



**EDUCATION COMMITTEE
MEETING AGENDA
Friday April 20, 2018
DCA-HQ2-North Market-Hearing Room
First Floor Room 186
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**2:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.
OR UNTIL COMPLETION OF BUSINESS**

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1. Call to Order.
2. Introduction of Committee Members and Board Staff.
3. Pledge of Allegiance.
4. Introduction of Approved Schools Represented at Meeting Based Upon Voluntary Sign- In.
6. Discussion and Possible Action to Make Recommendations to the Board Regarding the Current Curriculum Content Requirements for the Preparation of Prospective Practice of Entry Level Licensed Vocational Nurses and Psychiatric Technicians as Defined by Board Stakeholders.
7. Discussion and Possible Action Regarding the Approval of Request to Admit Students and Continued Approval Reports. This refers to programs with violations or issues that have been identified by the Assigned Nursing Education Consultant.
8. Discussion and Possible Action to Recommend Moving the Executive Officer's Report on Decisions for the VN and PT Programs to the Executive Committee Meeting.
9. Discussion and Possible Action Regarding the Restructuring of the Continuing Education Audit Process.
10. Suggestions for Future Agenda Items.
11. Adjournment.

The mission of the California Board of Vocational Nursing and Psychiatric Technicians (Board) is to protect the public. Public protection is paramount to the Board and its highest priority in exercising its licensing, regulatory, and disciplinary functions. Towards this end, the Board ensures that only qualified persons are licensed vocational nurses and psychiatric technicians by enforcing education requirements, standards of practice, and by educating consumers of their rights.

Action may be taken on any item on the addenda. The time and order of agenda items are subject to change at the discretion of the Committee Chairperson and may be taken out of order. In accordance with the Bagley-Keen Open Meeting Act, all meetings of the Board are open to the public.

Government Code section 11125.7 provides the opportunity for the public to address each agenda item during discussion or consideration by the Board prior to the Board taking any action on said item. Members of the public will be provided appropriate opportunities to comment on any issue before the Board, but the Committee Chairperson may, at his or her discretion, apportion available time among those who wish to speak. Individuals may appear before the Committee to discuss items not on the agenda; however, the Committee can neither discuss nor take official action on these items at the time of the same meeting (Government Code section 11125, 11125.7(a)).

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