

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING  
AGENCY SUBORDINATE  
INFORMAL CONFERENCES  
September 28, 2020**

**TIME AND PLACE:** The informal conferences held before an Agency Subordinate of the Board of Nursing were convened at 9:15 A.M., on September 28, 2020 in Board Room 1, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Richmond, Virginia.

**AGENCY  
SUBORDINATE:** Kelly McDonough, DNP, RN

**STAFF PRESENT:** Patricia Dewey, RN, BSN, Discipline Case Manager

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Janice Redinger, Adjudication Specialist (observing)

**CONFERENCE  
SCHEDULED:** **Sharon Lynn Jenkins, RN** **0001-146193**  
Ms. Jenkins appeared.

Grace Stewart, Adjudication Specialist for the Department of Health Professions was present.

Ms. Jenkins was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Jenkins unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Jenkins within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

**CONFERENCE  
SCHEDULED:** **Martha Atwell, RN SC Lic. 65157 with multistate privilege (expired)**  
Ms. Atwell appeared, accompanied by her attorney, Kristopher R. Olin.

Grace Stewart, Adjudication Specialist for the Department of Health Professions was present.

Ms. Atwell was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Atwell unless a

written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Atwell within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

**CONFERENCE  
SCHEDULED:**

**Elizabeth Egan, LPN**  
Ms. Egan appeared.

**0002-082252**

Tammie Jones, Adjudication Specialist for the Department of Health Professions was present.

Ms. Egan was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Egan unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Egan within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

**RECESS:**

The conference recessed at 11:40 A.M.

**RECONVENTION:**

The conference reconvened at 1:10 P.M.

**CONFERENCE  
SCHEDULED:**

**Katherine Rose Newsham, RN**  
Ms. Newsham appeared.

**0001-280330**

Tammie Jones, Adjudication Specialist for the Department of Health Professions was present.

Ms. Newsham was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Newsham unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Newsham within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCE  
SCHEDULED:

**Stephanie Lynn Abel Mitchell, LPN**  
Ms. Mitchell appeared.

**0002-047304**

Tammie Jones, Adjudication Specialist for the Department of Health Professions was present.

Ms. Mitchell was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Mitchell unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Mitchell within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCE  
SCHEDULED:

**Lydia Chakeeia Bernadette Wells, RMA, CNA**  
Ms. Wells appeared.

**0031-006209 &  
1401-100379**

Cynthia Gaines, Adjudication Specialist for the Department of Health Professions was present. Alicia Durran, Executive Director, The Ballentine, and Patricia Pierce, RCD, The Ballentine, were also present.

Ms. Wells was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Wells unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Wells within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

ADJOURNMENT:

The conferences were concluded at 4:00 P.M.



Patricia Dewey, RN, BSN  
Discipline Case Manager