



Jim Pillen, Governor

MEETING OF THE
BOARD OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATION
Posted 7/27/2026

State Office Building
301 Centennial Mall South
Lincoln, NE
Lower Level, Morrill Room

Tuesday
August 11, 2026
1:00 p.m.

This meeting will be held by WebEx conference and in-person. The public is welcome to attend any Open Session discussion at the State Office Building Lower Level. This meeting will also be available to the public to participate by WEBEX using this link:

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Here is a link to a copy of all the Open Session discussion items:

<https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Board-Meeting-Documents.aspx>

1. Roll Call & Announcement: *A current copy of the Open Meetings Act is available in the meeting room.*
2. Adoption of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes – April 28, 2026 (attached)
4. **approximately 1:15 pm** - Investigational Reports – **CLOSED SESSION** pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §38-1,105 (*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.*)
 - a. Investigation Cases
 - b. Application Review
5. Application Review – **OPEN SESSION** pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §84-1410 **approximately 2:00 pm** - **OPEN SESSION**
6. Updates and Reports
 - a. Legislation and Regulations
 - b. National Association of Long-Term Care Administrator Boards (NAB) <https://www.nabweb.org>
 - c. LeadingAge Nebraska <https://www.leadingagene.org/>
 - d. Nebraska Health Care Association <https://nehca.org/>
 - e. Reports: Disciplinary and Non-Disciplinary Actions, License Statistics, and Examinations
7. Board of Nursing Home Administration 2026 Meeting Schedule – Next scheduled meeting is July 21, 2026
8. Public Comment
9. Adjournment

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All items known at time of distribution of this agenda are listed; a current agenda is available on the Bulletin Board, First Floor, State Office Building, 301 Centennial Mall South, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Notice: A tape recording of the meeting will be made for the purpose of preparing minutes of the meeting. Said tape will not be transcribed but will be available to the public until such time that the minutes of this meeting are approved by the Board. In accordance with the records retention schedule of the Licensure Unit as authorized by Nebraska Statute, the Division may dispose of the tapes ten (10) days after the meeting; however, staff shall retain the tapes until the Board has approved the minutes.

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These minutes have not been approved by the Board

MEETING MINUTES
BOARD OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATION
 April 28, 2026

1. ROLL CALL

The Board of Nursing Home Administration was called to order by the Chair, Shannon Buckminster, at 1:06 p.m., at the Nebraska State Office Building, 301 Centennial Mall South, Lower-Level Morrill Room, Lincoln, Nebraska. The meeting was conducted In-Person and by WebEx. The following members answered roll call.

Janelle Ali-Dinar, PhD
 Gary Anthone
 Shannon Buckminster, NHA, Chairperson
 David Deemer, NHA, Secretary
 Tammy Deemer, RN, LNHA, Vice-Chairperson
 Christen Sobrilksy, MSA, LNHA
 Linda Bryant

Absent:
 Teresa Parker, MAM, MA, NHA

A quorum was present, and the meeting convened. Also present were: Sean Loving, Program Manager; Heather Ord, Health Licensing Coordinator; Scarlett Popevis, Intern; Katherine Amyot, Department Legal; Jeanne Burke, Assistant Attorney General.

Buckminster 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 at <https://dhhs.ne.gov/licensure/Pages/Agendas-and-Minutes.aspx> and posted in the Licensure Unit on April 14, 2026.

2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Deemer, T moved, seconded by Ali-Dinar, to approve the agenda as presented. Voting aye: Ali-Dinar, Anthone, Bryant, Buckminster, Deemer, D., Deemer, T., and Sobrilksy. Voting nay: none. Abstain: none Absent: Parker. Motion carried.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – January 27, 2026

Ali-Dinar moved, seconded by Sobrilksy, to approve the agenda as presented. Voting aye: Ali-Dinar, Anthone, Bryant, Buckminster, Deemer, D., Deemer, T., and Sobrilksy. Voting nay: none. Abstain: none Absent: Parker. Motion carried.

4. INVESTIGATIVE AND CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION – Closed Session

The Board did not enter 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, due to not having anything to go over.

5. OPEN SESSION Application review and recommendations (initial licensure, reinstatement, convictions, administrative penalties, and mail ballot reports)

Because the Board did not go into closed session, it remained in Open session for the remainder of the Meeting.

