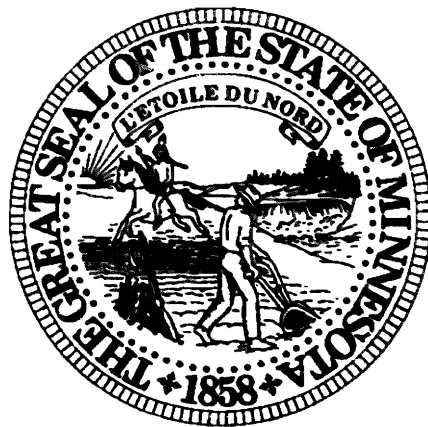


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MINNESOTA BOARD OF NURSING



BIENNIAL REPORT

JULY 1, 1994 THROUGH JUNE 30, 1996

BIENNIAL REPORT OF THE MINNESOTA

BOARD OF NURSING

LOCATION: 2700 University Avenue West, #108
St. Paul, Minnesota 55114

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: Minnesota Statutes Sections 148.171 to 148.285;
214.01 to 214.25

REPORT PERIOD: July 1, 1994 to June 30, 1996

SUBMITTED BY: Joyce M. Schowalter, ^{gms} Executive Director **DATE:** 10/1/96

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NURSING BOARD

Clause a: General Statement of Board Activities

The continuing and new authorized Board of Nursing activities during FY 95 and FY 96 were:

Continuing Activities

1. Licensure and registration by examination and interstate endorsement
2. Registration renewal including continuing education required of registered nurses and licensed practical nurses
3. Processing disciplinary complaints
4. Verification of licenses to other states and agencies
5. Approval of nursing education programs preparing for licensure
6. Registration of public health nurses
7. Authorization of nurse practitioners to prescribe drugs and therapeutic devices
8. Maintain lists of professional nursing organizations which meet criteria and have authority to certify registered nurses in advanced nursing practice categories
9. Registration of nursing corporations
10. Participation in HIV and HBV Prevention Program (M.S. 214.17-214.25)
11. Collect voluntary surcharge from licensees to fund a grant program administered by the Higher Education Coordinating Board (Repealed 6/30/95)

New Activities

1. Authorization of clinical nurse specialists in psychiatric and mental health nursing to prescribe drugs
2. Participate in Health Professionals Services Program (M.S. 214.31-214.37)

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Clause b: Total Number of Board Meetings Held FY 95: 6 FY96: 6 FY 95 and 96: 12

Approximate total number of hours spent by Board members at meetings and other Board activities.

Board Member	Meeting Type	FY 95	FY 96	FY 95 & 96	Other Activity Type	FY 95	FY 96	FY 95 & 96	Grand Total
Carol Belland LPN	Board	11	47.5	58.5	Disc. Conferences	0	12	12	70.5
	Committee	0	0	0	Other Meetings	0	0	0	
Marlys Bergstrom RN	Board	11	11.5	22.5	Disc. Conferences	0	0	0	22.5
	Committee	0	0	0	Other Meetings	0	0	0	
Debora Bösl LPN	Board	-	16.5	16.5	Disc. Conferences	-	0	0	16.5
	Committee	-	0	0	Other Meetings	-	0	0	
Diane Carlson RN	Board	64.5	48.5	113	Disc. Conferences	32	13	45	212.5
	Committee	6	17.5	23.5	Other Meetings	10	21	31	
Betty Hanna RN	Board	0	29	29	Disc. Conferences	0	10	10	59.5
	Committee	0	3.5	3.5	Other Meetings	0	17	17	
Susan Hennessy LPN	Board	64.5	54	118.5	Disc. Conferences	39	26	65	267
	Committee	27	40.5	67.5	Other Meetings	0	16	16	
Margaret Kotek RN	Board	41.5	46.5	88	Disc. Conferences	20	75	95	290.5
	Committee	10	3.5	13.5	Other Meetings	30	64	94	
Olive Krahl RN	Board	-	16.5	16.5	Disc. Conferences	-	7	7	23.5
	Committee	-	0	0	Other Meetings	-	0	0	
Loretta Larson Public Member	Board	11	44.5	55.5	Disc. Conferences	0	0	0	6.5
	Committee	0	2	2	Other Meetings	0	3	0	
Nancy Malmon Public Member	Board	36.5	-	36.5	Disc. Conferences	28	-	28	93
	Committee	12.5	-	12.5	Other Meetings	16	-	16	
Valeria Maloney LPN	Board	64.5	37.5	102	Disc. Conferences	10	7	17	128.5
	Committee	1.5	2	3.5	Other Meetings	6	0	6	

