

If your primary residence is in a compact state other than Kentucky and you hold a current RN multistate license in that state, you must use the “APRN Renewal Only (with RN license in another compact state)” link. You must provide the name of the state and the expiration date of your multistate RN license before you will be able to renew your Kentucky APRN license. You must keep your multistate RN license active in the state of your primary residence while you are practicing as an APRN in Kentucky. If your compact RN license and/or your national certification lapse, you may not practice as an APRN in Kentucky.

If an APRN holds both a KY RN & APRN license and they are not prescribing controlled substances, they need to:

- Maintain current national certification; and,
- Earn 5 hours in pharmacology.

If an APRN holds both a KY RN & APRN license and they are prescribing controlled substances, they only need to:

- Maintain current national certification;
- Earn 3.5 hours in pharmacology; and,
- Earn 1.5 hours on the use of KASPER, pain management, or addiction disorders.

All Advanced Practice Registered Nurses must complete 5 continuing education hours in pharmacology as part of the continuing competency requirement for renewal. DO NOT submit evidence of continuing competency earnings unless requested to do so. For questions about the APRN continuing competency requirement, e-mail Mary Stewart at MaryD.Stewart@ky.gov.

Current national certification from a Board recognized national certification organization in addition to current APRN and RN licensure is required to practice as an APRN in Kentucky. If your national certification lapses for any period of time while your APRN license is current, you may not practice as an APRN during the period of lapsed certification. KBN does not give a grace period for lapsed national certification.

APRN POPULATION FOCI OF ONCOLOGY AND CRITICAL CARE

APRNs holding a current license with a population focus in oncology or critical care who fail to renew their APRN license in those foci will be unable to reinstate.

SANE RENEWAL

Before you will be able to renew your SANE credential, you must renew your RN license. When you have completed that process, proceed to the SANE link to renew your SANE credential. If you are a SANE and an APRN, renew your RN-APRN first (see above information) and then renew your SANE credential from the SANE link.

If your primary residence is in a compact state other than Kentucky, you must provide the state name and the expiration date of the multistate RN license you hold before you will be able to renew your Kentucky SANE

credential. You must keep your multistate RN license active in the state of your primary residence during the period of time that you practice as a SANE in Kentucky. If your multistate RN license lapses, you may not practice as a SANE in Kentucky, even though your Kentucky SANE credential is current.

All Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners must complete 5 continuing education hours related to the role of the sexual assault nurse examiner as part of the continuing competency requirement for renewal. DO NOT submit evidence of continuing competency earnings unless requested to do so. For questions about the SANE continuing competency requirement, e-mail Mary Stewart at MaryD.Stewart@ky.gov.

FAILURE TO RENEW

If you fail to renew by midnight, Eastern Time, October 31, or you fail to submit all requirements for renewal, you will be required to reinstate your license.

Before a license will be reinstated, KBN must receive:

- A reinstatement application and fee;
- Kentucky criminal history report (in all surnames you have ever used) from the Administrative Office of the Courts; and,
- Federal background report from the FBI obtained via fingerprinting, and Continuing Competency Requirements.

ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY NURSES

KRS 36.450 and KRS 12.355 require KBN, upon request of an active duty military licensee and with the appropriate military documentation, to renew the license without the required renewal fee and continuing competency requirement.

The waiving of the renewal fee and continuing competency requirement does not restrict the license in any way. It is still considered full licensure.

You must complete the online renewal application in addition to providing copies of one of the above documents. Copies of the above may be faxed to 502-429-3336 or emailed to Ruby.King@ky.gov.

Active duty military includes those nurses who are based stateside or deployed overseas. Not included in these groups are individuals working for the Federal government, such as civilian VA nurses, public health nurses employed by the federal government, or National Guard nurses who are not on full, active duty.

KBN must receive one of the following before the license of active duty military nurses will be renewed:

- PCS Orders
- AF Form 899
- Mobilization Orders

If you are a military nurse and are stationed state-side, you must renew your license during the renewal period and provide the documentation listed above. If you fail

to provide the documentation and/or fail to submit the renewal application prior to October 31, you will have to meet all the requirements for reinstatement of a license(s).

If you are a military nurse and will be deployed overseas during the renewal period, you have two options:

1. Submit to KBN a copy of the official overseas deployment orders showing a return date. Your license will be renewed to reflect an expiration date through the renewal period that corresponds with your deployment orders. You are not required to submit a fee, and you are exempt from meeting the continuing competency requirement.
2. Do nothing until you are reassigned to the USA. You will have 90 days after your return to request the renewal of your license. You must submit a copy of the orders you receive for your reassignment to the United States. You will not be required to pay the renewal fee, and you will be exempt from meeting the continuing competency requirement.

APRN NEWS

INVALIDATING AN APRN LICENSE

If KBN records reflect that an APRN's national certification has expired and the APRN fails to provide evidence of current certification/recertification, KBN will invalidate the APRN license. When the license is invalidated, the APRN may not practice in the advanced practice role. This does not affect the RN license, nor is it considered disciplinary action. An APRN whose license is invalidated for failure to provide evidence of current certification may reinstate the APRN license by meeting all of the requirements for reinstatement.

NATIONAL CERTIFICATION IN DUAL POPULATION FOCI

With the assistance of our Information Technology staff, KBN is now able to record the national certification information for those APRNs holding certification in two population foci. To practice in either or both areas, the national certification of each must be current. If the certification of both foci expires, the APRN license will be invalidated and the APRN must reinstate one or both foci. If the national certification of one population focus expires, the APRN may only practice in the focus area of the unexpired certification.

PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES

KBN now requires all APRNs holding a current CAPA-CS agreement to submit a copy of any and all DEA license held. If an APRN is prescribing controlled substances, they must have a Notification of a CAPA-CS on file with KBN, a KY DEA license, and a master KASPER account.

To determine if KBN has a copy of the Notification of a CAPA-CS or DEA license on file, you may go to the KBN web site and validate your license. If the Notification of a CAPA-CS has been received at KBN, the validation will note, "KBN has been notified that this APRN has

entered into a Collaborative Agreement for Prescriptive Authority for Controlled Substances (CAPA-CS)." If this message does not appear and you have a current CAPACS agreement, you must provide a copy of the Notification of a CAPA-CS form to KBN. If the DEA license has been received at KBN, the validation will note, "DEA license on file."

A CAPA-CS may be rescinded by either the APRN or the physician. When a CAPA-CS is rescinded, KBN must be notified, using the "CAPA-CS Rescission" form located on the KBN web site.

