

Mission

**The mission of the North Carolina Board of Nursing is to protect
the public by regulating the practice of nursing.**

9:00 a.m.	EB	Corey Brandon Gibson, RN #287664
9:30 a.m.	BP	Antoinette Marie Barrick, LPN #82130
10:00 a.m.	DP/AMM	Rashidat Olajumoke Bello, RN #328957
10:45 a.m.	AL	Alemayehu Assefa, RN #349638
11:15 a.m.	DP/AMM	Enante Sime Renodain, RN #363095
12:00 p.m.	BP	Lee Alexander Politi, RN #296163
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**BEFORE THE
NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF NURSING**

IN RE:

**Corey Brandon Gibson, RN
License Number 287664
2024 NCBON 0124**

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NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above captioned case will be brought on for hearing before the North Carolina Board of Nursing ("Board"), or a panel thereof, on Wednesday, September 24, 2025, at 8:30 a.m. at the Office of the Board, 4516 Lake Boone Trail, Raleigh, North Carolina 27607.

The North Carolina Board of Nursing does hereby give notice to Corey Brandon Gibson, RN ("Licensee") of the following allegations and charges:

1. The Board is a body duly organized under the laws of North Carolina and is the proper party to bring this proceeding under the authority granted it in Article 9A, Chapter 90 of the North Carolina General Statutes and the rules and regulations promulgated thereto.

2. Licensee is the holder of North Carolina single state Registered Nurse license number 287664, which expired on July 31, 2025.

3. On February 9, 2024, the Board received a complaint from Riverbend Health and Rehabilitation ("Riverbend") located in Asheville, North Carolina, regarding Licensee's nursing practice.

4. On January 17, 2024, Licensee began full-time employment at Riverbend, working as a second shift supervisor from 3:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

5. On February 6, 2024, Licensee was observed leaning into the medication cart, falling asleep, having slurred speech, and exhibiting red eyes.

6. The Asheville Police Department responded to a medical emergency at Licensee's home later that day and discovered medications labeled with resident names from Riverbend. They found two (2) bottles of liquid morphine and a bulk card of morphine sulfate containing resident information. Facility documents indicated that these residents were admitted to Riverbend during the Licensee's employment.

7. On April 11, 2024, the Board received a second complaint from Pisgah Manor Nursing Home ("Pisgah Manor") located in Candler, North Carolina, regarding Licensee's nursing practice.

8. On March 20, 2024, video surveillance footage captured Licensee walking in the hall with socks on and throwing his shoes in the trash can, touching his foot, and resting his head back on the wall while at the med cart with his eyes closed.

9. Board staff completed an independent audit of Licensee's controlled substances handling at Pisgah Manor. Ten (10) resident records to whom Licensee was assigned from February 26, 2024, to April 4, 2024, totaling twenty-eight (28) transactions were reviewed. The following dispensaries were found:

- a. Eighteen (18) transactions were documented as administered before dispensing time on the narcotic count sheet;
- b. 7.5mg of Morphine unaccounted for;
- c. 1/5mg of Ativan documented as administered in the MAR but not dispensed;
- d. 5ml of Methadone documented as administered in the MAR but not dispensed; and
- e. 50mg of Tramadol documented as administered in the MAR but not dispensed.

10. On May 15, 2024, and June 20, 2024, during interviews with Board staff, Licensee admitted to having a substance use disorder but denied being impaired while on duty. Licensee stated that on February 6, 2024, he was tired from working over twenty hours the previous week. He acknowledged that he purchased two bottles of liquid morphine from a coworker to take home, even though the morphine belonged to residents at the facility. Licensee admitted to overdosing at home after consuming an entire bottle of morphine. When questioned by Board staff about the video footage captured on March 20, 2024, Licensee stated that he had a blister on his foot and had removed his shoes at work to alleviate the pain. He could not recall why he failed to document the removal of the morphine. Licensee also admitted that he never changed the times in the Medication Administration Record and that he estimated the times on the narcotic count sheet.

11. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee engaged in unprofessional conduct that is nonconforming to the standards of acceptable and prevailing nursing practice or the ethics of the nursing profession, even if a patient is not injured within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(6a) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

12. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee committed acts of dishonesty, injustice, or immorality in the course of the licensee's practice or otherwise, including acts outside of this State within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(6b) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

13. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has violated the provisions of Article 9A of the Nursing Practice Act and violated the rules enacted by the Board

in 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a) within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(7) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

14. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee illegally obtained, possessed, or distributed drugs or alcohol for personal or other use or other violations of the North Carolina Controlled Substances Act, G.S. §90-86 et seq, within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a)(3) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

15. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee failed to maintain an accurate record of all pertinent health care information as defined in Rule .0224(f)(2) for each client within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a)(12) and grounds exist under that section of the North Carolina Administrative Code for the Board to revoke or suspend a license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

16. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee accepted responsibility for client care while impaired by sleep deprivation, physical or psychological conditions, or by alcohol or other agents, prescribed or not within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a)(21) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

17. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has falsified a client's record or the controlled substance records within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a)(22) and grounds exist under that section of the North Carolina Administrative Code for the Board to revoke or suspend a license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

18. The above-described facts and conduct indicate that Licensee failed to verify the proper administration and disposal of controlled substances within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0224(f)(2)(E) and grounds exist under that section of the North Carolina Administrative Code for the Board to revoke or suspend a license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

19. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, Chapter 150B of the N.C. General Statutes; with the Nursing Practice Act, Article 9A, Chapter 90 of the N.C. General Statutes and the rules and regulations adopted by the Board and codified in 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217.

This Notice of Hearing issued this 22nd day of August, 2025.

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Crystal Tillman, DNP, RN, CNP, FRE
Chief Executive Officer
North Carolina Board of Nursing

**BEFORE THE
NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF NURSING**

IN RE:

**Antoinette Marie Barrick, LPN
License Number 82130
2024 NCBON 653**

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NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above captioned case will be brought on for hearing before the North Carolina Board of Nursing ("Board"), or a panel thereof, on Wednesday, September 24, 2025, at 8:30 a.m. at the Office of the Board, 4516 Lake Boone Trail, Raleigh, North Carolina 27607.

The North Carolina Board of Nursing does hereby give notice to Antoinette Marie Barrick, LPN ("Licensee") of the following allegations and charges:

1. The Board is a body duly organized under the laws of North Carolina and is the proper party to bring this proceeding under the authority granted it in Article 9A, Chapter 90 of the North Carolina General Statutes and the rules and regulations promulgated thereto.
2. Licensee is the holder of North Carolina multistate Licensed Practical Nurse license number 82130, which expires on August 31, 2025.
3. On July 3, 2024, the Board received a complaint from Quail Haven located in Pinehurst, North Carolina, regarding Licensee's nursing practice.
4. On January 30, 2024, Licensee began full-time employment at Quail Haven, working 7:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. as a staff nurse. On July 3, 2024, Licensee's employment was terminated following a facility investigation.
5. On July 1, 2024, facility leadership contacted their pharmacy to request a refill of Patient H.I.'s oxycodone 10mg prescription. However, they were informed that the refill was not yet due. After reviewing the patient's medication administration record and narcotic count sheet, leadership identified concerns regarding Licensee's handling and documentation of controlled substances.
6. Leadership reviewed video surveillance footage and found eighteen (18) instances where Licensee documented the removal of oxycodone but did not enter Patient H.I.'s room during that time frame. Licensee was suspended and requested to come in for drug screening as a result of the investigation. Licensee failed to return to the facility.
7. Board staff completed an independent audit of Licensee's controlled substance handling. Five (5) patients to whom Licensee was assigned from June 1, 2024 to June 30, 2024,

for a total of three hundred and twelve (312) transactions were reviewed. The audit revealed 420mg of oxycodone and 1240mg of Percocet unaccounted for.