Board Member	Meeting Type	FY 95	FY 96	FY 95 & 96	Other Activity Type	FY 95	FY 96	FY 95 & 96	Grand Total
John McKenzie Public Member	Board Committee	55.5	53	108.5	Disc. Conferences	48	23	71	197
		3.5	14	17.5	Other Meetings	0	0	0	
Pearl Nelson LPN	Board Committee	53.5	-	53.5	Disc. Conferences	33	-	33	87.5
		1	-	1	Other Meetings	0	-	0	
Mary Ellen Quincer RN	Board Committee	0	-	0	Disc. Conferences	0	-	0	0
		0	-	0	Other Meetings	0	-	0	
LaRee Rowan LPN	Board Committee	64.5	13.5	78	Disc. Conferences	19	0	19	187.5
		3.5	0	3.5	Other Meetings	43	44	87	
Charlene Sawyer RN	Board Committee	54.5	42.5	97	Disc. Conferences	8	11	19	156.5
		1.5	3	4.5	Other Meetings	0	36	36	
Lora Schwartz RN	Board Committee	57.5	53	110.5	Disc. Conferences	18	3	21	167.5
		18.5	16.5	35	Other Meetings	0	1	1	
Linda Seppanen RN	Board Committee	45.5	54	99.5	Disc. Conferences	42	44	86	307.5
		23.5	18.5	42	Other Meetings	76	4	80	
James Small Public Member	Board Committee	56.5	44.5	101	Disc. Conferences	11	5	16	145.5
		5.5	0	5.5	Other Meetings	22	1	23	
Joseph Stansbury RN, CRNA	Board Committee	50.5	22.5	73	Disc. Conferences	4	0	4	126
		0	6	6	Other Meetings	42	1	43	
Darlene Steiger RN	Board Committee	44.5	-	44.5	Disc. Conferences	4	-	4	62
		9.5	-	9.5	Other Meetings	4	-	4	
Steve Swonder Public Member	Board Committee	34.5	27	61.5	Disc. Conferences	14	22	36	119.5
		0	6	6	Other Meetings	0	16	16	
Barbara Thomas RN, FNP	Board Committee	-	16.5	16.5	Disc. Conferences	-	0	0	29
		-	12.5	12.5	Other Meetings	-	0	0	
Margaret Wahlfors RN	Board Committee	34.5	-	34.5	Disc. Conferences	6	-	6	59.5
		19	-	19	Other Meetings	0	-	0	

NURSING BOARD

Clause c: The receipts and disbursements of board funds

	<u>FY95</u>	<u>FY96***</u>	<u>FY95-96</u>
Total State Appropriations			
General Operations	1,535,025	1,741,739	3,276,764
Computer Project	<u> -</u>	<u> 548,000</u>	<u> 548,000</u>
Total	<u>1,535,025</u>	<u>2,289,739</u>	<u>3,824,764</u>
 Total Receipts			
Fee Receipts	2,200,814	2,363,485	4,564,299
Voluntary Surcharge	<u> 30,835</u>	<u> -</u>	<u> 30,835</u>
Total	<u>2,231,649</u>	<u>2,363,485</u>	<u>4,595,134</u>
 Total Disbursements			
General Operations	1,473,798	1,455,616	2,929,414
Computer Project	-	349,152	349,152
Indirect Costs:			
Admin Serv Unit	15,310	45,013	60,323
Health Prof Serv Prog	67,658	95,624	163,282
Attorney General	267,807	376,204	644,011
HIV/HBV - MDH	37,531	37,858	75,389
Statewide Indirect	35,993	35,084	71,077
MN HECB (Vol. surcharge)*	27,865	-	27,865
Rulemaking	11,562	-	11,562
Refunds**	<u> 360</u>	<u> -</u>	<u> 360</u>
Total	<u>1,937,884</u>	<u>2,394,551</u>	<u>4,332,435</u>

* Vol. Surcharge repealed 6/30/95

** Refunds treated as reduction of revenues effective FY96

*** FY96 Expenditures actual as of 8/31/96

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Clause d: List of Board Members who served during FY 95 and FY 96

Number of board members required by statute: 16

The statutory length of term: 4 years

<u>NAME & ADDRESS</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>	<u>BEGIN AND END DATE OF APPOINTMENT AND EACH REAPPOINTMENT</u>
Nancy Malmon Minneapolis	Professional Volunteer	5/3/84 - 1/25/87 1/26/87 - 4/6/91 4/7/91 - 5/1/95
Pearl Nelson Parkers Prairie	LPN	4/7/91 - 5/1/95
Mary Ellen Quincer Wadena	RN	4/7/91 - 7/26/94
Lora Schwartz Rochester	RN	3/25/92 - 2/4/96 2/5/96 - 1/00
Margaret Wahlfors Bloomington	RN	10/19/92 - 7/7/95
Diane Carlson Mantorville	RN	2/24/93 - 1/97
Steve Swonder Minneapolis	Office Specialist - Adult Services	2/24/93 - 5/2/96
Valeria Maloney Austin	LPN	5/31/93 - 1/97
LaRee Rowan Lakeville	LPN	8/1/93 - 2/4/96
Charlene Sawyer Grand Rapids	RN	8/1/93 - 3/16/94 3/17/94 - 1/98

Clause d: (continued)

Linda Seppanen Winona	RN	8/1/93 - 1/97
James Small Mendota Heights	Retired	8/1/93 - 2/4/96 2/5/96 - 1/00
Joseph Stansbury Woodbury	RN, CRNA	8/1/93 - 2/4/96
Darlene Steiger Hibbing	RN	8/1/93 - 5/1/95
Susan Hennessy Deephaven	LPN	3/17/94 - 1/98
John McKenzie St. Paul	Judicial Clerk	3/17/94 - 1/98
Margaret Kotek Champlin	RN	10/18/94 - 5/1/95 5/2/95 - 1/99
Carol Belland Thief River Falls	LPN	5/2/95 - 1/99
Marlys Bergstrom Richfield	RN	5/2/95 - 10/20/95
Loretta Larson Fergus Falls	Community Volunteer	5/2/95 - 1/99
Betty Hanna Andover	RN	9/26/95 - 2/4/96 2/5/96 - 1/00
Debora Bösl Sauk Centre	LPN	2/5/96 - 1/00
Barbara Thomas Eagan	RN, FNP	2/5/96 - 1/00
Olive Krahl Monticello	RN	2/5/96 - 1/99

