

**Alaska Board of Nursing
Discipline Database**

Board Meeting	Case Number	License/Certificate	Violation	Discipline
June-07 *	2300-06-042	Registered Nurse	Diverted Schedule II controlled substance from the workplace; substance abuse	Amended MOA, relocated to NE: no other details in the MOA under "Addiction")
June-08	2356-06-002	Certified Nurse Aide applicant	convicted of crime substantially related to the qualifications, functions, or duties of a Certified Nurse Aide	MOA-probation 2 years, no controlled drugs or alcohol; self evaluation report; random healthcare provider statement re: ability to practice; restrict remote employment; emergency reports; supervised employment; periodic review by board
June-07	2300-06-045	Registered Nurse	Misappropriated an IV normal saline solution from the workplace and had another nurse start IV solution on her without a physician's order	MOA: 2 years probation; fine of \$1,000, \$500 suspended, \$500 paid within one year placed in license file. BON agreed BON Executive send letter to nurse that started regarding unprofessional conduct.
July-07	2300-07-019	Registered Nurse	Falsified healthcare document	MOA - Civil fine of \$750 due in 120 days; reprimand placed in license file.
July-07	2306-02-028	Certified Nurse Aide	Administered charcoal without an order	MOA - Additional education in malpractice, civil fine of \$1,000, \$500 suspended, due in 120 days, reprimand placed in certification file.
September-07	2300-07-024	Registered Nurse	Delegated nursing duties to an unlicensed employee	MOA - Civil fine of \$1000 payable within 120 days; complete "Delegating Effectively" online course, and provide proof of completion within 120 days; reprimand placed in license file.
September-07	2304-07-001	Registered Nurse/Advanced Nurse Practitioner	Practice outside of scope	MOA-probation 2 years, quarterly reports to board; restrict remote practice; employ supervised practice by MD or ANP; additional education; fine \$2000 to be paid within 120 days; reprimand; periodic review
December-07	2300-07-028	Registered Nurse	Worked without a valid license for nearly 3 months.	MOA - Civil fine of \$500.00 payable within 120 days; reprimand placed in licensure file.
December-07	2304-07-002	Advanced Nurse Practitioner	Prescribed controlled substances without prescriptive authority.	Updated address with DEA, applied for prescriptive authorization with Board of Medicine. Civil fine of \$1,500.00 payable within 120 days. Reprimand placed in licensure file.
February-08	2300-07-031	Registered Nurse	Dispensed controlled substance without prescriptive authority.	MOA - Additional education in malpractice to be completed within 180 days; civil fine of \$500 payable within 120 days, Reprimand placed in license file
February-08	2300-07-016	Certified Nurse Aide	Divulged personal information about one female resident at the facility where she worked, to another resident at the facility	MOA - Civil fine of \$250 payable within 120 days. Reprimand placed in certification file.

