

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
Education Committee
Agenda**

September 13, 2017

**Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300, Henrico, Virginia 23233
Board Room 2**

11:00 A.M. Education Committee – Conference Center Suite 201

Committee Members: Joyce A. Hahn, Ph.D., RN, NEA-BC, FNAP, Chair
Rebecca Poston, PhD, RN, CPNP

Program Status Update

Discussion Items

- 1) Program Director Requirements
- 2) Criminal background check for students prior to admission to the Nursing Education Program
- 3) Board Member involvement in Education Oversight
 - Board Member training on education review process
 - Education Committee composition
 - Standing Education committee
 - Education IFC's
- 4) Continued Faculty Exceptions

Nurse Aide Program

Primary Instructor Waiver Request

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MEMORANDUM

To: Education Informal Conference Committee

From: Charlette Ridout, RN, MS, CNE
Senior Nursing Education Consultant

Date: August 3, 2017

Subject: Nursing Program Updates

Continued Survey Visits Completed:

Program name and location	Program code	Program type	Results
Blue Ridge Community College	US28400100	Registered Nursing Associate Degree	Full approval
Eastern Virginia Career College	US28402500	Registered Nursing Associate Degree	Full approval
Germanna Community College	US28406500	Registered Nursing Associate Degree	Full approval
Eastern Virginia Career College	US28102700	Practical Nursing	Full approval
Germanna Community College-	US28104000	Practical Nursing	Full approval
Giles County Technology Center	US28100500	Practical Nursing	Full approval
Lee County Career and Technical School	US28100700	Practical Nursing	Full approval
Massanutten Technical Center	US28-100100	Practical Nursing	Full approval
Smyth County Public Schools	US28106900	Practical Nursing	Full approval
Valley Career and Technical Center	US28105400	Practical Nursing	Full approval
Virginia Western Community College	US28102200	Practical Nursing	Full approval
Wytheville Community College	US28101300	Practical Nursing	Full approval

NCLEX Site Visits Completed:

Bedford County Public Schools	US28107300	Practical Nursing	Conditional approval
Centura College, Midlothian	US28201300	Practical Nursing	Conditional approval

Initial Program Approval:

Bryant and Stratton Virginia Beach Campus has been given initial approval to open an associate degree registered nursing program as of August 3, 2017. The first quarterly report will be due on Monday, October 2, 2017.

Changes in Program Enrollment:

- Henrico County Public Schools Practical Nursing Program (US28106800) will be adding an evening/ weekend cohort of up to 15 students to the Practical Nursing I course. Once in the Practical Nursing II course, students will integrate into the traditional day courses and continue with weekend clinical learning experience.

Letters from the program administration detailing the support and resources for the additional students are enclosed.

- Reynolds Community College, Practical Nursing Program (US28105500) will be not admitting students in the fall of 2017.

The program will graduate all currently enrolled students in August 2017. A status report on the students and graduates of the August 2017 cohort is to be submitted to the Board in late August 2017.

The practical nursing program director and a full time faculty resigned this summer to pursue other opportunities. The College is currently recruiting for a program director and faculty who will be redeveloping the program and the curriculum to better meet the needs of the students and stakeholders.

Current plans are to accept students for the 2018-2019 academic year.

Letters from the Nursing Programs Coordinator regarding the suspension of enrollment are enclosed.