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Clause e: List of Board employees who were employed during FY 95 and/or FY 96

Name	Job Classification/Title & Class	Class Code	FT PT	Dates of Service
Leona Bender	Mail Processor-Clerk Typist 2	000980	X	12/13/78-present
Shirley Brekken	Associate Executive Director	003076	X	5/10/93-present
Joy Christensen	Lic. Specialist-Clerk Typist 3	001384	X	10/14/87-present
Joan Detzler	Comp. Serv. Coord.-Clerk Typist 4	000666	X	6/4/80-present
Joan Figgs	Receptionist-Clerk Typist 1	000180	X	6/2/94-present
Constance Gadow	C.E. Specialist-Clerk Typist 3	001929	X	9/27/89-present
Loreta Gayle	Batching Clerk-Clerk Typist 2	000980	X	9/17/75-present
Deanne Gueblaoui	Lic. Reg. Asst.-Clerk Typist 4	029320	X	6/20/96-present
Barbara E.D. Johnson	Asst. Dir.-Nursing Educ. Spec.	000478	X	1/21/92-present
Sandra Johnson	Office Asst.-Clerk Typist 1	01002329	X	6/20/96-present
Cheryl Kohanek	Reg. Specialist-Clerk Typist 3	001929	X	3/12/90-present
Timothy Leithauser	Accounting Technician	000774	X	2/12/92-10/25/94 4/24/95-present
Sandra MacKenzie	Asst. Dir.-Nursing Educ. Spec.	000478	X	8/4/75-present
Janice Maurer	Secretary-Clerk Typist 2	000980	X	10/19/92-present
Sheryl Meyer	Nsg. Reg. Analyst-Investigator	001800	X	4/4/94-present
Rene Panelli	Asst. Dir.-Nursing Educ. Spec.	000478	X	5/10/93-present
Gloria Passer	Secretary-Clerk Typist 3	001929	X	12/18/89-present
Kathleen Rekow	Secretary-Clerk Typist 2	424070	X	2/13/95-present

Name	Job Classification/Title & Class	Class Code	FT	PT	Dates of Service
Anne Ringquist	Nsg. Programs Analyst-Reg. Nurse, Sr.	001880	X		6/6/90-present
Gina Running	Data Entry Operator	000402	X		1/26/94-present
Tina Scanlon	Secretary-Clerk Typist 2	000980	X		6/12/92-present
Joyce M. Schowalter	Executive Director	008146	X		6/4/73-present
Robert Suchanek	Info. Systems Mgr.-Info. Sys. Spec. 3	601540	X		5/3/95-present
Kimberly Urahn	Secretary-Clerk Typist 2	000980	X		2/16/93-present
Mary Wasserman	Secretary-Clerk Typist 2	314060	X		5/20/96-present
David Weihrauch	Data Entry Operator	222090	X		4/17/95-present
Marilyn Wolner	Officer Mgr.-Off. Serv. Supervisor 2	002118	X		8/23/79-present
Tamera Zappa	Admin. Asst.-Clerk Typist 4	000666	X		12/18/89-present
Catherine Zechmeister	Sec./Depositor-Clerk Typist 3	001929	X		6/27/84-present
Terry Buche	Nsg. Reg. Analyst-Investigator	001800	X		1/16/80-2/21/96
Carla Duellman	Office Assistant-Clerk Typist 1	000180	X		3/28/94-9/20/94
Mary Flister	Lic./Reg. Asst.-Clerk Typist 4	000666	X		8/26/92-7/12/94
Frank Fly	Management Analyst 3	000893	X		2/10/93-6/30/95
Stephanie Rawn	Secretary-Clerk Typist 2	000980	X		6/15/94-7/26/94
Lenore Roepke	Secretary-Clerk Typist 2	000980	X		6/1/94-12/13/94
Marlene White	Office Asst.-Clerk Typist 1	001929	X		12/30/92-6/25/96

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Clause f: Brief summary of Board rules proposed or adopted during FY 95 and FY 96 with citations to the State Register.

Topic	State Register Date	
	Proposed	Adopted
Registration Renewal Fees	19 S.R. 213 8/1/94	19 S.R. 1131 11/14/94
Clinical Specialist Prescribing Authority	19 S.R. 1452 1/3/95	19 S.R. 2223 5/8/95
Experimental Nursing Programs; Licensure Without Examination and Registration Fees	20 S.R. 1788 12/26/95	20 S.R. 2429 4/8/96

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Clause g: List the number of persons having each type of license and registration issued by the Board as of June 30, 1996.