8. The audit also revealed the following:

- a. Two hundred and thirty-five (235) instances of documentation of removal of controlled substance, but no documented administrations;
- b. Thirteen (13) instances of removal of controlled substances after order was discontinued;
- c. One (1) instance of administration of a controlled substance after order was discontinued;
- d. Five (5) instances of Licensee removing one (1) tablet of a controlled substance but total count declining by two (2);
- e. One (1) instance of administering controlled substances greater than three (3) hours after removal;
- f. Fourteen (14) instances of documentation of administration of controlled substance prior to documentation of removal;
- g. Seven (7) instances of wasting a controlled substance without a witness;
- h. Two (2) instances of documentation of a removal of a controlled substance when not scheduled as working; and
- i. Three (3) instances of documentation of administration of controlled substance but no documentation of removal.

9. On August 19, 2024, during an interview with the Board staff, Licensee admitted to diverting approximately five (5) Percocet's from the facility. Licensee stated it was due to an injury to her back while working. Licensee stated that she would typically divert when the total count of the controlled substance dropped by two (2), but only documented one (1) as being removed. Additionally, Licensee admitted failing to return to the facility for a drug screen because she knew it would be positive. Licensee was unable to explain the additional narcotic discrepancies. Licensee stated that she regretted diverting but denied having a substance abuse problem.

10. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee engaged in unprofessional conduct that is nonconforming to the standards of acceptable and prevailing nursing practice or the ethics of the nursing profession, even if a patient is not injured within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(6a) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against her license as it deems fit and proper.

11. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has violated the provisions of Article 9A of the Nursing Practice Act and violated the rules enacted by the Board in 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a) within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(7) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

12. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee illegally obtained, possessed, or distributed drugs or alcohol for personal or other use or other violations of the North Carolina Controlled Substances Act, G.S. §90-86 et seq, within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a)(3) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

13. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee failed to maintain an accurate record of all pertinent health care information as defined in Rule .0225(f)(2) for each client within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a)(12) and grounds exist under that section of the North Carolina Administrative Code for the Board to revoke or suspend a license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

14. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has falsified a client's record or the controlled substance records within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a)(22) and grounds exist under that section of the North Carolina Administrative Code for the Board to revoke or suspend a license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

15. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee violated the terms of probation, condition or limitation imposed on Licensee by the Board within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a)(25) and grounds exist under that section of the North Carolina Administrative Code for the Board to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

16. The above-described facts and conduct indicate that Licensee failed to verify the proper administration and disposal of controlled substances within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0225(f)(2)(E) and grounds exist under that section of the North Carolina Administrative Code for the Board to revoke or suspend a license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

17. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, Chapter 150B of the N.C. General Statutes; with the Nursing Practice Act, Article 9A, Chapter 90 of the N.C. General Statutes and the rules and regulations adopted by the Board and codified in 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217.

This Notice of Hearing is issued this the 22nd day of August, 2025.

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Crystal L. Tillman, DNP, RN, CNP, FRE
Chief Executive Officer
North Carolina Board of Nursing

**BEFORE THE
NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF NURSING**

IN RE:

**Rashidat Olajumoke Bello, RN
License Number 328957
2022 NCBON 0896**

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NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above captioned case will be brought on for hearing before the North Carolina Board of Nursing (“Board”), or a panel thereof, on Wednesday, September 24, 2025, at 8:30 a.m. at the Office of the Board, 4516 Lake Boone Trail, Raleigh, North Carolina 27607.