For more information on the CAPA-CS requirements, go to <http://kbn.ky.gov/apply/Pages/APRN/aprn.aspx>.

Beginning with the renewal of an APRN license in 2014, 1.5 hours of the 5 hours of required pharmacology for APRNs must be in pain management, addictive disorders or KASPER.

AFFIRMATION OF KBN DOCUMENTS

Affirmation statements appear at the end of all KBN applications for licensure and other KBN forms. The attestation statement is a confirmation that the information provided is truthful and accurate.

Be sure to read the attestation carefully. The individual whose name is on the application or form is accountable for all information the document contains and for understanding the additional information contained within the attestation statement itself. Accountability extends not only for the purpose for filing the form, but may also be compared to information provided on other forms filed with KBN.

Allowing another party to complete and submit a KBN form does not relieve the nurse or applicant of the accountability for incorrect or inadequate information provided and may be the basis for disciplinary action for falsification of a board of nursing form.

Each individual nurse or applicant should complete all forms and applications submitted to KBN himself/herself.

CURRENT ADDRESS

Kentucky Nursing Laws require nurses to notify the Board of a change of address. Address changes made from the KBN web site update the board's data base in real time. A change of address may also be mailed to the board office. An address change form is located on the KBN web site.

EVIDENCE COLLECTION KITS - SANE NOTICE

SANE nurses should be aware that new evidence collection kits are being distributed. The new kits were designed with input from SANEs across the Commonwealth, and are designed to allow better evidence collection and better documentation of findings during the examination process.

Multiple Prescriptions Written By an APRN for Schedule III, IV, or V

The Board of Nursing has received inquiries as to whether an advanced practice registered nurse (APRN) can simultaneously issue multiple prescriptions for a Schedule III, IV, or V drug for a single patient. The answer is NO.

The Controlled Substances Act (Title 21 U.S. Code Controlled Substances Act) is unique among criminal laws in that it stipulates acts pertaining to controlled substances (CS) that are permissible. That is, if the CSA does not explicitly permit an action pertaining to a CS, then by its lack of explicit permissibility, the act is prohibited. Also state laws and regulations may override the permissibility allowed by federal law.

The same rationale would preclude simultaneously phoning in multiple prescriptions to the pharmacy for the same substance for the same patient with different issuance dates in a manner that would be an end run around a prohibition on writing refills.

Requirements for Written Prescriptions for Controlled Substances

The Kentucky Board of Pharmacy has received multiple complaints of prescribers writing prescriptions for controlled substances on prescription pads/slips that do not include the required security watermark. The Cabinet for Health and Family Services / Office of Inspector General (CHFS/OIG) also confirms receiving similar complaints.

APRNs should be alert to following the law [Prescription Requirements KRS 218A.180 (4) and Controlled Substances Prescription Blanks 902 KAR 55:105] and use proper prescription pads/slips for writing controlled substances. A reminder also that each written controlled substances prescription must be signed by a practitioner who is authorized to prescribe the controlled substance (902 KAR 55:080).

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We have received candidacy status from the Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing (ACEN) and are in progress of applying for an initial accreditation site visit.

Outstanding Nurse Educator award™

Winner selected by Publishing Concepts, Inc from submitted nominations.



**Kentucky's most
Outstanding Nurse
Educator Winner
Dr. Judi Daniels, PhD,
RN, APRN, FNP, PNP**

Quotes from 11 of Dr. Daniels nominations

Dr. Daniels has been educating Kentucky nurse practitioners for the past 25 years. She was a faculty member at the University of Kentucky for 17 years, she has been a member of the faculty at Frontier Nursing University for the past 8 years. I cannot count the number of NPs that I have encountered that have been taught by Dr. Daniels. All of these NPs that have been her students have high praise for her innovative teaching style and tell me that they often remember pieces of information that she has given to them in a class. "I frequently hear Dr. Daniels voice in my head while I am seeing a patient." Is a quote I have heard more than once from one of her students.

Dr. Daniels is seen as a creative, innovative teaching expert amongst the faculty. When asked about Dr. Daniels one of her colleagues wrote: "Dr. Daniels is relentlessly creative and innovative in her courses, continually revising them to include "real world" experience. For example, she instituted virtual OSCE

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exams in two courses at FNU; a first at the University, and certainly among the first in the online world. Creating and maintaining the OSCEs is a tremendous and continual responsibility. Dr. Daniels is devoted to keeping them in the curriculum, and we know from students' responses that they love them.

Dr. Daniels is dedicated to providing honest and open feedback to the students. She understands that in helping students achieve their goals to become an excellent nurse practitioner she is improving healthcare for families. A current student provided this quote: "She's been above and beyond ever since I got to Frontier. She's always open to help students.



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While under her guidance, she continually reminded me of the importance of not only connecting with patients, but building a strong knowledge base for practice. She made learning so enjoyable during my time at Frontier, that as a full time working mom, I did not feel pressured with the extra work. "

Dr. Daniels has many strengths as a clinician and an educator. She consistently emphasizes the importance of lifelong learning to her students and colleagues. Another graduate of the program for whom Dr. Daniels served as clinical preceptor describes this strength: "One of Judi's many strengths is her love for continuing to learn. She stays current with all areas of healthcare. I think this is essential in her position since she passes on new information, such as guidelines to those she is teaching. She has made the choice not to be comfortable with old ways or habits and works with the most recent researched information. She is not only an educator but a leader."

Dr. Judi Daniels is an awesome educator and nurse. She is an example of an expert clinician and an innovative educator. She mentors and coaches not only her students, but her colleagues as well, to continue to grow into the role of nurse practitioners and educators. Dr. Daniels provides discipline in her approach to teaching by setting high standards for her student's learning outcomes. She also has the ability to make the real world come alive in an online environment and structure the learning so it is an enjoyable experience for the students.

Dr. Daniels is an educational leader in Kentucky, and has helped educate many nurse practitioners who provide care to families all over the Commonwealth. I would highly recommend Dr. Daniels for the award.

Her honesty is essential for student improvement and well-being, and she's also very clear so it's easy to understand her. I would recommend Dr. Daniels to any student because she cares about her students' education and strives to make you better."

Dr. Daniels has been a mentor to other faculty members. She leads a group of faculty as a course coordinator at FNU. A current colleague that works closely with Dr. Daniels included this quote in an attached letter: "In addition to being a great teacher, role model and coach to the students, Judi is also a wonderful mentor and inspiration to her fellow faculty members. She always asks for input and respects the opinions of junior faculty, and discusses teaching techniques and approaches with them to facilitate new ideas and learning. She has been both a driving force and inspiration in my return to pursue my doctorate, and has always been there to encourage and motivate me to continue when difficulties arise."

