

## LEGAL

### CALENDAR YEAR 2002

The Investigative Committee is comprised of three Board members that meet in conjunction with every Board meeting. The committee continues to work with staff to update policies and procedures. The report review by professional staff and committee audit of 5 % of reports was carried out this year. No changes were made by the committee. A new procedure for professional staff decisions in the case process is being worked on.

Calendar year 2002 saw a total of 707 cases opened. The Board logged 159 cases without investigation in accordance with the report review by professional staff. The Board filled the two additional full time RN III investigator positions. The Impaired Provider Program remains contracted to the Kansas Nurses Assistance Program, Inc. The number of participants remains at approximately 130.