

# Discipline/Continued Competence/ Assistive Personnel/Practice

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<b>Yes</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	52
<b>No</b>	NEBRASKA, GUAM	2
<b>DNA</b>	CALIFORNIA-VN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN	4

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<b>Licensure application self report</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	50
<b>FBI</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA	33
<b>National Clearinghouse of Information on Crime (NCIC)</b>	NEW JERSEY, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, TEXAS, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, OREGON, IDAHO, NEVADA	9
<b>State criminal/law enforcement agency</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	39
<b>Private agency</b>	SOUTH CAROLINA, TEXAS	2
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<b>Employer</b>	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
<b>HIPDB &amp; NPDB self query</b>	WYOMING	1

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<b>Licensure by examination</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	51
<b>Licensure by endorsement</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	50
<b>Renewal of license</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, NEVADA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	28
<b>Reinstatement</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	42
<b>Self report</b>	MICHIGAN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, NEVADA, ARIZONA	16
<b>ARNP- in state only for renewal of license</b>	FLORIDA	1
<b>Reactivation</b>	IOWA	1
<b>Temp permits, certification applications</b>	MISSISSIPPI	1
<b>We check Renewal of license if answered yes to any convictions on applications.</b>	KENTUCKY	1

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<b>Yes</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	52
<b>No</b>	NEBRASKA, GUAM	2
<b>DNA</b>	CALIFORNIA-RN, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN	4

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<b>FBI</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA	34
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<b>Private agency</b>	SOUTH CAROLINA, TEXAS, WEST VIRGINIA-PN	3
<b>Accurint</b>	TEXAS	1
<b>Employer</b>	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
<b>Lexis/Nexus accurint system</b>	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1
<b>Self-query of HIPDB &amp; NPDB</b>	WYOMING	1

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Renewal of license	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, NEVADA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	28
Reinstatement	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	41
Self report	CALIFORNIA-VN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, ARIZONA	15
check renewal if report a conviction	KENTUCKY	1
Employer	AMERICAN SAMOA	1
if certification, temp permit	MISSISSIPPI	1
Reactivation	IOWA	1

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Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	47
No	NORTH CAROLINA, GUAM, ALASKA, COLORADO	4
DNA	AMERICAN SAMOA, MINNESOTA, CALIFORNIA-VN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN	7



If yes, background information is collected from: (check all that apply)		Response Total
Licensure application self report	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	45
FBI	MARYLAND, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA	29
National Clearinghouse of Information on Crime (NCIC)	NEW MEXICO, UTAH, TEXAS, KENTUCKY, OREGON, IDAHO, NEVADA	7
State criminal/law enforcement agency	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, ALABAMA, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA	32
Private agency	SOUTH CAROLINA, TEXAS	2
Accurant	TEXAS	1
Collaborative	SOUTH CAROLINA	1
Self-query of HIPDB & NPDB	WYOMING	1

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Licensure by examination	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	40
Licensure by endorsement	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	41
Renewal of license	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	25
Reinstatement	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	33

<b>Self report</b>	LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, NEVADA, ARIZONA	15
<b>APRN recognition or when an existing RN applies</b>	WYOMING	1
<b>Initial certification</b>	INDIANA	1
<b>periodic on renewal</b>	NEVADA	1

<b>Board collects information related to criminal background on potential licensees for Nurse Aides (yes/no/dna)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, VIRGINIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	16
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, INDIANA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, GUAM	5
<b>DNA</b>	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NEBRASKA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, MONTANA	37

<b>If yes, background information is collected from: (check all that apply)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Licensure application self report</b>	MARYLAND, VERMONT, VIRGINIA, NORTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	14
<b>FBI</b>	MARYLAND, NEW JERSEY, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, OREGON, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA	10
<b>National Clearinghouse of Information on Crime (NCIC)</b>	OREGON, NEVADA	2
<b>State criminal/law enforcement agency</b>	MARYLAND, NEW JERSEY, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, OREGON, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	11
<b>Private agency</b>	WYOMING	1

<b>Background information is checked for the following types of applications: (check all that apply)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Licensure by examination</b>	MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, VIRGINIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	14
<b>Licensure by endorsement</b>	MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NEW HAMPSHIRE, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	13
<b>Renewal of license</b>	MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW HAMPSHIRE, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, NEVADA, ARIZONA	7
<b>Reinstatement</b>	MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, VIRGINIA, NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	12
<b>Self report</b>	MARYLAND, NORTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, NEVADA, ARIZONA	5

<b>Board collects information related to criminal background on potential licensees for other UAPs (yes/no/dna).</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	MARYLAND, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, ARKANSAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO	11
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW JERSEY, NEW MEXICO, INDIANA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, OREGON, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA, ARIZONA	13
<b>DNA</b>	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, UTAH, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NEBRASKA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, NEVADA, COLORADO, MONTANA	34

<b>If yes, background information is collected from: (check all that apply)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Licensure application self report</b>	MARYLAND, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, MONTANA	11
<b>FBI</b>	MARYLAND, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, NEW MEXICO, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, IDAHO	8
<b>National Clearinghouse of Information on Crime (NCIC)</b>	NEW MEXICO, IDAHO	2
<b>State criminal/law enforcement agency</b>	MARYLAND, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, NEW MEXICO, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, IDAHO	9

<b>Background information is checked for the following types of applications: (check all that apply)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Licensure by examination</b>	MARYLAND, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, NEW MEXICO, NEW HAMPSHIRE, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, MONTANA	9
<b>Licensure by endorsement</b>	MARYLAND, OHIO, NEW MEXICO, NEW HAMPSHIRE, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, MONTANA	8
<b>Renewal of license</b>	MARYLAND, OKLAHOMA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, MONTANA	5
<b>Reinstatement</b>	MARYLAND, OKLAHOMA, NORTH DAKOTA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, IDAHO, MONTANA	6
<b>Self report</b>	OHIO, NORTH DAKOTA	2

<b>Felony convictions are reviewed as part of the licensure application process for RNs (yes/no/dna)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, MONTANA	53
<b>No</b>	ARIZONA	1
<b>DNA</b>	CALIFORNIA-VN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN	4

If Yes, all felony convictions are an absolute bar to licensure (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, RHODE ISLAND, GUAM	4
No	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, MONTANA	48

If yes, certain classes/types of felony convictions are an absolute bar to licensure (yes/no/case-by- case)		Response Total
Yes	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, LOUISIANA-RN, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, KANSAS, OREGON, GUAM	12
No	MICHIGAN, MAINE, INDIANA, KENTUCKY, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA	7
Case-by-case	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, HAWAII, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, ALASKA, MONTANA	23

