DIRECTORY OF OHIO BOARD OF NURSING
MOMENTUM ARTICLES
Spring 2003 – Spring 2019

Spring 2019
- APRNs: Continuing Education (CE) for Renewal
- RNs, LPNs, Dialysis Technicians, Community Health Workers and Medication Aides Continuing Education (CE) for Renewal
- RNs and APRNs: RENEWAL 2019
- Supervision of Nursing Students During Clinical Experiences
- Reporting Misconduct
- Practice Questions and Interpretive Guidelines
- Nurses and the Prescribing of Anti-Psychotic Medications for Dementia

Winter 2019
- Administrative Rules: Revisions and Updates
- The Chronic Pain Self-Management Program
- Nursing Decision Making Models
- Elder Abuse: Ohio Reporting Obligations for Medical Professionals
- Nursing Delegation To Unlicensed Personnel, Including Medication Administration
- Use of Simulation in RN and PN Nursing Education Programs

Fall 2018
- Certified Community Health Workers in Ohio
- The NCSBN National Nursing Guidelines for Medical Marijuana
- Clarification on Cannabidiol Oil
- The Use of Social Media

Summer 2018
- Medical Marijuana and the Role of the APRN, RN, and LPN
- Resolution: Guidelines for the Patient Discussion Regarding Vehicle Operation When Prescribing Controlled Substances for Pain
- The Use of Ultrasound by RNs am LPNs

Spring 2018
- Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs) Renewal 2018
- Legal Requirements for APRN Standard Care Arrangements
- Administration of Specific Drugs by RNs
- Duty to Report Misconduct
- Nursing Education Program Curriculum Revisions
- NCSBN White Paper: A Nurse's Guide to the Use of Social Media
Winter 2018
- New Rules Effective January 1, 2018
- Identifying Yourself as an APRN Licensed in Ohio
- Rule 4723-9-10, OAC: CNPs, CNSs, CNMs, Prescribing Opioid Analgesics for Acute Pain
- Blood Draws at the Request of Law Enforcement
- Board Hosts NCLEX Regional Workshop (Photos by Gregory Lewis)
- Volunteer Nursing Certificate

Fall 2017
- New Limits on Prescription Opioid Analgesics for Acute Pain
- Substance Use Disorder (SUD)
- Alternative Program for Chemical Dependency/Substance Use Disorder
- Military Training and Education for Licensure as a LPN
- Nursing Education Programs NCLEX Rates
- Registered Nurse Scope of Practice, Additional Education, Training and Certification

Summer 2017
- RN/APRN Renewal Alert - Important Information
- APRN Prescriptive Authority: Updates and Reminders
- Administrative Rule Revisions Effective April 1, 2017
- Controlled Substance Documentation
- Insulin/Medication Orders and Diabetes Care in Public School Systems
- Registered Nursing Education Program Curriculum, an Accelerated Program or Track, and Advanced Standing Policy

Spring 2017
- Administrative Rule Revisions Effective April 1, 2017
- Major Provisions of HB 216
- Information for APRNs Who Have Never Held a CTP of CTP-E
- New Licensure Requirements for APRNs
- CNPs, CNSs, CNMs - Transition to Licensure
- CRNA’s Transition to Licensure

Winter 2017
- Advanced Practice Registered Nurses: HB 216 Effective April 4, 2017 (Revised Official Date April 6, 2017)
- LICENSE & CERTIFICATION: Applications Required to be Submitted Online
- Community Health Workers & Dialysis Technicians-Important New Renewal information
- Registered Nurses Renewal Act
- Administration of Cosmetic/Aesthetic Medications, and RN and LPN Limitations on Use of Light - Based Medical Devises
- Down Syndrome Information

Fall 2016
- TITLE PROTECTION: Only Licensed Nurses May Use the Title “Nurse”
- Pre-Licensure Nursing Education Programs: Contractual Relationships
- Certified Nurse Practitioner (CNPs) In Primary Care Or Acute Care
- Number of APRNs with Whom One Physician or Podiatrist May Collaborate
- Nurse Administration of Influenza Vaccines
• NCSBN Makes Substance Abuse Courses Free to Nurses and Nursing Students

Summer 2016
• Initial Licensure and Pre-Licensure Nursing Education Programs
• 2016 Rule Review, Summer 2016
• Medical Marijuana