Dr. Daniels also maintains a clinical practice and works side by side with the students in her clinic as a preceptor. A graduate of the FNU program provided this quote in an attached letter of support for Dr. Daniels; "I was fortunate enough to obtain Judi as my clinical preceptor in 2010, which I believe has significantly influenced the way I practice today.

2014 finalists

Outstanding Nurse Educator award™



Nancy Joseph O'Neill, MSN, APRN, CNM
Midway College

Nancy has taught nursing in academic settings since 1983. She has been a faculty member at Midway College since 2007. She teaches Obstetrics/Maternal Child Health in the Associate Degree Nursing Program. Not only does she advocate life-long learning she lives it through involvement in professional organizations. Nancy was accepted into the Doctor Of Nursing Practice Program and will started courses in fall 2014.



Linda Weston-Kramer Tuttle, MSN, RN, CCRN
Norton Healthcare

"She is the epitome of what an educator should be. I have heard several of the "new" educators say, "I want to be like Linda when I grow up."

Not only does Mrs. Tuttle educate within the hospital setting she is also a community educator. She has filled many rolls, from direct care provider in the intensive care unit and cardiovascular lab to manager and educator, her first love. Linda is a tireless advocate for nurses and nursing."



Vicki Conway, MSN, RN
Somerset Community College

"Vicki Conway is a unique person and educator. She is hearing impaired, yet has worked very successfully as Associate Degree Nursing faculty at Somerset Community College for 29 years. As the A.D.N. Program at the college grew from a single day program to three offerings, Vicki has played a vital role in that growth."



Donna Corley, PH.D, RN, CNE
Eastern Kentucky University

"Dr. Corley is the ultimate professional who gives 110% not only to her students but to her faculty peers. I was recently in a meeting with several faculty and someone stated that Dr. Corley was her mentor and another faculty across the table quipped stating, "you can't have her she is my mentor!" This statement sums up what Dr. Corley means to her faculty peers."



Sara Bolten, MSN, RN, CNE
McKendree University

"Sara was always extremely helpful with answering prospective student questions and making them feel at ease about coming back to school. She also volunteered her time to attend recruitment events and conferences. Her knowledge of advising and the curriculum was paramount in answering student's questions."



Frontier Nursing University Celebrates 75 Years of Blazing New Frontiers as Pioneers for Healthcare

strategies designed by a faculty of expert nurse-midwives and nurse practitioners are utilized to educate students at a distance in online courses. FNU is a leader in distance education and has been providing education at a distance since 1989.

Students at FNU are engaged in learning with each other and the faculty to create deeper learning in an online environment. Interaction between the faculty and the students is done through creative instructional design that supports the learner and provides a platform for virtual learning. The students return to campus after completing the didactic portion of their studies for a hands-on learning experience prior to working side by side with nurse-midwives, nurse practitioners and physicians in their clinical practicum to apply their knowledge to care for mothers, babies and families in their home communities. Students completing their doctoral studies have the opportunity to work with content experts that deepen their knowledge of their chosen healthcare issue.

FNU offers degrees for registered nurses (RNs) to complete the Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) and a Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP).

There is also a path for RNs with an associate degree to enter the program through an ADN Bridge Entry Option. Graduates of the programs successfully complete the certification exams for nurse-midwifery, family nurse practitioner or women's health care nurse practitioner specialties.

Throughout the past 75 years, FNU has evolved from a school to a premier nursing university that educates nurses to become nurse-midwives and nurse practitioners to improve healthcare in their communities. Currently 70% of 1,500 FNU students live in rural or underserved areas. There are nearly 4,000 nurses that are graduates from Frontier. These graduates are nurse-midwives and nurse practitioners that demonstrate daily that high quality, cost effective health care improves health outcomes and provides access to health care for mothers, babies and families. FNU proudly celebrates the legacy of Mary Breckinridge and her vision to care for the children in rural areas and "wide neighborhoods of man".

Breckinridge, M. (1952) *Wide Neighborhoods: A story of the Frontier Nursing Service*. Harper & Row, Publishers: New York.

Frontier Nursing University (FNU) is celebrating 75 years of educating nurses to become nurse-midwives and nurse practitioners. Mary Breckinridge founded the Frontier Graduate School of Nurse Midwifery on a model of public health nursing and nurse-midwifery which she saw as an answer to decreasing maternal mortality and improving health care in rural areas. Her work was dedicated to the children in rural areas and she started the Frontier Nursing Service (FNS) in a remote rural area of Kentucky in 1925. In her book *Wide Neighborhoods* Mrs. Breckinridge states, "... work for children should begin before they are born, should carry them through their greatest hazard which is childbirth and should be the most intensive during their first six years of life. These are the formative years-whether for their bodies, their minds or their loving hearts." (Breckinridge, page 111)

Her plans when she started FNS were to start a school for nurses to become trained in public health and nurse-midwifery. In 1939 the British nurse-midwives who helped create FNS were leaving to support the war effort at home. This prompted the creation of the school. The term nurse practitioner would not be created until 1965 but Mrs. Breckinridge knew that if she wanted to care for rural children the nurses needed to be able to take care of the whole family and the community in which the family lived. The nurses were educated to care for the entire family but the emphasis was maternity care. In 1970 the name of the school was changed to the Frontier School of Midwifery and Family Nursing to incorporate the formalization of the first family nurse practitioner program in the country. In 2011 the name was changed to Frontier Nursing University (FNU).