Type of License/Registration	Total Number in Effect
Registered Nurse license	54,500
Licensed Practical Nurse license	22,971
Public Health Nurse registration	8,109
Professional nursing corporation registration	12

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Clause h: Administration of Examinations by Board

Location	Type of License/ Registration	Date(s)	Written
Bloomington	RN & LPN	7/1/94-6/30/96	X (computer)
Maplewood	RN & LPN	7/1/94-6/30/96	X "
Duluth	RN & LPN	7/1/94-6/30/96	X "

Licensing examinations for RN and LPN licensure in Minnesota are available at over 150 locations in the United States.

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Clauses i, j, k: Minnesota Residents by Type of Licensure/Registration

The number of Minnesota Residents only who were examined and either licensed/registered or not licensed/registered after being examined for the type of licensure/registration noted.

Type of Licensure/Registration: REGISTERED NURSE

FY 95									
Age Group	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Reg		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Under 18									
18-25	44	632	676	43	539	582	1	93	94
26-34	83	462	545	70	425	495	13	37	50
35-59	57	445	502	55	421	476	2	24	26
60-65									
66 +									
Total	184	1,539	1,723	168	1,385	1,553	16	154	170
% of Total	11	89	100	11	89	100	9	91	100

FY 96									
Age Group	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Reg		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Under 18									
18-25	58	629	687	52	503	555	6	126	132
26-34	76	444	520	62	406	468	14	38	52
35-59	76	384	460	65	345	410	11	39	50
60-65									
66 +									
Total	210	1,457	1,667	179	1,254	1,433	31	203	234
% of Total	13	87	100	12	88	100	13	87	100

FY 95 & 96									
Age Group	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Reg		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Under 18									
18-25	102	1,261	1,363	95	1,042	1,137	7	219	226
26-34	159	906	1,065	132	831	963	27	75	102
35-59	133	829	962	120	766	886	13	63	76
60-65									
66 +									
Total	394	2,996	3,390	347	2,639	2,986	47	357	404
% of Total	12	88	100	12	88	100	12	88	100

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Clauses i, j, k: Non-Minnesota Residents* by Type of Licensure/Registration

The number of Non-Minnesota Residents only who were examined and either licensed/registered or not licensed/registered after being examined for the type of licensure/registration noted.

*Defined as graduates of nursing programs outside Minnesota.

Type of Licensure/Registration: REGISTERED NURSE

FY 95									
Age Group	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Reg		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Under 18									
18-25	22	191	213	14	145	159	8	46	54
26-34	24	181	205	11	107	118	13	74	87
35-59	11	198	209	6	92	98	5	106	111
60-65	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
66 +									
Total	57	571	628	31	345	376	26	226	252
% of Total	9	91	100	8	92	100	10	90	100

FY 96									
Age Group	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Reg		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Under 18									
18-25	26	216	242	16	170	186	10	46	56
26-34	18	133	151	12	69	81	6	64	70
35-59	14	175	189	8	78	86	6	97	103
60-65									
66 +									
Total	58	524	582	36	317	353	22	207	229
% of Total	10	90	100	10	90	100	10	90	100

FY 95 & 96									
Age Group	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Reg		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Under 18									
18-25	48	407	455	30	315	345	18	92	110
26-34	42	314	356	23	176	199	19	138	157
35-59	25	373	398	14	170	184	11	203	214
60-65	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
66 +									
Total	115	1,095	1,210	67	662	729	48	433	481
% of Total	10	90	100	9	91	100	10	90	100

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Clauses i, j, k: Non-Minnesota Residents* by Type of License/Registration

The number of Non-Minnesota Residents only who were examined and either licensed/registered or not licensed/registered after being examined for the type of licensure/registration noted, listed by state or country location of nursing program.

*Defined as graduates of nursing programs outside Minnesota

Type of License/Registration: REGISTERED NURSE

State	FY 95									FY 96									FY 95 & 96								
	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Regis			Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Regis			Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Regis		
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T
AL	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	2
AZ										0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0
CA	2	2	4	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	3	5	2	3	5	0	0	0
CO	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	1	2	0	0	0
CT										0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
FL	1	2	3	1	2	3	0	0	0	1	2	3	1	2	3	0	0	0	2	4	6	2	4	6	0	0	0
GA	0	3	3	0	3	3	0	0	0									0	3	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	
IA	1	31	32	1	28	29	0	3	3	2	37	39	1	30	31	1	7	8	3	68	71	2	58	60	1	10	11
IL	0	10	10	0	4	4	0	6	6	0	10	10	0	7	7	0	3	3	0	20	20	0	11	11	0	9	9
IN	0	3	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	3	3	0	1	1	0	7	7	0	6	6	0	1	1
KS	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	2	2	0	1	1
MA	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0									0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	
MI	0	3	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	1	3	4	1	3	4	0	0	0	1	6	7	1	6	7	0	0	0
MD										0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0
MO	0	3	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	5	5	0	0	0
MT	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0									0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	
ND	1	12	13	1	12	13	0	0	0	4	15	19	4	15	19	0	0	0	5	27	32	5	27	32	0	0	0
N3	1	7	8	1	6	7	0	1	1	0	7	7	0	4	4	0	3	3	1	14	15	1	10	11	0	4	4
NH										1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
NM	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0									0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	
NV										0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
NY	3	15	18	3	14	17	0	1	1	3	30	33	2	30	32	1	0	1	6	45	51	5	44	49	1	1	2
OH	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	4	4	0	0	0
OR	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0									0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	
SD	5	26	31	3	25	28	2	1	3	2	38	40	2	30	32	0	8	8	7	64	71	5	55	60	2	9	11
TX	0	4	4	0	1	1	0	3	3	0	4	4	0	3	3	0	1	1	0	8	8	0	4	4	0	4	4
UT										1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
VA	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0									0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	

