Kansas State Board of Nursing  
Landon State Office Building, Room 509  
APRN Committee Minutes  
June 16, 2015

Time: 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Committee Members:  
Carol Bragdon, PhD, APRN, Chair  
Brenda Moffitt, APRN, CNS-BC, V. Chair  
Patsy Zeller, MSN, APRN, NP-C  
Donna Nyght, CRNA, DNP  
Jeanne Catanzaro, MSN, RN - absent

Committee Members:  
Ronda Eagleson, MN, RN, FNP, BC
Via Phone:  
Cara Busenhart, MSN, CNM, APRN  
Dawn Gosnell, MSN, APRN-CNS, CCRN

Staff:  
Mary Blubaugh, MSN, RN, Executive Administrator  
Carol Moreland, MSN, RN, Education Specialist  
Jill Simons, Senior Administrative Assistant

Call to order:  
The APRN Committee meeting was called to order by Carol Bragdon, PhD, APRN, Chair, at 1:30 p.m. in Room 509 of the Landon State Office Building.

Announcements:  
No announcements

Review of Onsite Packets:  
The Committee reviewed the onsite packet.

Add/Rev. Agenda:  
There were no additions/revisions to the agenda.

Minutes:  
The minutes for the March 2015 meeting were reviewed. It was moved to approve the March 24, 2015 minutes as distributed. Motion #1 Moffitt/Busenhart Adopted.

Unfinished Business:  
Rhonda Eagleson had comments on APRN inactive licensure in regards to CRNA and Midwife leaving inactive status because of not complying with the Healthcare Stabilization Fund. Discussion was this will be addressed under new business, item #4.

New Business:  
APRN Program Approvals:  
It was moved to approve the following out of state schools and their below noted courses:

a. Allen College – Adult – Gerontology Acute Care NP  
b. Belmont University – Family NP
c. Creighton University – Acute Care & Pediatrics NP

d. Creighton University – Family NP

e. Kent State University – Women’s Health NP

f. Louisiana State University – Family NP

g. Rutgers University – Women’s Health NP

h. State University of New York at Brooklyn – RNA

i. State University of New York at Stonybrook – Psych/Mental Health NP

j. University of Cincinnati – Family NP & Women’s Health NP

k. University of Colorado Health Sciences Center – Adult NP

l. University of Memphis – Family NP

m. University of Missouri-Columbia – Family NP

n. University of Southern Indiana – Acute Adult/Gerontology NP

o. University of Wyoming – Psych/Mental Health NP

Motion #2 Busenhart/Gosnell Adopted.

HB 2280: Kendra Wyatt discussed HB 2280. It was moved to have Board of Nursing representation on the Kansas Chapter ACNM sponsored legislative task force. Motion #3 Busenhart/Eagleson Adopted.

Position Statement for APRNs in Kansas:

Mary Blubaugh discussed position statement for APRNs in Kansas. Kansas statue KSA 65-1130 (d)(2) states responsible physicians must be licensed in Kansas, therefore, will not need a position statement.

Exempt License Status: Mary discussed KSA 60-11-121. The statues state exempt license shall be granted only to an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse in Kansas who meets these requirements: 1) is not regularly engaged as APRN in Kansas, but volunteers APRN services or is a charitable health care provider, 2) has a license in Kansas for five years before applying for an exempt license. The consensus of the committee is for Mary to take this forward to the Board.

Legislative Review: It was moved to approve KSA 65-1151, KSA 65-1152, KSA 65-1165, KAR 60-13-111 and KAR 60-13-113 for a five year period without changes. Motion #4 Moffitt/Nyght Adopted.

Agenda for September 2015 Committee

1) APRN Program Approvals
2) Report from Midwifery Group
3) Clarification on CNE for Advance Practice
Adjourn:  Meeting adjourned at 2:10 p.m.

Committee Chairperson  Date