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July-08	2306-05-005	Certified Nurse Aide	Assisted patient applying prescription steroid not prescribed for the client and mistakenly provided an extra narcotic pill to patient, but was able to retrieve it prior to patient ingesting.	MOA - One year probation; employer shall be provided with copy of MOA, quarterly be submitted by supervisor. Civil fine of \$1,000 with \$500 suspended; unsuspended payable within 120 days. Reprimand placed in certification file.
July-08	2300-08-013	Registered Nurse	practicing without a license	Consent Agreement - fine \$1000 within 120 days; reprimand;
July-08	Master Case No. M2008-61851	RN applicant by endorsement	RN placed on probation for 18 months commencing 4-9-08 by the State of Washington; is currently employed as a Paramedic and EMT training Coordinator. The Agreed Order from Washington allows Mr. Meacham to work as an EMT in Alaska to fulfill his order. It does not state that working as an RN in Alaska will meet the requirement.	Application will be deferred until State of Washington probation is complete. ADDE Teleconf mtg Sept-08 RN license issued upon receipt of signed consent agreement WA State Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission Consent Agreement, ending concurrently with the WA State Consent Agreement. AK license confined to deliver educational offerings at his position with Guardian EMS Academy, a division of Guardian Flight, Inc.
Teleconf mtg Sept-08	2304-05-001	Registered Nurse/Advance Nurse Practitioner	Did not follow proper protocols during a delivery or intervene in appropriate manner pre and post delivery eventually leading to the death of infant	Six months suspension of license with 4 months suspended. Three months of probation allowing respondent to comply with the following: no absence from the state in excess of 30 continuous days, any absence from state in excess of 60 aggregate days in single period in which Respondent does not hold an active license in AK. Respondent shall in and successfully complete substance abuse recommended treatment Upon receipt of written statement from Respondent's substance abuse counselor if treatment is not necessary Respondent needs to maintain a drug-free and/or alcohol-free lifestyle. Respondent may consider releasing Respondent from treatment. Psychological assessment shall be completed. Respondent shall agree to participate and shall be released if provider finds no further treatment is necessary. Deliveries or Respondent will be supervised but does not require constant supervision. Supervisor shall submit quarterly reports to Board regarding performance methods of handling stress, mental and physical health, professional responsibilities, and activities and personal activities. Supervising MD reports problem
Teleconf mtg Sept-08	2300-08-006	License Practical Nurse		

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October-08	2300-02-015	Registered Nurse	Improperly acted on several occasions by obtaining medical records for her son-in-law at her place of employment without permission or authorization.	Civil fine of \$1,000.00 and reprimand placed in Respondent's license file.
October-08	2356-08-006	Certified Nurse Aide not currently licensed seeking reinstatement	Placed on MOA in March 2007 due to unprofessional conduct and practice beyond scope. Respondent was placed on 1 yr probation. She completed only 1 month of probation when she was unable to perform as CNA due to back injury. Now fully recovered and would like reinstatement of certificate.	Placed on 11 months probation from previous MOA. Respondent to inform Board's writing in advance of any absence from AK. Employer must have report of MOA and quarterly to Board Respondent's employment performance and attendance, Employer to be supervised. Civil fine of \$1,000.00 with \$500 suspended. Reprimand placed in Respondent's certification file.
October-08	2300-08-024	Registered Nurse	Diverted Schedule II controlled substance from the workplace	Civil fine of \$1,000.00 and reprimand placed in Respondent's license file.
November-08	2300-08-028	Registered Nurse	Administered vaccinations in incorrect sites	civil fine of \$1,000, 3 additional courses, and reprimand placed in Respondent's license file.
January-09	2304-08-003	Advanced Nurse Practitioner	Doing pain management not authorized under respondent's ANP specialty thus being outside scope of practice, failure to document appropriately.	Civil fine of \$1,500 and reprimand placed on Respondent's license file, enrollment in successfully complete on line courses offered through NCSBN 1. Documentation : Aspect of Client Care 2. Sharpening Critical Thinking Skills
April-09	2300-09-002	Registered Nurse	Inadvertently failed to renew her RN license in past licensing renewal period thus practicing without a license for ~ 10 weeks. Respondent self reported this action to the Board of Nursing.	Ca- Civil fine of \$1,500.00, \$750.00 of that fine suspended to be paid within 120 days if consent agreement is accepted by the Board. Reprimand to be placed in file. Additional education: 1. Professional Accountability & Legal Liability for Nurses 2. Sharpening Critical Thinking Skills 3. Nurse Practice Act.

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April-09	2304-08-010	Registered Nurse/Advance Nurse Practitioner	Respondent ruptured patient's membranes while in her clinic, fluid was meconium stained. Patient was advised by ANP to go to emergency room. Patient was not accompanied by ANP during transport. Patient left in private vehicle. Incident was reported prior to acceptance of earlier CA for unprofessional conduct.	Ca- Civil fine of \$1,500.00, \$750.00 of that fine suspended to be paid within 120 days if consent agreement is accepted by the Board. Reprimand to be placed in file. Additional education: 1. Professional Accountability & Legal Liability for Nurses 2. Sharpening Thinking Skills 3. Nurse Practice Act

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