If Yes, identify classes/types (check all that apply).		Response Total
Most serious violent crimes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND, OHIO, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, UTAH, TEXAS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, TENNESSEE, OREGON, GUAM, ALASKA	14
Crimes against person	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND, OHIO, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, KANSAS, OREGON, GUAM, ALASKA	12
Correlation to abuse, theft, anger management, drug diversion	HAWAII	1
Distribution of Drugs	LOUISIANA-RN	1
drug	PENNSYLVANIA	1
felony sexual offense	DELAWARE	1
for 5 years post conviction	TENNESSEE	1
Requires Board review	MARYLAND	1
See ACA 17-87-312	ARKANSAS	1
Time period. If more than 10 years not a factor.	WASHINGTON	1
Trafficking or illegally manufacturing CS; exploitation or criminal mistreatment of a vulnerable per	MASSACHUSETTS	1

Felonies with deferred judgments or special pleas are given special consideration (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	OHIO, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS	11
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, MONTANA	40

Felony convictions are a time limited bar to licensure (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, UTAH, WASHINGTON, TENNESSEE, VIRGIN ISLANDS	11
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, MONTANA	40

Felony convictions are reviewed on a case-by-case basis (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, MONTANA	53

Misdemeanor convictions are reviewed by Board (yes/no).		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA- RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, COLORADO, MONTANA	46
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NORTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, ALASKA	7

Felony convictions are reviewed as part of the licensure application process for LPNs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	54
DNA	CALIFORNIA-RN, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN	4

If Yes, all felony convictions are an absolute bar to licensure (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, RHODE ISLAND, GUAM	4
No	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	50

If Yes, certain classes/types of felony convictions are an absolute bar to licensure (yes/no/case-by- case).		Response Total
Yes	MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, KANSAS, OREGON	9
No	MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, LOUISIANA-PN, MAINE, INDIANA, KENTUCKY, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA	10
Case-by-case	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, MONTANA	24

If Yes, identify classes/types		Response Total
Most serious violent crimes	UTAH, TEXAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, TENNESSEE, OREGON	5
Crimes against person	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, RHODE ISLAND, KANSAS	3
both of above	MISSOURI	1
Both of the above	OHIO	1
Both options above; trafficking or illegally manufacturing CS; criminal mistreatment of vulnerable per	MASSACHUSETTS	1
Case-by-case	MINNESOTA	1
drug	PENNSYLVANIA	1

<b>felony sexual offenses</b>	DELAWARE	1
<b>Only if within the last ten years</b>	WASHINGTON	1
<b>Requires Board Review</b>	MARYLAND	1
<b>see NPA @ www.arsbn.org 17-87-312</b>	ARKANSAS	1

<b>Felonies with deferred judgments or special pleas are given special consideration (yes/no).</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	OHIO, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS	11
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	41

<b>Felony convictions are a time limited bar to licensure (yes/no).</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, UTAH, WASHINGTON, TENNESSEE, VIRGIN ISLANDS, ARIZONA	12
<b>No</b>	AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, MONTANA	40

<b>Felony convictions are reviewed on a case-by-case basis (yes/no).</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA- PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	51
<b>No</b>	GUAM	1

<b>Misdemeanor convictions are reviewed by Board (yes/no).</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	47

No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, SOUTH CAROLINA, UTAH, NORTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	6
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Felony convictions are reviewed as part of the licensure application process for APRNs (yes/no/dna).		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	48
No	GUAM, COLORADO	2
DNA	AMERICAN SAMOA, MINNESOTA, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-VN, LOUISIANA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, ALASKA	8

If Yes, all felony convictions are an absolute bar to licensure (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, RHODE ISLAND	2
No	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	46

If Yes, certain classes/types of felony convictions are an absolute bar to licensure (yes/no/case-by- case).		Response Total
Yes	MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, LOUISIANA-RN, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, KANSAS, TENNESSEE, OREGON	11
No	INDIANA, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KENTUCKY, IDAHO, NEVADA, ARIZONA	7
Case-by-case	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, HAWAII, MAINE, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, ALABAMA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, MONTANA	17

If Yes, identify classes/types		Response Total
Most serious violent crimes	RHODE ISLAND, LOUISIANA-RN, UTAH, TEXAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, TENNESSEE, OREGON	7
Crimes against person	KANSAS, TENNESSEE	2
Both of the above	MISSOURI, OHIO	2
Both options above; trafficking or illegally manufacturing CS; criminal mistreatment of vulnerable per	MASSACHUSETTS	1
drug	PENNSYLVANIA	1
felony sexual offenses	DELAWARE	1



<b>If within 10 years</b>	WASHINGTON	1
<b>Requires Board review</b>	MARYLAND	1
<b>See <a href="http://www.arsbn.org">www.arsbn.org</a> nurse practice act - ACA 17-87-312</b>	ARKANSAS	1

<b>Felonies with deferred judgments or special pleas are given special consideration (yes/no).</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	OHIO, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS	11
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	35

<b>Felony convictions are a time limited bar to licensure (yes/no).</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, UTAH, WASHINGTON, TENNESSEE, VIRGIN ISLANDS, ARIZONA	11
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, MONTANA	37

<b>Felony convictions are reviewed on a case-by-case basis (yes/no).</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	48

<b>Misdemeanor convictions are reviewed by Board (yes/no).</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	43
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, SOUTH CAROLINA, NORTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	5

Felony convictions are reviewed as part of the licensure application process for Nurse Aides (yes/no/dna)		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	21
DNA	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, MONTANA	37

If Yes, all felony convictions are an absolute bar to licensure (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW JERSEY, GUAM, ARIZONA	4
No	MARYLAND, VERMONT, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO	17

If Yes, certain classes/types of felony convictions are an absolute bar to licensure (yes/no/case-by-case).		Response Total
Yes	NEW JERSEY, OREGON, GUAM	3
No	VERMONT, NEVADA, ARIZONA	3
Case-by-case	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, VIRGIN ISLANDS	10

If Yes, identify classes/types		Response Total
Most serious violent crimes	OREGON	1
Crimes against person	NEW JERSEY	1
Both of the above	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
If within 10 years	WASHINGTON	1
Requires Board review	MARYLAND	1

Felonies with deferred judgments or special pleas are given special consideration (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NEW JERSEY, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS	7
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VERMONT, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	13

Felony convictions are a time limited bar to licensure (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NEW JERSEY, WASHINGTON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, ARIZONA	4
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VERMONT, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO	16

Felony convictions are reviewed on a case-by-case basis (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	20

Misdemeanor convictions are reviewed by Board (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NEBRASKA, FLORIDA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	14
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	5

Felony convictions are reviewed as part of the licensure application process for other UAPs (yes/no/dna)		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, ARIZONA	14
No	NEW JERSEY, OREGON	2
DNA	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA- PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, MONTANA	42

