

**Alaska Board of Nursing
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Board Meeting	Name	Case Number	License/ Certificate	Violation	Discipline
June-07	Kenneth Jones	2302-06-005	Licensed Practical Nurse	Amended final decision based on surrendered license.	Letter of reprimand, if another nursing license is obtained in Alaska, a civil monetary penalty of \$1,500 will be imposed with no portion suspended; and is subject to a mandatory audit of his CE requirement compliance for at least 2 subsequent licensing periods.
June-07	Milissa A. Delia	2306-05-008	Certified Nurse Aide	addiction or severe dependency on alcohol or a drug	Surrender of Certificate
July-07	Theresa L. Reynolds	2306-07-010	Certified Nurse Aide	Surrender, medicaid assistance fraud conviction	Surrender of Certificate
December-07	Wanda K. Crowder	2306-07-013	Certified Nurse Aide	Surrender, due to investigation regarding patient/client abuse.	Surrender of Certificate
December-07	Kathleen M. Keyes	2300-07-030	Registered Nurse	Surrender, due to investigation regarding compliance with continuing competency requirements. Currently experiencing personal circumstances that make it difficult to locate or obtain copies of documentation necessary to comply with this audit.	Surrender of License
December-07	Henrietta Ann Cusack	2300-07-029	Registered Nurse	Surrender, due to investigation regarding compliance with continuing competency requirements. Current personal circumstances make it difficult to devote time and energy required to locate the documentation necessary to comply with this audit.	Surrender of License

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February-08	Mark B. Ames	2304-07-001	Advanced Nurse Practitioner, Registered Nurse	Surrender due to non-compliance with MOA; and issues concerning his health and legal issues could affect his ability to practice in a safe and professional manner.	Surrender of License
April-08	Alan L. Freytag	2300-07-039	Registered Nurse	Surrender due to investigation regarding compliance with continuing competency requirements. Current location and work make it impossible to have access to records to provide proof of continuing education.	Surrender of License
July-08	Linda A. Haas	2300-07-016	Registered Nurse	Surrender due to investigation concerning criminal conviction in the US District Court of Alaska for multiple counts of wire fraud and embezzling from employer.	Surrender of License
July-08	Michael J. Mohl	2300-08-003	Registered Nurse	Surrender due to investigation concerning urinalysis testing positive for marijuana while on probation for addiction to cocaine, marijuana, and diverting controlled substances from the workplace.	Surrender of License License reinstated January 2010 with a consent agreement details on addiction discipline sheet

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July-08	Thomas Herwick	2300-04-003	Registered Nurse	Surrender due to investigation concerning negligently practicing beyond his scope of practice by writing a physician's order for the administration of a schedule II controlled substance, morphine, to a terminally ill cancer patient in the patient's medical records without an actual physician's order, increasing the dosage and frequency in which he administered several of the morphine boluses to the patient without a physician's order, failing to maintain a record for the patient which accurately reflected the nursing problems and interventions for the patient, and discontinuing the patient's oxygen without a physician's order, knowing it would hasten the patient's death.	Surrender of License
July-08	Edith A. Newton	2300-07-043	Registered Nurse	Surrender, due to investigation regarding compliance with continuing competency requirements.	Surrender of License
September-08	Elaine M. Richie	2300-08-017	Registered Nurse	Surrender, due to investigation regarding compliance with continuing competency requirements.	Surrender of License

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January-09	Thomas David Herwick	Board case # 2301-08-001, OAH 08-0244-NUR	Registered Nurse	Voluntarily surrendered license on 3/9/05 on basis of unprof conduct for administering controlled substance without and order and removing O2 from pt hastening his death. Respondent requested reissuance of license. BON denied request. Respondent requested a hearing.	Admin Law Judge upheld BON denial of Respondent's request for licensure.
Arpril-09	Jeffery L. Kite	2306-08-016	Certified Nurse Aide	Allegations of substance abuse (alcohol), failing to cooperate with Division by obtaining substance abuse assessment and staying in contact with the Division as verbally agreed.	Surrender of Certificate
April-09	Alice M. Wiger	2300-09-001	Registered Nurse	Violations and discipline against RN license in states of WI and NH in 2008, failure to report the disciplinary actions, related investigations, etc, upon renewal to Division for 2008-10 licensing period.	Surrender of License
April-09	Myeisha D. Owens	2306-09-001	Certified Nurse Aide	Falsification of application for certification/renewal of certification. Failed to report criminal convictions on application.	Surrender of Certificate
July-09	Pamela A. Archer-Beck	2300-09-005	Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender, due to investigation regarding compliance with continuing competency requirements.	Surrender of License

