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## KSBN is Celebrating 100 years of Nursing Regulation

Over the next year there will be articles in the newsletter about the history of the Kansas State Board of Nursing. In this issue will be the history from the first board meeting in 1913 through 1938. When was the first male licensed as a Registered Nurse in Kansas? What was the first name of the Board of Nursing? Did you know the Board lost money when a bank failed during the great depression? Also in this issue is the licensing examination from 1925. Take some time and review the questions. Would you be able to name the milk teeth in the order of eruption? Could you give the formula for making normal saline, one gallon of 5% phenol and 10% solution of silver nitrate from 50% solution? Do you know the antidote for poisons such as carbolic acid, oxalic acid, arsenic and morphine?

On July 1, 2013 there will be a ceremonial board meeting at the Landon State Office Building. Please join the Board in celebrating 100 years of nursing regulation in Kansas!

# 100 Years



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# KSBN—The First 25 Years!

The Kansas State Board for Examination and Registration of Nurses first meeting was held at the National Hotel in Topeka Kansas on July 1, 1913. The board consisted of five members, one who was a physician (Dr. Dykes), who was the first President. The Board discussed reciprocity, all evidence to be used in connection with applications was to be presented in the form of affidavit, and they found many applications submitted were incomplete. It required a great deal of the Board's time to communicate about the incompleteness of the applications. The "Board Rules" and Law of Registration (NPA) had been printed. The Board registered 657 applicants at \$5.00 each at the first board meeting. The second board meeting was held October 30, 1913 and a Board Member was elected to become an inspector of all nursing training school in Kansas and report the existing conditions. The first male nurse, Chriss Hare, application was approved. The third meeting was held December 29-31, 1913. It was decided to reciprocate with all state whose standards are equivalent to, or higher than Kansas. The first examination was given to ten applicants at the board meeting. The Board Members gave and graded the exam twice a year. The rules and regulations by which the Kansas State Board for Examination and Registration of Nurses should be governed were read and discussed.

in any one class of disease. The board purchased a file cabinet of firewall construction, five books and the equipment for the Vi Dex index file for all registered nurses. These expenses did not exceed \$200.00.

The Board discussed in 1931 a Nursing Bill which might result in the abolishing of the Board or the placing of this Board under the supervision of the State Board of Health with restrictions of use of fees. Also this year the Board office moved to 1012 Chestnut Street in Emporia. The rent remained \$15.00 plus the charge for the business telephone under the name of Kansas State Board for Examination & Registration of Nurses. The Board considered the request in 1933 made from the Nurses' Board of Philippine Islands for reciprocal agreement and it was determined that individual consideration should be given applicants. Also during 1933, the Board received approval for the requirement of re-registration and a small card for notice was approved. They required the cards be in color, changing each year, and to make the small imprint of the Kansas Seal, making the card impossible to duplicate. At the December 1933 meeting, the Board consulted the Attorney General regarding the Fidelity State and Savings Bank failure and the Board's loss. The Board expressed their disapproval of the practice of smoking or drinking of intoxicating liquors in any accredited Schools of Nursing. The office rent was increased to \$20.00 a month and a new Royal Typewriter, Dictaphone and firewall filing cabinet was purchased in 1935. In 1936 the Board received information that the executive committee of the Medical School of Kansas University had approved an affiliate course in nursing with Kansas State College of Manhattan and Kansas University School of Nursing, and graduates would be awarded a B.S. degree in Home Economics and Nursing. In 1937 the board started to require hospitals closing their Schools of Nursing in Kansas to turn in their records for safekeeping to the Secretary of the Board. That same year, the medical director at the Lansing State Prison Hospital submitted a proposal for the accrediting of a school of nursing for male nurses. It was suggested by the Board that the course for attendants would be more adapted to their needs. In 1938 the Board reported "that the inspection of the University of Kansas Hospital, and recommended that more general duty nurses be employed to give adequate nursing service (present average of 249 patients being nursed by 90 student nurses and only 14 graduate nurses being insufficient for proper nursing service)." A committee was formed in 1938 to work on revisions of the Nurse Registration Laws (NPA). Three members of the Kansas State Nurses Association were asked to serve on the committee.

By July 15, 1915 the board had voted to prepare a curriculum as a guide only for schools and superintendents. The first revocation of a Certificate of Registration was completed at the May 1920 meeting. The revocation was due to the nurse being charged with dishonest conduct. A revision to the "Board Rules" and Law of Registration (NPA) was completed. In 1922 it was determined that it was impossible for the Secretary of the Board to continue to work under the "present" arrangement as it took more time then she could give and attend to her other duties. The Board voted to allow the Secretary-Treasurer \$5.00 per diem for time spent on Board work between the examinations. The Secretary-Treasurer would provide for all Stenographic work and Office help and could not collect per diem for days spent on the examination. The first nurse from another country applied in 1923. The board voted at the December 1923 meeting that the nurse licensed in Switzerland would need to take and pass the examination and that it would only be offered in English. In 1924 the board voted that each Training School for Nurses must pay a yearly fee or be dropped from the list of approved schools. The Board approved for the office to be located at the Office of the Secretary in Nurses Home of Newman Memorial County Hospital in Emporia. The office was completely equipped and contained all Board files and records. The rent was \$15.00 a month which included janitor service and use of a telephone. The Norton Sanitarium applied to open a School of Nursing and the Board decided that they could not enforce affiliation in Tuberculosis; neither could the Board consider the establishment of a School of Nursing in any hospital specializing

During the first 25 years the board held meetings in Topeka, Wichita, Hutchinson, Newton, Kansas City, Salina, Manhattan, Dodge City, and Emporia.

Watch the KSBN website for a more detailed review of the history of the Board of Nursing.



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## BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE

### 2013 Board Meeting

- June 11 & 12
- September 17 & 18
- December 10 & 11

### 2014 Board Meeting

- March 25 & 26
- June 17 & 18
- September 16 & 17
- December 9 & 10

## New Employee – Nathan Schroeder

Nathan Schroeder is the newest addition to KSBN as the Senior Administrative Assistant processing Employment Verifications at the front desk. Nathan has almost eight years previous experience in a hospital setting. He has a son who is 7 years old and in the first grade. Other pastimes he enjoys are playing steel darts with the Topeka Dart Association (of which he is Vice President), acting on various stages in the Topeka area, and playing golf.

# Continuing Nursing Education Change

On March 27, 2013, the Kansas Board of Nursing reviewed the proposed amendments to regulations that concern the continuing nursing education for RNs, LPNs, and LMHTs. These regulations are 60-9-105, KAR 60-9-106, KAR 60-9-107, and KAR 60-12-106. The Board voted to approve the amended regulations, which had previously been reviewed and approved by the Kansas Department of Administration, the Kansas Attorney General, and the Legislative committee on Rules and Regulations. The regulations will be published in the Kansas Register on April 25, 2013 and will become effective on May 10, 2013.

**The relevant sections of the regulations that were amended are as follows:**

KAR 60-9-105(e) contains definitions, including the definition of "offering," which has been changed to read that an offering is a single CNE learning experience consisting of at least 30 minutes.

KAR 60-9-106(d) contains CNE requirements for license renewal, and now states that CNE presentations may be any fraction of a contact hour over 30 minutes and shall be accepted for renewal. 106(e) makes it clear that CNE offerings less than 30 minutes in length shall not be recognized for license renewal. 106(a) also allows KSBN more discretion on requiring proof of CNE completion for license renewal.

KAR 60-9-107(b)(3)(B) requires the language that authorized CNE providers place in their publications to also include APRNs if the CNE is acceptable for them. 107(e)(2) also allows approved CNE providers to award credit on offerings which are over 30 minutes instead of a minimum of one contact hour.

KAR 60-12-106(g) allows continuing education for LMHTs to be a length of 30 minutes or more instead of one contact hour.

**60-9-105. Definitions.**

- (a) "Approval" means the act of determining that a providership application or course offering meets applicable standards based on review of either the total program or the individual offering.
- (b) "Approved provider" means a person, organization, or institution that is approved by the board and is responsible for the development, administration, and evaluation of the continuing nursing education (CNE) program or offering.

- (c) "Authorship" means a person's development of a manuscript for print or a professional paper for presentation. Each page of text that meets the definition of continuing nursing education (CNE), as defined in K.S.A. 65-1117 and amendments thereto, and is formatted according to the American psychological association's guidelines, shall equal three contact hours.
  - (1) Authorship of a manuscript means a person's development of an original manuscript for a journal article or text accepted by a publisher for statewide or national distribution on a subject related to nursing or health care. Proof of acceptance from the editor or the published work shall be deemed verification of this type of credit. Credit shall be awarded only once per topic per renewal period.
  - (2) Authorship of a professional research paper means a person's completion of a nursing research project as principal investigator, co-investigator, or project director and presentation to other health professionals. A program brochure, course syllabus, or letter from the offering provider identifying the person as a presenter shall be deemed verification of this type of credit. Credit shall be awarded only once each renewal period.
- (d) "Behavioral objectives" means the intended outcome of instruction stated as measurable learning behaviors.
- (e) "Certificate" means a document that is proof of completion of an offering consisting of one or more contact hours.
- (f) "CE transcript" means a document that is proof of completion of one or more CNE offerings.
- (g) "Clinical hours" means planned learning experiences in a clinical setting. Three clinical hours equal one contact hour.
- (h) "College course" means a class taken through a college or university, as described in K.S.A. 65-1119 and amendments thereto, and meeting the definition of CNE in K.S.A. 65-1117, and amendments thereto. One college credit hour equals 15 contact hours.
- (i) "Computer-based instruction" means a learning application that provides computer control to

solve an instructional problem or to facilitate an instructional opportunity.

