



**Nursing Care Quality Assurance Commission (NCQAC)
Rule Hearing Minutes
Friday, January 27, 2023
12:00 – 1:00 PM**

- Present Commission Members:** Yvonne Strader, RN, BSN, BSPA, MHA, Chair
Helen Myrick, Public Member, Vice-Chair
Jonathan Alvarado ARNP, CRNA
Quiana Daniels, GCertHealthSc, BS, LPN
Judy Loveless-Morris, PhD, Public Member
Joan Madayag, LPN
Dawn Morrell, RN, BSN, CCRN
Sharon Ness, RN
- Absent Members:** Adam Canary, LPN, Secretary/Treasurer
Ella B. Guilford, MSN, M.Ed., BSN, RN
Ajay Mendoza, CNM
Kimberly Tucker PhD, RN, CNE
- Excused Members:** MaiKia Moua, RN, BSN, MPH
Emerisse Shen, RN, ARNP
- Assistant Attorney General:** Sierra McWilliams, Assistant Attorney General
- Staff:** Paula R. Meyer, MSN, RN, FRE, Executive Director
Chris Archuleta, Director, Operations
Shad Bell, Assistant Director, Operations
Mary Sue Gorski, PhD, RN, Director, Advanced Practice,
Research and Policy
Karl Hoehn, JD, FRE, Assistant Director, Discipline – Legal
Jessilyn Dagum, Policy Analyst

**I. 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM Rule Hearing: ARNP Inactive and Expired Rules –
DISCUSSION/ACTION**

The purpose of this hearing was to solicit comments for the proposed rules filed with the Code Reviser's Office on December 20, 2022, and in the Washington State Register as WSR# 23-01-134. The NCQAC proposed amendments to inactive and expired licensure requirements for Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioners (ARNPs) in response to the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic and the critical demand for healthcare professionals. The proposed rules move emergency rules to permanent status.

Louise Kaplan – Support

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Continued**

ACTION: Mr. Alvarado moved, with a second from Ms. Myrick, to adopt the proposed amendments to WAC 246-840-365 and 246-840-367, filed in the Washington State Register as WSR# 23-01-134 on December 20, 2022. The motion passed. Rules hearing closed at 12:23 p.m.

II. 12:23 PM Adjournment