If Yes, all felony convictions are an absolute bar to licensure (yes/no)		Response Total
No	MARYLAND, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	15

If Yes, certain classes/types of felony convictions are an absolute bar to licensure (yes/no/case-by-case)		Response Total
Yes	OHIO	1
No	VIRGINIA, KENTUCKY, IDAHO, ARIZONA	4
Case-by-case	MARYLAND, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, VIRGIN ISLANDS	7

If Yes, identify classes/types		Response Total
Both of the Above	OHIO, NEW HAMPSHIRE	2
Requires Board review	MARYLAND	1

Felonies with deferred judgments or special pleas are given special consideration (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	OHIO, NEW MEXICO, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, VIRGIN ISLANDS	6
No	MARYLAND, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, CONNECTICUT, KENTUCKY, IDAHO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	10

Felony convictions are a time limited bar to licensure (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	VIRGIN ISLANDS, ARIZONA	2
No	MARYLAND, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, IDAHO, MONTANA	14

Felony convictions are reviewed on a case-by-case basis (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	15
No	HAWAII	1

Misdemeanor convictions are reviewed by Board (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, KENTUCKY, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	10
No	NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	6

Reporting violations of the nurse practice act to the Board of nursing is mandatory in this jurisdiction (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	39
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, RHODE ISLAND, CALIFORNIA-RN, PENNSYLVANIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, ARKANSAS, WISCONSIN, SOUTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, COLORADO	17

List any exceptions to the Board's mandatory reporting requirement:		Response Total
A nurse in a bona fide health professional-patient relationship with a licensee, registrant or applicant believed to be impaired; peer review function in a health agency	MICHIGAN	1
Drug impairment if under treatment and monitored by the employer	MARYLAND	1
Liability insurance settlement over \$3,000	CALIFORNIA-RN	1

Licensed professionals do not need to report to the Board "professional knowledge obtained in the course of a health professional-client relationship when the client is a nurse and the health professional successfully counsels the nurse to limit or withdraw from practice to the extent required by the impairment.	MINNESOTA	1
Mandatory for nurses only	ARKANSAS	1
Mandatory reporting requirement pertains to hospitals and other health care institutions only	VIRGINIA	1
May be reported to Alternative Program	FLORIDA	1
minor incident rule	TEXAS	1
Must report child, elder, vulnerable adult abuse to law enforcement	IDAHO	1
none	MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY	2
Only require mandatory report for direct observation of patient abuse, drug diversion, impaired pract	MASSACHUSETTS	1
Reporting of chemically dependent nurses who have sought and complied with treatment provided no other provision of the law & rules & regulations have been violated.	MISSISSIPPI	1
the spouse of the person, a practitioner who is providing treatment, nurse is in Licensee Assistance	NEBRASKA	1
Through ADA	INDIANA	1
Treaters for drug/alcohol or psyc issues (pt. confid)	KANSAS	1
Violation of the act if fail to report through appropriate channels	OKLAHOMA	1

Investigations of complaints against licensees are conducted by: (check all that apply)		Response Total
Executive Officer	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW JERSEY, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, SOUTH DAKOTA, ALABAMA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING	13

<b>Professional RN staff</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ARIZONA	28
<b>Investigative Personnel</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, WYOMING, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	47
<b>Attorney</b>	MASSACHUSETTS, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, MAINE, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, WYOMING	11
<b>A separate Investigation Division in the Department</b>	NEBRASKA	1
<b>Department of Health, contact investigators</b>	ARKANSAS	1
<b>Depending on the Board</b>	GUAM	1
<b>Discipline Committee/Board Members</b>	VIRGIN ISLANDS	1
<b>Employed by the Dept of Health</b>	CONNECTICUT	1
<b>Prosecutor</b>	MASSACHUSETTS	1

<b>The Board receives malpractice payment reports as a result of insurers reporting to the National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB)(yes/no/dna)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	40
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, VERMONT, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-PN, UTAH, ARKANSAS, INDIANA, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, CONNECTICUT, ALABAMA, OREGON, GUAM	15
<b>DNA</b>	AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, VIRGIN ISLANDS	3

<b>If Yes, NPDB reports are used to determine if a disciplinary investigation is warranted (yes/no)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	35
<b>No</b>	RHODE ISLAND, UTAH, ARKANSAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, ALABAMA, IDAHO	6

If Yes, NPDB reports are filed for future reference (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, ALASKA, MONTANA	32
No	MARYLAND, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, NORTH DAKOTA, IDAHO, COLORADO, ARIZONA	7

The Board can take action on a license based on Board action in another jurisdiction (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	54
No	LOUISIANA-PN	1

Individuals under investigation can be required to undergo evaluation for chemical dependency, physical and/or mental health related problems when "probable cause" exists that a violation involving one or more of these elements has occurred (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	45
No	MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, ALASKA	9

The Board's standard of proof is the following (clear and convincing evidence, preponderance of evidence, substantial evidence, reasonable cause)		Response Total
Clear and convincing evidence	NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, WASHINGTON, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING	13
Preponderance of evidence	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, UTAH, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, OREGON, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	32
Substantial evidence	SOUTH CAROLINA, ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, ALABAMA	6
Reasonable cause	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, RHODE ISLAND, NEW MEXICO, MONTANA	4

<b>The Board can use the following non-disciplinary alternative disciplinary approaches that do not result in formal Board action for resolving non-drug related cases: (check all that apply)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Conference/meeting</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, UTAH, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA	23
<b>Teaching conference</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MINNESOTA, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, SOUTH CAROLINA, HAWAII, UTAH, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, SOUTH DAKOTA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING	13
<b>Self study</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MINNESOTA, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA	15
<b>Continuing education</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, MONTANA	30
<b>Mediation</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW JERSEY, NEW MEXICO, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, SOUTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO	10
<b>Warning letters</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	43
<b>Fines</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MINNESOTA, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, NEVADA	21
<b>Civil penalties</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW JERSEY, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, KANSAS, KENTUCKY, OREGON	9
<b>Restitution</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW JERSEY, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, FLORIDA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING	8
<b>Community service</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, DELAWARE, NEW JERSEY, NEW MEXICO, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, KANSAS, FLORIDA	8
<b>Advisement Letter, Confidential Letter of Concern</b>	OKLAHOMA	1
<b>Advisory Letters, PIIP</b>	OHIO	1
<b>Assurance of Compliance</b>	NEBRASKA	1
<b>Citation</b>	FLORIDA	1
<b>Confidential agreements to participate in IPDP</b>	COLORADO	1
<b>Confidential Consent Agreements</b>	VIRGINIA	1
<b>Education Letters</b>	MARYLAND	1
<b>entering into a non-disciplinary program is a formal Board action</b>	RHODE ISLAND	1