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Clauses i j, k: (continued)

Type of License/Registration: REGISTERED NURSE

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State	FY 95									FY 96									FY 95 & 96											
	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Regis			Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Regis			Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Regis					
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T			
WA	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1
WI	4	29	33	4	28	32	0	1	1	2	32	34	2	27	29	0	5	5	6	61	67	6	55	61	0	6	6			
WY										0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0			
SUBTOTAL	18	163	181	16	145	161	2	18	20	18	199	217	15	169	184	3	30	33	36	362	398	31	314	345	5	48	53			
CANAD	19	133	152	13	114	127	6	19	25	27	148	175	21	112	133	6	36	42	46	281	327	34	226	260	12	55	67			
INDIA	0	72	72	0	25	25	0	47	47	0	27	27	0	2	2	0	25	25	0	99	99	0	27	27	0	72	72			
PHILPS	17	116	133	0	24	24	17	92	109	11	104	115	0	17	17	11	87	98	28	220	248	0	41	41	28	179	207			
TAIWN	0	19	19	0	8	8	0	11	11	0	10	10	0	3	3	0	7	7	0	29	29	0	11	11	0	18	18			
OTHER FRGN	3	68	71	2	29	31	1	39	40	2	36	38	0	14	14	2	22	24	5	104	109	2	43	45	3	61	64			
SUBTOTAL	39	408	447	15	200	215	24	208	232	40	325	365	21	148	169	19	177	196	79	733	812	36	348	384	43	385	428			
GRAND TOTAL	57	571	628	31	345	376	26	226	252	58	504	582	36	317	353	22	207	229	115	1,085	1,210	67	662	729	48	433	481			

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Clauses i, j, k: Minnesota Residents by Type of Licensure/Registration

The number of Minnesota Residents only who were examined and either licensed/registered or not licensed/registered after being examined for the type of licensure/registration noted.

Type of Licensure/Registration: LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE

FY 95									
Age Group	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Reg		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Under 18									
18-25	42	489	531	28	420	448	14	69	83
26-34	64	313	377	46	322	368	51	18	69
35-59	52	325	377	41	288	329	11	37	48
60-65	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
66 +									
Total	158	1,128	1,286	115	1,031	1,146	76	124	200
% of Total	12	88	100	10	90	100	38	62	100

FY 96									
Age Group	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Reg		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Under 18									
18-25	47	463	510	39	401	440	8	62	70
26-34	52	368	420	41	331	372	11	37	48
35-59	42	318	360	33	276	309	9	42	51
60-65									
66 +									
Total	141	1,149	1,290	113	1,008	1,121	28	141	169
% of Total	11	89	100	10	90	100	17	83	100

FY 95 & 96									
Age Group	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Reg		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Under 18									
18-25	89	952	1,041	67	821	888	22	131	153
26-34	116	681	797	87	653	740	62	55	117
35-59	94	643	737	74	564	638	20	79	99
60-65	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
66 +									
Total	299	2,277	2,576	228	2,039	2,267	104	265	369
% of Total	12	88	100	10	90	100	28	72	100

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Clauses i, j, k: Non-Minnesota Residents* by Type of Licensure/Registration

The number of Non-Minnesota Residents only who were examined and either licensed/registered or not licensed/registered after being examined for the type of licensure/registration noted.

*Defined as graduates of nursing programs outside Minnesota.

Type of Licensure/Registration: **LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE**

FY 95									
Age Group	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Reg		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Under 18									
18-25	4	6	10	4	6	10	0	0	0
26-34	1	10	11	1	7	8	0	3	3
35-59	1	15	16	1	10	11	0	5	5
60-65									
66 +									
Total	6	31	37	6	23	29	0	8	8
% of Total	16	84	100	21	79	100	0	100	100

FY 96									
Age Group	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Reg		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Under 18									
18-25	3	11	14	3	11	14	0	0	0
26-34	2	16	18	2	11	13	0	5	5
35-59	0	5	5	0	3	3	0	2	2
60-65									
66 +									
Total	5	32	37	5	25	30	0	7	7
% of Total	14	86	100	17	83	100	0	100	100

FY 95 & 96									
Age Group	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Reg		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Under 18									
18-25	7	17	24	7	17	24	0	0	0
26-34	3	26	29	3	18	21	0	8	8
35-59	1	20	21	1	13	14	0	7	7
60-65									
66 +									
Total	11	67	74	11	48	59	0	15	15
% of Total	15	85	100	19	81	100	0	100	100

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Clauses i, j, k: Non-Minnesota Residents* by Type of License/Registration

The number of Non-Minnesota Residents only who were examined and either licensed/registered or not licensed/registered after being examined for the type of licensure/registration noted, listed by state or country location of nursing program.