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July-09	KatieRaye Barker	2306-09-002	Certified Nurse Aide		Surrender of Certificate
October-09	Victoria G. Peppenger	2300-09-017	Registered Nurse	Allegations of diverting fentanyl from a patient in the OR with the plan to later self administer it.	Surrender of RN license
October-09	Elizabeth A. Stark	2300-09-015	Registered Nurse	Probation Violation	Surrender of RN license *applied for reinstatement with a new CA April 2011 see addiction tab
October-09	Michael Morgan	2300-09-027	Registered Nurse	Probation Violation substance abuse	Surrender of RN license
October-09	Christina M. LaPinska	2300-09-028	Registered Nurse	Probation Violation substance abuse	Surrender of RN license
October-09	Arthur L. Nash	2306-09-004	Certified Nurse Aide	Voluntary Surrender, due to investigation regarding compliance with continuing competency requirements.	Surrender of Certificate
October-09	Linda S. Daniels	2306-08-014	Certified Nurse Aide	Voluntary Surrender, due to investigation regarding compliance with continuing competency requirements.	Surrender of Certificate
January-10	Mauritta K. Dison	2302-06-008	Licensed Practical Nurse	Voluntary Surrender, due to investigation regarding allegations of prescription drug addiction.	Surrender of LPN license # NUR P 4975

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January-10	Derik B. Conerly	2300-09-034	Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender , due to investigation regarding allegations of removing controlled substances from the Pyxis without physicians order and failing to provide these drugs to the intended patient. In addition he did not chart or record this activity on a patients chart or other applicable record.	Surrender of RN license #NUR R 27073
January-10	Svetlana Potton	2300-09-033	Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender, due to investigation regarding compliance with continuing competency requirements.	Surrender of RN license
April-10	Patricia M. Morrison	2300-10-005	Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender, due to being unable to comply with the CA terms of random urinalysis, submit rehabilitative counseling, psychotherapist, self evaluation and employer report and AA/NA records.	Surrender of RN license # NUR R 19714
April-10	Sherrie R. Bowman Pouncey	2302-05-006	Licensed Practical Nurse	Voluntary Surrender due to investigation regarding her termination from employment for the diversion of a scheduled II controlled substance and her no contest plea to attempted misconduct involving a controlled substance in the 4th degree in case no. 3AN-05-8907CR in Anchorage, AK.	Surrender of LPN license #NUR P 5378

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April-10	Michelle M. Johnson	2300-10-004	Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender, due to investigation regarding compliance with continuing competency requirements.	Surrender of RN license # NUR R 25822
July-10	Christopher M. Rygh	2300-10-011	Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender, due to investigation regarding allegations of having violations against his RN license in Minnesota. He surrendered his license to that authority.	Surrender of RN license # NUR R 14874
July-10	Ofelia I. Guiel	2010-000387	Certified Nurse Aide	Voluntary Surrender due to active investigation concerning allegations of reckless endangerment involving a patient	Surrender of Certificate # 3992
July-10	Judy R. Mabry	2300-10-009	Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender due to an active investigation concerning allegations of diverting pain medications	Surrender of RN license NUR R 19565
July-10	Cherie L. Wilson	2010-000341	Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender due to an active investigation concerning allegations of a falsified application of licensure	Surrender of RN license NUR R 30825
July-10	Bruce Waldo-Paneak	2302-10-008	Licensed Practical Nurse	Voluntary Surrender due to an active investigation concerning allegations of substance abuse	Surrender of LPN license NUR P 6062
July-10	Cheri Ray	2302-10-006	Licensed Practical Nurse	Voluntary Surrender due to an active investigation concerning allegations of embezzlement being brought before the US Attorney General's Office, case number 3-10-CR-01.	Surrender of LPN license NUR P 5770

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July-10	Janet M. Thurston	2304-10-005	Advanced Nurse Practitioner, Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender due to an active investigation regarding allegations of recent brain injury which causes her to be unable to practice nursing or interferes with her ability to perform nursing functions.	Surrender of RN license # NUR R 14173 and Advanced Nurse Practitioner authorization # NUR U 508
October-10	Kelly Lynn Brown	2010-000825	Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender due to probation violation of consent agreement for 7 positive urinalysis tests for ETG.	Surrender of RN license NUR R 30297
October-10	Kathryn A. Lopeman	2010-000751	Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender due to an active investigation concerning allegations of negligence/medical errors.	Surrender of RN license NUR R 15090
October-10	Cristina J. Williams	2010-000430	Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender due to an active investigation regarding disciplinary actions taken against my nursing license in other jurisdictions for various violations of their nursing regulations.	Surrender of RN license NUR R 29975
December-10	Michael Mohl	2010-000717	Registered Nurse	Voluntary Surrender due to unable to comply with January 27, 2010 Case 2350-09-008 Consent Agreement.	Surrender of RN license NUR R 26584
January-11	Molly Beth Smith	2300-09-016	Registered Nurse	Voluntary surrender due to violation of consent agreement	Surrender of RN license NUR R 2300-09-016
January-11	Viva Esquibel	2010-001131, 2010-000669	Registered Nurse	Voluntary surrender due to an active investigation concerning allegations of drug diversion, substance abuse, & probation violation	Surrender of RN license NUR R 21696

