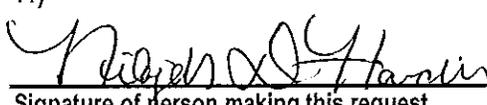
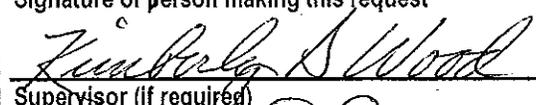


**State of Wisconsin  
Department of Safety & Professional Services**

**AGENDA REQUEST FORM**

1) Name and Title of Person Submitting the Request:  Nilajah Hardin, Bureau Assistant		2) Date When Request Submitted:  09/06/16 <small>Items will be considered late if submitted after 12:00 p.m. on the deadline date which is 8 business days before the meeting</small>	
3) Name of Board, Committee, Council, Sections:  Board of Nursing			
4) Meeting Date:  09/08/16	5) Attachments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	6) How should the item be titled on the agenda page?  R. Board Meeting Process (Time Allocation, Agenda Items) – Discussion and Consideration 1) Newsletter a. September 2016 Newsletter Draft for Board Approval	
7) Place Item in: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Open Session <input type="checkbox"/> Closed Session	8) Is an appearance before the Board being scheduled?  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Fill out Board Appearance Request) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	9) Name of Case Advisor(s), if required:  N/A	
10) Describe the issue and action that should be addressed:  <b>The Board is to review, suggest changes, and approve the September issue of the Nursing Forward Board newsletter for distribution.</b>			
11) Authorization			
 Signature of person making this request		9/6/16 Date	
 Supervisor (if required)		9/6/16 Date	
		9/6/16 Date	
Executive Director signature (indicates approval to add post agenda deadline item to agenda)			
Directions for including supporting documents: 1. This form should be attached to any documents submitted to the agenda. 2. Post Agenda Deadline items must be authorized by a Supervisor and the Policy Development Executive Director. 3. If necessary, provide original documents needing Board Chairperson signature to the Bureau Assistant prior to the start of a meeting.			



# Nursing Forward

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## Chair's Corner

By Dr. Jeffrey G. Miller, DNP, ACRN, APNP



Jeffrey Miller

Welcome once again to “Nursing Forward”. It is hard to believe that school is in session and summer is drawing to a close. The Board of Nursing is pleased to continue to provide this communication tool to the nursing community in Wisconsin.

I am excited to announce that the revisions to [Chapter N2](#) “Licensure” which includes incorporating language from N5, [Chapter N6](#) “Standards of Practice for Registered Nurses and Licensed Practical Nurses” and [Chapter N8](#), “Certification of Advanced Practice Nurse Prescribers” have been approved through the legislative process and will take effect October 1, 2016. As of October 1, 2016 the updated rules will be posted to the [website](#).

As a reminder, [Chapter N5](#) “Renewal of Licensure” was repealed and a new subchapter in N2 “Licensure” has been created. Chapter N6 “Standards of Practice for Registered Nurses and

Licensed Practical Nurses” has been revised to include updated language. Chapter N8 “Certification of Advanced Practice Nurse Prescribers” updated and clarified language regarding the prescribing of stimulants; the language regarding education; the ability to “order treatment, therapeutics, and testing” to provide the necessary care to their patients; and the inclusion of 2 hours of responsible prescribing of controlled substances for continuing education (more information regarding this is available in the article on the Controlled Substance Board below).

The Legislative and Rules Committee of the Board of Nursing will next review [N1](#) “Approval for Schools of Nursing”. N1 was revised 2 years ago and a scope statement was recently approved to allow updates to the language based on feedback from our academic partners and our department staff.

The Board is responsible for Regulation and Enforcement Actions through the creation of “Board Orders”, which contain prescribed discipline for nurses. Board orders are included in “Nursing Forward” and thus I would like to provide an overview of the process. If a complaint is received by the Division of Legal Services and

Compliance (DLSC), it is screened by a DLSC attorney and a screening panel comprised of Board members. Based on the review of the evidence, cases are either opened or closed. If a case is opened, a DLSC attorney, investigator and case advisor (Board member) are assigned. Following the investigation, if professional discipline is not warranted, the case is closed. If there is sufficient evidence, the case will proceed to the legal stage and appropriate discipline will be pursued. The Board’s purpose for discipline is threefold: to protect the public, rehabilitate the licensee, and/or to deter others from engaging in similar behavior.