*Defined as graduates of nursing programs outside Minnesota

Type of License/Registration: LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE

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State	FY 95									FY 96									FY 95 & 96									
	Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Regis			Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Regis			Examined			Lic/Regis			Not Lic/Regis			
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	
AR	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0										0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	
CA	0	4	4	0	3	3	0	1	1	0	3	3	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	7	7	0	5	5	0	2	2	
CO										0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	
GA	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0										0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	
IA	0	7	7	0	7	7	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	12	12	0	12	12	0	0	0	
IL	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	1	1	
KS										0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	
MI	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0										0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	
MS										0	3	3	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	3	3	0	2	2	0	1	1	
MT	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	
ND	0	3	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	7	7	0	7	7	0	0	0	
OH	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1										0	1	1				0	1	1	
PR	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	3	3	
SD	1	1	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	3	1	2	3	0	0	0	
TX	5	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	0	4	4	8	4	4	8	0	0	0	9	4	13	9	4	13	0	0	0	
UT	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	
VI										0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	
WA										0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	
WI										0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	
SUBTOTAL																												
	6	24	30	6	20	26	0	4	4	5	28	33	5	23	28	0	5	5	11	52	63	11	43	54	0	9	9	
CANAD	0	4	4	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	6	6	0	4	4	0	2	2	
OTHER FRGN	0	3	3	0	1	1	2	2	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	5	5	0	1	1	0	4	4	
SUBTOTAL																												
	0	7	7	0	3	3	0	4	4	0	4	4	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	11	11	0	5	5	0	6	6	
GRAND TOTAL																												
	6	31	37	6	23	29	0	8	8	5	32	37	5	25	30	0	7	7	11	63	74	11	48	59	0	15	15	

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Clause 1: The number of persons not taking examinations who were licensed or registered by the board or who were denied licensing or registration with the reasons for licensing or registration or denial thereof.

	FY 95	FY 96	FY 95 & 96
Total number of persons <u>not</u> taking exams and granted licenses or registration	950	1,062	2,012
Total number of persons <u>not</u> taking exams and denied licenses or registration	0	0	0

Type of License/Registration: REGISTERED NURSE

For each person give:

State of Residence	Age Group						Gender		Method of Lic/Regis	Grant	Deny	Reasons for Granting or Denial
	0-18	19-25	26-34	35-59	60-65	66+	M	F				
AL			3	3				6	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
AK			2	1				3	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
AZ		6	10	15				4 27	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
AR		1	4	4				2 7	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
CA		10	47	63				12 108	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
CO		4	12	10				3 23	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
CT			6	6				12	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
DE				3				1 2	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
DC			1	4				5	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
FL		5	15	23				9 34	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
GA		2	7	14				4 19	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
GU				1				1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
HI		1	6	1				8	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
ID		1	4					1 4	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
IL		24	64	77	3	1		13 156	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
IN		13	18	14	1			3 43	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.

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Clause I: (continued)

Type of License/Registration: REGISTERED NURSE

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State of Residence	Age Group						Gender		Method of Lic/Regis	Grant	Deny	Reasons for Granting or Denial
	0-18	19-25	26-34	35-59	60-65	66+	M	F				
IA		53	73	106			17	215	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
KS		5	11	12	2		3	27	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
KY		1	3	2			1	5	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
LA		1	4	9			2	12	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
ME		1						1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
MD		3	10	10				23	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
MA		9		14			1	22	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
MI		14	25	28			5	62	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
MS			1	2				3	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
MO		5	19	16			7	33	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
MT		4	9	6			5	14	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
NE		10	14	15			4	35	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
NV		1	3	1			1	4	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
NJ		1	1	5			1	6	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
NM			4	2			1	5	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
NY		6	19	35	2		2	60	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
NC		3	3	6			3	9	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
ND		34	65	91	2		15	177	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
OH		7	13	19			3	36	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
OK		2	6	7			2	13	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
OR			6	4			1	9	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
PA		6	9	22	1		6	32	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
RI		1	3					4	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
SC			1	3	1			5	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
SD		37	46	58			10	131	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
TN			11	8			3	16	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
TX		6	31	28	1		12	54	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
UT		2	6	3			3	8	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.

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Clause 1: (continued)

Type of License/Registration: REGISTERED NURSE

State of Residence	Age Group						Gender		Method of Lic/Regis	Grant	Deny	Reasons for Granting or Denial
	0-18	19-25	26-34	35-59	60-65	66+	M	F				
VT		2	1	4				7	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
VI		1						1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
VA		9	1	8				18	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
WA		5	14	11			2	28	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
WV		2	5	3				10	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
WI		62	90	119			28	243	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
WY		3	1	3			1	6	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
CANADA		14	12	3			3	26	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
TOTAL		377	719	902	13	1	194	1,818				

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Clause 1: The number of persons not taking examinations who were licensed or registered by the board or who were denied licensing or registration with the reasons for licensing or registration or denial thereof.

	FY 95	FY 96	FY 95 & 96
Total number of persons <u>not</u> taking exams and granted licenses or registration	159	195	354
Total number of persons <u>not</u> taking exams and denied licenses or registration	0	1	1

Type of License/Registration: **LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE**

For each person give:

State of Residence	Age Group						Gender		Method of Lic/Regis	Grant	Deny	Reasons for Granting or Denial
	0-18	19-25	26-34	35-59	60-65	66+	M	F				
AL		1	1	4			1	5	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
AK				1				1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
AZ				3				3	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
AR			4					4	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
CA		1	10	11			2	20	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
CO		2	2	5			5	4	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
CT			1					1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
DC				1			1		Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
FL		1	6	8				15	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
GA			1	1				2	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
HI			2					2	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
ID		1		2				3	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
IL		1	2	9			3	9	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
			1				1		Examination		X	Unacceptable education. (didn't write)
IN		2	1	3			2	5	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.