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April-11	Sharon Cinkota	2010-001376	Nurse Aide Certificate	Voluntary surrender due to failure to provide documentation of continuing education & desire to pursue alternate career path	Surrender of CNA certificate # 10746
July-11	Vicki Allen	2011-000423	Nurse Aide Certificate	Voluntary surrender due to failure to provide documentation of continuing education & desire to pursue alternate career path	Surrender of CNA certificate # 10724
July-11	Virginia Cook	2011-000252	Nurse Aide Certificate	Voluntary surrender due to failure to provide documentation of continuing education & desire to pursue alternate career path in another state	Surrender of CNA certificate # 4410
July-11	Linda Derflinger	2011-000266	Nurse Aide Certificate	Voluntary surrender due to failure to provide documentation of continuing education & desire to pursue alternate career path	Surrender of CNA certificate # 10171
July-11	Charlotte Fleharty	2011-000586	Practical Nurse License	Voluntary surrender due to failure to comply with continuing competency requirements.	Surrender of Practical Nurse License # 4386
July-11	Laura Harro	2011-000306	Nurse Aide Certificate	Voluntary surrender due to failure to provide documentation of continuing education & desire to pursue alternate career path in another state	Surrender of CNA certificate # 10014
July-11	Brandy Lynn Simons	2010-001430	Nurse Aide Certificate	Voluntary surrender due to failure to provide documentation of continuing education & does not desire to pursue this career path in the State of Alaska & is currently residing in another state	Surrender of CNA certificate # 9309

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July-11	Ethan Smith	2011-000588	Practical Nurse License	Voluntary surrender due to failure to comply with continuing competency requirements & is uncertain if he will return to this career path.	Surrender of Practical Nurse License # 5024
July-11	John D. Orella	2011-000259	Registered Nurse & Advanced Nurse Practitioner	Voluntary surrender to support compliance of Board of Nursing statute AS 08.68.270(6).	Surrender of RN Certificate # NUR R 18425 & ANP Certificate # NUR U 515
October-11	Salvador Estrada	2011-000631	Practical Nurse License	Voluntary surrender due to failure to comply with continuing competency requirements & is retired with no intention of working as an LPN in the foreseeable future.	Surrender of Practical Nurse License # NUR P 4362
October-11	Shelly R. Hill	2010-001379	Nurse Aide Certificate	Voluntary surrender due to failure to comply with continuing competency requirements and a desire to pursue another career path.	Surrender of CNA certificate # NUA A 10701
October-11	Patricia A. Smith	2011-000799	Registered Nurse License	Voluntary surrender due to failure to comply with continuing competency requirements & is retiring from nursing.	Surrender of RN License # NUR R 14680
November-11	Leslie R. Pridgen	2011-001005	Certified Nurse Aide	Voluntary surrender due to an FBI background check revealed multiple convictions in multiple jurisdictions. Violations of AS 08.68.334 and 12 AAC 44.705.	Permanent surrender of temporary CNA certificate #NUA T 3398

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January-12	Paula L. Gruginski	2011-001228	Registered Nurse License	Voluntary surrender due to failure to comply with continuing competency requirement and a desire to retire.	Surrender of RN License # NUR R 15722
January-12	Nicki Jo Cooper	2011-001054	Certified Nurse Aide	Voluntary surrender due to an ongoing active investigation	Surrender of CNA certificate #NUA A 7704
January-12	Katie L. Reeves	2011-001069	Practical Nurse License	Voluntary surrender due to failure to comply with a previous consent agreement.	Surrender of Practical Nurse License # NUR P 6625
January-12	Patsy A. Wahl	2011-000789	Practical Nurse License	Voluntary surrender due to an ongoing active investigation involving misappropriating patient property for personal use.	Surrender of Practical Nurse License # NUR P 6593
April-12	Lauren Periman	2011-001162	Practical Nurse License	Voluntary surrender due to failure to comply with a previous consent agreement.	Surrender of Practical Nurse License # NUR P 6678
April-12	Kimberly Norquist fna Kimberly McManus	2011-000279	Certified Nurse Aide	Voluntary surrender due to failure to comply with continuing competency education requirements.	Surrender of CNA certificate #NUA A 4580