- (j) "Contact hour" means 50 total minutes of participation in a learning experience that meets the definition of CNE in K.S.A. 65-1117, and amendments thereto.
- (k) "Distance learning" means the acquisition of knowledge and skills through information and instruction delivered by means of a variety of technologies.
- (l) "Independent study" means a self-paced learning activity undertaken by the participant in an unstructured setting under the guidance of and monitored by an approved provider. This term may include self-study programs, distance learning, and authorship.
- (m) "Individual offering approval" and "IOA" mean a request for approval of an education offering meeting the definition of CNE, as defined in K.S.A. 65-1117 and amendments thereto, but not presented by an approved provider or other acceptable approving body, as described in K.S.A. 65-1119 and amendments thereto.
- (n) "In-service education" and "on-the-job training" mean learning activities in the work setting designed to assist the individual in fulfilling job responsibilities. In-service education and on-the-job-training shall not be eligible for CNE credit.
- (o) "Offering" means a single CNE learning experience designed to enhance knowledge, skills, and professionalism related to nursing. Each offering shall consist of at least 30 minutes to be computed towards a contact hour.
- (p) "Orientation" means formal or informal instruction designed to acquaint employees with the institution and the position. Orientation shall not be considered CNE.
- (q) "Program" means a plan to achieve overall CNE goals.
- (r) "Refresher course" means a course of study providing review of basic preparation and current developments in nursing practice.
- (s) "Total program evaluation" means a systematic process by which an approved provider analyzes

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# KSBN Committee Applications

Appointments are to be made for the KSBN committees after the September board meeting. The committees which will have vacancies are listed below. If an individual wishes to be considered for a committee, please complete the application, attach your vitae and return to the Kansas State Board of Nursing by August 31, 2013.

Applications may be faxed to (785) 296-3929, e-mailed to [mary.blubaugh@ksbn.state.ks.us](mailto:mary.blubaugh@ksbn.state.ks.us) or mail to KSBN Committee Application, 900 SW Jackson, Suite 1051, Topeka, KS 66612-1230.

Continuing Nursing Education Committee-2 positions  
Qualifications: CNE Provider

Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Committee-2 positions  
Qualifications: Licensed as an APRN in the category of:  
Position 1: NP  
Position 2: RNA

Education Committee-2 positions  
Qualifications:  
Position 1: Represent Master in Nursing Program  
Position 2: Represent Associate Degree in Nursing Program

Practice/IV Therapy Committee-4 positions  
Qualifications: Engaged in practice and/or IV Therapy

## KSBN Committee Member Application

Committee: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax #: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

License Category:  RN  LPN  APRN  LMHT

Years experience in active nursing practice: \_\_\_\_\_ Practice area: \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly list any qualifications and/or skills that you would bring to this position:

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Please attach your vitae and return to the Kansas State Board of Nursing by August 31, 2013.

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# Help Kansas Plan its Future Health Care Workforce

With over 43% of licensed registered nurses in Kansas aged 51+, of great concern is the quality of care one will receive once those nurses retire. Does Kansas have enough nurses to fill the gap? Immediate assessment of supply, distribution, and practice characteristics is imperative.

Current data does not provide the information necessary for comprehensive workforce planning. Which areas of Kansas will be hardest hit by nurse retirements? In what specialties should efforts be intensified? Answers remain elusive.

To address the need for data the Kansas State Board of Nursing (KSBN) has partnered with the KANSASWORKS State Board (KWSB) and Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) to collect necessary data. The current need for statistics is in primary care and the data collection efforts will begin its focus with advance practice nurses.

To assist with this statistical need, the KSBN will be asking APRNs to complete a brief, 3-step questionnaire. Statistics will be utilized for workforce planning. Responses will be confidential and reported only in aggregate.

Once the questionnaire is activated it will be available by clicking on the KANSASWORKS globe on the home page of the KSBN site. A link will also be available on the licensure renewal confirmation page.

Be on the lookout for this opportunity to assist Kansas in planning for its health care workforce demands.

Questions may be directed to Cindy Nau, KANSASWORKS State Board Executive Director, at [cnau@kansascommerce.com](mailto:cnau@kansascommerce.com) or (785) 368-7209.

Thank you for assisting Kansas in planning for its health care workforce demands.

## NCSBN Data Integrity Project

The KSBN staff is currently working with the NCSBN to update and correct licensing data base information. Information includes complete legal names, aliases/previous names, original dates of licensure, exam dates and scores, education program names and graduations dates, identifying basic and highest nursing education programs and degrees awarded. Applications on file are the primary source of this information.

Some licensees have completed higher education beyond their original licensure but have never been required to identify that information for licensing renewal purposes. Examples would be RN graduates of an associate degree program who later completed their BSN. Providing this type of information provides useful data for both State government entities as well as NCSBN.

If you are a nurse that has completed additional education beyond your basic entry and want us to record that information please send us an unofficial copy of your transcript showing your degree awarded and graduation date. They should be mailed to the attention of Inge Reed, KSBN, Data Integrity Project, 900 SW Jackson, ste 1051, Topeka, KS 66612-1234.

## Practice Committee

The Practice Committee met on Tuesday March 26. The committee discussed the results of the IV Therapy regulation amendment to KAR 60-16-102. Statistics involving cases of renewal without approved CNE were discussed. The five year legislative review of KSA 65-1117 and KARs 60-3-1113 and 60-7-111 was performed. Updating the position statement on IV conscious sedation was discussed and a suggestion went forward to the Board to appoint an ad hoc committee to review and update the citations.

## Investigative Committee

The Investigative Committee met on Monday and Tuesday March 25 and 26. Approximately 65 cases were reviewed and dispositions were directed. On Tuesday morning the general session was held. There was no new business to come before the committee. The committee reviewed 3 statutes as part of its regularly scheduled legislative review and continued its discussion regarding revocation actions and looked at the surrounding state's laws.





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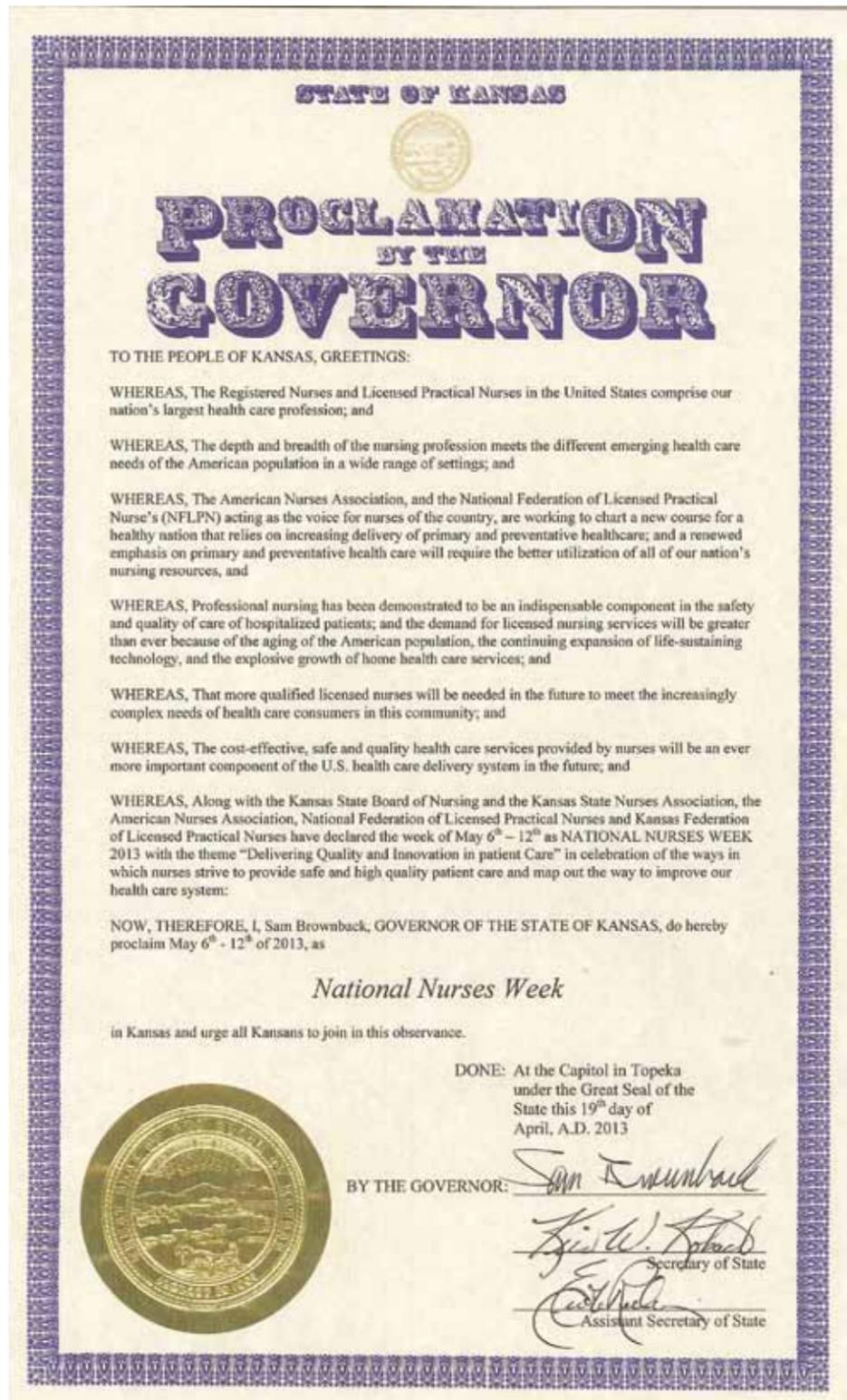
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outcomes of the overall CNE program in order to make subsequent decisions.

**History:** (Authorized by and implementing K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 65-1117 and K.S.A. 65-1119; effective Sept. 2, 1991; amended March 9, 1992; amended April 26, 1993; amended April 3, 1998; amended April 20, 2001; amended Oct. 25, 2002; amended March 6, 2009; amended May 10, 2013.)

