

Promoting Competency Report

The Texas Board of Nursing's educational offerings and Continuing Nursing Education (CNE) courses provide nurses with an opportunity to increase their knowledge of the laws, rules and regulations that affect their nursing practice and contribute to their continuing competency. These offerings and CNE courses are a high priority for Board staff and support the Board's mission of patient safety.

Attachment A to this report reflects attendance for educational offerings, CNE or stipulations, for the fourth quarter of FY 2021. Specifically, Attachments A reflects the number of registrants who completed the:

- On-line CNE Courses titled:
 - *"Nursing Regulations for Safe Practice"*,
 - *"Documentation: So Let It Be Said...In Writing that Is"*,
 - *"APRN Scope of Practice"*,
 - *"Prescriptive Authority for APRNs"*,
 - *"Delegation: Distribution of the Workload"*,
 - *"Nursing Jurisprudence Exam Prep Course"*,
 - *"Nursing Peer Review: Safe Harbor Nursing Peer Review & Whistleblower Protections"*,
 - *"Nursing Peer Review: Incident-Based Nursing Peer Review & the Minor Incidents Rule"*.
- *"Protecting Your Patients & Your Practice, Nursing Jurisprudence & Ethics Workshop"*.

Attachment B reflects 2021 Continuing Competency Offerings. Board members are welcome to attend workshops and enroll in any of the course offerings free of charge.

All workshops have utilized the virtual format this year and this format continues to be extremely popular with the attendees. Goals for the future include updating existing and developing new asynchronous continuing competency offerings. These types of offerings are intended to provide easier access, in a more cost-effective way, so that nurses can obtain information on specific aspects of the NPA and Board rules applicable to their current area of practice.

Recommendation

This item is for informational purposes only. No action is required.

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
1	Texas Board of Nursing Continuing Competency Report														
2	Educational Offerings	Totals FY'16	Totals FY'17	Totals FY'18	Totals FY'19	Totals FY'20	1st Quarter 2021 Sept-Oct- Nov	2nd Quarter 2021 Dec-Jan-Feb	3rd Quarter 2021 Mar-Apr-May	4th Quarter 2021 Jun-Jul-Aug	YTD Totals FY 2021				
3															
4	Nursing Regulations for Safe Practice Online CNE Course *++###														
5	Number of completed registrants	3120	2575	2565	2459	1875	327	398	220	282	1227				
6	"Documentation: So Let It Be Said...In Writing That Is" Online CNE Course*++														
7	Number of completed registrants	184	274	245	300	247	42	58	77	60	237				
8	Incident Based Nursing Peer Review*++														
9	Number of completed registrants					18	21	31	20	10	82				
10	Safe Harbor Nursing Peer Review*++														
11	Number of completed registrants					22	14	24	14		52				
12	Prescriptive Authority for APRNs Online CNE Course*++														
13	Number of completed registrants	11	82	155	134	137	43	56	41	46	186				
14	Determining APRN Scope of Practice Online CNE Course*++														
15	Number of completed registrants			79	107	91	66	102	95		263				
16	Delegation Online CNE Course*++														
17	Number of completed registrants					89	34	39	34	32	139				
18	Nursing Jurisprudence & Ethics Workshop-"Protecting Your Patients & Your Practice"*++###														
19	CNE						<i>Virtual</i>	<i>None scheduled</i>	<i>March 10 Virtual</i>	<i>June 16 Virtual</i>	<i>Total</i>				
20	LVN	50	100	163	60	40	22		10	14	46				
21	RN	252	421	536	314	355	203		89	133	425				
22	APRN	20	30	72	43	50	36		16	23	75				
23	Other	6	14	12	3	12	5			0	5				
24	Total	328	565	783	420	457	266		115	170	551				
25	Stipulations														
26	LVN	34	82	112	58	55	32		13	25	70				
27	RN	91	176	158	116	100	72		36	65	173				
28	APRN	5	12	10	9	8	6		1	4	11				
29	Other		0	1	0	2	0		0	0	0				
30	Total	130	270	281	183	165	110		50	94	254				
31	Total CNE & Stipulations	458	835	1064	603	622	376		165	264	805				
32	*Awards CNE														
33	+Cost Pre-registration \$109/\$125 Walk in, \$79 if virtual delivery														
34	++Cost \$25.00														
35	#Meets BON Stipulations														
36	## Meets Nsg Jurisprudence & Ethics Rqt														
37	^Free Offering														

2021 Continuing Competency Offerings		
Workshops	Location	Scheduled Dates
Protecting Your Patients & Your Practice, Nursing Jurisprudence & Ethics	Virtual	March 10, 2021
	Virtual	June 16, 2021
	Virtual	September 8, 2021
	Virtual	September 29, 2021
	Virtual	November 9, 2021
Asynchronous Online Course Offerings		
Determining APRN Scope of Practice		
Prescriptive Authority for APRNs		
Delegation: Distribution of the Workload		
Documentation: So Let It Be Said...In Writing That Is		
Nursing Jurisprudence Exam Prep Course*		
Nursing Regulations for Safe Practice		
Nursing Peer Review: Safe Harbor Nursing Peer Review & Whistleblower Protections		
Nursing Peer Review Evaluation of Practice Breakdown Orientation Module*		
Nursing Peer Review: Incident-Based Nursing Peer Review & Minor Incidents Rule		

*Does not provide CNE