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**TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
HEALTH RELATED BOARDS
MEMORANDUM**

Date: February 9, 2018 (AMENDED)

To: Shelley Walker, Director of Communications and Media Relations

From: Elizabeth J. Lund, MSN, RN, Executive Director

Name of Board: Tennessee Board of Nursing

Date of Meeting: February 13-15, 2018

Time: 8:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m. C.T.

Place: Poplar, Iris, Conference Room C and Dogwood Rooms
665 Mainstream Drive
Nashville, Tennessee 37243

Link to Live Video Stream:

February 13, 2018—Poplar Room

<https://web.nowuseeit.tn.gov/Mediasite/Play/ac96af5e851c4704bc62c865ecc613981d>

February 14, 2018—Iris Room

<https://web.nowuseeit.tn.gov/Mediasite/Play/0791e89b59814cc6b66ea99c7d7673a61d>

February 14, 2018—Poplar Room

<https://web.nowuseeit.tn.gov/Mediasite/Play/40fb200cf24f4b0081473a09d71f1a091d>

February 15, 2018—Iris Room

<https://web.nowuseeit.tn.gov/Mediasite/Play/58cad55566f4838b459598d86d41bcb1d>

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AGENDA

Tennessee Board of Nursing

February 13-15, 2018

Iris, Poplar, Conference C and Dogwood Rooms

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO SILENCE YOUR ELECTRONIC DEVICES WHEN
THE BOARD IS IN SESSION**

Goal For Meeting	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Make policy decisions in alignment with Strategic Initiatives2. Take disciplinary actions as necessary to protect the public from unsafe nurses.3. Make decisions on nursing programs appropriate to enforce standards.4. Spend 90% of Board Member time discussing the most critical issues.
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	Time	Agenda Item	Strategic Initiative
1.	Tuesday February 13, 2018--Poplar 8:30-8:40 a.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Call to Order—Mr. Brent Earwood, APRN –Chair• Welcome—Mr. Earwood• Introduction of Staff—Ms. Lund• Approve November 16-17, 2017 minutes	1, 2, 3
2.	8:40-8:50	Adopt Consent Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Announcements• School Survey Visit(s)• Executive Director’s report• Strategic Plan Current Activities• OGC report• TNAP report• Investigations/Disciplinary Coordinator’s report	1, 2, 3, 4, 5

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report from Meetings • Health Related Boards Report • Financial Report—questions/discussion 	
3.	9:00-11:30	<p>School Hearings—Vote to determine approval status of Programs and admission of subsequent classes-- Ms. Richardson, PHNC2</p> <p><u>Practical Nursing Programs</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • South College—Request PN Program • Chattanooga State Community College—PN • South Central Regional PN Program • TCAT Murfreesboro <p><u>Associate Degree Nursing Programs</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tennessee State University • Cleveland State Community College • Southern Adventist University • Concorde Career College • Excelsior College TN <p><u>Baccalaureate Degree Nursing Programs</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tennessee State University • Freed-Hardeman • King University • Martin Methodist College • Tusculum College <p><u>Masters Nursing Programs</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Harding University 	1,3
4.	11:30-12:00	Review Annual Reports and Motion to Accept Recommendations for Annual Approval of Practical and Professional Nursing Programs	
	12:00-1:00	Break	
5.	1:00-1:15	Discuss recommendation for Board to require a minimum passing standard for APRN education programs re national certification—Sharon Adkins, MSN, RN	3
6.	1:15-2:30	Consider Vote to Approve Application Review Committee Recommendations—Juanita Turnipseed, APN, Vice Chair and Donna Kirkland, PHNC2	1,2,3,4
7.	2:30-2:45	<p>Discuss/Approve Travel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NIRSC 2018 Committee Meetings--Chicago • NCSBN Standards Committee Meetings--Chicago • NCSBN IT Operations Meeting—May 15-16, 2018, Albuquerque, New Mexico • Medication Aide Test Writing Workshop—May 30-31, 2018, Helena, MT. • NCSBN Discipline Case Management Conference—June 6-8, 2018, Denver • ACEN Accreditation Conference—July 2018 	2,4

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NCSBN Annual Meeting and Nurse Licensure Compact Meeting—August 13-17, 2018, Minneapolis, MN 	
8.	2:45-3:00	Discuss Conflict of Interest Policy	1,2,3,4,5
9.	3:00-3:10	Discuss Medication Aide Profession Implementation	1,2,3,4,5
10.	3:10-3:40	Discuss Legislation	1,2,3,4,5
11.	2:45-3:00	Presentation and Report: ENLC--Lund	1,2,3,4,5
12.	3:00-3:30	Overprescribing Team Report: Linda Johnson, APRN	1,2,3,4,5
13.	<p>Wednesday February 14, 2018--Poplar</p> <p>8:30-5:00 p.m. CT</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Call to Order—Mr. Brent Earwood, APRN-Chair Roll Call and Declaration of a Quorum—Ms. Lund Welcome and Introduction of Guests—Mr. Earwood Introduction of Staff—Ms. Lund and Mr. Water Assign Panels/Panel Chairs—Mr. Earwood Call the Docket—Mr. Waters 	
		<p>Conduct Disciplinary Panel Business-- Panel 1, Dogwood Room; Panel 2, Iris Room; Panel 3, Poplar Room</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Roll Call and Declaration of a Panel Quorum Conduct Disciplinary Hearings Conduct Summary Suspension Hearings <p>Adopt Agreed and Consent Orders</p>	1, 2, 3
14.	<p>Thursday February 15, 2018--Iris</p> <p>8:30-5:00 p.m. CT</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Call to Order—Mr. Brent Earwood, APRN-Chair Roll Call and Declaration of a Quorum—Ms. Lund Welcome and Introduction of Guests—Mr. Earwood Introduction of Staff—Ms. Lund and Mr. Water Assign Panels/Panel Chairs—Mr. Earwood Call the Docket—Mr. Waters 	
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15.	5:00-5:15	<p>Debrief/Open Discussion/Other Business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What went especially well? What didn't go so well? What did we learn as a board? What did you learn as an individual? Other 	1,2
	5:15 p.m.	Adjourn	

Note: Any business not completed on February 13 or 14, 2018 may be continued to February 14 or 15, 2018. If time permits, business scheduled for February 13, 14 or 15, 2018 may be heard on another scheduled meeting day.

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