

VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
FORMAL HEARINGS
July 23, 2026

TIME AND PLACE: The meeting of the Virginia Board of Nursing was called to order at 1:08 P.M., on July 23, 2026, in Board Room 2, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Henrico, Virginia.

BOARD MEMBERS
PRESENT:

Carol Cartte, RN, BSN; President
Yesenia Nunez, MSN, FNP-BC
Helen Parke, DNP, FNP-BC
Dolores Valenta, LPN
Kathleen Ware, DNP, MSN, RN
Jeanell Webb-Jones, MSN, RN

STAFF PRESENT:

Claire Morris, RN, LNHA; Executive Director
Randall Mangrum, DNP, RN; Deputy Executive Director for Advanced Practice
Tamika Claiborne, BS; Senior Discipline Specialist

OTHERS PRESENT:

Sara Blose, Senior Assistant Attorney General

ESTABLISHMENT
OF A PANEL:

With six members of the Board present, a panel was established.

FORMAL HEARINGS:

Peace Uchechi Wogu, RN

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Ms. Wogu did not appear.

Amy Weiss, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division, represented the Commonwealth. Ms. Blose was legal counsel for the Board. Annette Imbriaco, court reporter, recorded the proceedings.

Beatrice Shaw, Senior Investigator, Enforcement Division, was present and testified.

CLOSED MEETING:

Ms. Webb-Jones moved that the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia at 1:23 P.M., for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of **Peace Uchechi Wogu**. Additionally, Ms. Webb-Jones moved that Ms. Morris, Dr. Mangrum, Ms. Claiborne, and Ms. Blose, Board Counsel, attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is

deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Board in its deliberations. The motion was seconded by Dr. Parke and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Board reconvened in open session at 1:27 P.M.

Ms. Webb-Jones moved that the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded by Dr. Parke and carried unanimously.

ACTION: Dr. Parke moved that the Board of Nursing revoke the right of **Peace Wchechi Wogu** to renew her license to practice professional nursing in the Commonwealth of Virginia. The motion was seconded by Dr. Ware and passed unanimously.

This decision shall be effective upon entry of a written Order by the Board stating the findings, conclusion, and decision of this formal hearing panel.

ADJOURNMENT: The Board adjourned at 1:29 P.M.

Randall Mangrum, DNP, RN
Deputy Executive Director for Advanced Practice