**60-9-106. Continuing nursing education for license renewal.**

- (a) At the time of license renewal, any licensee may be required to submit proof of completion of 30 contact hours of approved continuing nursing education (CNE). This proof shall be documented as follows:
- (1) (A) Name of CNE offering or college course;
  - (B) provider name or name of the accrediting organization;
  - (C) provider number or number of the accrediting organization, if applicable;
  - (D) offering date; and
  - (E) number of contact hours; or
- (2) approved IOA.
- (b) The required 30 contact hours of approved CNE shall have been completed during the most recent prior licensing period. Contact hours accumulated in excess of the 30-hour requirement shall not be carried over to the next renewal period.
- (c) Acceptable CNE may include any of the following:
- (1) An offering presented by an approved long-term or single provider;
  - (2) an offering as designated in K.S.A. 65-1119(e), and amendments thereto;
  - (3) an offering for which a licensee has submitted an individual offering approval (IOA). Before licensure renewal, the licensee may submit an application for an IOA to the board, accompanied by the following:
    - (A) An agenda with behavioral objectives describing learning outcomes; and

- (B) official documentation of earned contact hours;
  - (4) a maximum of 15 contact hours for the first-time preparation and presentation as an instructor of an approved offering to licensed nurses. Two contact hours of instructor credit shall be granted for each hour of presentation;
  - (5) an offering utilizing a board-approved curriculum developed by the American heart association, emergency nurses association, or Mandt, which may include the following:
    - (A) Advanced cardiac life support;
    - (B) emergency nursing pediatric course;
    - (C) pediatric advanced life support;
    - (D) trauma nurse core course;
    - (E) neonatal resuscitation program; or
    - (F) Mandt program;
  - (6) independent study;
  - (7) distance learning offerings;
  - (8) a board-approved refresher course;
  - (9) participation as a member of a nursing organization board of directors or the state board of nursing, including participation as a member of a committee reporting to the board. The maximum number of allowable contact hours shall be six and shall not exceed three contact hours each year. A letter from an officer of the board confirming the dates of participation shall be accepted as documentation of this type of CNE; or
  - (10) any college courses in science, psychology, sociology, or statistics that are prerequisites for a nursing degree.
- (d) Fractions of hours over 30 minutes to be computed towards a contact hour shall be accepted.
- (e) Contact hours shall not be recognized by the board for any of the following:
- (1) Identical offerings completed within a renewal period;
  - (2) offerings containing the same content as courses that are part of basic preparation at the level of current licensure or certification;
  - (3) in-service education, on-the-job training, orientation, and institution-specific courses;
  - (4) an incomplete or failed college course or any college course in literature and composition, public speaking, basic math, algebra, humanities, or other general education requirements unless the course meets the definition of CNE; or
  - (5) offerings less than 30 minutes in length.

**History:** (Authorized by and implementing K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 65-1117; effective Sept. 2, 1991; amended April 3, 1998; amended April 20, 2001; amended July 20, 2007; amended May 10, 2013.)

**60-9-107. Approval of continuing nursing education.**

- (a) Offerings of approved providers shall be recognized by the board.
- (1) Long-term provider. A completed application for initial approval or five-year renewal for a long-term continuing nursing education (CNE) providership shall be submitted to the board at least 60 days before a scheduled board meeting.
  - (2) Single offering provider. The application for a

single CNE offering shall be submitted to the board at least 30 days before the anticipated date of the first offering.

- (b) Each applicant shall include the following information on the application:
- (1) (A) The name and address of the organization; and
  - (B) the name and address of the department or unit within the organization responsible for approving CNE, if different from the name and address of the organization;
  - (2) the name, education, and experience of the program coordinator responsible for CNE, as specified in subsection (c);
  - (3) written policies and procedures, including at least the following areas:
    - (A) Assessing the need and planning for CNE activities;
    - (B) fee assessment;
    - (C) advertisements or offering announcements. Published information shall contain the following statement: "(name of provider) is approved as a provider of CNE by the Kansas State Board of Nursing. This course offering is approved for contact hours applicable for APRN, RN, or LPN relicensure. Kansas State Board of Nursing provider number: \_\_\_\_\_";
    - (D) for long-term providers, the offering approval process as specified in subsection (d);
    - (E) awarding contact hours, as specified in subsection (e);
    - (F) verifying participation and successful completion of the offering, as specified in subsections (f) and (g);
    - (G) recordkeeping and record storage, as specified in subsection (h);
    - (H) notice of change of coordinator or required policies and procedures. The program coordinator shall notify the board in writing of any change of the individual responsible for the providership or required policies and procedures within 30 days; and
    - (I) for long-term providers, a copy of the total program evaluation plan; and
  - (4) the proposed CNE offering, as specified in subsection (i).
- (c)(1) Long-term provider. The program coordinator for CNE shall meet these requirements:
- (A) Be a licensed professional nurse;
  - (B) have three years of clinical experience;
  - (C) have one year of experience in developing and implementing nursing education; and
  - (D) have a baccalaureate degree in nursing, except those individuals exempted under K.S.A. 65-1119 (e)(6) and amendments thereto.
- (2) Single offering provider. If the program coordinator is not a nurse, the applicant shall also include the name, education, and experience of the nurse consultant. The individual responsible for CNE or the nurse

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- consultant shall meet these requirements:
- (A) Be licensed to practice nursing; and
  - (B) have three years of clinical experience.
- (d) For long-term providers, the policies and procedures for the offering approval process shall include the following:
- (1) A summary of the planning;
  - (2) the behavioral objectives;
  - (3) the content, which shall meet the definition of CNE in K.S.A. 65-1117, and amendments thereto;
  - (4) the instructor's education and experience, documenting knowledge and expertise in the content area;
  - (5) a current bibliography that is reflective of the offering content. The bibliography shall include books published within the past 10 years, periodicals published within the past five years, or both; and
  - (6) an offering evaluation that includes each participant's assessment of the following:
    - (A) The achievement of each objective; and
    - (B) the expertise of each individual presenter.
- (e) An approved provider may award any of the following:
- (1) Contact hours as documented on an offering agenda for the actual time attended, including partial credit for one or more contact hours;
  - (2) credit for fractions of hours over 30 minutes to be computed towards a contact hour;
  - (3) instructor credit, which shall be twice the length of the first-time presentation of an approved offering, excluding any standardized, prepared curriculum;
  - (4) independent study credit that is based on the time required to complete the offering, as documented by the provider's pilot test results; or
  - (5) clinical hours.
- (f) (1) Each provider shall maintain documentation to verify that each participant attended the offering. The provider shall require each participant to sign a daily roster, which shall contain the following information:
- (A) The provider's name, address, provider number, and coordinator;
  - (B) the date and title of the offering, and the presenter or presenters; and
  - (C) the participant's name and license number, and the number of contact hours awarded.
- (2) Each provider shall maintain documentation to verify completion of each independent study offering, if applicable. To verify completion of an independent study offering, the provider shall maintain documentation that includes the following:
- (A) The provider's name, address, provider number, and coordinator;
  - (B) the participant's name and license number, and the number of contact hours awarded;
  - (C) the title of the offering;
  - (D) the date on which the offering was completed; and
  - (E) either the completion of a posttest or a return demonstration.
- (g) (1) A certificate of attendance shall be awarded to each participant after completion of an offering, or a CE transcript shall be provided according to the policies and procedures of the long-term provider.
- (2) Each certificate and each CE transcript shall be complete before distribution to the participant.
  - (3) Each certificate and each CE transcript shall contain the following information:
    - (A) The provider's name, address, and provider number;
    - (B) the title of the offering;
    - (C) the date or dates of attendance or completion;
    - (D) the number of contact hours awarded and, if applicable, the designation of any independent study or instructor contact hours awarded;
    - (E) the signature of the individual responsible for the providership; and
    - (F) the name and license number of the participant.
- (h) (1) For each offering, the approved provider shall retain the following for two years:
- (A) A summary of the planning;
  - (B) a copy of the offering announcement or brochure;
  - (C) the title and objectives;
  - (D) the offering agenda or, for independent study, pilot test results;
  - (E) a bibliography;
  - (F) a summary of the participants' evaluations;
  - (G) each instructor's education and experience; and
  - (H) documentation to verify completion of the offering, as specified in subsection (f).
- (2) The record storage system used shall ensure confidentiality and easy retrieval of records by authorized individuals.
- (3) Each approved single offering CNE provider shall submit to the board the original signature roster and a typed, alphabetized roster of individuals who have completed an offering, within 15 working days of course completion.
- (i) (1) Long-term provider application. The provider shall submit two proposed offerings, including the following:
- (A) A summary of planning;
  - (B) a copy of the offering announcement or brochure;
  - (C) the title and behavioral objectives;
  - (D) the offering agenda or, for independent study, pilot test results;
  - (E) each instructor's education and experience;
  - (F) a current bibliography, as specified in paragraph (d)(5); and
  - (G) the offering evaluation form.
- (2) Single offering provider application. The provider shall submit the proposed offering, which shall include the information specified in paragraphs (i)(1)(A) through (G).
- (j) (1) Long-term provider application. Each prospective coordinator who has submitted an application for a long-term CNE providership that has been reviewed once and found deficient, or has approval pending, shall submit all materials required by this regulation at least two weeks before the next board meeting. If the application does not meet all of the requirements or the prospective coordinator does not contact the board for an extension on or before this deadline, the application process shall be considered abandoned. A new application and fee shall be submitted if a providership is still desired.
- (2) Single offering approval application. If the application for a single offering has been reviewed and found deficient, or has approval pending, the CNE coordinator shall submit all materials required by this regulation before the date of offering. If the application does not meet requirements before the offering deadline, the application shall be considered abandoned. There shall be no retroactive approval of single offerings.
- (k) (1) Each approved long-term provider shall pay a fee for the upcoming year and submit an annual report for the period of July 1 through June 30 of the previous year on or before the deadline designated by the board. The annual report shall contain the following:
- (A) An evaluation of all the components of the providership based on the total program evaluation plan;
  - (B) a statistical summary report; and
  - (C) for each of the first two years of the providership, a copy of the records for one offering as specified in paragraphs (h)(1)(A) through (H).
- (2) If approved for the first time after January 1, a new long-term provider shall submit

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only the statistical summary report and shall not be required to submit the annual fee or evaluation based on the total program evaluation plan.

- (1) (1) If the long-term provider does not renew the providership, the provider shall notify the board in writing of the location at which the offering records will be accessible to the board for two years.
- (2) If a provider does not continue to meet the criteria for current approval established by regulation or if there is a material misrepresentation of any fact with the information submitted to the board by an approved provider, approval may be withdrawn or conditions relating to the providership may be applied by the board after giving the approved provider notice and an opportunity to be heard.
- (3) Any approved provider that has voluntarily relinquished the providership or has had the providership withdrawn by the board may reapply as a long-term provider. The application shall be submitted on forms supplied by the board and accompanied by the designated, nonrefundable fee as specified in K.A.R. 60-4-103(a)(3).

**History:** (Authorized by and implementing K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 65-1117 and K.S.A. 65-1119; effective March 9, 1992; amended Sept. 27, 1993; amended April 3, 1998; amended Oct. 25, 2002; amended March 6, 2009; amended May 10, 2013.)