<b>letter of concern</b>	GEORGIA-RN	1
<b>Letter of Concern or Guidance</b>	MAINE	1
<b>Letter of concern;</b>	NORTH DAKOTA	1
<b>Letters of Concern and use Consent Decrees</b>	KENTUCKY	1
<b>monitoring, precepted practice</b>	IDAHO	1
<b>PREP Contracts</b>	SOUTH CAROLINA	1

<b>Formal disciplinary proceedings are presided over by: (hearing examiner, administrative law judge, full Board, panel of Board, Board chair/member) Check all that apply</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Hearing examiner</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, MAINE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, WYOMING, COLORADO, MONTANA	16
<b>Administrative law judge</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, HAWAII, UTAH, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	30
<b>Full Board</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, MAINE, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, NEVADA, COLORADO, MONTANA	18
<b>Panel of Board</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, DELAWARE, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, LOUISIANA-RN, WASHINGTON, KANSAS, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, COLORADO, MONTANA	15
<b>Board chair/member</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA- PN, LOUISIANA-PN, ARKANSAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, ALASKA, MONTANA	23

<b>Formal disciplinary proceedings are heard by: (hearing examiner, administrative law judge, full Board, panel of Board, Board chair/member) Check all that apply</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Hearing examiner</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, WYOMING, COLORADO, MONTANA	15
<b>Administrative law judge</b>	MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, HAWAII, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, OREGON, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	25
<b>Full Board</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, MONTANA	37
<b>Panel of Board</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, DELAWARE, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, LOUISIANA-RN, WASHINGTON, KANSAS, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, COLORADO, MONTANA	17
<b>Board chair/member</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-PN, ILLINOIS, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, VIRGIN ISLANDS, MONTANA	11

<b>The Board can issue: (check all that apply)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Censure</b>	DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, MAINE, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	23
<b>Cease and desist orders</b>	MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	48
<b>Reprimands/citation and warning</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	54
<b>Practice limitations with probation</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	56
<b>Practice limitations without probation</b>	MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	37
<b>Probation</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	55
<b>Conditional Probation</b>	MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	34

<b>Summary suspension</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	47
<b>Suspension-temporarily barred from nursing practice</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	51
<b>Revocation</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	55
<b>Fines/assessment of costs</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	48
<b>Surrender</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO	46
<b>Community service</b>	MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, NEW JERSEY, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, NEVADA	13

<b>The Board is required to take disciplinary action via "social legislation" in the following cases: Check all that apply</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Non-payment of child support</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO	44
<b>Non-payment of student loans</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, NEW JERSEY, OKLAHOMA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, MISSISSIPPI	18

<b>Non-payment of alimony/spousal support</b>	MINNESOTA, NEW JERSEY, LOUISIANA-RN	3
<b>Non-payment of state taxes</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, MISSOURI, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, MAINE, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, IOWA	14

<b>The Board has a non-disciplinary alternative program for nurses with: Check all that apply</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Chemical dependency</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	41
<b>Psychiatric/mental health problems</b>	MARYLAND, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, CALIFORNIA-RN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, UTAH, TEXAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, OREGON, IDAHO, NEVADA, COLORADO, MONTANA	26
<b>AIDS</b>	MINNESOTA, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, KANSAS, FLORIDA	5
<b>Scope of practice violations</b>	MARYLAND, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, HAWAII, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, IDAHO	10
<b>Physical or health problems</b>	MINNESOTA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, COLORADO	12

<b>The Board has the option of including the following as conditions of probation: Check all that apply</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Physical examination - includes body fluid examinations for drugs and alcohol</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	56
<b>Mental health evaluations</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	56
<b>Continuing education - includes supervision by superior; credit and/or non-credit courses, seminars, workshops</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	56

<b>Limitations on practice - includes restrictions involving work shift or area of nursing practice; denial of authority; administer medications or to perform specific nursing tasks</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	57
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<b>The Board monitors nurses on probation through: Check all that apply.</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Employer, self, and/or counselor reports</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	57
<b>Drug screens</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	53
<b>Direct/indirect contact with nurse on probation</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	49

<b>Board can charge a probation/monitoring fee (yes/no)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, NORTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, ALABAMA, NEVADA	15
<b>No</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	42

<b>Board can recoup investigative fees (yes/no)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, IDAHO, NEVADA, MONTANA	23
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, VIRGINIA, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	34

<b>Board can recoup legal fees (yes/no)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	MINNESOTA, NEW JERSEY, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, NEVADA, MONTANA	22
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, LOUISIANA-PN, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	35

<b>Board has subpoena power (yes/no)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	53
<b>No</b>	VERMONT, NEBRASKA, FLORIDA	3

<b>Do you have a continued competence requirement (yes/no)?</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, MONTANA	46
<b>No</b>	AMERICAN SAMOA, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, MAINE, INDIANA, WISCONSIN, CONNECTICUT, ARIZONA	12

If Yes, check all that apply		Response Total
Peer review	SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, TENNESSEE, IDAHO	4
Continuing Education	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, NEVADA, ALASKA, MONTANA	38
Periodic Refresher Course	MINNESOTA, NORTH CAROLINA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, TENNESSEE	7
Competency Examination	SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, TENNESSEE	3
Minimal Practice Hours	MARYLAND, DELAWARE, VERMONT, CALIFORNIA-RN, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, UTAH, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, TENNESSEE, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, ALASKA	19
Continued Competence Assessment	NORTH CAROLINA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, TENNESSEE	5
140 hours of active practice per year/480 hours over 6 years	SOUTH DAKOTA	1
Certification in a specialty area; formal educational credit hours	ARKANSAS	1
National Certification	IDAHO	1
or certification	ALABAMA	1
professional activities	VIRGIN ISLANDS	1
Professional Responsibility- proof of competency is required to reuse. Fail to practice within 5 years (rules/regs)	MISSISSIPPI	1
Professional/ (uncompensated) activities	ALASKA	1
reactivation program, NCLEX, practice in another jurisdiction	PENNSYLVANIA	1
Refresher after five years of non-practice	NEVADA	1
Refresher course for reactivation after 5 years.	FLORIDA	1

<b>Satisfactory employment evaluation</b>	KENTUCKY	1
<b>Self assessment, learning plan, and choice of learning activity</b>	NORTH CAROLINA	1

<b>The Board may recognize the practice hours a licensee voluntarily provides to an organization such as the American Red Cross, disaster relief, CPR, etc. as contributing towards the continued competence practice requirement (yes/no)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	MARYLAND, DELAWARE, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, SOUTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-RN, UTAH, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	25
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, IOWA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, GUAM, WYOMING, MONTANA	26