The legacy of Mrs. Breckinridge continues today through the graduates of FNU. Registered nurses from all over the country travel to Hyden, Kentucky to begin their studies as either nurse-midwifery or nurse practitioner students. The students at FNU have a commitment to improve healthcare for the mothers, babies, women and families in their communities. The trip to the historic FNU campus for orientation builds a community of learners that have an understanding of the legacy of the university and the confidence to complete their studies in their own communities via a distance learning format. Innovative teaching

Start your journey at FNU and Be a Pioneer for Healthcare

Specialties Offered:

- Nurse-Midwife
- Family Nurse Practitioner
- Women's Health Care Nurse Practitioner

Distance Education Program:

- Master of Science in Nursing
- Doctor of Nursing Practice
- ADN Bridge Entry Option
- Post-Master's Certificate



To learn more about FNU's graduate nursing and midwifery programs visit
www.frontier.edu/kbn

SEE PAGE 24 FOR APPROVAL STATUS

Kentucky Board of Nursing Program of Nursing Approval Status

- Developmental: The designation granted to a proposed program of nursing to continue development of plans for implementation.
- Initial: The designation granted to a new program of nursing upon admission of the first class.
- Full: The designation granted to program of nursing that is in compliance
- Conditional: The designation granted to a program if one or more of the standards in the regulations have not been met.
- Probational: The designation granted to a program of nursing if one or more standards have continued to be unmet. Programs on Probational Status cannot admit new students

As of 9/30/2014 Program of Nursing

Doctoral Nursing Degree

Bellarmino University Initial

DNP/APRN

Eastern Kentucky University Initial
Frontier Nursing University Full
Kentucky State University Developmental
Murray State University Initial
Northern Kentucky University Initial
Spalding University Initial
University of Kentucky Full
Western Kentucky University Initial

Master's Degree Nursing Leading to APRN

Bellarmino University Full
Eastern Kentucky University Full
Frontier Nursing University Full
Indiana Wesleyan University Full
Kentucky Christian University Developmental
Murray State University Full
Northern Kentucky University Full
Spalding University Full
University of Louisville Full
Western Kentucky University Full

Baccalaureate Degree Nursing

Bellarmino University Full
Berea College Conditional
Eastern Kentucky University Full
Kentucky Christian University Full
Lindsey Wilson College Full
Morehead State University Full
Murray State University Full
Northern Kentucky University Full
Spalding University Full
Thomas More College Conditional
Union College Initial
University of Kentucky Full
University of Louisville Full
University of Louisville - Owensboro Conditional
Western Kentucky University Full

Associate Degree Nursing

Ashland Community & Technical College Conditional
Beckfield College Conditional
Big Sandy Community & Technical College Full
Bluegrass Community & Technical College - Lexington/Cooper (Main) Full
Bluegrass Community & Technical College - Lawrenceburg Full
Campbellsville University Full
Daymar College Conditional
Eastern Kentucky University Full
Elizabethtown Community & Technical College Full
Galen College of Nursing Full
Gateway Community & Technical College Full
Hazard Community & Technical College - Hazard (Main) Conditional
Hazard Community & Technical College - Lees Campus/Jackson Full
Henderson Community College Full
Hopkinsville Community College Full
ITT Technical Institute - Lexington Initial
ITT Technical Institute - Louisville Full
Jefferson Community & Technical College Full
KCTCS Online Learn on Demand Initial
Kentucky State University Full
Lincoln Memorial University - Corbin Campus Full
Madisonville Community College Full
Maysville Community & Technical College (Main) Full

Maysville Community & Technical College - Cynthiana/Licking Valley Conditional
Midway College Full
Morehead State University (Main) Full
Morehead State University - Mt. Sterling Full
National College Full
Owensboro Community & Technical College Full
Somerset Community College (Main) Full
Somerset Community College - Laurel/London Full
Southcentral Kentucky Community & Technical College - Bowling Green Initial
Southcentral Kentucky Community & Technical College - Glasgow Full
Southeast Kentucky Community & Technical College (Main) Full
Southeast Kentucky Community & Technical College - Pineville Full
Spencerian College Full
St. Catharine College Conditional
University of Pikeville Full
West Kentucky Community & Technical College Full
Western Kentucky University (Main) Full
Western Kentucky University - Glasgow Full

Practical Nursing

Ashland Cmty. & Technical College - Roberts Drive Full
ATA College Full
Beckfield College Full
Big Sandy Community & Technical College - Mayo/Paintsville Full
Bluegrass Community & Technical College - Leestown/Lexington (Main) Full
Bluegrass Community & Technical College - Danville Full
Brown Mackie College - Louisville Full
Brown Mackie College - Northern Kentucky Full
Elizabethtown Community & Technical College Full
Galen College of Nursing Full
Hazard Community & Technical College Full
Henderson Community College Full
Hopkinsville Community College Full
Jefferson Community & Technical College (Main) Conditional
Jefferson Community & Technical College - Carrollton Full
Jefferson Community & Technical College - Shelbyville Full
Madisonville Community College Full
Maysville Community & Technical College Full
Maysville Community & Technical College - Rowan/Morehead (Main) Full
Maysville Community & Technical College - Licking Valley/Cynthiana Full
Maysville Community & Technical College - Montgomery/Mt. Sterling Full
Somerset Community College (Main) Full
Somerset Community College - Clinton Center/Albany Full
Somerset Community College - Laurel Campus/London Full
Southcentral Kentucky Community & Technical College - Glasgow (Main) Full
Southcentral Kentucky Community & Technical College - Bowling Green Full
Southeast Kentucky Community & Technical College Full
Spencerian College Full
West Kentucky Community & Technical College (Main) Full
West Kentucky Community & Technical College - Murray Full

USE ALL THOSE LETTERS BEHIND MY NAME??

Now that you have completed your advanced practice program (MSN or DNP), taken the certification exam, and obtained licensure as an APRN, you may be wondering how to sign your name professionally and acknowledge the credentials that you have obtained.

You “have gained added knowledge and skills through an approved organized postbasic program of study and clinical experience;... [have certified in an APRN role to become a] certified nurse practitioner, certified nurse anesthetist, certified nurse midwife, or clinical nurse specialist; and ... certified in at least one (1) population focus...[KRS 314.011 (8)] [family/individual across the lifespan, adult-gerontology, neonatal, pediatrics, women’s health/gender related, and psychiatric mental health].” You also may have narrowed your role population by preparing and certifying specifically in either a primary care or acute care provider role in the adult-gerontology population or the pediatric population.

Legal Title is APRN

Legally as an APRN in KY, while you must hold both a RN and APRN license, you do not need to use both credentials. KRS 314.042 (5) states: “Any person who holds a license to practice as an advanced practice registered nurse in this state shall have the right to use the title “advanced practice registered nurse” and the abbreviation “APRN.” No other person shall assume the title or use the abbreviation or any other words, letters, signs, or figures to indicate that the person using the same is an advanced practice registered nurse. No person shall practice as an advanced practice registered nurse unless licensed under this section.”

Thus, if you choose to use no other credentials in your practice as an advanced practice registered nurse, you must always use APRN (not ARNP which was changed in the law in 2010).

Ex. Jane Doe, APRN

If you wish to identify the role for which you are educated, you may use the following credentials:

Ex. Jane Doe, APRN, CRNA
Jane Doe, APRN, CNM
Jane Doe, APRN, CNP
Jane Doe, APRN, CNS

What Is the Preferred Order of Credentials?