Spring 2016
• LPN RENEWAL ALERT: Important Information For Renewal - Know the Changes for 2016 and Beyond
• Volunteer Nursing Practice
• APRN’s: Ohio State Medical Board and Ohio State Dental Board Law and Rules
• Program Administrators and Associate Administrators in Pre-licensure Nursing Education Programs

Winter 2016
• Alert: New End Date For Nurse License Renewal Starting In 2016
• 2016 Administrative Rule Update
• Expedited Partner Therapy and APRNs – HB 124
• APRN Formulary – Revised Format; e-Prescribing Controlled Substances
• Opioid Prescribing and OARRS - CTP Holder Resource
• Ohio’s New Opioid Prescribing Guidelines for Acute Pain Expand Fight Against Prescription Drug Abuse

Fall 2015
• Educational Needs Assessment and Learning Plans Based on Consent Agreements or Board Orders
• Ensuring Active License Status After Each Renewal Period – Your Responsibility
• Is it Clinical or Observation?
• New APRN Law: Delegation of Authority to Administer Drugs
• Youth Concussion Assessment and Clearance

Summer 2015
• The First Nurse Practice Act Passes – April 27, 1915
• 1916- The First Examination for Nursing Licensure
• Meet the Members of the Ohio Board of Nursing
• APRNs Prescribing Weight Loss Medications
• FAQs: Dialysis Tasks/ Activities Prior to Certification as a DTI
• Regulation of Pre-license Nursing Education Programs Frequently Asked Questions

Spring 2015
• The Unauthorized Practice of Nursing
• Interpretive Guidelines Reviewed by Board of Nursing at March 2015 Meeting
• LPN IV Therapy
• Pre-license Nursing Education Programs

Winter 2015
• CTP Externship
• The Lawmaking Process in the State of Ohio
• Ohio Department of Health: Do Not Resuscitate Comfort Care
• Ebola
• Reactivation and Reinstatement of a Nursing License

Fall 2014
• Nurse Administration of Influenza Vaccines
• ALERT: CTP Number is Required on All Prescriptions
• Quality Assurance Standards for APRNs
• Disciplinary Actions May be Based on Another Agency’s Action
• Ohio Automated Reporting System (OARRS) Requirements for APRN CTP Holders

Summer 2014
• Are Registered Nurses and Licensed Practical Nurses Required to Initiate CPR?
• New Requirements for APRNs with Prescriptive Authority (CTP Holders)
• Nursing Licensure and Employment
• Implementation of Orders by an LPN

Spring 2014
• Registered Nurse Scope and Informed Consent
• 2014 Administrative Rule Update: Nursing Practice Rule Revisions
• 2014 Administrative Rules Update: Changes to Nurse Education Grant Program Rules
• Amendments to Chapter 4723-5, Ohio Administrative Code: Nursing Education Program
• The Ohio NCLEX Workshop

Winter 2014
• RN and LPN Responsibilities: Directed LPN Practice and Supervising the Practice of Nursing
• White Paper: A Nurse’s Guide to the Use of Social Media
• Ohio School Nurse Human Trafficking Training

Fall 2013
• APRNs: Specializing in Wound Care
• Guidelines for Prescribing Opioids for the Treatment of Chronic, Non-Terminal Pain
• Joint Regulatory Statement on the Prescription of Naloxone to High-Risk Individuals

Summer 2013
• APRNs: Do You Know the Content that Must be Included in Your Standard Care Arrangement
• Board Revises Interpretive Guideline: “Role of the Registered Nurse in Monitoring Obstetrical Patients Receiving Epidural Infusions
• Membership on the Ohio Board of Nursing Advisory Groups
• Compliance Update: Advanced Practice Registered Nurses

Spring 2013
• Mandatory Reporting Under Section 2151.421 Ohio Revised Code
• New Ohio Law: Determination of Pronouncement of Death
• LPN IV Therapy
• RN Adjustment of Medications
• NCSBN Celebrates 35th Anniversary

Winter 2013
• Nursing Practice Impacted by HB 303
• Effect of Expungement on Disciplinary Records
• RN and Advanced Practice Nurse Renewal

**Fall 2012**
• Compliance Update: Falsification
• Board Approves New Interpretive Guideline
• License Requirements for Registered Nurses Providing Telenursing Services

