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BOARD MEETING AGENDA

October 22, 2026

8:00 a.m. (EST)

**Location: Paroquet Springs Conference Centre
395 Paroquet Springs Drive
Shepherdsville, KY 40165**

MISSION STATEMENT: The Kentucky Board of Nursing protects the public by development and enforcement of state laws governing the safe practice of nurses, dialysis technicians, and licensed certified professional midwives.

ALL MEMBERS & GUESTS Please Speak Directly into Microphone when Addressing the Board

If you would like to speak on any of the agenda items, please email Kelly Jenkins at Kelly.jenkins@ky.gov by Monday, October 19.

Please note that pre-approved speakers will be granted 10 minutes of speaking time and speakers who did not indicate that they wished to speak at the Board Meeting prior to the start of the Board Meeting will be granted 3 minutes of speaking time. Kelly Jenkins will keep time and will indicate when the designated time has concluded.

- 1. Call to Order – Audria Denker, President**
- 2. Roll Call/Declaration of Quorum – Erica Klimchak, Administrative Assistant**
- 3. Staff Recognitions**
 - Tina Hostuttler, 5 years – Kelly Jenkins, Executive Director**
 - Dana Thompson, 5 years – Denise Vititoe, Investigation Branch Manager**
- 4. Adoption of a Flexible Agenda**
- 5. Approval of Minutes – August 27, 2026**
- 6. New Business**
 - a. Officer and Administration Reports**
 - 1) President's Report – Audria Denker, President**
 - 2) Financial Officer's Report – Anna Adams**

- 3) **Executive Director's Report - Kelly Jenkins**
 - **Approval of 2027 KBN Meeting Calendar**
- 4) **General Counsel's Report- Jeff Prather**
 - **No report**

b. Kentucky Board of Nursing Committee Reports

- 1) **Credentials Review Panel**
 - **August 27, 2026**
 - **September 17, 2026**
- 2) **Education Committee**
 - **September 17, 2026**
- 3) **Practice Committee**
 - **September 18, 2026**
- 4) **Consumer Protection Committee**
 - **No report**
- 5) **Dialysis Technician Advisory Council**
 - **August 18, 2026**
- 6) **Governance Committee**
 - **September 17, 2026**
- 7) **Certified Professional Midwives Advisory Council**
 - **No report**

c. CLOSED SESSION

No matters may be discussed during a closed session other than those within the scope of the topic announced prior to convening the closed session.

No final action may be taken while in closed session. After the public meeting reconvenes, final action may be taken, but final action is not required.

Upon returning to public session, any final action regarding matters discussed in close session should be moved and voted upon.

Pursuant to KRS 61.810(1)(j), the purpose of the closed session is for "QUASI-JUDICIAL DELIBERATIONS"

Definition: Deliberations of judicial or quasi-judicial bodies regarding individual adjudications or appointments, at which neither the person involved, his representatives, nor any other individual not a member of the agency's governing body or staff is present, but not including any meetings of planning commissions, zoning commissions, or boards of adjustment;

Pursuant to KRS 61.810(1)(f), the purpose of the closed session is to discuss

“PERSONNEL ACTIONS”

Definition: Discussions or hearings which might lead to the appointment, discipline, or dismissal of an individual employee, member, or student without restricting that employee's, member's, or student's right to a public hearing if requested. This exception shall not be interpreted to permit discussion of general personnel matters in secret;

1) Recommended Orders

a. Recommended Orders with no Exceptions Filed

Decision Number	Name	License Number
001-08-26	Clark, Leshia	LPN License No. 2030225
002-08-26	Nicholson, David	RN License No. 1120761, APRN License No. 3014357
003-08-26	Olliges, Jeffery	RN License No. 1077348
004-10-26	Brown, Bailey	RN License No. 1159360
005-10-26	Eldridge, Crystal	LPN License No. 2048154
006-10-26	Estep, Melanie	RN License No. 1136881
007-10-26	Green, Karen	RN License No. 1095407
008-10-26	Gregory, Amanda	RN License No. 1120386
009-10-26	Johnson, Jade	RN License No. 1114585
010-10-26	Pratt, Cynthia	LPN License No. 2053248
011-10-26	Withrow, Amanda	RN License No. 1158092

2) Personnel Affirmations

3) Other KBN Personnel Matters

8) Information/Announcements

9) Correspondence

10) Future Board Discussion Items

11) Other

- Organizational Chart

13) Adjournment