**60-12-106. License renewal.**

- (a) Each licensee shall submit a renewal application and the renewal fee specified in K.A.R. 60-8-101 no later than December 31 in each even-numbered year.
- (b) Any licensed mental health technician may be required to submit proof of completion of 30 contact hours during the most recent prior licensing period. Contact hours accumulated in

excess of the 30-hour requirement shall not be carried over to the next license renewal period. This proof of completion shall be documented as follows:

- (1) (A) Name of the continuing mental health technician education (CMHTE) offering or college course;
- (B) provider name or name of the accrediting organization;
- (C) provider number or number of the accrediting organization, if applicable;
- (D) offering date; and
- (E) number of contact hours; or
- (2) approved IOA.
- (c) Any individual attending an offering not previously approved by the board may submit an application for an individual offering approval (IOA). Credit may be given for offerings that the licensee demonstrates to be relevant to the licensee's practice of mental health technology. Each separate offering shall be approved before the licensee submits the license renewal application.
- (d) Approval shall not be granted for identical offerings completed within a license renewal period.
- (e) Any licensed mental health technician may acquire 30 contact hours of CMHTE from independent study, as defined in K.S.A. 65-4202 and amendments thereto.
- (f) Any licensed mental health technician may accumulate 15 contact hours of the required CMHTE from instructor credit. Each presenter shall receive instructor credit only once for preparation and presentation of each course. The provider shall issue a certificate listing the number of contact hours earned and clearly identifying the hours as instructor credit.
- (g) Fractions of hours may be accepted for offerings over 30 minutes to be computed towards a contact hour.

**History:** (Authorized by K.S.A. 65-4203; implementing K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 65-4205; effective Sept. 2, 1991; amended Feb. 16, 1996; amended Oct. 12, 2001; amended May 10, 2013.)

## False/Inaccurate Information

The following individuals were fined for providing false/inaccurate information in the KSBN renewal licensing process a second or subsequent time and were fined \$200.00

Jone Mungai  
RN Applicant  
Overland Park, KS

Stacy Clubine  
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Independence, KS

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#14-110802-011  
Junction City, KS

Tamera Bowser  
#14-594340-021  
Lexington, MO

Kristin Goetz  
#13-109121-041  
Hutchinson, KS

Jessica Crespo  
#13-103371-062  
Colorado Springs, CO

John Rexwinkle  
#14-122597-051  
Parsons, KS

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Jeanne Walsh, RN, MSN 09-08-06 – 06-30-14	<a href="mailto:Jeanne.Walsh@ksbn.state.ks.us">Jeanne.Walsh@ksbn.state.ks.us</a>
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## Unlicensed Practice

The following individuals were fined for unlicensed practice for practicing for six (6) calendar months or more in Kansas without a license, or had a second or subsequent unlicensed practice.

Kim Bascom  
#13-44503-082  
Salina, KS  
6 months/\$300.00

Michele Krach  
#14-100639-032  
Olathe, KS  
57 months/\$1,000.00

Khadejia Dozier  
#23-36732-072  
Kansas City KS  
8 months/\$400.00

Katie Nicholson  
#13-105068-082  
Beloit, KS  
7 months/\$350.00

Ritz Glaze  
23-10995-072  
Lacygne, KS  
2 months/\$200.00 – second time

## Nursing License Renewal Schedule

If your license expires on:	You should receive your renewal notice by:	Your completed renewal application should be in the Board office by:
July 31, 2013	May 15, 2013	June 30, 2013
August 31, 2013	June 15, 2013	July 31, 2013
September 30, 2013	July 15, 2013	August 31, 2013
October 31, 2013	August 15, 2013	September 30, 2013
November 30, 2013	September 15, 2013	October 31, 2013
December 31, 2013	October 15, 2013	November 30, 2013

# Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses from 1925

Kansas State Board for Examination and Registration of Nurses

## Licensure Exam Questions

December 29 & 30, 1925

### Surgical Nursing

- (a) who gave the world the discovery of aseptic surgery?  
(b) what is the underlying principle of modern aseptic surgery?
- (a) What is the most reliable sterilizing agent?  
(b) Why should the handling of sterile goods be reduced to the minimum?
- Explain why we elevate the head of the bed in some cases, and the foot in others.
- (a) what is a benign growth? Give an example of one.  
(b) what is a malignant growth? Give an example of one.
- Define: Ankylosis; cystoscopy; osteomyelitis; bursitis; necrosis
- What is a Colles's fracture? Pott's fracture?
- What unfavorable symptoms would you carefully note following an abdominal operation? Give the significance of each.
- Give symptoms of shock. What would you do for a patient suffering from extreme shock following an operation?
- Give symptoms and signs of appendicitis.
- State five facts which a nurse should bear in mind when preparing and assisting with a surgical dressing.

### Anatomy and Physiology (answer ten questions)

- Define cell; tissue; organs; system. Name the systems of the body.
- Define periosteum and endosteum
- Name the bones of the cranium. Describe one
- (a) Name the organs found in the thoracic cavity  
(b) Name the organs found in the abdominal cavity
- (a) To what class of joints do each of the following belong: shoulder, vertebrae, elbow, wrist?  
(b) What membranes surround the cavities of movable joints?
- How many kinds of muscles are there? Name them.
- Name and locate ten important voluntary muscles.
- Describe and locate the pleura.
- Name the cavities and valves of the heart.

- Name the vessels leaving and entering the heart
- Name the nine divisions or regions of the abdomen.
- (a) Of what does the central nervous system consist?  
(b) Name the different parts of the brain.

### Orthopedics and Pediatrics

- Name the milk teeth in the order of eruption.
- What may a nurse do to relieve a baby of colic?
- Outline nursing care for a baby suffering from malnutrition.
- Where is our state institution for feeble-minded children?
- What may a nurse do for the following: Scales on the head; thumb-sucking; constipation; inflammation of an eye; running ear; nail-biting; pediculi?
- What complications are apt to follow a mild case of measles?
- Define: (a) Pott's disease; (b) spina bifida; (c) mevus (d) club-foot; (e) hydrocephalus; (f) impetigo
- Outline nursing care of a child two years old sick with scarlet fever in a private home.
- How would you entertain a boy of five years while in bed with a fracture of the femur?
- How do temperature and pulse of a child compare with that of an adult?

### Materia Medica

- Give formula for making the following solutions: (a) normal saline; (b) one gallon of 5% phenol; 10% solution of silver nitrate from 50% solution
- Define; (a) Pharmacology; (b) therapeutics; (c) electrotherapy; (d) psychotherapy; (e) radiotherapy
- Discuss the following: (a) Care of medicine chest; (b) methods and time of administering medicines
- What is an antidote for the following poisons: (a) Carbolic acid; (b) oxalic acid; (c) arsenic; (d) morphine
- What symptoms are produced by (A) Anodynes; (b) myotics; (c) mydriatics; (d) analgesics; (e) emetics; (f) diaphoretics

- Give two examples of specifics
- Name five measures used in applying dry heat; two measures used in applying moist heat
- By what methods are the following drugs given: Croton oil; hydrochloric acid; aromatic spirits of ammonis; nitroglycerin; tincture of iron
- How do you prepare a patient for rectal medication?
- Give the dose of the following: Pituitrin; croton oil; atropine; tincture of digitalis; paregoric; strychnine; chloralhydrate; apomorphine; Fowler's solution; morphine

### Urinalysis and Bacteriology

- What appliances and reagents are used to test urine for sugar?
- What would you expect to find in urine voided by a patient suffering with uremic poisoning?
- Describe normal urine.
- By what method is occult blood detected in urine?
- What is meant by specific gravity?
- Name three methods of destroying bacteria
- Give symptoms and nursing care of the disease caused by a germ discovered by Klebs-Loeffler?
- Classify germs as to morphology
- How do you disinfect the following: Kelly-pad, your hands, patient's hair, bougie?
- What conditions favor the growth of the tetanus bacillus?

### Dietetics

- Define basal metabolism
- List special trays for one day for diabetic case
- Write ten lines on ordering supplies, overseeing storage, and care of perishable and staple supplies
- What is the value of the nurse in dietetics?
- Discuss briefly the social and economic aspects of the food problem
- Explain the relation of physical science, chemistry; and physiology to dietetics
- Define: Mal-nutrition; digestion; absorption; assimilation and excretion
- Give six diseases remedied by dietary treatment

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9. Explain a balanced diet. Classify food according to source and chemical composition.
10. Give content, quantity; procedure and precautions of nutrient enemata.

**Medical Nursing and Psychiatry**

1. Differentiate between neurology; psychology and psychiatry
2. What can you say of symptoms expressed in child behavior?
3. Explain: Habit; heredity; instinct; environment; insanity
4. Define: Poliomyelitis; atrophy; traumatic psychosis; senile dementia
5. Give methods of administration of salvarsan or mercury treatment.
6. Is occupational therapy advantageous in mental nursing? Why?
7. How would you record hemorrhage from the lungs? From the stomach? From the bowels?
8. Give five important particulars regarding a chill to be recorded.
9. What do you understand by serum therapy?
10. What is a mortality record? A morbidity record? Name ten reportable diseases.

**Hygiene – Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat**

1. Define: Health; disease; hygiene; sanitation and prophylaxis
2. Give ways in which the nurse can promote personal health and happiness
3. Give essentials in teaching sex hygiene
4. Name common diseases of the eye
5. Give solutions, applications and precautions used in eye treatments

6. What are the nurse's duties in connection with oral hygiene
7. Name seven apertures of the pharynx
8. Define: Cerumen; auricle; otitis media; sinns; tympanum
9. Outline articles needed and procedure for croup-tent
10. Name the complications of nose, throat and ear in communicable diseases

**Obstetrics and Gynecology**

1. Name the female reproductive organs
2. Define the stages of labor. What are the nurse's duties in a home during the first stage of labor?
3. Enumerate fine points to be observed about a new-born infant during the first care you give it.
4. Mention some points to be emphasized in prenatal care as to the following: dress; exercise; kidneys; diet; mental hygiene
5. What is eclampsia? What symptoms precede it?
6. By what means does the fetus receive nourishment in the uterus?
7. Define the following: Version; venix caseosa; craniotomy, phlegmasia alba dolens, colstrum
8. What is the Fowler position? Trendelenburg position?
9. Name three minor gynecological operations. Name three major gynecological operations.
10. Why is gonorrhoea in the female a dangerous disease?