**Summer 2012**
• Criminal History and Effect on Nursing Education Program Enrollment, License Eligibility, and Employment
• Online Searchable Formulary Database
• The Committee on Prescriptive Governance
• Continuing Education (CE) Requirements for Registered Nurses, Licensed Practical Nurses, Dialysis Technicians, Community Health Workers, and Medication Aides in Ohio

**Winter 2012**
• Joint Commission Sentinel Event Alert Issue 48: Health Care Worker Fatigue and Patient Safety
• LPN Licensure Renewal Process
• APN Certification and Investigations
• Compliance Update: APNs with Prescriptive Authority and New Rule 4723-9-12, OAC
• LPN IV Therapy

**Fall 2011**
• Registered Nurse Performance of Patient Health History and Physical Examination
• Follow-Up: Medication Administration in Private Schools
• Compliance Update: OARRS Database
• Did you Really Wash Your Hands

**Summer 2011**
• Do I Need an Order to Administer or Recommend an Over-the-Counter (OTC) Medication to a Client
• Rule Revision Concerning APN Collaborating Physician Signatures
• Compliance Reminder: Forget to Renew? What can Happen?

**Spring 2011**
• Board Revises Interpretive Guideline “Role of the Registered Nurse in Administering, Managing, and Monitoring Patients Receiving Epidural Infusions: Excluding Obstetrical Patients:
• An Overview of the Board’s Alternative Program for Chemical Dependency
• Transition to Practice: Examining Patient Outcomes
• Medication Administration in Private Schools

**Winter 2011**
• DEA Guidance Regarding the Role of Authorized Agents in Long-Term Care Facilities in Communicating Controlled Substance Prescriptions to Pharmacies
- Repackaging Medications for Temporary leave of Residents in Long-Term Care Facilities or Small Group Homes
- New Rule: Advanced Practice Nurses Primary Source Recertification Documentation
- Passing Standard for the NCLEX-PN Examination Raised
- NCSBN Embarks on an Innovative Multi-Site Transition to Practice Study to Examine the Effects on Nursing Transition to Practice Programs on Patient Outcomes

**Fall 2010**
- Membership on the Ohio Board of Nursing or Board Advisory Groups
- Board Approves New Interpretive Guidelines
- Administrative Rules

**Summer 2010**
- Unlicensed Practice of Nursing: More than a Non-Nurse Performing Nurse Duties
- Insulin Orders in the Public School System
- Dialysis Technician CMS Clarification
- Name/Address Change Questions

**Spring 2010**
- New Administrative Rules: Effective Feb. 1, 2010
- Using Nursys® to Verify Nurse Licensure in Emergency Response Situations
- Providing Nursing Care that is Beyond Basic Nursing Preparation
- Interpretive Practice Guidelines
- Momentum 2010: Ohio’s Women’s Summit
- Remember to use Standard Precautions

**Winter 2010**
- Victims of Crime Reparations Fund
- Are You in Compliance with Federal Prescription Law Requirements Applicable to Long-Term Care Facilities
- Standards of Prescribing for Nurses With a Certificate to Prescribe
- Dialysis Technician Certification
- LPN Authorization to Administer Medications and Limited IV Therapy

**Fall 2009**
- Patient Confidentiality and Social Networking
- Formulary Revised by Committee on Prescriptive Governance
- Continuing Education Requirements
- Preparation for the 2009 H1N1 Flu Pandemic: Vaccinations by EMS Personnel
- Delegation of Nursing Tasks to Medical Assistants by Advanced Practice Nurses
- Don’t Forget to Display Your Licensure Title

**Summer 2009**
- APN Frequently Asked Questions
- RN/LPN Frequently Asked Questions
- Use of Complementary Modalities in Nursing Practice
- Faculty and Instructional Personnel Qualifications in Pre-Licensure Nursing Education
Programs.

Spring 2009
- Professional Boundaries Violations: Case Studies
- “Category A” (Law and Rules) Continuing Education One Hour Requirement
- Delegation of Medication Administration to Medication Aides in Nursing Homes and Residential Care Facilities
- Elimination of Wallet Cards and License/Certification Verification
- Ohio Automated Rx Reporting System (OARRS)

Winter 2009
- Update for Ohio Dialysis Technical Training Programs
- New RN Licensure Renewal Process
- “Category A” (Law and Rules) Continuing Education One-Hour Requirement
- Elimination of Wallet Cards and License/Certification Verification
- Is It Within My Nursing Scope of Practice To.....

