- Fitz Glasgow (e-mail ballot) – Pharmacist
- Village Lane Apothecary (e-mail ballot) – Mail Service Pharmacy

The Board requested that the following Pharmaceutical Care Agreement be removed from the Consent Agenda:

- Charles Drew Health Center Pharmacy Ambulatory Care

Klein moved, seconded by Tomlinson, to approve the adoption of the Consent Agenda as amended. Voting aye: Beck, Kester, Klein, McMurtry, Tomlinson. Voting nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None. Motion carried.

INVESTIGATIONAL REPORTS, DISCIPLINARY REPORTS, CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES AUDIT REPORTS & APPLICATION REVIEW – CLOSED SESSION

Klein moved, seconded by McMurtry, to go into closed session at 9:05 a.m. for the purpose of review and to discuss of investigative reports, licensure applications, and other confidential information, and for the prevention of needless injury to the reputation of the individuals. Voting aye: Beck, Kester, Klein, McMurtry, Tomlinson. Voting nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None. Motion carried.

Board Break 10:49 a.m.

Board Reconvened 11:09 a.m.

The Board returned to open the session at 11:09 a.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – May 5, 2025

Klein moved, seconded by Tomlinson, to approve the minutes with the following corrections:

- Page 1: No changes.
- Page 2: No changes.
- Page 3: No changes.
- Page 4: No changes.
- Page 5: No changes.

Klein moved, seconded by Tomlinson, to approve the May 5, 2025, minutes as presented. Voting aye: Beck, Kester, Klein, McMurtry, Tomlinson. Voting nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None. Motion carried.

BOARD RECOMMENDATIONS ON APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE AND REGISTRATION

Pharmacy Technician Application(s)(4)

ARNOLD, ZACH – EMAIL BALLOT – Pharmacy Technician Application to practice as a Pharmacy Technician – Klein moved, seconded by McMurtry to recommend issuing the Pharmacy Technician Registration and assessing a \$150 fine for failure to disclose all misdemeanor convictions. Resulting in \$50 per undisclosed convictions. Voting aye: Beck, Kester, Klein, McMurtry, Tomlinson. Voting nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None. Motion carried.

ENGELBART, JON – EMAIL BALLOT – Pharmacy Technician Application to practice as a Pharmacy Technician – Klein moved, seconded by McMurtry to recommend issuing the Pharmacy Technician Registration and assessing a \$50 fine for failure to disclose all misdemeanor convictions. Voting aye: Beck, Kester, Klein, McMurtry, Tomlinson. Voting nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None. Motion carried.

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GIBBONS, TREVOR – Pharmacy Technician Application to practice as a Pharmacy Technician – Klein moved, seconded by Tomlinson to recommend issuing the Pharmacy Technician Registration and assessing a \$50 fine for failure to disclose all misdemeanor convictions. Voting aye: Beck, Kester, Klein, McMurtry, Tomlinson. Voting nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None. Motion carried.

GILLEY, MATTIE – Pharmacy Technician Application to practice as a Pharmacy Technician – Klein moved, seconded by McMurtry to recommend issuing the Pharmacy Technician Registration and assessing a \$50 fine for failure to disclose all misdemeanor convictions. Voting aye: Beck, Kester, Klein, McMurtry, Tomlinson. Voting nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None. Motion carried.

Pharmacy Technician Reinstatement Application(s)(1)

MEINTS, JULIE – Pharmacy Technician Reinstatement Application to practice as a Pharmacy Technician – Klein moved, seconded by Kester to recommend issuing the Pharmacy Technician Registration and assessing a \$1000 Administrative Penalty due to practicing without a registration for over one hundred (100) days (\$10 per day). Voting aye: Beck, Kester, Klein, McMurtry, Tomlinson. Voting nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None. Motion carried.

Pharmacist Application(s)(1)

GLASGOW, FITZ – EMAIL BALLOT – Pharmacist Application to practice as a Pharmacy Technician – Klein moved, seconded by Kester to recommend issuing the Pharmacist License. Voting aye: Beck, Kester, Klein, McMurtry, Tomlinson. Voting nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None. Motion carried.

Mail Service Pharmacy Application(s)(1)

VILLAGE LANE APOTHECARY – EMAIL BALLOT – Mail Service Pharmacy Application to practice as a Mail Service Pharmacy – McMurtry moved, seconded by Klein to recommend the denial of the Mail Service Pharmacy permit on the basis of past disciplinary action in other states. Voting aye: Beck, Kester, Klein, McMurtry, Tomlinson. Voting nay: None. Absent: None. Abstain: None. Motion carried.

RATIFICATION OF E-MAIL BALLOTS SINCE LAST MEETING

- A pharmacy technician registration was issued to Jordan Bissonette on 5/8/2025. His registration number is 15699.
- A pharmacy technician registration was issued to Sebastiana Vargas on 5/8/2025. Her registration number is 15680.
- A pharmacy technician registration was issued to Trevor Erickson on 6/16/2025. His registration number is 15816.
- A pharmacy technician registration was issued to Sarah Buhlmann on 6/16/2025. Her registration number is 15817.
- A pharmacy technician registration was issued to Asia Kimmons on 6/16/2025. Her registration number is 15818.
- A pharmacy technician registration was issued to Samantha Durham on 6/30/2025. Her registration number is 15842.
- A pharmacist intern registration was issued to Sidney Crossland on 6/18/2025. Her registration number is 10787.
- A pharmacist license was issued to Kara Watts on 7/7/2025. Her license number is 18626.
- A Mail Service Pharmacy license was issued to Marris Apothecary LLC on 6/16/2025. The number is 1941.

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REVIEW OF PHARMACEUTICAL CARE AGREEMENT(S) (1)

- Charles Drew Health Center Pharmacy Ambulatory Care – Pharmacist licenses need to be in good standing. Mark Cherney, RPH's Pharmacist license is on limitation and is currently not in good standing.

LEGISLATION UPDATE

There are no updates at this time.

REGULATIONS UPDATE

There are no updates at this time.

Discussion on Self-Administered Flue Vaccines (Submitted by Quarles)

The board is welcome to review the Pharmaceutical Care Agreement, which needs to be submitted.

Alliance for Pharmacy Compounding State BOPs May 2025

There is no comment at this time.

National Association of Boards of Pharmacy (NABP) District 5 Meeting

Beck presented information about the 88th Annual District 5 NABP meeting taking place in Coralville, IA, August 6 through the 8th, 2025.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

No public comments at this time.

FUTURE MEETING DATES

The next Board of Pharmacy meeting is scheduled for September 8, 2025.

To view the projected schedule for 2025, go to: <https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Agendas-and-Minutes.aspx>

ADJOURNMENT

The Board adjourned the meeting at 11:29 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

(signature on file with the Department)

Kenneth Kester, PharmD, R.P., JD, Secretary
Board of Pharmacy