**Ethics and History of Nursing**

1. Name five ethical principles which a nurse may be tempted to violate while nursing a private case who is not seriously ill

2. Discuss the necessity of discipline as we maintain it in our school of nursing
3. Should the acceptance of money, gifts, or other favors by nurses be permitted in a hospital? Give reasons for your answer
4. A nurse comes to a town and engages in the practice of her profession, enjoying the prestige of a professional nurse, but refuses to join district and state associations or to register. What should be the attitude of nurses toward her?
5. What should be done to make newcomers in a district or state association feel that they are welcomed at the meetings?
6. In point of age, how is nursing compared with other arts?
7. Name the founder of modern nursing and a book by this author which revolutionized nursing.
8. Who is Linda Richards? Adelaide Nutting? Mary Roberts? Adda Eldredge? Clara Noyes?
9. Name a magazine owned, edited and managed by nurses
10. Name three national organizations of nurses.

## Discipline Cases

**Rachel Vospette**

Lees Summit, MO 64063  
Endorsement Applicant  
Case #11-1505-0  
Final Order 1/22/2013

**Caroline Rooney**

Leawood, KS 66224  
License #14-76834-052  
Case #12-722-7  
Summary Order 1/25/2013

**Angela Bittner**

Topeka, KS 66615  
License #13-77261-092  
Case #12-1576-8  
Summary Order 1/29/13

**Genevieve San Andres**

Luling, LA 70070  
License #14-110855-042  
Case #12-531-0  
Summary Order 2/4/13

**Julie Adams**

Independence, MO 64050  
License #24-39647-121  
Case #11-1548-0  
Final Order to Revoke 2/11/13

**David Moore**

Leawood, KS 66206  
License #14-107432-091  
Case #11-1323-7  
Final Order to Revoke 2/14/13

**Kimberly Whelan**

Parsons, KS 67357  
License #13-96590-101  
Case #08-954-6  
Final Order to Revoke 2/15/13

**Andrea Cortez**

Salina, KS 67401  
License #23-39768-012  
Case #12-717-3  
Final Order to Revoke 2/15/13

**Toni Cottone**

Frontenac, KS 66763  
License #13-80065-031  
Case #10-618-6  
Default Order to Revoke 2/15/13

**Heather O'Connell**

Independence, KS 67301  
License #13-87312-021  
Case #11-1190-6  
Default Order to Revoke 2/15/13

**Sasha Jahay**

Haysville, KS 67060  
License #24-30964-061  
Case #11-957-8  
Default Order to Revoke 2/15/13

**Mindy Casto**

Plainville, KS 67663  
License #23-34007-101  
Case #11-1421-3  
Default Order to Revoke 2/15/13

**Kelly Rowland**

Augusta, KS 67010  
License #13-96031-122  
Case #11-921-5  
Default Order to Revoke 2/15/13

**Michael Hudson**

Topeka, KS 66614  
License #23-25931-052  
Case #12-1946-8  
Default Order to Revoke 2/15/13

**Vera Boyle**

Valley Center, KS 67147  
License #13-36720-062  
Case #10-221-5  
Default Order to Revoke 2/15/13

**Stacie Veirs**

Fredonia, KS 66736  
License #13-87497-081  
Case #12-847-3  
Summary Order to Revoke 2/15/13

**Tonya Van Horn**

Wichita, KS 67213  
License #23-32810-051  
Case #12-1035-5  
Default Order to Revoke 2/22/13

**Christina Hall**

Wichita, KS 67209  
License #13-98685-122  
Case #11-1470-5  
Final Order 2/28/13

**Jacquelyn Royer**

Great Bend, KS 67530  
License #23-24629-032  
Case #12-198-3  
Final Order 2/28/13

**Michelle LeBlanc**

Boise, ID 83709  
License #13-70591-072  
Case #09-1106-5  
Summary Order to Deny 2/28/13

**Joyce Jackson**

Olathe, KS 66062  
Endorsement Applicant  
Case #11-1171-0  
Summary Order to Deny 2/28/13

**Abby Stephenson**

Topeka, KS 66614  
License #23-37149-072  
Case #10-1652-8  
Initial Order to Revoke 3/1/13

**Hayley McHenry**

Wichita, KS 67218  
License #13-108855-011  
Case #12-2091-7  
Summary Order to Revoke 2/4/13

**John Coslett**

Wichita, KS 67204  
License #13-38432-111  
Case #11-1203-5  
Order to Revoke 3/12/13

**Thomas Baker**

Ballwin, MO 63021  
License #14-108566-012  
Case #08-276-0  
Initial Order to Revoke 3/18/13

**Jeanna Maddex**

Kansas City, MO 64118  
License #13-69095-082  
Case #12-1202-0  
Summary Order to Deny 3/18/13

**Laura Hill**

Salina, KS 67401  
License #24-27032-072  
Case #12-1212-3  
Agreed Order to Revoke 3/18/13

**Tamara Sandoval**

Lees Summit, MO 64063  
License #14-106311-032  
Case #12-255-0  
Summary Order to Deny 3/18/13

**Aldin John Pelican**

Garden City, KS 67846  
License #14-106861-022  
Case #11-1484-1  
Final Order 3/14/13

**Resi Amutete**

Overland Park, KS 66214  
License #23-40074-011  
Case #13-125-7  
Summary Order to Revoke 3/22/13

**Ashley Knier**

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Case #11-1775-1  
Default Order to Revoke 4/1/13

**Jessica Burnett**

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Case #11-1318-4, 11-1334-4  
Default Order to Revoke 4/1/13

**Shelby Schaffer**

Greensburg, KS 67054  
License #23-40627-042  
Case #11-1486-4  
Default Order to Revoke 4/1/13

**Denise Pace**

Atchison, KS 66002  
License #23-39100-011  
Case #11-1765-9  
Default Order to Revoke 4/1/13

**Stephanie Jacobson**

Hutchinson, KS 67502  
License #13-118433-051  
Case #11-1708-9  
Final Order 4/2/13

**Heather Martinez**

Gardner, KS 66030  
License #23-36903-031  
Case #10-1116-7  
Initial Order to Revoke 4/5/13

**Darlene Watterson**

Kingsville, MO 64061  
License #24-40107-011  
Case #10-1392-0  
Default Order to Revoke 4/4/13

**Brenda Bacon**

South Haven, KS 67140  
License #23-18676-052  
Case #12-358-5  
Default Order to Deny 4/4/13

**Rachel Messick**

Gardner, KS 66030  
License #24-20738-082  
Case #11-1497-7  
Initial Order to Revoke 4/5/13

**Robert Moran**

Independence, MO 64050  
License #24-40098-012  
Case #12-132-0  
Summary Order to Revoke 4/5/13

**Donna Bratton**

Atchison, KS 66002  
License #23-12668-051  
Case #12-1947-7  
Initial Order to Revoke 4/5/13

**Carissa Comley**

Independence, MO 64052  
License #24-31854-121  
Case #11-1324-0  
Initial Order to Revoke 4/15/13

**Gwendla Carpenter**

Wichita, KS 67211  
License #13-96201-101  
Case #10-365-5, 11-134-5  
Initial Order to Revoke 4/15/13

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## We Need Your Help!

Did you realize that nursing regulation in Kansas will be 100 years old on July 1, 2013? The Kansas State Board of Nurse Examiners held its first regular meeting July 1, 1913 at the National Hotel in Topeka. Two board members were appointed to a committee to draw up rules by which the Board would be governed. Do you know when the first exam was given? Do you know when the first male was licensed as an RN in Kansas? Look for articles in future newsletters for the answers.

In preparing for the centennial celebration, we need your help. We are looking for memorable items and information of the past 100 years. We are looking for the oldest nurse in Kansas and past board members. If you have anything that you would like to share, please contact Mary Blubaugh, Executive Administrator at 785-296-5752 or email [mary.blubaugh@ksbn.state.ks.us](mailto:mary.blubaugh@ksbn.state.ks.us).

Mark your calendars for Monday, July 1, 2013 to join the ceremonial board meeting to celebrate the last 100 years of nursing regulation and future nursing regulation. More information will be in future newsletters and at [www.ksbn.org](http://www.ksbn.org).

## APRNS – Do You Prescribe Controlled Substances?

If the answer to the question above is yes, you do prescribe controlled substances, are you following the law?

Here are the legal requirements to prescribe controlled substances in Kansas:

1. It is required to have protocols within your collaborative agreement, to prescribe any medication, including controlled substances.
2. Each written protocol shall contain a precise and detailed medical plan of care for each classification of disease or injury for which the advanced practice registered nurse is authorized to prescribe and shall specify all drugs which may be prescribed by the advanced practice registered nurse.
3. Furthermore, to prescribe controlled substances you must:
  - a. register with the federal drug enforcement administration
  - b. notify the board of the name and address of the responsible physician or physicians

In no case shall the scope of authority of the advanced practice registered nurse exceed the normal and customary practice of the responsible physician. This statement means that you can only prescribe the same schedules and for the same purposes as your collaborating physician.

If you have not notified KSBN, then go to the website [ksbn.org](http://ksbn.org), click on **Forms** in the blue box, then open up the pdf titled: "Controlled Substance Verification," follow the directions, and get it filed with the Board.

Remember, the law says:

"In order to prescribe controlled substances, the advanced practice registered nurse shall"

- a. register with the federal drug enforcement administration
- b. notify the board of the name and address of the responsible physician or physicians

The word "shall" is mandatory language. If you are prescribing controlled substances without following the mandatory legal requirements, then you are at great risk if any mistake results in litigation, and your license could be at risk.

KSA 65-1130

## December 2012 Education Committee

The Education Committee met December 11, 2012 and was called to order by Jeanne Walsh, RN, MSN, Chair at 8:30 a.m. in Room 106 of the Landon State Office Building. Patsy Zeller and Kim Hensley were introduced as new Education Committee members. The Committee reviewed the onsite packet and approved the additions and revisions to the agenda. The minutes from September 11, 2012 were approved. The Education Specialist report was given by Carol Moreland, MSN, RN.