<b>Continuing education by subject matter is required as part of licensure maintenance (yes/no)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	MICHIGAN, NEW JERSEY, OHIO, HAWAII, TEXAS, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, MONTANA	16
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	39
<b>No Information Provided</b>	GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN	3

<b>If Yes, check all that apply</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>AIDS</b>	NEW JERSEY, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, GUAM	4
<b>Child abuse</b>	NEW JERSEY, IOWA, KENTUCKY, GUAM	4
<b>Domestic violence</b>	NEW JERSEY, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, GUAM	4
<b>End of life</b>	NEW JERSEY, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, GUAM	3
<b>Law and rules</b>	NEW JERSEY, OHIO, ALABAMA	3
<b>Pain management</b>	MICHIGAN, NEW JERSEY, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, OREGON, GUAM	5
<b>Pharmacology</b>	NEW JERSEY, HAWAII, WASHINGTON, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, IDAHO, GUAM, MONTANA	8



Is your Board considering implementing any continued competence mechanisms (yes/no)?		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW JERSEY, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING	15
No	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, GUAM, NEVADA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	39
No Information Provided	NORTH CAROLINA, LOUISIANA-PN, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, ALASKA	4

Have you set a target date for implementation (yes/no)?		Response Total
Yes	OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, WASHINGTON, KENTUCKY	4
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO	12

If yes, what mechanisms are you considering? (please specify)		Response Total
awaiting NCSBN work to be completed	VIRGIN ISLANDS	1
Considering evidence of 'lifelong learning'	IDAHO	1
continued competency assessment for RNs	HAWAII	1
Employment evaluations and competency checks	WEST VIRGINIA-RN	1
Have implemented already	KENTUCKY	1
Initial Stages of Exploring Model	OREGON	1
Looking at research re issue	MISSISSIPPI	1
regulations waiting to be signed by governor.	VIRGINIA	1

The Board is considering modifying its continued competency requirements (yes/no)?		Response Total
Yes	AMERICAN SAMOA, NEW JERSEY, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA	14
No	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, NEVADA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	41
No Information Provided	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN	3

If yes, what mechanisms are you considering? (please specify)		Response Total
2 contact hours in substance abuse now required by law	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1
Current requirements are for APRNs only; considering requirements for LPNs, RNs	IDAHO	1
Not yet determined.	NEW MEXICO	1
Prescriber course	TENNESSEE	1
still studying	ALABAMA	1
To be determined	OREGON	1
unknown at this time.	ALASKA	1

The Board of Nursing regulates assistive personnel (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	25
No	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, UTAH, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, GUAM, COLORADO	33

If No, who does? (please identify)		Response Total
Department of Community Health	GEORGIA-RN	1
Department of Health	RHODE ISLAND, UTAH	2
Department of Health and Family Services	WISCONSIN	1
Department of Health and Hospitals	LOUISIANA-RN	1
department of health and human services	MONTANA	1
Department of Health and Human Services, CNA Registry	MAINE	1
Department of Health has responsibility for discipline and Nursing Commission has responsibility for nursing assistant training programs.	WASHINGTON	1
Department of Health/Employers	MISSOURI	1
Department of Inspections and Appeals	IOWA	1
Department of Public Health	CALIFORNIA-RN, ALABAMA	2
Dept of Health	INDIANA, CONNECTICUT	2

Dept of Health & Environmental Control has Abuse Registry	SOUTH CAROLINA	1
Dept of Public Health Services	CALIFORNIA-VN	1
Dept of State Health Services	TEXAS	1
Division of Long Term Care Residents Protection	DELAWARE	1
Division of Public Health - Licensure Unit	NEBRASKA	1
Facilities	COLORADO	1
Georgia Health Partnership	GEORGIA-PN	1
Health Care Facilities	TENNESSEE	1
Kansas Department of Aging	KANSAS	1
Michigan Department of Community Health	MICHIGAN	1
No one	GUAM	1
Nurse Aide Registry-Department of Public Health	MASSACHUSETTS	1
Some UAPs must register. The registry is maintained by the Department of Health.	MINNESOTA	1
state health department	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1
Umbrella agency--Dept. of Commerce & Consumer Affairs	HAWAII	1

If Yes, what types of assistive personnel are regulated. Check all that apply		Response Total
Certified Nursing Assistants/Aides (all skill levels)	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NORTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, INDIANA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA	23
Home health aides	MARYLAND, NEW JERSEY, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, CONNECTICUT, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING	7
Hemodialysis assistant/technician	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, OHIO, NEW MEXICO, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, CONNECTICUT, MISSISSIPPI	10
Medication Aide	MARYLAND, OHIO, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, NEVADA, MONTANA	19
Advanced Unlicensed Assistive Personnel, acute care facilities only	OKLAHOMA	1
certified medication technicians	MARYLAND	1
Dialysis Technician	KENTUCKY	1

<b>Division of Long Term Care residents protection</b>	DELAWARE	1
<b>Feeding Assistants</b>	MISSISSIPPI	1
<b>LNA Medication aides</b>	VERMONT	1
<b>Medication Aides beginning 2007- for ALFs only</b>	VIRGINIA	1
<b>Nurse Aide II</b>	NORTH CAROLINA	1
<b>UAPs</b>	NORTH DAKOTA	1

<b>The Board of Nursing approves training programs for any assistive personnel (yes/no)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, SOUTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	28
<b>No</b>	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, LOUISIANA-PN, HAWAII, UTAH, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, COLORADO	30

<b>If No, who does? (please identify)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>CDOHPE - Health Department</b>	COLORADO	1
<b>DCH - Bureau of Health Professions</b>	MICHIGAN	1
<b>Department of Community Health</b>	GEORGIA-RN	1
<b>Department of Education</b>	PENNSYLVANIA	1
<b>Department of Health</b>	MISSOURI, UTAH	2
<b>Department of Health and Family Services</b>	WISCONSIN	1
<b>Department of Inspections and Appeals</b>	IOWA	1
<b>Department of Public Health</b>	MASSACHUSETTS, CALIFORNIA-RN	2
<b>Dept of Health</b>	INDIANA, CONNECTICUT	2
<b>Dept of State Health Services</b>	TEXAS	1
<b>Dept. of Human Services</b>	HAWAII	1
<b>DHEC</b>	SOUTH CAROLINA	1
<b>Division of Long Term Care residents protection</b>	DELAWARE	1
<b>Division of Public Health - Licensure Unit</b>	NEBRASKA	1
<b>Georgia Health Partnership</b>	GEORGIA-PN	1

Health Care Facilities	TENNESSEE	1
Medication Assistants in public schools and community-based		
ND Department of Health	NORTH DAKOTA	1
state health department	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1

The Board administers or out sources nursing assistant examinations (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, VERMONT, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, ARKANSAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	19
No	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, MONTANA	33