The North Carolina Board of Nursing does hereby give notice to Rashidat Olajumoke Bello, RN (“Licensee”) of the following allegations and charges:

1. The North Carolina Board of Nursing is a body duly organized under the laws of North Carolina and is the proper body for this proceeding under the authority granted it in Article 9A, Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and the rules and regulations promulgated hereunder.
2. Licensee is the holder of North Carolina multistate Registered Nurse license number 328957, which expires on September 30, 2026.
3. Between April 3, 2017, through June 28, 2019, Licensee was allegedly enrolled in a practical nursing program offered by Palm Beach School of Nursing (“Palm Beach Nursing”) located in West Palm Beach, Florida.
4. On October 10, 2019, Licensee presented a Palm Beach Nursing transcript to the Board as proof of education in support of her September 24, 2020, Application for Licensure by Examination.
5. On November 11, 2020, Licensee successfully passed the NCLEX-RN examination. Licensee had previously taken and failed the NCLEX-RN three (3) times.
6. On June 15, 2022, Johanah Napoleon provided an affidavit to the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services – Office of Inspector General in which they declared under penalty of perjury that “from in or around October 2016 to present, Sunshine Academy, Med-Life, Palm Beach School of Nursing, and Quisqueya issued transcripts to 4,989 individuals listed in Attachment B who did not complete the required program hours and clinical training necessary to obtain either a practical nursing diploma and transcript or a nursing associate in science degree and transcript.”

7. Licensee was listed in Attachment B as one of the individuals who did not complete the required program hours and clinical training necessary to obtain a legitimate degree.

8. A Board-staff Education Consultant conducted a forensic document review of the transcripts from Palm Beach Nursing. Licensee's official address is in Raleigh, North Carolina, while Palm Beach Nursing is located in West Palm Beach, Florida. The transcript is missing the graduation date and the conferral of the degree. The official transcript lists NUR 100 as "LPN to RN Transition," but the institution for the LPN program is not specified. Additionally, the transcript does not include start or end dates.

9. A Board-staff Education Consultant conducted a curriculum review of the transcript from Palm Beach Nursing. Licensee admitted to completing Adult Nursing I and II at a long-term care facility rather than in an acute care setting, which is required for Adult Nursing II. Also, Anatomy and Physiology II is not included on the transcript.

10. A Board-staff Education Consultant conducted a clinical review of the transcript from Palm Beach Nursing. Licensee admitted that she did not complete her clinical hours in the following areas: Psychiatric/Mental Health, Maternity, Pediatrics, Community, and Focused Client Care Experience.

11. On October 18, 2022, and November 15, 2022, Licensee was interviewed by Board staff. Licensee stated that she discovered Palm Beach Nursing while conducting online research. After being accepted into the program, she traveled to Florida to meet with a representative from the school. Licensee stated that Palm Beach Nursing was not situated on a traditional school campus or in an academic facility; instead, it was located in an office building. She acknowledged that during her tour of the school, she did not see any students or teachers in classrooms. Licensee stated that she attended classes and participated in clinical training and labs. When asked by Board staff whether school instructors required clinical hours, Licensee confirmed that they did. Licensee did admit she did not complete clinical training related to pediatrics or labor and delivery. Licensee stated receiving both in-person and virtual instruction, but she was unable to recall the specific time allocated to each format.

12. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has given false information or has withheld material information from the Board in procuring or attempting to procure a license to practice nursing within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(1) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

13. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee committed acts of dishonesty, injustice, or immorality in the course of the licensee's practice or otherwise, including acts outside of this State within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(6b) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules

promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

14. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has had a license or privilege to practice nursing denied, revoked, suspended, restricted, or acted against by any jurisdiction within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(6c) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

15. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has violated the provisions of Article 9A of the Nursing Practice Act and violated the rules enacted by the Board in 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a) within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(7) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

16. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee presented false or fraudulent licensure information for any purpose within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a)(18) and grounds exist under that section of the North Carolina Administrative Code for the Board to revoke or suspend a license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper;

17. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee fraudulently obtain or fraudulently furnished a nursing diploma or aided or abet therein within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. 90-171.44(1) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

18. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee practiced nursing under cover of a fraudulently obtained license within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. 90-171.44(2) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

19. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, Chapter 150B of the N.C. General Statutes; with the Nursing Practice Act, Article 9A, Chapter 90 of the N.C. General Statutes and the rules and regulations adopted by the Board and codified in 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217.