Benedictine College BSN program had a site visit on October 2 & 3, 2012. It was moved to accept the site visit report for Benedictine College BSN program with recommendations and to re-approve the program for five years.

Wright Career College Wichita ADN program had a site visit on August 9, 2012. It was moved to accept the site visit report for Wright Career College, Wichita ADN program with recommendations and to admit 10 students per semester (30 per year).

Wright Career College Overland Park ADN program had a site visit on October 23, 2012. It was moved to accept the site visit report for Wright Career College, Overland Park ADN program with recommendations and to admit 10 students per semester (30 per year).

The following schools presented major curriculum changes:

- University of Kansas School of Nursing – Graduate Program
- Highland Community College Technical Center ADN Program
- Mid America Nazarene University BSN Program
- Pratt Community College PN Program
- Wichita Area Technical College PN Program

Osawatomi State Hospital requested to offer a LMHT Refresher Course. It was moved to approve Osawatomi State Hospital to offer a Licensed Mental Health Technician Refresher Course.

Osawatomi State Hospital requested to offer a Mental Health Technician Program. It was moved to approve Osawatomi State Hospital to offer a Mental Health Technician Program in Osawatomi with a site visit to occur before approval is given to admit students.

Six petitions for permission to test/retest were reviewed and action taken.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 pm.

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 Kansas State Board of Nursing  
 Landon State Office Building  
 900 SW Jackson, Suite 1051  
 Topeka, KS 66612-1230

## December Finance Committee

The December Finance Committee was called to order December 12, 2012 at 8:30 a.m. in room 108 of the Landon State Office Building in Topeka by Bernard Becker, Chair. There were no additions to the agenda. The minutes of the September 12, 2012 Finance Committee were approved as written.

Mary Blubaugh reported that KSBN was \$61,000 under budget for the current fiscal year. She reported the request for enhanced funding for two additional investigators was not recommended for the FY14 and FY15 budget. A verbal and written appeal was made to the Division of Budget for the enhanced funding.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:44 A.M.

# Attorney General Opinion 2012-29

## Regarding Interpretation of School Sports Head Injury Prevention Act



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November 13, 2012

ATTORNEY GENERAL OPINION NO. 2012-29

Kelli Stevens, General Counsel  
Kansas State Board of Healing Arts  
800 SW Jackson, Lower Level-Suite A  
Topeka, KS 66612

Re: Public Health—Healing Arts—Delegation of Acts Which Constitute the Practice of Healing Arts  
Schools—General Provisions—School Sports Head Injury Prevention Act

Synopsis: The evaluation and clearance required by the School Sports Head Injury Prevention Act for a school athlete who is suspected of having suffered a concussion or head injury must be performed by a health care provider as that term is defined in the Act. Cited herein: K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 65-28,127; K.S.A. 65-28a02; 65-28a08; K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 65-6902; 65-6906; 72-135.

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Dear Ms. Stevens:

As General Counsel for the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts, you ask whether the School Sports Head Injury Prevention Act<sup>1</sup> allows a health care provider to delegate the required evaluation and written clearance of a school athlete who has been removed from a sports competition or practice due to a suspected concussion or head injury.

The School Sports Head Injury Prevention Act provides, among other things, that a school athlete who “suffers, or is suspected of having suffered, a concussion or head injury during a sport competition or practice session . . . shall be removed from” the competition or practice.<sup>2</sup> The athlete “shall not return to competition or practice until the athlete is evaluated by a health care provider and the health care provider provides such athlete a written clearance to return to play or practice.”<sup>3</sup>

The Act defines “health care provider” as “a person licensed by the state board of healing arts to practice medicine and surgery.”<sup>4</sup> You inform us that this definition includes doctors of medicine and osteopathy (M.D.s and D.O.s). It does not, however, include other persons who provide patient services, such as physician assistants, nurses, or athletic trainers.<sup>5</sup>

Although these persons are not health care providers for purposes of the School Sports Head Injury Prevention Act, you believe that they may provide the required examination and clearance of a school athlete when delegated such authority by a health care provider. You note that the Healing Arts Act authorizes health care providers, within certain parameters, to “delegate[ ] acts which constitute the practice of the healing arts to other persons.”<sup>6</sup> Additionally, the Physician Assistant Licensure Act<sup>7</sup> defines the practice of a physician assistant as “medical services within the education, training and experience of the physician assistant that are delegated by the responsible physician,”<sup>8</sup> while the Athletic Trainer Licensure Act<sup>9</sup> provides that a licensed physician may delegate to an athletic trainer the acts of “injury prevention, physical evaluation, emergency care and referral or physical reconditioning relating to athletic activity.”<sup>10</sup>

Importantly, though, the statutes you cite are all contained in acts that govern the licensure of health care professionals. When these statutes refer to delegation, they are best read as describing the process by which a physician authorizes other persons to perform certain medical tasks that would otherwise constitute the unlicensed practice of medicine. Thus, it is clear that a physician assistant, nurse, or athletic trainer who evaluates a school athlete with a head

injury does not engage in the unauthorized practice of the healing arts as long as the person complies with these statutes. But that does not mean that a school athlete who has been evaluated by physician assistant, nurse, or athletic trainer has been evaluated and cleared *by a health care provider*, which is what the plain language of the School Sports Head Injury Prevention Act requires.<sup>11</sup>

Because the text of the School Sports Head Injury Prevention Act unambiguously states that the required evaluation and clearance must be provided by a “health care provider” as that term is defined in the Act, there is no need to consider the Act’s legislative history.<sup>12</sup> In any event, this legislative history is a mixed bag. The Act was first introduced as 2011 Senate Bill 33, which was referred to the Senate Public Health and Welfare Committee.<sup>13</sup> That committee considered defining the term “health care provider” to mean “a person licensed to practice medicine or surgery, or an advanced registered nurse practitioner, a physician assistant, or an athletic trainer working pursuant to delegation by or a written collaboration agreement with a person licensed to practice medicine or surgery.”<sup>14</sup> The committee rejected the italicized language and instead defined “health care provider” as “a person licensed to practice medicine or surgery.”<sup>15</sup> This indicates that the committee did not intend to allow nurses, physician assistants, or athletic trainers to provide the required examination and clearance.

Of course, it is possible that the committee members believed the language they rejected was unnecessary to allow persons delegated by a health care provider to perform the evaluation and clearance. The supplemental notes to the bill suggest as much in that they all include a paragraph stating “KSA 65-28,127 outlines the written protocol process which allows a person licensed by the State Board of Healing Arts to practice medicine or surgery or chiropractic to enter into a practice protocol or delegate to other persons those acts and functions within the normal and customary specialty, competence and lawful practice of the responsible licensee.”<sup>16</sup> But these supplemental notes also contain a disclaimer stating that they were “prepared by the Legislative Research Department and do not express legislative intent.”<sup>17</sup>

Although the legislative history of the School Sports Head Injury Prevention Act is ambiguous, its text is clear. Given this plain language, we opine that the examination and clearance required by the Act must be provided by a health care provider, i.e., a person licensed to practice medicine and surgery, not a person delegated by such a health care provider.

Sincerely,

Derek Schmidt  
Attorney General

Dwight Carswell  
Assistant Attorney General

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1 K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 72-135.

2 K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 72-135(e).

3 K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 72-135(f).

4 K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 72-135(b)(2).

5 See, e.g., K.S.A. 65-28a02 (defining a “physician,” as opposed to a physician assistant, as “any person licensed by the state board of healing arts to practice medicine and surgery”).

6 K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 65-28,127.

7 K.S.A. 65-28a01 *et seq.*

8 K.S.A. 65-28a08.

9 K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 65-6901 *et seq.*

10 K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 65-6902(b); 65-6906(d).

11 We note, however, that the School Sports Head Injury Prevention Act does not preclude other persons from *assisting* in the required evaluation.

12 *Miami County Bd. of Comm’rs v. Kanza Rail-Trails Conservatory, Inc.*, 292 Kan. 285, 320 (2011).

13 The Act ultimately was incorporated into and passed as part of 2011 House Bill 2182.

14 *Minutes*, Senate Public Health and Welfare Committee, February 15, 2011.

15 *Minutes*, Senate Public Health and Welfare Committee, February 16, 2011.

16 Supplemental Note on Sub. for 2011 SB 33, As Recommended by Senate Committee;

Supplemental Note on Sub. for 2011 SB 33, As Amended by Senate Committee of the Whole;

Supplemental Note on Sub. for 2011 SB 33, As Amended by House Committee.

17 *Id.*

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**What is KNAP?**

KNAP is a professional assistance program designed to assist all nurses and mental health technicians who have a problem or illness that has or could impair their ability to practice safely.

**The Goal of KNAP**

Mental and physical illness, including alcohol and other drug addiction, can potentially impair practice and health. We estimate that at any given time, approximately 10% of the population is affected. This same percentage is thought to be true of healthcare professionals.

Alcohol and other drug addiction, as well as mental and physical illnesses, are treatable. KNAP works with the program participants to obtain an evaluation, treatment (if indicated), and monitoring throughout the recovery process.

**Referrals**

Self-referrals to the program are encouraged, but referrals may be made by a family member, a friend, employer or anyone concerned about the nurse/LMHT.

Anonymous referrals are not accepted. A person may call for information or advice without giving their name, however. Referrals may be made by calling 913-236-7575.

**KNAP Providers**

- Confidential services to Kansas RNs, LPNs, and LMHTs experiencing problems and illnesses which could lead to impaired practice.
- Interventions, assessments, referrals for evaluation and treatment (if indicated.)
- On-going monitoring through random urine drug screens, contact with employers and monthly groups.

**Causes for Concern**

**Job Function**

- Narcotics discrepancies, e.g.: incorrect counts, alteration of narcotic containers, increased patient

reports of ineffective pain control, discrepancies on records or frequent corrections of records, unusual amounts of narcotics wasted, significant variations in the quantity of narcotics ordered for technician's unit or shift.

- Fluctuations in the quality of work performance.
- Irresponsible behavior from someone previously conscientious and responsible.
- Requests to work shifts that are the least supervised.
- Inordinate interest in patients' pain control medications.

**Behavior**

- Increasing isolation from colleagues, friends and family and avoiding social activities.
- Complaints from others about work performance or alcohol or drug use.
- Mood swings, irritability or depression, or suicide threats or attempts, perhaps caused by accidental overdose.