For training programs the Board requires:		Response Total
Board constructed exams	NEW MEXICO, NEBRASKA, ALABAMA, MONTANA	4
Standardized exams	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VERMONT, OHIO, VIRGINIA, MAINE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, SOUTH DAKOTA, TENNESSEE, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA	19

The Board of Nursing is responsible for the competency evaluation of assistive personnel employed in nursing homes (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VERMONT, ARKANSAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, FLORIDA, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA	11
No	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, GUAM, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	45

If No, who does? (please identify)		Response Total
Cabinet Health & Family Services	KENTUCKY	1
CDOPE	COLORADO	1
CNA Registry- Department of Health and Human Services	MAINE	1
Competency determined by RN within facility.	NORTH CAROLINA	1
DCCA/American REd Cross	HAWAII	1
Department of Health	MISSOURI, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, WEST VIRGINIA-RN	4
Department of Health and department of Social and Health Sciences	WASHINGTON	1
Department of Health and Hospitals	LOUISIANA-RN	1
Department of health and human services	MONTANA	1
Department of Health and the South Dakota Health Care Association	SOUTH DAKOTA	1
Department of Inspections and Appeals	IOWA	1
Department of Public Health	MASSACHUSETTS, CALIFORNIA-RN, ALABAMA	3
Department of Public Health Certifies CNAs	ILLINOIS	1
Dept of Health	INDIANA	1
Dept of Health or Agency	CONNECTICUT	1
Dept of Public Health	CALIFORNIA-VN	1
Dept of State Health Services	TEXAS	1
Division of Long Term Care residents protection	DELAWARE	1
Division of Public Health - Licensure Unit	NEBRASKA	1
Employers	VIRGINIA	1
Georgia Health Partnership	GEORGIA-PN	1
Health Care Facilities	TENNESSEE	1
Kansas Department of Aging	KANSAS	1
Michigan Dept of Community Health - Bureau of Health Professions	MICHIGAN	1
Minnesota Department of Health	MINNESOTA	1
ND Department of Health	NORTH DAKOTA	1
Ohio Department of Health	OHIO	1
State Department of Health	OKLAHOMA, MISSISSIPPI	2
State Department of Health and Welfare	IDAHO	1
state health department	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1
The hiring agency.	NEW JERSEY	1

The Board of Nursing is responsible for the competency evaluation of assistive personnel employed in home health care agencies(yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NEW HAMPSHIRE, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA	10
No	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, GUAM, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	46

If No, who does? (please identify)		Response Total
Agency itself	MISSISSIPPI	1
Cabinet Health & Family Services	KENTUCKY	1
Competency determined by RN in facility	NORTH CAROLINA	1
Department of Human Services Office of Long Term Care	ARKANSAS	1
Department of Health	MISSOURI, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, WEST VIRGINIA-RN	4
Department of Health & Human Services, Division of Public Health	NEBRASKA	1
Department of Health and Human Services	MAINE	1
Department of Inspections and Appeals	IOWA	1
Department of Public Health	CALIFORNIA-RN, ALABAMA	2
Dept of Health	INDIANA	1
Dept of Health or Agency	CONNECTICUT	1
Dept of Public Health	CALIFORNIA-VN	1
Dept of State Health Services	TEXAS	1
Dept. of Health	HAWAII	1
Dept. of health and SD Home Health Association	SOUTH DAKOTA	1
Employer	MINNESOTA	1
Georgia Health Partnership	GEORGIA-PN	1
Health Care Facilities	TENNESSEE	1
Home Health Agencies	NORTH DAKOTA	1
Kansas Department of Aging	KANSAS	1
not regulated	LOUISIANA-RN, FLORIDA	2
Not regulated unless nurse aide	MICHIGAN	1
Ohio Department of Health	OHIO	1
Public Health	DELAWARE	1
State Department of Health	OKLAHOMA	1
State Department of Health and Welfare	IDAHO	1

state health department	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1
Unknown	COLORADO	1

The Board of Nursing is responsible for the competency evaluation of assistive personnel employed in acute care settings (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VERMONT, OKLAHOMA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA	10
No	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	46

The Board of Nursing maintains a registry of assistive personnel employed in nursing homes (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, VERMONT, VIRGINIA, ARKANSAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, SOUTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, NEVADA, ALASKA	14
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, WYOMING, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	43

If No, who does? (please identify)		Response Total
CNA Registry - Department of Health and Human Services	MAINE	1
DCCA/American Red Cross	HAWAII	1
Department of Health	MISSOURI, PENNSYLVANIA, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, WEST VIRGINIA-RN	5
Department of Health and Family Services	WISCONSIN	1
Department of Inspections and Appeals	IOWA	1
Department of Public Health	MASSACHUSETTS, CALIFORNIA-RN	2
Department of Public Health and Human Services tracks CNAs	MONTANA	1
Department of Public Health	ALABAMA	1
Department of Social and Health Services	WASHINGTON	1
Dept of Health	INDIANA	1
Dept of Public health	CALIFORNIA-VN	1
Dept of State Health Services	TEXAS	1
Division of Health Service Regulation NAI; BON lists NAII	NORTH CAROLINA	1



Division of Long Term Care residents protection	DELAWARE	1
Division of Public Health - Licensure Unit	NEBRASKA	1
DPH	ILLINOIS	1
Georgia Health Partnership	GEORGIA-PN	1
Health Care Facilities	TENNESSEE	1
Kansas Department of Aging	KANSAS	1
Louisiana Nursing Homes Administration	LOUISIANA-RN	1
Michigan Dept of Community Health - Bureau of Health Professions	MICHIGAN	1
MN Department of Health	MINNESOTA	1
ND Department of Health	NORTH DAKOTA	1
Not done	CONNECTICUT	1
Nursing Assistance Board/Department of Health	RHODE ISLAND	1
Office of Healthcare Licensure & Survey	WYOMING	1
Ohio Department of Health	OHIO	1
State Department of Health	OKLAHOMA	1
State Department of Health and Welfare	IDAHO	1
state health department	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1
The faculty itself	MISSISSIPPI	1
Unknown	COLORADO	1

The Board of Nursing maintains a registry of assistive personnel employed in home health care agencies (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NEW HAMPSHIRE, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, GUAM, NEVADA	8
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	48

If No, who does? (please identify)		Response Total
CNA Registry - Department of Health and Human Services	MAINE	1
DCCA/ARC	HAWAII	1
Department of Health	MISSOURI, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, WEST VIRGINIA-RN	4
Department of Inspections and Appeals	IOWA	1
Department of Public Health	CALIFORNIA-RN	1
Dept of Health	INDIANA	1