State of Residence	Age Group						Gender		Method of Lic/Regis	Grant	Deny	Reasons for Granting or Denial
	0-18	19-25	26-34	35-59	60-65	66+	M	F				
IA		8	12	21			2	39	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
KS			1	2				3	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
KY				1				1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
LA				2				2	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
ME			1	1			1	1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
MD			2				1	1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
MA			1	1				2	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
MI		1	2	4				7	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
MS			1	1			1	1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
MO		1	3	4			2	6	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
MT		1	2	2				5	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
NE		2		3				5	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
NV		1						1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
NJ			3	7			2	8	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
NM				1				1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
NY		1	6	8			1	14	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
NC		1	1	1				3	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
ND		4	19	18			5	36	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
OH			2	5	1			8	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
OK			3	5			2	6	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
PA			3	2			1	4	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
RI			1					1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
SC			1	2			1	2	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
SD		4	6	6	1		1	16	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
TN			2	2			1	3	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
TX		1	3	6				10	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
UT				1			1		Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
VA		1	1	2				4	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
WA		2	4	2			2	6	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
WV				1				1	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
WI		8	15	22			1	44	Endorsement	X		Met requirements.
TOTAL		45	125	181	3		39	315				

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Clause m: Persons previously licensed or registered by the Board whose licenses or registrations were revoked, suspended or otherwise altered in status, with brief statements of the reason for the revocation, suspension or alteration. Action taken at the time of initial licensure is included.

First Action During FY 95-96	FY 95 Type of License				FY96 Type of License				FY 95 & 96 Type of License			
	RN	LPN	Both	Total	RN	LPN	Both	Total	RN	LPN	Both	Total
Revocation	1	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	3
Suspension	15	21	4	40	14	14	4	32	29	35	8	72
Automatic Suspension	3	0	0	3	3	2	0	5	6	2	0	8
Suspension and Civil Penalty	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Limited	14	8	5	27	6	0	1	7	20	8	6	34
Limited and Civil Penalty	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	1	0	1	2
Conditional	26	18	2	46	7	6	1	14	33	24	3	60
Conditional and Civil Penalty	3	2	0	5	1	4	0	5	4	6	0	10
Civil Penalty and Reprimand	49	32	4	85	34	35	7	76	83	67	11	161
Conditional, Civil Penalty and Reprimand	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Reprimand	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
Civil Penalty	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	1	2
Inactive Status	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	1	2	1	0	3
Voluntary Surrender and Civil Penalty	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	1	1	0	2
Voluntary Surrender of License/ Registration	15	13	3	31	5	13	0	18	20	26	3	49
Stipulation to Cease Practicing Nursing	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	2
Denial of Licensure	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	2	1	0	3
Corrective Action	4	7	0	11	2	0	2	4	6	7	2	15
Subsequent Status Change	14	9	0	23	14	7	2	23	28	16	2	46
All License Encumbrances Removed	29	22	5	56	35	27	3	65	64	49	8	121
Total Actions	178	136	26	340	125	112	22	259	303	248	48	599
Total Number of Nurses	159	130	24	313	123	111	22	256	282	241	46	569

<u>TYPE OF LICENSE AND FISCAL YEAR</u>	<u>TYPE OF STATUS CHANGE</u>	REASON FOR STATUS CHANGE INCLUDING GROUNDS VIOLATED UNDER MINN. STAT. <u>SECTION 148.261, SUBD. 1</u>
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1	Voluntary Surrender	8, 17
2	Suspended	8
3	Conditional and Civil Penalty	5, 8
4	Voluntary Surrender	Out of Nursing
5	Suspended	8
6	Conditional License	8
7	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
8	Voluntary Surrender	5, 8 17
9	Voluntary Surrender	17
10	Conditions removed	Met requirements
11	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
12	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
13	Suspended	17
14	Conditions removed	Met requirements
15	Voluntary Surrender	5
16	Voluntary Surrender	Out of Nursing
17	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
18	Reprimand	6
19	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
20	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17

21	Limited and Conditional License	3, 8
22	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
23	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
24	Conditional License	8
25	Suspended	5, 8
26	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
27	Conditions removed	Met requirements
28	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	5
29	Conditional License	8
30	Conditions removed	Met requirements
31	Conditional License	5, 8
32	Limited and Conditional License	8
33	Civil penalty and Conditional License	5, 10, 17
34	Limited and Conditional License	10, 17
35	Voluntary Surrender	5
36	Suspended (Automatic)	9
37	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
38	Voluntary Surrender	17
39	Limited and Conditional License	5, 8
40	Suspended	8, 17

41	Conditional License	5
42	Conditional License	4, 8
43	Conditional License	6
44	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
45	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
46	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
47	Conditions removed	Met requirements
48	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
49	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	16
50	Voluntary Surrender	Out of nursing
51	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
52	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
53	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
54	Limited and Conditional License	8
54a	Suspended	8, 17
55	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
56	Limited and Conditional License	5
57	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
58	Conditional License	11
58a	Conditions removed	Met requirements
59	Conditions removed	Met requirements
60	Suspended	6, 12, 17