The order of use of your credentials is especially important because consumers, insurance companies, credentialing, and government officials or entities require or expect it.

The preferred order is:
Highest earned degree: e.g. PhD, EdD, DNP, MSN, BSN, ADN
Licensure: e.g. APRN, RN, LPN
State designations or requirements: e.g. SANE
National certifications: e.g. FNP-C; RN-BC; CDE, ACNP-BC
Awards and honors: e.g. FAAN, FAANP
Other recognitions:

The education degree comes first because it is a “permanent” credential, meaning it cannot be taken away except under extreme circumstances. The next two credentials (licensure and state designations/requirements) are required for you to practice. Some national certifications are voluntary, and awards, honors, and other recognitions are always voluntary.

But I’m proud of my DNP degree (or MSN degree)!

It is your choice to decide whether or not to include your educational degree which has been awarded from a college or university. It is a credential that cannot be taken away from you. If you choose to use more than one degree credential, generally it is acceptable to use the highest degree obtained first following your name. If you have a doctorate and a master’s degree, omit the use of your baccalaureate degree.

Ex. Jane Doe, MSN, APRN, CNP
Jane Doe, MNS, MBA, APRN,
SANE

In KY there are two relevant laws that state how the credential representing the doctorate is to be used. In laws regulating colleges and universities, KRS 164.298 (2) states....Graduates of [the program

offering an advanced practice doctoral degree] shall accurately portray their academic credentials as well as their registered nurse and advanced practice registered nurse credentials, if applicable, subject to sanction under KRS 311.375 (4).

KRS 311.375 Conditions governing the use of title “Doctor” or “Dr.” – Penalty is part of the Medical Practice Act and states...(1) No person shall in the connection with the practice of.... nursing....hold himself or herself out as a doctor or employ or use in any manner the title “Doctor” or “Dr.”, unless he or she actually has graduated and holds a doctor degree from a school, college, university or institution authorized by its governing body to confer such a degree. (2) No person who holds a doctor degree....shall use or employ the title “Doctor” or “Dr.” in or upon any letter, statement, card, prescription, sign, listing or other writing held out to the public without affixing suitable words or letters designating the particular doctor degree held by such person....(4) Any person who violates this section....shall have his or her health provider license revoked for not less than six (6) months or more than one (1) year.

Ex. Dr. Jane Doe, DNP, APRN
Dr. Jane Doe, DNP, APRN,
CRNA
Dr. Jane Doe, DNP, APRN, CNM
Dr. Jane Doe, DNP, APRN, CNP
Dr. Jane Doe, DNP, APRN, CNS
Dr. Jane Doe, EdD, DNP, APRN
Dr. Jane Doe, PhD, APRN
Dr. Jane Doe, EdD, MSN, APRN

How do I portray my certification credential?

Credentials awarded by nationally recognized, accredited certifying agencies provide the applicants at the time of the results of the exam, the accepted credential to use professionally, specific to the certification examination. The certification credential more specifically identifies the type of certification (population focus, specialty focus) that is represented by the letters. The letter “C” stands for certified, the letters “BC” stand for board certified. The American

Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) for example, utilizes RN-BC (Registered Nurse-Board Certified) for various specialty nursing exams that are not at the advanced practice nursing level, as well as for example two advanced practice certifications, PMHNP-BC (Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner-Board Certified), and AGCNS-BC (Adult Gerontology Clinical Nurse Specialist). The listing on the ANCC website provides the accepted credential awarded for the respective certification: <http://www.nursecredentialing.org/Certification/CertificationPolicies/CredentialsList>

The American Academy of Nurse Practitioners Certification Program (AANPCP) certifies Adult, Family, and Adult-Gerontology nurse practitioners through national certification examinations in preparation for licensure and professional credentialing. AANPCP plans to retire the Adult NP exam in 2016. Once certified, you are able to use the initials NP-C to indicate your certification status. (Population-focus is optional, e.g. FNP-C)

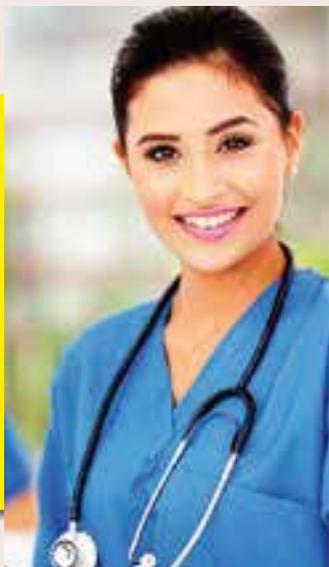
The American Association of Critical Care Nurses' (AACN) certifying body,

AACN Certification Corporation, a separately incorporated organization, develops and administers the CCRN, ACNPC, ACNPC-AG, CCNS, ACCNS-AG, ACCNS-P and ACCNS-N. In collaboration with the American Organization of Nurse Executives (AONE) Credentialing Center, they also offer the CNML exam. Their credentials for certification can be located on the following website: <http://www.aacn.org/dm/mainpages/certificationhome.aspx>

So, bottom line, how do I interpret the alphabet soup...

- For general purposes, the practicing advanced practice registered nurse must legally use APRN after their name. (APRN)
- The choice for including the role is up to the APRN (CNP, CNM, CRNA, CNS).
- Adding the APRN's population focus as noted by the certification exam is optional. (ACNPC-AG)
- Use of the title "Dr." must include the degree designation, along with the use of APRN (Dr. Jane Doe, DNP, APRN)

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HYDROCODONE COMBINATION DRUGS



The DEA announced on August 21, 2014, that effective October 6, 2014, hydrocodone combination drugs will be classified as Schedule II controlled substances. However, because of a provision in Kentucky law from 2013, KRS 218A.020 (3) (see excerpt below), prescribing rules and regulations in effect for Kentucky prescribers [APRNs] on March 19, 2013 remain the same for the rescheduled hydrocodone products.

KRS 218A.020 (3) If any substance is designated, rescheduled, or deleted as a controlled substance under federal law and notice thereof is given to the Cabinet for Health and Family Services, the Cabinet for Health and Family Services may similarly control the substance under this chapter by regulation. If hydrocodone or any drug containing hydrocodone is rescheduled to Schedule II in this manner, the prescriptive authority existing on March 19, 2013, of any practitioner licensed under the laws of the Commonwealth to prescribe, dispense, or administer hydrocodone or drugs containing hydrocodone shall remain inviolate and shall continue to exist to the same extent as if those drugs had remained classified as Schedule III controlled substances.