Dept of Public Health	CALIFORNIA-VN	1
Dept of Public Health and Human Services	MONTANA	1
Dept of State Health Services	TEXAS	1
Division of Health Service Regulation on NAI; BON lists NAI	NORTH CAROLINA	1
Division of Public Health - Licensure Unit	NEBRASKA	1
DNA	PENNSYLVANIA	1
DOH	SOUTH DAKOTA	1
Georgia Health Partnership	GEORGIA-PN	1
Kansas Department of Aging	KANSAS	1
N/A	DELAWARE	1
No one	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, LOUISIANA-RN, ARKANSAS, MISSISSIPPI	4
No Registry exists	OHIO	1
None	MINNESOTA	1
none at this time	VIRGIN ISLANDS	1
Not applicable	TENNESSEE	1
Not Done	CONNECTICUT	1
not regulated	FLORIDA	1
Not regulated unless nurse aide	MICHIGAN	1
Office of Healthcare Licensure & Survey	WYOMING	1
see above	RHODE ISLAND	1
State Department of Health	OKLAHOMA	1
State Department of Health and Welfare	IDAHO	1
state health department	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1
Unknown	ALABAMA, ALASKA, COLORADO	3

The Board of Nursing maintains a registry of assistive personnel disciplined for patient abuse (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, VERMONT, VIRGINIA, NEW HAMPSHIRE, SOUTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, OREGON, GUAM, NEVADA, ALASKA	12
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	45

The Board of Nursing investigates complaints filed against assistive personnel (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, MONTANA	19

No	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, UTAH, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, COLORADO, ARIZONA	37
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If No, who does? (please identify)		Response Total
Cabinet for Health and Family Services	KENTUCKY	1
CNA Registry - Department of Health and Human Services	MAINE	1
Department of Health	MISSOURI, PENNSYLVANIA, UTAH, WASHINGTON, SOUTH DAKOTA	5
Department of Health and Family Services	WISCONSIN	1
Department of Health and Hospitals	LOUISIANA-RN	1
Department of Health if the UAP is under their jurisdiction	WEST VIRGINIA-RN	1
Department of Inspections and Appeals	IOWA	1
Department of Public Health	MASSACHUSETTS, CALIFORNIA-RN, ALABAMA	3
Dept of Health	HAWAII, INDIANA, CONNECTICUT	3
Dept of Human Resources, Office of Regulatory Services, Long-term Care section	GEORGIA-PN	1
Dept of Public Health	CALIFORNIA-VN	1
Dept of State Health Services	TEXAS	1
DHHS Division of Health Service Regulation on NAI	NORTH CAROLINA	1
Division of Long Term Care residents protection	DELAWARE	1
Division of Public Health - Licensure Unit	NEBRASKA	1
Health Care Facilities, abuse only	TENNESSEE	1
Kansas Department of Aging	KANSAS	1
Michigan Dept of Community Health - Bureau of Health Professions	MICHIGAN	1
MN Department of Health	MINNESOTA	1
Ohio Department of Health	OHIO	1
see above	RHODE ISLAND	1
State Department of Health and Welfare	IDAHO	1
state health department	WEST VIRGINIA-PN	1

<b>The Board only investigates complaints against the assistive personnel the Board regulates</b>	OKLAHOMA	1
<b>Unknown</b>	COLORADO	1

<b>The Board has the authority to take disciplinary action on assistive personnel (yes/no)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, NORTH DAKOTA, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	21
<b>No</b>	AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, MISSOURI, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, HAWAII, UTAH, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, IDAHO, COLORADO	35

<b>If assistive personnel are required to pay any of the following fees - please provide the amount.- Application fee for exam</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>\$106</b>	OREGON	1
<b>\$110</b>	WASHINGTON	1
<b>\$25</b>	MONTANA	1
<b>\$35.00</b>	ARKANSAS	1
<b>\$45.</b>	NEW MEXICO	1
<b>\$50</b>	ALASKA	1
<b>\$80</b>	FLORIDA	1
<b>0</b>	IDAHO	1
<b>130.00</b>	VERMONT	1
<b>90.00</b>	WYOMING, NEVADA	2
<b>Not by Board</b>	KENTUCKY	1
<b>If assistive personnel are required to pay any of the following fees - please provide the amount.- Initial fee for certification/licensure</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>\$20</b>	MARYLAND	1
<b>\$200.00</b>	WEST VIRGINIA-RN	1
<b>\$24.00 - NAI</b>	NORTH CAROLINA	1
<b>\$30</b>	NORTH DAKOTA	1
<b>\$35</b>	IDAHO	1
<b>\$35.00</b>	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
<b>\$45 Endorsement</b>	ARIZONA	1
<b>\$45.</b>	NEW MEXICO	1
<b>\$48</b>	WASHINGTON	1
<b>\$50 + \$120</b>	ALASKA	1
<b>\$60</b>	OREGON	1
<b>0</b>	FLORIDA	1
<b>18.00</b>	NEBRASKA	1
<b>20</b>	OKLAHOMA	1
<b>20.00</b>	VERMONT	1
<b>50.00</b>	NEVADA	1

<b>50.00 application fee and 20.00 or 10.00 cert fee prorated</b>	NEW JERSEY	1
<b>60.00</b>	WYOMING	1
<b>70.00</b>	KENTUCKY	1
<b>n/a</b>	ARKANSAS	1
<b>If assistive personnel are required to pay any of the following fees - please provide the amount.- Renewal fee</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>\$100.00</b>	WEST VIRGINIA-RN	1
<b>\$120</b>	ALASKA	1
<b>\$24.00 - 2 yrs. - NAI</b>	NORTH CAROLINA	1
<b>\$25</b>	MONTANA	1
<b>\$30</b>	NORTH DAKOTA	1
<b>\$35.00</b>	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
<b>\$40</b>	MARYLAND	1
<b>\$40.00</b>	ARKANSAS	1
<b>\$45.</b>	NEW MEXICO	1
<b>\$50</b>	FLORIDA	1
<b>\$50.00 per biennium- CNA and Med. Aide</b>	VIRGINIA	1
<b>\$53</b>	WASHINGTON	1
<b>\$60</b>	OREGON	1
<b>\$65</b>	IDAHO	1
<b>18.00</b>	NEBRASKA	1
<b>20.00</b>	NEW JERSEY	1
<b>25</b>	OKLAHOMA	1
<b>30.00</b>	VERMONT	1
<b>50.00</b>	WYOMING, NEVADA	2
<b>70.00</b>	KENTUCKY	1
<b>If assistive personnel are required to pay any of the following fees - please provide the amount.-Late renewal</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>\$10/year</b>	ARIZONA	1
<b>\$35</b>	IDAHO	1
<b>\$50</b>	FLORIDA, ALASKA	2
<b>\$50.</b>	NEW MEXICO	1
<b>\$50.00</b>	ARKANSAS	1
<b>\$60</b>	NORTH DAKOTA	1
<b>(\$53 + \$53)</b>	WASHINGTON	1
<b>0.00</b>	NEVADA	1
<b>10.00 plus the 20.00 renewal fee</b>	NEW JERSEY	1
<b>25.00</b>	VERMONT, NEBRASKA, KENTUCKY	3
<b>35.00</b>	WYOMING	1
<b>If assistive personnel are required to pay any of the following fees - please provide the amount - Listing fee</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>0</b>	FLORIDA, IDAHO	2
<b>0.00</b>	WYOMING, NEVADA	2
<b>n/a</b>	WASHINGTON	1
<b>Not by Board</b>	KENTUCKY	1
<b>If assistive personnel are required to pay any of the following fees - please provide the amount - Verification</b>		<b>Response Total</b>

