



Arkansas Department of Health

Full Independent Practice Credentialing Committee
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FULL INDEPENDENT PRACTICE CREDENTIALING COMMITTEE October 29, 2024

The meeting of the Full Independent Practice Credentialing Committee was called to order by Julia Ponder, DNP, APRN, Chairperson of the Full Independent Practice Credentialing Committee at 9:01 a.m.

Members present:

Julia Ponder, DNP, APRN, Chair
Mark Foster, DNP, APRN, Vice-Chair
Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN
Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN
William Hawkins, MD
Mitzi Scotten, MD
Sue Tedford, Executive Director ASBN
Amy Embry, Executive Director ASMB

Also attending this meeting:

Michael Bynum, Attorney, Arkansas Attorney General's Office
Shannon McKinney, DNP, APRN, ASBN Assistant Director

Members Absent:

Donna Shipley, MD

Additions to the agenda

There were no additions to the agenda.

Approval of Agenda

Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to accept the agenda. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Approval of Minutes

William Hawkins, MD moved to accept the minutes from September 10, 2024. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

2025 Meeting Dates

Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to accept the 2025 meeting dates. It was seconded by William Hawkins, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Investigations and Complaints Update

Shannon McKinney, DNP, APRN, ASBN Assistant Director reported on two new complaints opened by ASBN on ORBS ID 99868 and 91088.

ORBS ID 60614 – Shannon McKinney, DNP, APRN, ASBN Assistant Director reported that this case was closed without action.

ORBS ID 74959 - Shannon McKinney, DNP, APRN, ASBN Assistant Director reported that this investigation was closed without action.

Teddy Phillips – the Committee has suspended full independent practice and the practitioner has signed a consent order with the Arkansas Board of Nursing. The consent order was explained to the Committee. Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN moved that the full independent practice suspension be continued until the terms of the consent order with the ASBN have been met. William Hawkins, MD seconded the motion. The vote passed unanimously.

Tabled Application from September Meeting

Ashley Taylor, CNP 122331 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mark Foster, DNP, APRN. The vote passed unanimously.

Review of Applications

Lesli Anderson, A005181 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Jessie Stuckey, CNP121696 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Randall Osborn, A004636 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Jessica Rice, CNP223997 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Jaime Campbell, CNP216637 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Kelly Hall, A001634 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Kyndel Brecheisen, A003362 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Sharonda Miller, A006086 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Camika Johnson, A006103 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Taneicie Sabb, CNP122231 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Lauren Sheffield, A005729 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Joseph Labonte, A005318 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Shanna Gilliland, CNP227757 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Stefanie Ryan, A003795 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Sandy King, CNP215948 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Jennifer Robins, A003947 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Donna Guntharp, A004078 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Rachael Chandler, CNP123644 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Morgan Colson, A006094 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Lyndi Mullinax, A004649 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Ruth Skrapates, A003404 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Amanda Bell, A004537 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Jenny Hanna, A004741 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Kathryn Morris, A003376 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Brandy Martisek, CNP125499 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Margaret Self, CNP216366 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Stephanie Duffel, A003142 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Bronte Welker, A006095 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Glenda Gore, CNP124130 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Jessie Green, CNP120548 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Kaitlin Hiddle, 221171 – William Hawkins, MD moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Emily Staggs, A003988 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Joy Dodson, CNP 214684 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mark Foster, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Tamara Laws, CNP 216667 – Mitzi Scotten, MD moved to grant a full independent practice certificate for FNP only. It was seconded by Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Carrie Tate, A0005838 – William Hawkins, MD moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Brittny Mills, A006114 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Linda Delfosse, CNP229926 – William Hawkins, MD moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mark Foster, DNP, APRN. The motion passed with Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN opposing.

Johnnie Kelsey, A004776 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Rose Newby, A005973 – Mark Foster, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The motion passed by majority.

Wendy Kelton, A003509 – Mitzi Scotten, MD moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN. The motion passed by majority.

Debra Velez, A001217 – Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

David Costner, CNP230073 – Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by William Hawkins, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Keechia Muse, S002321 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate for CNS. It was seconded by Mark Foster, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Hayley Rosnermanz, CNP215210 – Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

LaSonya Griswod Davis, A003883 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Mark Foster, DNP, APRN. The motion passed by majority.

Tammy Hawkins, A003313 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Laima Karosas, CNP 220416 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate for FNP. It was seconded by Mark Foster, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Heather Thatcher, A003925 – Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The motion passed unanimously.

Leigh Guest, A003001 – Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN moved to grant a full independent practice certificate. It was seconded by William Hawkins, MD. The motion passed unanimously.

Next Meeting

The next scheduled meeting is January 28, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

Other Business

Mitzi Scotten, MD moved to change the meeting times to end at 11:30. Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN seconded the motion. The vote passed unanimously.

Shannon McKinney reported on the reduction of the independent practice renewal fees.

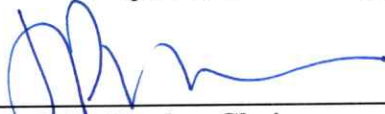
Elections

Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN, moved that Julia Ponder, DNP, APRN be nominated and elected Chair by acclamation. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The vote passed unanimously.

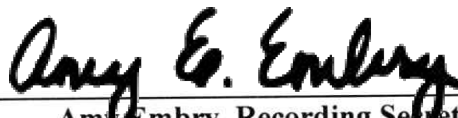
Darlene Byrd, DNP, APRN, moved that Mark Foster, DNP, APRN be nominated and elected Co-Chair by acclamation. It was seconded by Leonie DeClerk, DNP, APRN. The vote passed unanimously.

Adjournment

William Hawkins, MD moved to adjourn. It was seconded by Mitzi Scotten, MD. The vote passed unanimously, and the meeting adjourned at 11:15 a.m.



Julia Ponder, Chair



Amy Embry, Recording Secretary