Restrictions on prescribing pure hydrocodone products designated as Schedule II controlled substances prior to October 6, 2014, will remain subject to Schedule II prescriptive limits because the law in regard to these products has not changed.

Kentucky Law Regarding the Prescriptive Authority of APRNs

KRS 314.011 Section 8 (a) limits APRN prescribing of Schedule II controlled substances to a 72 hour supply with no refills. The exception is that APRNs certified as psychiatric-mental health nurses are permitted to prescribe up to a 30 day supply of a Schedule II psychostimulant with no refills. KRS 314.011 Section 8 (b) limits APRN prescribing of Schedule III controlled substances to a 30 day supply with no refills.

Impact of DEA Announcement on APRNs

- Because KRS 314.011 Section 8 (b) was in effect March 19, 2013, all APRNs will continue to be permitted to prescribe a 30 day supply of Schedule II hydrocodone combination products if allowed under their DEA license.
- Any APRN who holds a DEA registration that does not allow prescribing of Schedule II controlled substances will not be able to continue to prescribe Hydrocodone in any form after October 6, 2014, unless and until they obtain the appropriate authorization from the DEA. Registrants may update their DEA license information at the DEA Diversion web site: <http://www.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/>
- The DEA announcement is applicable only to prescriptions written on or after October 6, 2014, regardless of when they are presented to a pharmacist.

- According to DEA, hydrocodone combination prescriptions issued prior to October 6, 2014 and authorized to be filled or for refilling, may be dispensed if such dispensing occurs before April 8, 2015. Hydrocodone combination prescriptions written on or after October 6, 2014 may not be refilled.
- Phone-in prescriptions will no longer be permitted for Hydrocodone in any form after October 6, 2014. Any Hydrocodone prescribing will have to comply with 902 KAR 55:095 (see below), which places special requirements on the prescribing of Schedule II controlled substances.

Prescription Compliance with Kentucky Laws and Regulations

The following regulations shall be followed to ensure written prescriptions comply with Kentucky Law and Regulations and avoid violation of the Kentucky Revised Statutes (KRS) 218A regarding prescribing of controlled substances.

- 902 KAR 55:080. Written prescriptions to be signed by practitioner: <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/kar/902/055/080.htm>
- 902 KAR 55:095 Prescription for Schedule II controlled substance - facsimile transmission or partial filling. <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/kar/902/055/095.htm>
- 902 KAR 55:105. Controlled substance prescription blanks. <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/kar/902/055/105.htm>

There are no changes to the rules regarding Schedule II controlled substance prescriptions issued in Kentucky.

- Schedule II controlled substance prescriptions may not be faxed or called in to a pharmacy except as provided for in 902 KAR 55:095. Schedule II controlled substance prescriptions that are electronically prescribed must use a system that has been audited for compliance with the regulations specified in 21 CFR Part 1311.
- No refills are allowed by any practitioner for Schedule II controlled substances.
- Schedule II controlled substance prescriptions are valid for 60 days from the date written.
- Controlled substance prescriptions must be signed and dated on the date issued by the prescriber.

HIGHLIGHTS OF BOARD ACTIONS

August 21, 2014

OATH OF OFFICE

The Oath of Office was administered to newly appointed Board Member, Patricia Spurr and reappointed Board Members, Christe Coe, Jimmy Isenberg, and Natalie Tate.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Information was provided on the 2014 National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) Delegate Assembly including, but not limited to, the Nurse Compact Licensure; APRN Compact; and Distance Learning Education Guidelines for prelicensure nursing education. At the NCSBN Awards reception, KBN was honored with a plaque in recognition of its Centennial Anniversary.

FINANCIAL OFFICER'S REPORT

The Report of the Financial Officer was presented and accepted. Staff provided information on the unplanned fund transfer of one million dollars (\$1,000,000) that occurred in July 2014. This was in addition to the \$500,000 that had been budgeted for FY 2014 from the Kentucky Board of Nursing (KBN). The ramifications of this transfer and the potential for additional transfers in the future were discussed. The revenue stream, fee structure and proposals for fee increases will be reviewed over the next several months. Amendments to 201 KAR 20:240, Fees for applications and for services, will be presented to the Governance Committee in September.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

The Report of the Executive Director was presented and included information on administrative staff; Agency Security System; Managed Print Services Assessment; General Fund Budget Reduction Order 14-01; October 1-3, 2014 Board Meeting and Retreat; Community Health Workers; Delegation on Medication Administration in Community Settings Meeting; UK Injury Prevention and Research Center – Grant Approval; Committee/Council

fiscal year 2013-2014 Annual Reports; Legal Matters; Administrative Regulation Information; License, Registration and Credential Statistical Reports; Kentucky Alternative Recovery Effort (KARE) Statistics; Investigation & Discipline Section Report; Presentations and Conferences Report; and a Report on Approved Agreed Orders, Consent Decrees, Removal from Probation. The report was accepted.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

- NO REPORT.

PRACTICE COMMITTEE

- NO REPORT.

CONSUMER PROTECTION COMMITTEE

- NO REPORT.

ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSE COUNCIL

- NO REPORT.

DIALYSIS TECHNICIAN ADVISORY COUNCIL

- NO REPORT.

KBN CONNECTION EDITORIAL PANEL

- NO REPORT.

CREDENTIALS REVIEW PANEL

- REPORT ACCEPTED.

GOVERNANCE PANEL

- NO REPORT.

CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES FORMULARY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

- NO REPORT.

COLLABORATIVE PRESCRIBING AGREEMENT JOINT ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CAPA-COM)

- NO REPORT.

DISCIPLINARY ACTION

Approved 21 (twenty-one) Recommended Orders, as written and revised, and received reports on the approval of 37 (thirty-seven) Agreed Orders, 98 (ninety-eight) Consent Decrees, and one (1) Removal of Licenses from Probation.

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Since the publication of the Summer 2014 edition of the KBN Connection, the Board has taken the following actions related to disciplinary matters as authorized by the Kentucky Nursing Laws. A report that contains a more extensive list of disciplinary actions is available on the KBN website (<http://kbn.ky.gov/investdiscp/Pages/disciplinary.aspx>) If you need additional information, contact KBN's Consumer Protection Branch at 502-429-3300.

