



## Staff Report

Date: December 11, 2024

TO: KSBN Board Members

FR: Janelle B. Martin, MHSA, RN – Nursing  
Education Compliance Officer

RE: December 2024 Education Staff Report

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### **Purpose of the Agenda Item and/or the Board Action Requested:**

*This report is an update on the activities of the Education Compliance Officer for August through November 15, 2024, in support of the KSBN strategic plan. No Board action is requested at this time.*

### **Strategic Outcome and actions to support the outcome:**

Priority Objective 3 – 4 Oversee nursing education programs and continuing nursing education providers to ensure requirements in the Nurse Practice Act are met:

- **KAR 60-2-102**
  - *Four site visits this quarter: all done within regulatory time frames*
    - *2 reapproval visits (ESU, Ft. Scott)*
    - *1 follow-up after first graduation (WSU Tech ADN)*
    - *1 initial visit (Southwestern College)*
  - *Annual reports were due from all nursing programs by June 30, 2024.*
    - *62 undergraduate programs responded within the regulatory time frame*
    - *9 Graduate programs responded within the regulatory time frame*
    - *All annual reports were verified and placed in a Core Data Survey report for Kansas by NCSBN. Kansas report was received at KSBN mid-August.*
- **KAR 60-2-103**
  - *159 Faculty Qualification Reports were processed this quarter (4Q24); 435 processed for CY 2024*
  - *55% were initial FQRs (65% for CY 2024); 45% were updates*
  - *56% of the FQRs had Hire exceptions or Degree plans associated which means faculty did not meet regulatory requirements*
- **Minor Curriculum Change requests processed for: Hesston College, Baker University, Cloud Community College, MidAmerica Nazarene University, Highland Community College, and Newman RNA program.**

Priority Objective 3 – 5 Communication provided is high quality, clear, accurate, current and includes effective methods available to give feedback to the Board:

- *Submitted two NCSBN web surveys to all Education network participants regarding:*
  - 2:1 Simulation hours for clinical simulation - do other states allow this
  - Faculty education requirements for BSN, ADN and PN programs
  
- *Other Education Activities:*
  - *Attended NCSBN annual NCLEX virtual conference – Sept. 2024*
  - *Working on revision to the petition application process and recommendations for updates to the petition conditions*
  - *Setting up LMHT exam task force – Dr. Ruth Burkhart has agreed to chair this group and we are in the process of obtaining 4-6 other members*
  - *Attended an NCSBN debrief session for the Education Annual Report process – 25+ states on the call*