This Notice of Hearing is issued this the 28th day of August, 2025.

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Crystal L. Tillman, DNP, RN, CNP, FRE
Chief Executive Officer
North Carolina Board of Nursing

**BEFORE THE
NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF NURSING**

IN RE:

**Alemayehu Assefa, RN
License Number 349638
2024 NCBON 0508**

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NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above captioned case will be brought on for hearing before the North Carolina Board of Nursing (“Board”), or a panel thereof, on Wednesday, September 24, 2025, at 8:30 a.m. at the Office of the Board, 4516 Lake Boone Trail, Raleigh, North Carolina 27607.

The North Carolina Board of Nursing does hereby give notice to Alemayehu Assefa, RN (“Licensee”) of the following allegations and charges:

1. The Board is a body duly organized under the laws of North Carolina and is the proper party to bring this proceeding under the authority granted it in Article 9A, Chapter 90 of the North Carolina General Statutes and the rules and regulations promulgated thereto.
2. Licensee is the holder of North Carolina Single State Registered Nurse License Number 349638, which expires on May 31, 2026. Licensee is also the holder of Minnesota Registered Nurse License Number 145992, which was issued on October 29, 2000.
3. On or about April 26, 2024, the Minnesota Board of Nursing issued an Order of Suspension to Licensee whereby their Minnesota Registered Nurse license was suspended. The Minnesota Order of Suspension found that Licensee was in arrears in court-ordered child support.
4. Additionally, on or about May 20, 2024, Licensee submitted an application for renewal of their Registered Nurse license to the Board.
5. On the application, Licensee was asked, “Has any professional or occupational licensing authority (excluding the NC Board of Nursing) in any jurisdiction or country ever taken any action against a license, registration, certification or multi-state privilege held by you now or previously?”
6. Licensee answered “No” to this question, failing to disclose the suspension of their Minnesota Registered Nurse License by the Minnesota Board of Nursing on April 26, 2024.
7. On December 2, 2024, the Minnesota Board of Nursing reinstated Licensee’s RN License unconditionally and determined Licensee had complied with the Suspension Order.
8. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has given false information or has withheld material information from the Board in procuring or attempting to

procure a license to practice nursing within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(1) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

9. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has had a license or privilege to practice nursing denied, revoked, suspended, restricted, or acted against by any jurisdiction within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(6c) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

10. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has violated the provisions of Article 9A of the Nursing Practice Act and willfully violated the rules enacted by the Board in 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a) within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(7) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

11. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, Chapter 150B of the N.C. General Statutes; with the Nursing Practice Act, Article 9A, Chapter 90 of the N.C. General Statutes and the rules and regulations adopted by the Board and codified in 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217.

This Notice of Hearing is issued this the 25th day of August 2025.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Crystal L. Tillman".

Crystal L. Tillman, DNP, RN, CNP, FRE
Chief Executive Officer
North Carolina Board of Nursing

**BEFORE THE
NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF NURSING**

IN RE:

**Enante Sime Renodain, RN
License Number 363095
2024 NCBON 1024**

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NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above captioned case will be brought on for hearing before the North Carolina Board of Nursing ("Board"), or a panel thereof, on Wednesday, September 24, 2025, at 8:30 a.m. at the Office of the Board, 4516 Lake Boone Trail, Raleigh, North Carolina 27607.

The North Carolina Board of Nursing does hereby give notice to Enante Sime Renodain, RN ("Licensee") of the following allegations and charges:

1. The North Carolina Board of Nursing is a body duly organized under the laws of North Carolina and is the proper body for this proceeding under the authority granted it in Article 9A, Chapter 90 of the General Statutes of North Carolina and the rules and regulations promulgated hereunder.

2. Licensee is the holder of North Carolina single state Registered Nurse license number 363095, which expires on October 31, 2025.

3. On September 27, 2024, the Board received a complaint from Willow Creek Nursing and Rehabilitation located in Goldsboro, North Carolina, regarding Licensee's nursing practice.