**Physical Symptoms**

- Obvious intoxication such as swaying, staggering or slurred speech.
- Odor of alcohol on breath or the excessive use of breath-fresheners or perfume to disguise the odor of alcohol.

KNAP is supported by funds from the Board of Nursing and, in small part, by fees charged to the participants.

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Date the New Address is in Effect

Sign and date your request

We are unable to accept your request to change your address from information delivered over the phone or via an email. All requests must be received in writing and include a signature.

## December 2012 CNE Committee

- A. The following items are from the approved minutes of the December 2012 CNE committee:
1. The following long term CNE providerships were granted renewal for 5 years, with some of the providers being required to make modifications in the presentation for approval: Kansas State Nurses Association; Labette Health; Turning Point, The Health Center of Hope and Healing; Hutchinson Regional Medical Center. The following initial applications for a long term CNE providership were approved: Wichita Area Technical College and Life Team. St. Luke South informed KSBN that they would no longer be acting as a CNE provider for Kansas.
  2. The committee reviewed the IOA application form as revised and approved the changes.
  3. The amendments to the regulations to allow RNs and LPNs to also be authorized to use 30 minute CNE offerings for license renewal were approved by the Attorney General's office and the committee moved to approve them and set a public hearing.
  4. The Annual Report published by the Board reflecting activity through July 30, 2012 is now on the website. For the past year, there were fewer CNE offerings and participants than the previous year, but more actual contact hours of CNE. Some of this may be a result of the trend toward more independent study. The number of independent study participants for FY 2012 was 27,702, compared to FY 2011 which had only 8,186 participants reported. There were a total of 69 single offering providers for FY 2012, compared to only 44 the previous year.
  5. FY 2012 also showed the highest number of Practical Nurses becoming IV Therapy certified at 414, an increase of 28 more LPNs becoming IV certified than the previous year.

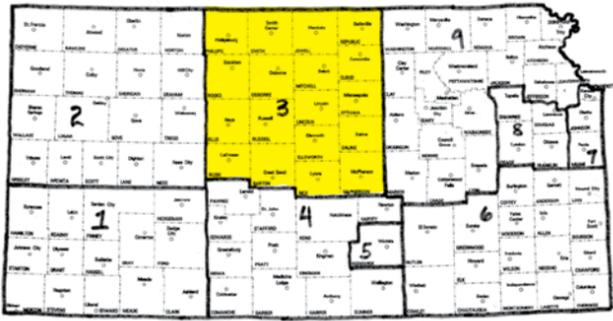
## December 2012 APRN Committee

- A. The following items are from the approved minutes of the December 2012 ARNP committee:

The APRN task force discussed the various changes that were contained in their proposed legislative bill as follows:

1. Required national specialty certification as condition to APRN licensure.
  2. Authority for APRNs to sign death or birth certificates.
  3. Requirement for malpractice insurance.
  4. Removal of requirement for collaborative agreement with physician for practice.
  5. Removal of requirement for collaborative agreement with physician to prescribe medication.
- B. The Board approved the following schools from out of state:
1. University of New England – RNA
  2. DePaul/North Shore University Health System – RNA
  3. Goldfarb/Barnes Jewish - RNA
  4. Memorial Hospital of Rhode Island/Central Connecticut State University – RNA
  5. South University College of Nursing & Public Health – Adult Health and Family Nurse Practitioner
  6. University of Cincinnati – Nurse Midwife, Adult/Gero & Critical Care Clinical Nurse Specialist
- C. The following statutes and regulations were reviewed with action tabled until March 2013:
- |                |                   |
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| 1. KSA 65-1153 | 7. KAR 60-13-101  |
| 2. KSA 65-1154 | 8. KAR 60-13-102  |
| 3. KSA 65-1155 | 9. KAR 60-13-103  |
| 4. KSA 65-1158 | 10. KAR 60-13-104 |
| 5. KSA 65-1159 | 11. KAR 60-13-110 |
| 6. KSA 65-1164 | 12. KAR 60-13-112 |

# CONTINUING NURSING EDUCATION OFFERINGS



## REGION III

**September 17, 2013, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Salina, KS**  
**Laughter is Good Medicine!** Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, P.O. Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 370. Fac: Rosa Wilson, RN. Aud: RN, LPN. This will be a fun and entertaining day looking at the positive effects laughter and humor have on our lives. We will look at how we can improve our attitudes by merely smiling and how laughter and humor affect us physically, psychologically, and spiritually. There will be suggestions on how to use humor to help heal our patients as well as ourselves. Fee: \$86.00 advance, \$106.00 at door. Reg. by: September 13, 2013. Contact Hours: 8.

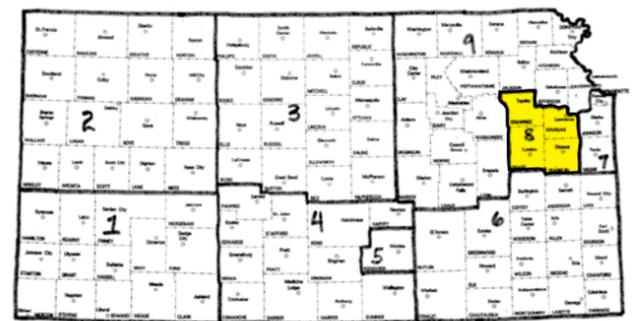
**September 24, 2013, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Salina, KS**  
**Cancer-Alternative Options Update 2013.** Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, P.O. Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 370. Fac: Jan Dyer, LPN, MS Natural Health. Aud: RN, LPN. Cancer! The word that strikes fear into the hearts of both patient and caregiver alike. While many current treatments are disfiguring and debilitating, there are alternative measures that can restore health without being toxic. Join us for a preview of some new and dynamic methods of defeating cancer. Meet the men and women who chose to strike out in a new direction to battle this foe. You will be introduced to Doctors Pauling, Kelly, Hoxey and many more. Come and learn how they have used all natural non-toxic materials provided in nature to defeat cancer. Fee: \$86.00 advance, \$106.00 at door. Reg. by: September 20, 2013. Contact Hours: 8.



## REGION VII

**July 27 & 28, 2013, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Lenexa, KS**  
**Tai Chi for Osteoporosis.** Spon: The Home Gym, PO Box 3702, Shawnee, KS 66203, www.thehomegym.net. Contact: Jim Starshak, 913-322-0764. Fac: Jim Starshak, MS. Aud: RNs, LPNs, LMHTs, as well as PTs, OTs, ATCs, and ACSM Professionals. Tai Chi for Osteoporosis (TCO) incorporates Tai Chi movements that were shown by scientific studies to slow down loss of bone density and help prevent falls and fear of falling. Based on the Yang and Sun styles of Tai Chi, TCO is fun, easy to learn, effective, and safe; plus TCO complements preventative, rehabilitative, and self-care interventions to improve balance, ROM, proprioception, strength, breathing, and stress management. Fee: \$250.00. Reg. by: July 1, 2013 (for discounted registration fee). Contact Hours: 13.

**September 21 & 22, 2013, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Lenexa, KS**  
**Tai Chi for Diabetes.** Spon: The Home Gym, PO Box 3702, Shawnee, KS 66203, www.thehomegym.net. Contact: Jim Starshak, 913-322-0764. Fac: Jim Starshak, MS. Aud: RNs, LPNs, LMHTs, as well as PTs, OTs, ATCs, and ACSM Professionals. Tai Chi for Diabetes (TCD) can help people with diabetes by improving control of their blood glucose level, as well as helping minimize the complications of diabetes. Using a modular Tai Chi program, TCD is fun, easy to learn, effective, and safe; plus TCD complements preventative, rehabilitative, and self-care interventions to improve balance, ROM, proprioception, strength, breathing, and stress management. Fee: \$250.00. Reg. by: August 26, 2013 (for discounted registration fee). Contact Hours: 13.



## REGION VIII

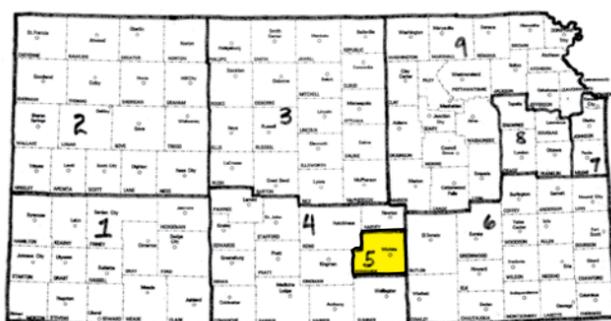
**July 15, 2013, 8:30 am-4:30 pm, Topeka, KS**  
**Inside Dementia: A Guide for Caring Staff with Teepa Snow.** Spon: Kansas Health Care Association, 1100 SW Gage Blvd., Topeka, KS 66604. Contact: Lori Thompson, 785-267-6003. Aud: Long term care providers in state licensed only facilities. Teepa is a nationally recognized dementia care expert who will share her strategy for problem solving for those caring for persons with dementia. Fee: \$85/\$150.00 Reg. by: July 8, 2013. Contact Hours: 6.

**July 16, 2013, 8:30 am-4:30 pm, Topeka, KS**  
**Inside Dementia: A Guide for Caring Staff with Teepa Snow.** Spon: Kansas Health Care Association, 1100 SW Gage Blvd., Topeka, KS 66604. Contact: Lori Thompson, 785-267-6003. Aud: Long term care providers in nursing facilities. Teepa is a nationally recognized dementia care expert who will share her strategy for problem solving for those caring for persons with dementia. Fee: \$85/\$150.00 Reg. by: July 8, 2013. Contact Hours: 6.

**July 20, 2013, 7:00 am Registration, Lawrence Memorial Hospital Auditorium, Lawrence, KS**  
**8th Annual Oncology Nursing Symposia** Spon: Lawrence Oncology Nursing Society and Mid West Leukemia Lymphoma Society, 330 Arkansas #120, Lawrence, KS 66044. Contact: Janice Schwartz, RN, OCN, 785-749-3600. RSVP at <http://www.llsform.org/0435FS01/LLS13/index.html> or call 913-262-1515, please provide license number for CEU credit and National ONS number for special raffle. Fac: Multiple faculty. Aud: Oncology nurses and healthcare professionals. Offering 6 FREE CEUs by well known experts, breakfast and lunch provided. Registration opens at 7:00 with breakfast and vendor displays, first lecture begins at 8:00 am. Seating limited. Fee: FREE Reg. by: July 13, 2013. Contact Hours: 6.