Copies of Individual Nurse's Disciplinary Orders Can Be Viewed/Obtained at the website NURSYS.com

CEASE AND DESIST NOTICES ISSUED

Paxton, Amanda M.	Louisville, KY	Eff.....	8/11/14
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LICENSE/CREDENTIAL DENIED

Hamsher, Mallory J.	RN Applicant/Endorsement Louisville, KY	Eff.....	9/16/14
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LICENSES PERMANENTLY REVOKED

Crosthwaite, Joshua	RN License #1127171	Burlington, KY	Eff.....	8/21/14
Wise, Kathleen Hibbard	RN License #1072809	Campbellsville, KY	Eff.....	8/21/14

IMMEDIATE TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF LICENSE/CREDENTIAL

Aiken, Amy Nicole	RN License #1129697	Louisville, KY	Eff.....	7/29/14
Ailiff, Derrick	LPN License #2037155	Louisville, KY	Eff.....	7/29/14
Compton, William Michael	RN License #1131122	Lexington, KY	Eff.....	7/28/14
Dell, Jacquie	LPN License #2038465	Waddy, KY	Eff.....	8/6/14
Dietrich, Wallace	LPN License #2045455	Cynthiana, KY	Eff.....	8/6/14
Dixon, Katherine Wimsatt	LPN License #2043892	Louisville, KY	Eff.....	8/6/14
Doublin, Marcia Jene Wilson	LPN License #2042872	Paducah, KY	Eff.....	9/24/14
Duke, Leslie-Anne Bloss	LPN License #2039966	Louisville, KY	Eff.....	9/24/14
Goodin, Melanie	LPN License #2042014	Cannon, KY	Eff.....	9/12/14
Hicks, Dana Rena Archer	RN License #1107931	Campbellsville, KY	Eff.....	8/1/14
Hoagland, Traci Michelle Stephens	RN License #1115437; LPN License #2037644	Crestwood, KY	Eff.....	8/6/14
Maggard, Brittany Rene Johnson	RN License #1116241	Wooton, KY	Eff.....	9/12/14
Mancia, Cholea Brie Fowler	RN License #1116591	Louisville, KY	Eff.....	9/24/14
Nicholson, David P.	RN License #1120761	Winchester, KY	Eff.....	9/24/14
Perkins, Douglas	LPN License #2039003	Salysersville, KY	Eff.....	9/12/14
Ramey, Rebecca Jo Skeens	RN License #1076670	Elkhorn City, KY	Eff.....	10/1/14
Sloan, Elena	RN License #1120672	Louisville, KY	Eff.....	9/12/14
Smith, Kathy Jo Byrd	LPN License #2050073	Bardstown, KY	Eff.....	9/24/14
Spriggs, Dawn	LPN License #2043326	Boons Camp, KY	Eff.....	8/6/14
Walker, Judy Kaye Munday	RN License #1046457	Mt. Sterling, KY	Eff.....	8/1/14

LICENSES/CREDENTIAL CONTINUED ON SUSPENSION

Brindley, Shari Gwyn Westrick	RN License #1037558 APRN License #3003684	Louisville, KY	Eff.....	8/21/14
Cooper, Shannon Scheler	RN License #1109931	Louisville, KY	Eff.....	10/1/14
Carlton, Amanda Carolyn	RN License #1113079	Madisonville, KY	Eff.....	8/21/14
Lawson, Larry Lee	RN License #1126384	Lexington, Ky	Eff.....	8/21/14
Seaton, Elizabeth A.	RN License #1102798	Manitou, KY	Eff.....	8/21/14
Slaughter, Dawn Daniel	RN License #1055439 APRN License #3006637	Louisville, KY	Eff.....	8/21/14
Storey, Laura K. Sharp	RN License #1050360	Louisville, KY	Eff.....	8/26/14

LICENSE/CREDENTIAL SUSPENDED

Hicks, Sherry Lynn	LPN License #2035861	Owensboro, KY	Eff.....	9/17/14
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LICENSE/CREDENTIAL IMMEDIATELY SUSPENDED OR DENIED REINSTATEMENT FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH BOARD ORDER; STAYED SUSPENSION IMPLEMENTED OR TERMINATION FROM KARE PROGRAM

Burns, Jo L. McCarty	LPN License # 2020450	Ashland, KY	Eff.....	8/22/14
Connett, Jane Karen Cox	LPN License #2036726	Latonia, KY	Eff.....	7/28/14
Hope, Stacie Lynn Vance	RN License #1102988	Simpsonville, KY	Eff.....	7/25/14
Kitchen, Alice Marie Riley	RN License #1080183	Webbville, KY	Eff.....	8/29/14
Lovely, Jillian Annette	RN License #1103992; LPN License #2036433	Jackson, KY	Eff.....	7/28/14
Murphy, Tamara Rene Collier	RN License #1119878	Harrodsburg, KY	Eff.....	8/25/14
Norton, Julie Marie Kravitz	LPN License #2032248	Covington, KY	Eff.....	7/25/14
Sickels, Randy Alan	RN License #1116629	Owensboro, KY	Eff.....	8/11/14
Taylor, Kevin Wayne	RN License #1086363	Glasgow, KY	Eff.....	8/29/14
Wheatley, Nicole Renee	LPN License #2041288	Louisville, KY	Eff.....	8/20/14

LICENSE/CREDENTIAL DENIED REINSTATEMENT

Dewhirst, Constance Linder	RN License #1121070	Lebanon Junction, KY	Eff.....	8/21/14
Dover, Andrea Kaye Girdler	RN License #1096429	Burnside, KY	Eff.....	8/21/14
Howard, Emily Warren Wilson	RN License #1076863	Paducah, KY	Eff.....	8/21/14

Jiles, Debra Jean Johnson	LPN License #2033640	Ghent, KY	Eff..... 8/21/14
Judd, Pamela Sue Lane	LPN License #2037119	Liberty, KY	Eff..... 8/21/14
Taulbee , Brandy Nicole	LPN License #2039484	Ary, KY	Eff..... 8/21/14
Wagner, Carolyn Saylor	LPN License #2017416	Pineville, KY	Eff..... 8/21/14

LICENSES/CREDENTIAL VOLUNTARILY SURRENDERED PERMANENTLY

Shaw, Brandy Michelle Hatter	LPN License #2041098	Bagdad, KY	Eff..... 8/18/14
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LICENSES/CREDENTIAL VOLUNTARILY SURRENDERED