\$10	WASHINGTON, OREGON, ARIZONA	3
\$10 non-certified; \$40 certified	OKLAHOMA	1
\$20	ALASKA	1
\$25	FLORIDA	1
\$25 (paper only, online no cost)	MARYLAND	1
\$30	IDAHO	1
20.00	VERMONT	1
25.00	NEVADA	1
30.00 verification fee	NEW JERSEY	1
35.00	KENTUCKY	1
40.00	WYOMING	1
<b>If assistive personnel are required to pay any of the following fees - please provide the amount - Reinstatement</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
\$0	MARYLAND	1
\$120	ALASKA	1
\$30	NORTH DAKOTA	1
\$35.00	NEW HAMPSHIRE	1
\$5	OREGON	1
\$50	IDAHO	1
\$50.for lapsed / \$60. after Board action	NEW MEXICO	1
(\$52 + \$53 + \$53)	WASHINGTON	1
18.00	NEBRASKA	1
20.00 plus 20.00 certification renewal fee	NEW JERSEY	1
25.00	VERMONT	1
50.00	NEVADA	1
60.00	WYOMING	1
65	OKLAHOMA	1
70.00	KENTUCKY	1
n/a	ARKANSAS, FLORIDA	2
<b>If assistive personnel are required to pay any of the following fees - please provide the amount - Endorsement</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
\$20	MARYLAND	1
\$25	MONTANA	1
\$47	FLORIDA	1
\$50 + \$120	ALASKA	1
\$60	OREGON	1
\$65.00	ARKANSAS	1
0	IDAHO	1
60.00	WYOMING	1
n/a	WASHINGTON	1

Specific references to "delegation" appear in your Nurse Practice Act or Rules and Regulations (yes/no)		Response Total
Yes	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	48
No	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MISSOURI, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, CONNECTICUT, VIRGIN ISLANDS	10

If Yes, references to delegation apply to:		Response Total
Registered Nurses	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	46
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurses	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MINNESOTA, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, WYOMING, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	30

If Yes, references to "delegation" appear in (check all that apply):		Response Total
Nurse Practice Act	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, KENTUCKY, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	38
Rules and Regulations	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	44
Declaratory rulings/advisory opinions	MASSACHUSETTS, VERMONT, NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, WYOMING, ALASKA, ARIZONA	13
Position statements	MASSACHUSETTS, VERMONT, NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, LOUISIANA-RN, ARKANSAS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, KANSAS, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, ALASKA	16
Guidelines, etc.	NORTH CAROLINA, OKLAHOMA, LOUISIANA-RN, MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, KENTUCKY, MISSISSIPPI, IDAHO, NEVADA	11

<b>If No to all the above referenced options: The act of "delegation" is inferred in your Nurse Practice Act or Rules and Regulations (yes/no)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	MISSOURI, GEORGIA-PN, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, CONNECTICUT, TENNESSEE, VIRGIN ISLANDS, ARIZONA	8
<b>No</b>	AMERICAN SAMOA, CALIFORNIA-VN, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	3

<b>Are there specific references to tele-nursing in your Nurse Practice Act or Rules and Regulation (yes/no)?</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, GEORGIA-RN, HAWAII, KENTUCKY, ALABAMA, NEVADA	7
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-PN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, TENNESSEE, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, GUAM, WYOMING, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	50

<b>Is state licensure or authorization to practice required to care for clients in your state through tele-nursing (yes/no)?</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, MARYLAND, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, VERMONT, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, OKLAHOMA, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, VIRGINIA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, HAWAII, UTAH, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, ILLINOIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WEST VIRGINIA-PN, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, TENNESSEE, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, OREGON, IDAHO, WYOMING, NEVADA, ALASKA, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	47
<b>No</b>	AMERICAN SAMOA, CALIFORNIA-VN, INDIANA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM	7

<b>The Board of Nursing has a plan in place that would allow RNs to expand their scope of practice in disaster situation (yes/no)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	MARYLAND, VERMONT, OKLAHOMA, VIRGINIA, HAWAII, UTAH, CONNECTICUT, ALABAMA, MISSISSIPPI, GUAM, NEVADA, COLORADO	12
<b>No</b>	NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, AMERICAN SAMOA, MASSACHUSETTS, MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA, DELAWARE, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, NEW JERSEY, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, CALIFORNIA-RN, CALIFORNIA-VN, PENNSYLVANIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, GEORGIA-RN, LOUISIANA-RN, NEW MEXICO, ARKANSAS, MAINE, TEXAS, INDIANA, ILLINOIS, WISCONSIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, WASHINGTON, IOWA, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, FLORIDA, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE, OREGON, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, WYOMING, ALASKA, ARIZONA, MONTANA	43

<b>If Yes, can the RN dispense drugs from the national stockpile in an emergency (yes/no)</b>		<b>Response Total</b>
<b>Yes</b>	VERMONT, OKLAHOMA, HAWAII, UTAH, FLORIDA, MISSISSIPPI, GUAM, WYOMING, NEVADA	9
<b>No</b>	MARYLAND, RHODE ISLAND, MISSOURI, OHIO, NEW MEXICO, TEXAS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, WEST VIRGINIA-RN, NORTH DAKOTA, SOUTH DAKOTA, NEBRASKA, KANSAS, CONNECTICUT, ALABAMA, VIRGIN ISLANDS, IDAHO, COLORADO, ARIZONA, MONTANA	19



If Yes, please reference the statute or who has the authority?		Response Total
58-1-307	UTAH	1
Board of Pharmacy has the authority	NEW MEXICO	1
Governor and Dept. of Health	HAWAII	1
In the event of a disaster, DHEC would oversee nurses.	SOUTH CAROLINA	1
Ok Emergency Management Act, 63 OS Chapter 24; Emergency Management Compact, 63O.S. Section 684.1 et.seq.	OKLAHOMA	1
State Department of Health	MISSISSIPPI	1
the governor	NEVADA	1