**August 1, 2013, 8:00 am-5:00 pm, Topeka, KS**  
**Preventing Rehospitalization & Antipsychotics.** Spon: Kansas Health Care Association, 1100 SW Gage Blvd., Topeka, KS 66604. Contact: Lori Thompson, 785-267-6003. Aud: Long term care providers. The American Health Care Association's Irene Fleshner will teach this informative workshop regarding reducing rehospitalizations and antipsychotics. Fee: \$90/\$155.00 Reg. by: July 25, 2013. Contact Hours: 6.5.

**August 10, 17, 24 and September 7, 2013, 8:30 am-1:30 all days, Lawrence, KS**  
**Healing Touch Level One** Spon: The Light Center/Unity Church of Lawrence, 900 Madeline, Lawrence, KS 66044. Contact: Robin Goff, 785-255-4583. Fac: Robin Goff, BSN, MAV, CHTP/I. Aud: RN, LPN. A comprehensive study of energy healing with hands-on learning of a wide range of techniques that are applicable to all areas of nursing practice, and can lead to international certification. Fee: \$300. Reg. by: Early bird \$275 until August 1, 2013. Contact Hours: 18.



## REGION V

**August 14-16, 2013, 8:00 am-5:00 pm, Wichita, KS**  
**AANAC MDS 3.0** Spon: Kansas Health Care Association, 110 SW Gage Blvd., Topeka, KS 66604. Contact: Lori Thompson, 785-267-6003. Aud: Long term care providers. This course and the accompanying exam provides Resident Assessment Coordinator certification. Fee: \$550.00. Reg. by: August 7, 2013. Contact Hours: 27.

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**August 20, 2013, 8:00 am-5:00 pm, Topeka, KS**

**Basic Infection Control.** Spon: Kansas Health Care Association, 1100 SW Gage Blvd., Topeka, KS 66604. Contact: Lori Thompson, 785-267-6003. Aud: Long term care providers. This course will provide informative tips on how to prevent infections in long term care settings. Fee: \$70/\$140.00 Reg. by: August 13, 2013. Contact Hours: 6.



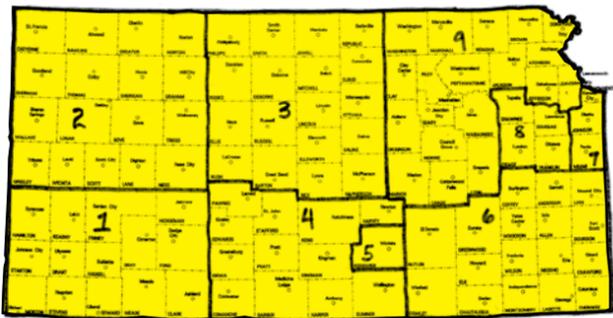
## REGION IX

**September 12, 2013, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Abilene, KS**

**Communicating End of Life Options.** Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, P.O. Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 370. Fac: Renea Gernant, PhD. Aud: RN, LPN. This course will address the spectrum of care provided through palliative and hospice from initial diagnosis to death; the nature of crisis points for patients and family facing terminal illness; the narrative approach to nursing education; and the COMFORT initiative in palliative and hospice care. Fee: \$86.00 advance, \$106.00 at door. Reg. by: September 10, 2013. Contact Hours: 8.

**September 19, 2013, 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Junction City, KS**

**Drugs, Bugs and HIV Update-2013.** Spon: Cloud County Community College, 2221 Campus Drive, P.O. Box 1002, Concordia, KS 66901-1002. Contact: JoDee Aldridge Ball, Coordinator of Allied Health, 785-243-1435 or 1-800-729-5101 ext. 370. Fac: Steve Randall, PA-C and Susan Tuscher, LMSW. Aud: RN, LPN. Come spend a fast-paced, information packed day learning what every health provider in Kansas should know about HIV infection in our state and our world today. The Kansas AIDS Education & Training Center will be presenting an interactive program giving you the latest information on HIV infection, including testing, treatment, pathogenesis, new medications, co-infection, and prevention. Fee: \$86.00 advance, \$106.00 at door. Reg. by: September 16, 2013. Contact Hours: 8.



## STATEWIDE

**Ongoing, 9:00 am-4:00 pm Mon-Fri, Shawnee, KS**

**IV Therapy Certification Course.** Spon: Meritcare Health Systems, Inc, 8300 NW Eastside Drive, Weatherby Lake, MO 64152. Contact: Connie S. Baum, RN, MSN, 816-587-7788. Fac: Connie S. Baum, RN, MSN. Aud: LPNs without Kansas or Missouri IV Certification. Accelerated IV Therapy Certification Class for Kansas or Missouri LPNs. Fee: \$400.00. Reg. by: Ongoing-call for class schedule. Contact Hours: 32.

**July 9-10, 2013, 8:00 am-5:00 pm both days, Wichita, KS**

**ONS Chemotherapy & Biotherapy Course.** Spon: Wesley Medical Center, 550 North Hillside, Wichita, KS 67214. Contact: Linda Long, 316-962-3080. Fac: Dianne Offerman, RN, MN, OCN, ARNP. Aud: RN with minimum of six months experience in Oncology. Comprehensive review of the knowledge needed to safely

administer cytotoxic and biotherapeutic agents. Fee: \$175. Reg. by: June 14, 2013. Contact Hours: 13.5.

**August 24, 2013, 8:00 am-3:00 pm, Via Christi Hospital St. Francis, Wichita, KS**

**Spanish Today for Medical Professionals.** Spon: Spanish Horizons and Via Christi Hospital St. Francis, 929 N. St. Francis, Wichita, KS 67214. Contact: Vendla Ulrich, 316-932-2361. Aud: LPN, RN, LMHT. Spanish Today for Medical Professionals provides basic medical Spanish skills to help better communicate with Spanish-speaking patients; you will learn basic and medical Spanish. Registration includes an Extensive Spanish Today Manual, a handy pocket guide, and a CD rom. No prior Spanish knowledge is needed. Fee: \$145.00. Reg. by: August 21, 2013. Contact Hours: 6.8.

**September 20, 2013, 8:00 am-4:00 pm, Wichita, KS**

**28th Annual Townsend Cardiovascular Nursing Symposium.** Spon: Wesley Medical Center, 550 North Hillside, Wichita, KS 67214. Contact: Diane Braitsch, RN, BSN, Conference Director, 316-962-3080. Fac: National and local faculty include: Beth Hammer, RN, Roberta Anding, RD, and Brett Grizzell, MD. Aud: RN & LPN. This one day symposium will include the following topics: Cardiac Surgery Update, Organic Foods, Identification and Treatment of Atrial Arrhythmias, Sports Nutrition, and Beyond the Basic Pacing Functions: What Else Does That Thing Do. Fee: Call for brochure. Reg. by: N/A. Contact Hours: 7.5.

**September 21, 2013, 8:00 am-3:00 pm, Salina Regional Health Center, Salina, KS**

**Spanish Today for Medical Professionals.** Spon: Spanish Horizons and Salina Regional Health Center, 400 South Santa Fe, Salina, KS 67401. Contact: Vendla Ulrich, 316-932-2361. Aud: LPN, RN, LMHT. Spanish Today for Medical Professionals provides basic medical Spanish skills to help better communicate with Spanish-speaking patients; you will learn basic and medical Spanish. Registration includes an Extensive Spanish Today Manual, a handy pocket guide, and a CD rom. No prior Spanish knowledge is needed. Fee: \$145.00. Reg. by: September 18, 2013. Contact Hours: 6.8.

**October 9, 10, 11, 23 & 24, 2013, 8:00 am-5:00 pm, Merriam, KS**

**Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) Program-Adult & Adolescent.** Spon: Forensic Assessment Consultation and Treatment (FACT) Program, 9120 W. 75th Street, Shawnee Mission, KS 66204. Contact: Jennifer Johnson, RN, MSN, APRN, SANE-A, SANE-P, 913-676-7500. Fac: Jennifer Johnson, RN, MSN, APRN, SANE-A, SANE-P. Aud: Registered Nurses, Physicians, Social Workers and

Law Enforcement. A Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner provides direct care to adult and adolescent victims of sexual assault. This program is approved for nursing continuing education and 39.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits for Physicians. Fee: \$300. Reg. by: October 1, 2013. Contact Hours: 44.

**October 15-16, 2013, 8:00 am-5:00 pm both days, Wichita, KS**

**ONS Chemotherapy & Biotherapy Course.** Spon: Wesley Medical Center, 550 North Hillside, Wichita, KS 67214. Contact: Linda Long, 316-962-3080. Fac: Dianne Offerman, RN, MN, OCN, ARNP. Aud: RN with minimum of six months experience in Oncology. Comprehensive review of the knowledge needed to safely administer cytotoxic and biotherapeutic agents. Fee: \$175. Reg. by: September 20, 2013. Contact Hours: 13.5.

**October 17-20, 2013, 8:00 am-5:00 pm, Westin Crown Center, Kansas City, MO**

**40th Annual National Conference on Professional Nursing Education and Development. Lessons from Oz: Assuring Capabilities for Future Nursing Education & Practice.** Spon: University of Kansas School of Nursing and Sinclair School of Nursing, University of Missouri, 3901 Rainbow Blvd., Kansas City, KS 66160. Contact: Mary Gambino, PhD, RN, University of Kansas School of Nursing, 913-588-1695, mgambino@kumc.edu. Fac: <http://pneg.info>. Aud: This conference is designed for educators from all over the United States, Canada, and other countries that want to strengthen their roles through learning, sharing and networking with professional colleagues. Those involved with education in schools of nursing, continuing education, staff development, and entrepreneurs will find this meeting valuable. 2013 will mark the 40th year for this conference, so put on your ruby slippers and join us in the Land of Oz for 3½ days of mind-stretching, heart-warming and courageous programming! Like Dorothy and her team, bring your brains, heart and courage as we explore what is required to continue the transformation taking place in healthcare and assure nursing's capabilities for future education and practice. What better place than the Land of Oz for this highly anticipated event! Fee: \$529.99 before September 6, 2013; \$549.00 after September 6, 2013. Contact Hours: <http://pneg.info>.

**RNs**



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