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Although the process for determining the need for discipline and the specifics of the development of the order are confidential, the orders are public

As always, this is only a brief overview of the work of the Board. Please continue to journey with us by reading Nurs-

## ***NCSBN Meeting in Chicago***

*By Peter J. Kallio, DNP, CRNA, MSN, APNP*

Wisconsin Board of Nursing members Jeff Miller and Peter Kallio represented Wisconsin as delegates to the National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN), which met in Chicago, Aug. 17-19, 2016. The NCSBN was founded March 15, 1978, as an independent not-for-profit organization, created to lessen the burdens of state governments and bring together boards of nursing (BONs) to act and counsel together on matters of common interest. The mission of the NCSBN is to provide education, service and research through collaborative leadership to promote evidence-based regulatory excellence for patient safety and public protection. NCSBN's membership is comprised of the BONs in the 50 states, the District of Columbia, and four U.S. territories — American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands and the Virgin Islands. There are also 27 associate members that are either nursing regulatory bodies or empowered regulatory authorities from other countries or territories.

NCSBN Member Boards protect the public by ensuring that safe and competent nursing care is provided by licensed nurses. These BONs regulate more than 4.5 million licensed nurses.

The August meeting was the annual business meeting to consider pertinent association business with its member boards of nursing (BONs). There were 59 member boards represented by delegates. Each member board was allowed 2 voting delegates. All of the US states were represented

This meeting/delegate assembly was influenced by two distinguished keynote speakers who challenged members to think in new and evolutionary ways. First, Dr. Malcolm Sparrow from the Harvard Kennedy School of Government, spoke about risk-based regulation which

moves resources away from technical compliance with laws towards a focus on conduct that represents real risks to public safety. Then, Alan Hobson, Mount Everest summiteer and cancer survivor, described how his 3 expeditions to Everest gave him the tools to fight an aggressive cancer with courage and faith.

Highlights of the significant actions approved by the member BONs include:

- Approved the Strategic Initiatives for the years 2017–2019.
- Approved amendments to the NCSBN Bylaws.
- Approved the Association of New Brunswick Licensed Practical Nurses, the Licensed Practical Nurses Registration Board of Prince Edward Island and the College of Registered Psychiatric Nurses of British Columbia as associate members of NCSBN.
- Adopted the 2017 NCLEX-PN Test Plan.
- Elected new members of the NCSBN Board of Directors and Leadership Succession Committee.

In addition, The Board's Executive Director, Dan Williams, received a 2016 NCSBN Executive Officer Recognition Award. Both Jeff Miller and Peter Kallio report an outstanding experience at this year's NCSBN conference.



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## Board of Nursing Membership and Staff Assignments



*The Board of Nursing consists of 9 members. The members are appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate.*

### **Board Members:**

Jeffrey Miller, Chair (Cedarburg)  
Sheryl Krause, Vice Chair (Cottage Grove)  
Lillian Nolan, Secretary (Fond du Lac)  
Paul Abegglen, Registered Nurse Member (Waukesha)  
Jodi Johnson, Registered Nurse Member (Marshfield)  
Peter Kallio, Registered Nurse Member (Muskego)  
Maria Joseph, Licensed Practical Nurse Member (Madison)  
Cheryl Streeter, Licensed Practical Nurse Member (Van Dyne)  
Luann Skarlupka, Public Member (De Pere)

*Information on how to apply for appointment to the Wisconsin Board of Nursing can be found through the Office of the Governor:*

<http://walker.wi.gov/governor-office/apply-to-serve/boards-commissions>

## **Department of Safety and Professional Services (DSPS)**

### **Administrative Staff:**

Dan Williams, Executive Director  
Amber Cardenas, Legal Counsel  
Nilajah Hardin, Bureau Assistant

### **Executive Staff:**

Dave Ross, Secretary  
Eric Esser, Deputy Secretary  
Jeff Weigand, Assistant Deputy Secretary

*The dates and times of the Board of Nursing meetings are announced on the DSPS website at <http://dsps.wi.gov>. Meeting agendas are posted approximately one week prior to the meeting.*

# ***Board of Nursing Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services, Division of Legal Service and Compliance Annual Report January 1, 2015-December 31, 2015***

The Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (DSPS), Division of Legal Services and Compliance (DLSC) provides legal services to the Board of Nursing regarding the investigation and prosecution/discipline of licensed credential holders for violations of statute and administrative rule. The Board received an annual report from the Division enumerating the Divisions activities for the year 2015 at its May 2016 Board Meeting. A summary of that report is shown below. To read the full report, go to the DSPS Board of Nursing page and click [Annual Report](#).

## **SUMMARY OF KEY STATISTICS**

### **Data from January 1, 2015-December 31, 2015**

Complaints Received: **717**

Of the **717** complaints received in 2015, **374 (52%)** were closed at screening.