6. UPDATES AND REPORTS

- a) **Legislation:** There is no discussion at this time.
- b) **National Association of Long-Term Care Administrator Boards (NAB):**
<https://www.nabweb.org/home> - Buckminster mentioned she informed NAB that Parker will attend the meeting as the Education Representative for Nebraska and Deemer, D, as the delegate for the Board, who will be attending the annual NAB meeting to be held in Portland, Maine, from June 3-5, 2026.
- c) **LeadingAge Nebraska:** <https://www.leadingagene.org/> - Ord mentioned that Parker attended the annual conference and expo on March 16-18, 2026, in Kearney, Nebraska.
- d) **Nebraska Health Care Association:** <https://nehca.org/> - There is nothing to report at this time.
- e) **Reports: Disciplinary and Non-Disciplinary Actions; License Statistics; and Examinations:**
 There is no discussion at this time.

7. PRACTICE QUESTIONS: CAN SOMEONE WHO SURRENDERS THEIR ADMINISTRATION LICENSE IN A NURSING HOME STILL BE ABLE TO SEE HEALTH INFORMATION, SUCH AS INCOMING REFERRALS? – ANGEL HERNANDEZ.

The Board responds with, depending on how the job description is written. It could be social workers, administrators, nurses, admission teams, and so on. From how the question is asked, the answer is simply “yes”.

8. PUBLIC COMMENTS

There are no public comments at this time

9. ADJOURNMENT

The Board noted that the next scheduled meeting is July 21, 2026, at 1:00 p.m. and adjourned the meeting at 1:29 p.m.

Board of Nursing Home Administration

Summarized by: Heather Ord, Health Licensing Coordinator, Licensure Unit

**NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH, LICENSURE UNIT
SUMMARY COUNT OF LICENSES BY LICENSE STATUS**

**Nursing Home Administration**

Report Ran: 7/7/2026

	Active	Application File Closed	CE Approved	Deleted	Denied	Expired	Inactive	NonDisc Revocation	Null and Void	Pending	Reinstatement Pending	Revocation	Suspension	Voluntary Surrender	Withdrawn	Total
Administrator Overseeing more t	27	4	0	0	0	42	0	0	75	0	0	0	0	0	4	152
Continuing Education Provider	0	4	216	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	222
EO 20-27 Prov Nursing Home Ad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
EO 21-15 Prov Nursing Home Ad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
EO 21-18 Prov Nursing Home Ad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
EO 22-02 Prov Nursing Home Ad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
EO 22-08 Prov Nursing Home Ad	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
NHA Administrator-in-Training	1	9	0	0	2	0	0	0	258	0	0	0	0	0	4	274
NHA Mentoring Trainee	10	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	541	0	0	0	0	0	4	597
NHA Preceptor	68	4	0	0	0	87	194	27	46	1	0	0	0	1	2	430
Nursing Home Administrator	411	422	0	0	5	514	374	1,111	59	3	1	5	1	59	8	2,973
Provisional Nursing Home Admini	22	19	0	4	3	3	2	0	1,120	2	0	0	0	0	20	1,195
Total	539	506	216	5	10	646	570	1,138	2,109	6	1	5	1	60	43	5,855

**NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH, LICENSURE UNIT**

**EXAMINATION STATISTICS SUMMARY REPORT**

Profession: Nursing Home Administration

Date Range: 04/15/2026 to 07/07/2026

Exam Battery	Exam Name	Result	Number of Candidates
NHA Exam	NHA-only	Pass	3
		Fail	1
NHA Exam	CORE-only	Pass	1
NHA Exam total:			5

Report total: 5

Compliance Listing

Sort Name	License No	License Type	License Status	Sanction	Sanction Start	Sanction End
Spies, Dorene M	1768	Nursing Home Administrator	Active	Suspension	01/26/2009	03/27/2009
Alderman, Kelly D.	2413	Nursing Home Administrator	Expired	Civil Penalty	04/01/2016	05/31/2016
Klingsporn, Katherine Kay	251	NHA Preceptor	Active	Civil Penalty	06/10/2025	06/24/2025
Klingsporn, Katherine Kay	1956	Nursing Home Administrator	Active	Civil Penalty	06/10/2025	06/24/2025
Owolabi, Clara Adepat	343	NHA Preceptor	Expired	Civil Penalty	07/15/2025	12/11/2025
Owolabi, Clara Adepat	1612	Nursing Home Administrator	Active	Civil Penalty	07/15/2025	12/11/2025