Fall 2008
- Twenty National Nursing Organizations Join Together to Commission a Study of the Impact of Advanced Practice Registered Nurses on Health Care Quality, Safety and Effectiveness
- The Licensed Nurse’s Role in the Care of Patients Receiving Intramuscular, Subdermal, or Subcutaneously Injected Medications for Cosmetic/Aesthetic Treatment

Summer 2008
- The Use of Preceptors in a Pre-licensing Nursing Education Program
- Guide to the Ohio Board of Nursing’s Complaint and Investigation Process
- Advanced Practice Nurse FAQ
- Certified Medication Aide Pilot Program Update

Spring 2008
- Practice FAQ: Dialysis Care
- Update for Ohio Nursing Education Programs
- Identity Theft and Fraud: Risks Associated with Paper Wallet Cards
- Confidentiality of NCLEX Examination Content
- Advanced Practice Nurse FAQ
- Nursing Education Assistance Loan Program (NEALP)

Winter 2008
- The Use of Light Based Medical Devices
- Employment Issues
- Maintaining Professional Boundaries: Case Study
- License Verification
- LPN Renewal
- Advanced Practice Nurse FAQ

Fall 2007
- Are You Engaging in the Unauthorized Practice of Law?
- Board Approves School Nurse Decision Making Model
- Medication Aide Pilot Program Update
• Consumer Member of the Board
• Advanced Practice Nurse FAQ

**Summer 2007**
• Duty to Report Misconduct
• Placing your License or Certificate on Inactive Status
• The Registered Nurse’s Role in the Care of Patients Receiving Intravenous Moderate Sedation for Medical/Surgical Procedures
• Compliance

**Spring 2007**
• Peripherally Inserted Central Catheters PICC Line FAQs
• NCLEX-RN Examination Passing Standard Revised For Public Safety
• RN and APN License Renewal

**Winter 2007**
• Quick Facts About the Board of Nursing
• Administering Medications Relating to the Termination of a Pregnancy
• Attention Future Nursing Faculty Members
• Determining Advanced Practice Nursing (APN) Scope of Practice
• Get Ready for License Renewal This Year: RNs and APNs

**Fall 2006**
• Lessons Learned From LPN Renewal
• Complaints Filed With the Board Increase
• Circumcisions and Certified Nurse-Midwives

**Summer 2006**
• Complaint Investigations
• License Renewal
• When can a Registered Nurse or Licensed Practical Nurse Implement a PA Order?

**Spring 2006**
• License Verification
• Continuing Education and Your License
• Use of Light Based Medical Devices by Nurses Allowed for Hair Removal Only

**Fall 2005**
• Medication Aide Pilot Program Begins
• Nurse Education Grant Program Awards Initial Grants

**Summer 2005**
• Online Renewal: It Seems You Like It
• Charity Begins at Home – Ohio’s Drug Repository Program
• Frequently Asked Questions: LPN IV Therapy

**Spring 2005**
• House Testimony of John Brion RN, MS
• Clinical Nurse Specialist Licensure in Ohio: Current Requirements and
• History of Ohio’s Regulation

Winter 2005
• 125th General Assembly Lame Duck Session
• Administrative Rules Update

Fall 2004
• Pain Management at the Forefront
• Frequently Asked Questions Related to Medication Administration in the Public Schools of Ohio

Summer 2004
• Nursing Data
• Looking Back
• Draft of Proposed Rules

Spring 2004
• Student Nurses: Who Supervises
• Be Heart Healthy
• Advanced Practice Nurses Questions and Answers
• Ohio’s 2003-2004 Statewide Nursing Workforce Survey

Winter 2004
• New Rules for Alternative Program
• 2004 Rule Changes
• Wanted: A Few Good Nurses
• The Power of Humor

Summer 2003
• Mentoring the New Graduate: Nurse or Unlicensed Assistive Personnel
• Changes to the Ohio Administrative Code… the Rules
• National Council of State Boards of Nursing Update
• License Fees to Fund Nursing Education Grant Program

Spring 2003
• Regulatory Update
• Selected Board Meeting Highlights
• Legislative Update
• The Privilege of Licensure
• Discipline Case Studies
• FAQ
• Professionalism – Professional and Legal Perspective