BON cases/Respondents Resolved (Closed)-(Cases may have been received in the year 2015 or prior years):

Respondents/cases closed formally: **210**

Respondents/cases closed after investigation (without a formal order): **216** [49 of the 216 were **administrative warnings**]

Respondents/cases closed by the screening panel: **386**

Most common discipline issued by the BON: **license limitations** and **reprimands**.

Primary sources of complaints: **government agencies, employer/employer/employee/co-worker, state/Nursys Alert** and **consumers**.

Nurse professionals currently monitored with disciplinary orders (active) as of April 2016: **564**

Nurse professionals currently enrolled in the Professional Assistance Procedure (PAP) as of April 2016: **34**

## ***Controlled Substances Board Update***

*By Dr. Jeffrey G. Miller, DNP, ACRN, APNP*

The focus of the State of Wisconsin's Controlled Substance Board (CSB) has been and continues to be to monitor the amount of controlled substances that are prescribed, with the goal of decreasing the amount of controlled substances available on the streets. In recent years, this focus has become paramount with the increasing number of deaths related to drug overdoses. Data suggests that many individuals initially become addicted to prescription medications, whether it was prescribed directly to them or they had access to a family member or friend's prescription. When the person is no longer able to obtain

the prescription medication, they turn to the streets to purchase the medication or illicit substances such as heroin. The majority of deaths are related to some form of opiate or to the combination of drugs such as opiates and benzodiazepines. As a result, new legislation has been introduced which is intended to address the issue of controlled substance abuse.

In response to the new legislation, the CSB has developed and implemented the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PDMP) which provides a repository of prescribing data for patients.

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The PDMP allows a prescriber (or their designee) to access the history of controlled substance prescriptions for an individual patient including the name of the medication, the date the prescription was issued, the dates it was filled, the location it was filled and the prescriber. Pharmacists are required to enter this information into the PDMP anytime a prescription for a controlled substance is dispensed.

The CSB has expanded the members serving on the Board to include Nursing, Medical and Dentistry. Nursing was very pleased to not only be invited to serve on this Board but with the recognition of the role we can play in controlling this epidemic.

Finally, the CSB, in collaboration with the Boards which have prescribing authority (Nursing, Medical, Dentistry, Podiatry and Optometry), has been developing guidelines

for the prescription of controlled substances. The guidelines include best practice standards as well as recommendations for alternative treatments.

Prescribers are encouraged to check the PDMP before prescribing any controlled substances. Some States mandate checking the PDMP prior to providing a controlled substance prescription with sanctions if this is not done.

It is anticipated that future legislation may require continuing education on the topic of controlled substances and the Board of Nursing wanted to be proactive and included this in the changes in [N8](#).

We will continue to keep you updated regarding the work of the CSB.

## *License Information Available to Nurses*

The National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) has made it easier for nurses to have access to a quick convenient and free way to keep up-to-date with their professional licenses. This is especially valuable to those nurses who hold licenses in more than one state. With Nursys e-notify® enrollment, nurses can self-enroll for free, they can receive license expiration reminders, licensure status updates and track license verifications for endorsement from [participating boards of nursing](#). Log in at [ncsbn.org](#) to access these files. License status for Nurses licensed in Wisconsin continues to also be accessible at DSPS [www.dsps.wi.gov](#)

# Enforcement Actions of the Board of Nursing

The Board of Nursing, with help from staff at the Department of Safety and Professional Services, can take action against nurses licensed in the state to help protect the profession and the citizens of Wisconsin. You may search for any of the Board Orders listed below on the Department's website by using this link:

**Board Order Search:** <http://dsps.wi.gov/Other-Services/Lookup-Orders-Disciplinary>

*Disciplinary options available to the Board:*

**Reprimand** - A public warning of the licensee for a violation.

**Limitation of License** - Imposes conditions and requirements upon the licensee, imposes restrictions on the scope of practice, or both.

**Suspension** - Completely and absolutely withdraws and withholds for a period of time all rights, privileges and authority previously conferred by the credential.

**Revocation** - To completely and absolutely terminate the credential and all rights, privileges and authority previously conferred by the credential.

*Non-disciplinary options available to the Board:*

**Administrative Warning** - Issued if violation is of a minor nature, a first occurrence and the warning will adequately protect the public. The issuance of an Administrative Warning is public information, however the reason for issuance is not.

**Remedial Education Order** - Issued when there is reason to believe that the deficiency can be corrected with remedial education, while sufficiently protecting the public.