4. On October 11, 2007, Licensee was denied licensure in Minnesota for providing false information on her August 3, 2006, application for licensure by endorsement.

5. On May 23, 2024, Licensee was denied RN licensure in Ohio based on the action taken in Minnesota.

6. On August 20, 2024, Licensee began full-time employment at Willow Creek Nursing and Rehabilitation.

7. On September 3, 2024, the Licensee was denied licensure in Florida. This decision was based on sanctions imposed previously in Minnesota and in Florida while working as a CNA. On July 15, 2009, Licensee was issued a reprimand on her CNA license and placed on two (2) years of probation in Florida.

8. Staff at Willow Creek Nursing and Rehabilitation expressed concerns to leadership regarding Licensee's lack of basic knowledge in medical terminology, nursing skills, and computer technology. It was reported that Licensee incorrectly placed ear drops in a

resident's eye, administered subcutaneous insulin in a resident's forearm, and felt uncomfortable giving intravenous medications.

9. Between July 6, 2015, through December 5, 2016, Licensee was allegedly enrolled in an Associate's in Science degree program offered by Ideal Professional Institute ("Ideal") located in Miami, Florida.

10. On August 3, 2023, Licensee presented an Ideal transcript to the Board as proof of education in support of her July 10, 2023, Application for Licensure by Examination.

11. On November 20, 2023, Licensee successfully passed the NCLEX-RN examination. Licensee had previously taken and failed the NCLEX-RN one (1) time and the NCLEX-PN nine (9) times.

12. A Board-staff Education Consultant conducted a forensic document review of the transcripts from Ideal. The transcript lists three (3) credits each for several transfer courses but lacks information on transfer status and course start dates. Transcript has a generic Gmail address instead of a professional one and lacks a school seal. Also, the website claims 99 semester credit hours for the program aimed at PN diploma holders, but the transcript does not reference the PN program.

13. A Board-staff Education Consultant conducted a curriculum review of the transcript from Ideal. The transcript notes that the nursing program's completion time was seventeen (17) months while most comparable programs require twenty-four (24) months. The NUR courses are listed as a month or less in duration and Anatomy & Physiology I and II are listed as 7 credit hours, instead of 4 credits. Also, several courses lacked clinical components.

14. A Board-staff Education Consultant conducted a clinical review of the transcript from Ideal. Several courses were missing credits and the Nursing Preceptorship and Geriatrics courses lack the necessary clinical hours, with only lab hours being recorded.

15. On December 3, 2024, Licensee submitted additional school transcripts from Broward County Practical Nursing Program which indicated enrollment from January 29, 2001, to January 17, 2002.

16. A Board-staff Education Consultant conducted a forensic document review of the transcripts from Broward County. The transcripts failed to include start dates for courses and the instructor's signature is dated March 29, 2001, while the practical nursing completion date is January 17, 2002. The transfer credits from Ideal are also not marked as completed. Furthermore, the school seal is absent from the transcript.

17. On December 31, 2024, Licensee was interviewed by Board staff. Licensee stated she graduated from Ideal in 2016 and passed the NCLEX exam in 2023. Licensee acknowledged taking the Board exam "once or twice." She denied having administered ear drops in a patient's eye, and stated she knew how to administer insulin in the "arm" muscle. When Board staff

inquired how she managed to complete an accelerated program without a nursing license or prior nursing experience, Licensee was unable to provide a response. She stated she completed her transfer credits from Winn Community College in Sacramento in 2004 but could not explain why she failed to provide the requested transcript.

18. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has given false information or has withheld material information from the Board in procuring or attempting to procure a license to practice nursing within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(1) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

19. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee committed acts of dishonesty, injustice, or immorality in the course of the licensee's practice or otherwise, including acts outside of this State within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(6b) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

20. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has had a license or privilege to practice nursing denied, revoked, suspended, restricted, or acted against by any jurisdiction within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(6c) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

21. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has violated the provisions of Article 9A of the Nursing Practice Act and violated the rules enacted by the Board in 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a) within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(7) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

22. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee presented false or fraudulent licensure information for any purpose within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a)(18) and grounds exist under that section of the North Carolina Administrative Code for the Board to revoke or suspend a license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper;

23. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee fraudulently obtain or fraudulently furnished a nursing diploma or aided or abet therein within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. 90-171.44(1) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

24. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee practiced nursing under cover of a fraudulently obtained license within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. 90-171.44(2) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

25 The above-described facts indicate Licensee holds an encumbered license which disqualifies Licensee from holding a multistate RN license pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. 90-171.95B(c)(5) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

26. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, Chapter 150B of the N.C. General Statutes; with the Nursing Practice Act, Article 9A, Chapter 90 of the N.C. General Statutes and the rules and regulations adopted by the Board and codified in 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217.

This Notice of Hearing is issued this the 21st day of August, 2025.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Crystal L. Tillman".

Crystal L. Tillman, DNP, RN, CNP, FRE
Chief Executive Officer
North Carolina Board of Nursing

**BEFORE THE
NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF NURSING**

IN RE:

**Lee Alexander Politi, RN
License Number 296163
2023 NCBON 0914**

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NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above captioned case will be brought on for hearing before the North Carolina Board of Nursing ("Board"), or a panel thereof, on Wednesday, September 24, 2025, at 8:30 a.m. at the Office of the Board, 4516 Lake Boone Trail, Raleigh, North Carolina 27607.

The North Carolina Board of Nursing does hereby give notice to Lee Alexander Politi, RN ("Licensee") of the following allegations and charges:

1. The Board is a body duly organized under the laws of North Carolina and is the proper party to bring this proceeding under the authority granted it in Article 9A, Chapter 90 of the North Carolina General Statutes and the rules and regulations promulgated thereto.

2. Licensee is the holder of North Carolina single state Registered Nurse License Number 296163, which expires on February 28, 2027.

3. On October 30, 2024, the Board received a self-report from Licensee regarding a positive for-cause drug screen. On October 31, 2024, the Board received a complaint from Atrium Health Carolinas Medical Center located in Charlotte, North Carolina regarding Licensee's nursing practice.

4. On December 2, 2021, Licensee began full-time employment at Atrium Health Carolinas Medical Center in the surgical trauma ICU working from 7:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. On October 29, 2024, Licensee's employment was terminated after this incident.

5. On October 4, 2024, Licensee was selected for a for-cause drug screen after an audit of Licensee's controlled substances transactions and a review of his documentation was conducted. Licensee admitted prior to screening that he had consumed cocaine and marijuana at a party the prior week.

6. Licensee submitted to a for-cause drug screen and the results were positive for cocaine and marijuana.

7. Licensee has failed to respond to Board inquiries.

8. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee failed to respond to the Board's inquiries in a reasonable manner or time regarding any matter affecting the license to

practice nursing within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(6d) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

9. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee has violated the provisions of Article 9A of the Nursing Practice Act and violated the rules enacted by the Board in 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a) within the meaning of N.C. Gen. Stat. §90-171.37(a)(7) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

10. The above-described facts and conduct indicate Licensee tested positive on a drug screen for a non-prescribed drug or illicit substance within the meaning of 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217(a)(2) and grounds exist under those sections of the N.C. General Statutes for the Board and rules promulgated there under to revoke or suspend Licensee's license to practice nursing and invoke other such disciplinary measures against the license as it deems fit and proper.

11. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act, Chapter 150B of the N.C. General Statutes; with the Nursing Practice Act, Article 9A, Chapter 90 of the N.C. General Statutes and the rules and regulations adopted by the Board and codified in 21 N.C. Admin. Code 36 .0217.

This Notice of Hearing issued this 22nd day of August, 2025.



Crystal Tillman, DNP, RN, CNP, FRE
Chief Executive Officer
North Carolina Board of Nursing