Chandler, Angela Marie	LPN License #2043059	Clarksville, IN	Eff..... 8/18/14
Gearlds, Lisa Dawn Brown	LPN License #2033828	Edmonton, KY	Eff..... 8/29/14
Gorman, Pamela Gail Smith	RN License #1076256	Lexington, KY	Eff..... 8/18/14
Hayes, Samantha Jean	LPN License #2029096	Hopkinsville, KY	Eff..... 8/18/14
James, Jana Lynn Pritchett	LPN License #2032419	Hickory, KY	Eff..... 8/26/14
Kroeger, Teresa Lynn Velotta	LPN License #2036056	Owensboro, KY	Eff..... 9/9/14
Lawson, Dara Delano	RN License #1125553	Walton, KY	Eff..... 9/17/14
Nolan, Lisa Marie Hall	RN License #1087404	Big Creek, KY	Eff..... 8/18/14

LICENSE/CREDENTIAL PLACED ON LIMITATION/PROBATION

Adkins, Anna L. Stephenson	RN License #1035412	Richmond, KY	Eff..... 7/29/14
Fryman, Cindi Shaylyn Hurley	LPN License #2049286	Lexington, KY	Eff..... 7/29/14
Sanders, Elizabeth Hennigan	RN License #1117723	Crittenden, KY	Eff..... 8/29/14

LICENSE/CREDENTIAL TO BE REINSTATED ON LIMITATION/PROBATION

Craft, Lisa Carol Lamm	RN License #1077294	Hopkinsville, Ky	Eff..... 8/21/14
Goodson, Patricia Ann	LPN License #2031258	Pinetop, KY	Eff..... 8/21/14
Kendall, Amanda Lee Meredith	RN License #1105254	Glendale, KY	Eff..... 8/21/14
Singleton, Lisa Ann	RN License #1077606	Bowling Green, KY	Eff..... 8/8/14
Whitis, Shannon Rae	RN License #1104494	Wheelersburg, OH	Eff..... 8/21/14

LICENSES/CREDENTIAL REPRIMANDED

Arvin, Robin Denise Neal	RN License #1112596	Irvine, KY	Eff..... 7/29/14
Ashton, Rachael	RN License #1132320	Louisville, KY	Eff..... 8/29/14
Baker, Jessica Grace	RN License #1107000	Yosemite, KY	Eff..... 8/29/14
Bertram, Aaron G.	DT Credential #8000877	Nicholasville, KY	Eff..... 8/18/14
Broome Jr., Larry Eugene	RN License #1083915	Lexington, KY	Eff..... 9/9/14
Broudy, Rachel Erin	RN License #1103794	Lexington, KY	Eff..... 8/29/14
Brown, Kelly Dell	RN License #1121362	Edmonton, KY	Eff..... 8/29/14
Burton, Toby Vincent	RN License #1133993	Louisville, KY	Eff..... 10/1/14
Causey, Cynthia Annece Stinson	RN License #1115696	Crab Orchard, KY	Eff..... 9/9/14
Collins, Melody Shepherd	LPN License #2045958	Stoney Fork, KY	Eff..... 8/18/14
Cunningham, Sandra Dawnielle	LPN License #2034686	Florence, KY	Eff..... 8/18/14
Desilets, Tiffany	RN License #1132787	Louisville, KY	Eff..... 9/9/14
Esarey, Meredith Sanders	RN License #1120572	Louisville, KY	Eff..... 8/26/14
Gunter, Stephen Andrew	LPN License #2040589	Bowling Green, KY	Eff..... 8/26/14
Handley, Barbara Shan Chappell	LPN License #2031587	Campbellsburg, KY	Eff..... 8/26/14
Leonelli, Mary Lillian Chaney	Applicant/Endorsement	Hazard, KY	Eff..... 8/8/14
Markle, Nicki A. Dermody	RN License #1051830	Louisville, KY	Eff..... 9/24/14
Mollette, Sandra Gwen Dixon	RN License #1091573	Inez, KY	Eff..... 7/29/14
O'Daniel, Mary Benita	LPN License #2013370	Lebanon, KY	Eff..... 9/17/14
Ragland, Clarissa Newkirk	RN License #1102321	Louisville, KY	Eff..... 9/9/14
Rose, Monique R. Loux	RN License #1064353	Berea, KY	Eff..... 8/29/14
Shelton, Bethany	Applicant/Examination	Hardinsburg, KY	Eff..... 8/8/14
Spurrier, Opal Christine	LPN License #2047084	Amelia, OH	Eff..... 8/26/14
Taylor, Larae Weckerling	RN License #1055339	Nicholasville, KY	Eff..... 7/29/14
Turner, Amy Elizabeth Baker	LPN License #2042465	Ft. Mitchell, KY	Eff..... 9/17/14
Vittitow, Amy	LPN License #2046134	Lebanon, KY	Eff..... 10/1/14
Walton, Lisa Winda Finch	LPN License #2033098	Louisville, KY	Eff..... 7/29/14
Zaker, Dana Calhoon	RN License #1077648	Lexington, KY	Eff..... 10/1/14

LICENSES CLEARED/REMOVED FROM PROBATION

Coffey, Erica	RN License #1100282	Lebanon, KY	Eff..... 8/14/14
Eldridge, Karen Rachael Mayfield	LPN License #2033853	Mt. Vernon, KY	Eff..... 8/29/14

CONSENT DECREES ENTERED FISCAL YEAR TO DATE

Imposition of civil penalty for practice without a current active license or temporary work permit.....	0
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Imposition of civil penalty for failure to meet mandatory continuing education requirement.....	26
Imposition of civil penalty for a positive drug screen.....	3
*Imposition of civil penalty for a practice issue	7

LICENSES REMOVED FROM PROBATION FISCAL YEAR TO DATE..... 1

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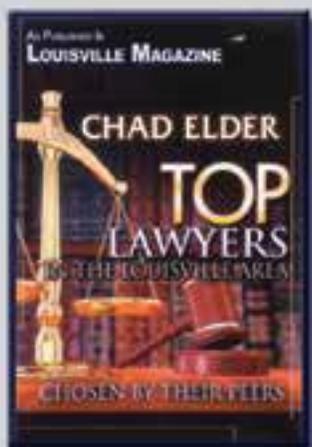
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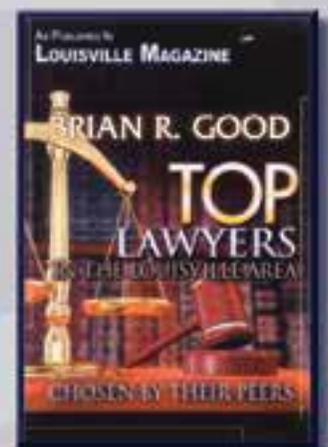
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