# Board Orders

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Order No	Order Date	Respondent	Profession
<a href="#">ORDER0004422</a>	4/20/2016	Edwards, Ned A	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004358</a>	4/20/2016	Musha, Carly J	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004590</a>	4/20/2016	Jackson, Lisa A	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0002553</a>	4/21/2016	Hanson, Stacey M	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003742</a>	4/22/2016	Winiarski, Lisa A	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003750</a>	4/22/2016	Edlebeck, Kelly J	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">LS09022613NUR</a>	4/22/2016	Meints, Jamie Lynn	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0000567</a>	4/22/2016	Travis, Sarah Skog	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0002430</a>	4/22/2016	Wojtusik, Amy Lyn	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003733</a>	4/22/2016	Finley, Tammy R	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004686</a>	4/29/2016	Gaines, Stephanie Y	Licensed Practical Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004687</a>	5/3/2016	Akhter, Pamela W	Applicant
<a href="#">ORDER0004688</a>	5/3/2016	Jakubowski, Deanna	Applicant
<a href="#">ORDER0003390</a>	5/10/2016	Stoddard, Aszani	Advanced Practice Nurse Prescriber
<a href="#">ORDER0003390</a>	5/10/2016	Stoddard, Aszani	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003390</a>	5/10/2016	Stoddard, Aszani	Nurse - Midwife
<a href="#">ORDER0004713</a>	5/12/2016	Magnus, Randy James	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004711</a>	5/12/2016	Kahler, Becky L	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003620</a>	5/12/2016	Larson, Carleen D	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004711</a>	5/12/2016	Kahler, Becky L	Advanced Practice Nurse Prescriber
<a href="#">ORDER0004708</a>	5/12/2016	Akins, Mary E	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004710</a>	5/12/2016	Carroll, Charles R	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004711</a>	5/12/2016	Kahler, Becky L	Nurse - Midwife
<a href="#">ORDER0004716</a>	5/12/2016	Weber, Laura B	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004712</a>	5/12/2016	Kneeland, Tiffany J	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004613</a>	5/12/2016	Kowalkowski, Kelly L	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004714</a>	5/12/2016	Reyes, Julie A	Licensed Practical Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004709</a>	5/12/2016	Barrow, Tiffany M	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0002660</a>	5/16/2016	Ogden, Nancy A	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003105</a>	5/16/2016	Zlotocha, Adam C	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003733</a>	5/16/2016	Finley, Tammy R	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0002350</a>	5/16/2016	Elliott, Matthew S	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0000298</a>	5/16/2016	Cornell, Randy J	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0001941</a>	5/16/2016	Schindler, Sue Rae	Registered Nurse

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<a href="#">ORDER0004470</a>	5/20/2016	Lang, Michelle L	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">LS0806058NUR</a>	5/27/2016	Hollick, Diane M	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003867</a>	5/31/2016	Kieffer, Linda J	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004476</a>	5/31/2016	Walsvik, Chris Claire	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">LS0810081NUR</a>	6/1/2016	Subhan, Linda M	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004741</a>	6/7/2016	Peterson, Colleen R	Applicant
<a href="#">ORDER0004748</a>	6/9/2016	Brotherhood, Amy M	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003890</a>	6/9/2016	Compton, Lona M	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004747</a>	6/9/2016	Bohl, Christine R	Licensed Practical Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004752</a>	6/9/2016	Knetter, Quinn R	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004750</a>	6/9/2016	Genrich, Daphne Jane	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004755</a>	6/9/2016	Sherfinski, Kimberly A	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004686</a>	6/9/2016	Gaines, Stephanie Y	Licensed Practical Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004747</a>	6/9/2016	Bohl, Christine R	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004752</a>	6/9/2016	Knetter, Quinn R	Licensed Practical Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004749</a>	6/9/2016	Capparelli, Lori L	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004754</a>	6/9/2016	Quintana, Anna M	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004751</a>	6/9/2016	Grevstad, Margaret C	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004753</a>	6/9/2016	Montana, Marian E	Licensed Practical Nurse
<a href="#">LS0805021NUR</a>	6/13/2016	Wiegert, Donna Ann	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003888</a>	6/13/2016	Meekma, Peter C	Licensed Practical Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003741</a>	6/13/2016	Medved, Stacey L	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003218</a>	6/13/2016	Wood, Laura Anne	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">LS0809042NUR</a>	6/13/2016	Berry, Kathryn M	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003271</a>	6/13/2016	Hamilton, Christine A	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003886</a>	6/13/2016	Degroot, Nichole L	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004708</a>	6/16/2016	Akins, Mary E	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004591</a>	6/17/2016	Kirk, Kallie A	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004649</a>	6/20/2016	Kummer, Jacob F.	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004766</a>	6/22/2016	Lichtwalt, Amber S	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003892</a>	6/23/2016	Knutson, Jennifer A	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004472</a>	6/23/2016	Sherfinski, Kimberly A	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0002555</a>	6/23/2016	Barbee, Jeffrey P	Registered Nurse

