



**Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission (NCQAC)
Advanced Practice Subcommittee Meeting Minutes
September 21, 2022 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

Committee Members: Jonathan Alvarado, ARNP, CRNA, Chair
Emerisse Shen, MSN, CNP, FNP, ARNP
Laurie Soine, PhD, ARNP
Shannon Fitzgerald, MSN, ARNP
Lindsey Frank, CD, OB-RNC, ARNP, CNM
Megan Kilpatrick, MSN, ARNP-CNS, AOCNS
Bianca Reis, DNP, MBA, ARNP, PMHNP-BC
Wendy E. Murchie, DNP, CPNP-AC
Tatiana Sadak, PhD, ARNP, RN, GSAF, FAAN

Absent: Kimberley A. Veilleux, DNP, RN, ANP-BC

Staff: Mary Sue Gorski, PhD, RN, Director, Advanced Practice and Research
Holly Palmer, Administrative Assistant
Jessilyn Dagum, Policy Analyst

**I. 7:00 PM Opening – Jonathan Alvarado, Chair
Call to order**

- Introduction
- Public Disclosure Statement
- Roll Call
 - Jonathan called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. The Advanced Practice Subcommittee members and staff were introduced. The Public Disclosure Statement was read aloud for the meeting attendees.

II. Standing Agenda Items

- Announcements/Hot Topic/NCQAC Business Meeting Updates
 - The Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission (NCQAC) approved the proposed language for ARNP Scope of Practice after the rules hearing on September 9, 2022
 - The new NCQAC website was launched on September 1, 2022, located at www.nursing.wa.gov
- Review of Advanced Practice Draft Minutes: August 17, 2022
 - Reviewed, with consensus to bring to the November NCQAC business meeting for approval

III. Old Business

- Review Updated APSC Position Description
 - Jessilyn updated the subcommittee regarding the minor change in verbiage in the position description

IV. New Business

- Rules Update
 - Jessilyn updated the subcommittee regarding the September 9, 2022, ARNP scope of practice rules hearing. The proposed language was approved, now working with legal team to file with the code reviser's office
 - After the filing is complete, work will begin on the inactive and expired license rules, as well as the opioid rules. Those are in the currently in the CR-102 stage and will be reviewed at the January NCQAC business meeting
- Review APSC Work Plan
 - The format of the work plan was reviewed
 - The subcommittee's focus is prioritizing the order in which the various topics will be focused on
 - The work plan is a living document and will evolve with time, brought forward at each meeting for review
 - Mary Sue reviewed items five through ten on the work plan and provided historical background on each
- NCAO 12.00 Medical Acupuncture Update
 - There was a comment during the business meeting regarding this; the Commission is still in the research phase of this work
 - There are several individuals prepared to participate in a workgroup to help update wording and guidelines of the Advisory Opinion

V. Ending Items

- Public Comment
 - The public was given the opportunity to comment on the agenda items.
- Review of Actions
- Meeting Evaluation – All
- Date of Next Meeting – October 19, 2022
- Adjournment
 - The meeting was adjourned at 7:46 PM