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<a href="#">ORDER0004786</a>	6/29/2016	Podojil, Nicole M	Applicant
<a href="#">ORDER0004785</a>	6/29/2016	Westlake, Stephanie L	Applicant
<a href="#">ORDER0004787</a>	6/29/2016	Bragadottir, Gudrun	Applicant
<a href="#">LS0705231NUR</a>	7/1/2016	Parker, Linda K	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004802</a>	7/8/2016	Olson, Aaron F	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004810</a>	7/14/2016	Trebbe, Sarah A	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">LS0304222NUR</a>	7/14/2016	Young, Regina Marie	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004804</a>	7/14/2016	Blair, Jana L	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004811</a>	7/14/2016	Wegner, Mary L	Licensed Practical Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003543</a>	7/14/2016	Sorenson, Petra I	Advanced Practice Nurse Prescriber
<a href="#">ORDER0004805</a>	7/14/2016	Connolly, Nickea C	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004809</a>	7/14/2016	Schiefelbein, Joan Mitchell	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003543</a>	7/14/2016	Sorenson, Petra I	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004807</a>	7/14/2016	Jones, Eleanor S	Licensed Practical Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004808</a>	7/14/2016	Rucker, Jennifer	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004806</a>	7/14/2016	Hensel, Terry L	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003266</a>	7/19/2016	Fjordbak, Stacy E	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0003586</a>	7/19/2016	Huber, Ross H	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0002428</a>	7/19/2016	Pokallus, Patricia A	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004714</a>	7/19/2016	Reyes, Julie A	Licensed Practical Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0000625</a>	7/19/2016	Preston, Kathleen M	Licensed Practical Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004067</a>	7/19/2016	Subjek, Angela S	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0001316</a>	7/19/2016	Conrath Bellin, Cassandra A	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004822</a>	7/21/2016	Turba, Annika M	Applicant
<a href="#">ORDER0004823</a>	7/21/2016	Stevens, Dianne M	Applicant
<a href="#">ORDER0004232</a>	7/26/2016	Clark, Nicole M	Applicant
<a href="#">ORDER0003102</a>	7/29/2016	Whitehead, Valerie K	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004752</a>	8/2/2016	Knetter, Quinn R	Licensed Practical Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004752</a>	8/2/2016	Knetter, Quinn R	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004454</a>	8/4/2016	Staudinger, Matthew J	Applicant
<a href="#">ORDER0004748</a>	8/11/2016	Brotherhood, Amy M	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004874</a>	8/12/2016	Bivins, Angela R	Applicant
<a href="#">ORDER0004370</a>	8/12/2016	Duenkel, Janene M	Registered Nurse

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<a href="#">ORDER0004893</a>	8/26/2016	Studebaker, Elizabeth N	Applicant
<a href="#">ORDER0004895</a>	8/29/2016	Kohlmann, Kristine M	Registered Nurse
<a href="#">ORDER0004900</a>	9/2/2016	Roucka, Toni M	Applicant
<a href="#">ORDER0004899</a>	9/2/2016	Johnson, Dorothy L	Registered Nurse
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## *DSPS Launches Improved License Look-Up Tool*

The Department of Safety and Professional Services (DSPS) has launched its new and improved License Look-Up tool. License Look-Up provides real-time information about the license status of professionals in Wisconsin. You can use this tool to check that professionals including licensed practical nurses and registered nurses hold a valid Wisconsin license in good standing. This access allows consumers and employers like you to make better-informed decisions when hiring and putting your trust in Wisconsin nursing professionals.

We recently updated this feature to make it more accessible and easy to use on cell phones, tablets, and other mobile devices. [Click here](#) or visit <https://app.wi.gov/licensesearch> to try it out.

**A wealth of useful information is available on the Department of Safety and Professional Services Website at:**

<http://dsps.wi.gov>

### **Do you have a change of name or address?**

Licensees can update name or address information on the Department website at:

<https://online.drl.wi.gov/UserLogin.aspx>

Please note that confirmation of change is not automatically provided. Legal notices will be sent to a licensee's address of record with the Department.

### **Telephone Directory:**

Call the Department of Safety and Professional Services toll-free (877) 617-1565, or (608) 266-2112 in the Madison area to connect to the service you need.