61	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
62	Agreement for Corrective Action	5, 6
63	Conditional License	6
64	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
65	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
66	Conditional License	5
67	Suspended	17
68	Conditional and Civil Penalty	6, 21
69	Voluntary surrender	Out of Nursing
70	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
71	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
72	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
73	Stayed Suspension (Conditional license)	8
73a	Suspended	8, 17
74	Suspended (Automatic)	9
75	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
76	Suspended	8
76a	Suspension removed; Conditional license	Met requirements
77	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
78	Conditional License	11
79	Inactive Status	Not residing in Minnesota

80	Suspended	17
81	Denial of Licensure	8
81a	Conditional Licensure Granted	Met requirements
82	Suspended	11
83	Conditions removed	Met requirements
84	Agreement for Corrective Action	5, 15
84a	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
85	Conditions removed	Met requirements
86	Conditional License	5, 8
87	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
88	Stipulation to Cease Practicing Nursing	5, 6
89	Conditional License	8
90	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
91	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
92	Conditions removed	Met requirements
93	Conditional License	8
94	Conditions removed	Met requirements
95	Limited and Conditional License	5
96	Suspended	8, 10
96a	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
97	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17

98	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
99	Conditional License	5
99a	Conditions removed	Met requirements
100	Suspension removed; Limited and Conditional License	Met requirements
101	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
102	Limited and Conditional License	8
103	Conditional License	5
103a	Suspended	5, 17
104	Conditional License	5
104a	Suspended	5, 17
105	Limited and Conditional License	6
106	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
107	Conditions removed	Met requirements
108	Revoked	4
109	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
110	Suspended	17
111	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
112	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
113	Voluntary Surrender	5, 8
114	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	8
115	Voluntary Surrender	5

116	Conditional License	8, 17
117	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17, 20
118	Voluntary Surrender	Out of nursing
119	Voluntary Surrender	5
120	Suspended	5, 8
121	Suspended	3, 8
122	Conditional License	11
123	Conditions removed	Met requirements
124	Conditional License	5
125	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
126	Conditions removed	Met requirements
127	Limited and Conditional License	4, 8
128	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
129	Reprimand, Civil Penalty and Conditional License	10, 20
129a	Conditions removed	Met requirements
130	Conditions removed	Met requirements
131	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
132	Suspended	8
133	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
134	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
135	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements

136	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
137	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
138	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	3, 8, 17
139	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
140	Conditions removed	Met requirements
141	Conditions removed	Met requirements
142	Conditional License	4, 8
143	Conditions removed	Met requirements
144	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
145	Voluntary Surrender	8
146	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
147	Conditional License	5
148	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
149	Suspension removed (license reinstated)	Met requirements
150	Conditional License	5
151	Reprimand, Civil Penalty and Conditional License	6
151a	Conditions removed	Met requirements
152	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
152a	Conditions removed	Met requirements
153	Limited and Conditional License	5, 8

154	Voluntary Surrender	8
155	Conditional License	Met requirements
156	Voluntary Surrender removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
157	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
158	Voluntary Surrender	4, 5, 8
159	Limited and Conditional License	8
160	Suspension removed Conditional License	Met requirements
161	Limited and Conditional License	3, 8
162	Agreement for Corrective Action	5, 17
162a	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
163	Conditional License	6, 8
164	Conditions removed	Met requirements
165	Conditions removed	Met requirements
166	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
167	Conditional License	3, 8
168	Agreement for Corrective Action	10
169	Conditions removed	Met requirements
170	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
171	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
172	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17

173	Conditions removed	Met requirements
174	Limited and Conditional License	5
175	Conditions removed	Met requirements
176	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
177	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
178	Suspension removed; Limited and Conditional License	Met requirements
179	Conditional License	6, 17
180	Voluntary Surrender	3, 8
181	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
182	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
183	Suspended (Automatic)	9

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1	Suspended and Civil Penalty	5, 8, 10, 17
2	Suspended	5, 17
3	Suspended	5, 17
4	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
5	Conditions removed	Met requirements
6	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
7	Suspended	8

8	Conditions removed	Met requirements
9	Agreement for Corrective Action	10
10	Conditions removed	Met requirements
11	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
12	Suspended (automatic)	9
12a	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
13	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
14	Limited and Conditional License	5
15	Conditions removed	Met requirements
16	Agreement for Corrective Action	6
16a	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
17	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	6
18	Conditions removed	Met requirements
19	Suspended	8
20	Suspended	17
21	Conditional License and Civil Penalty	5
22	Suspended (automatic)	9
23	Conditions removed	Met requirements
24	Suspended	8
25	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
26	Conditions removed	Met requirements

27	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
27a	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
28	Conditions removed	Met requirements
29	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
30	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	20
31	Voluntary Surrender	Nurse's request
32	Conditions removed	Met requirements
33	Suspended	8
34	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
35	Limited and Conditional License	5
36	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
37	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
38	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
39	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
40	Conditions removed	Met requirements
41	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
42	Conditional License	8
43	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
44	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
45	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
46	Suspended	8

47	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
48	Conditions removed	Met requirements
49	Limitations removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
50	Civil penalty and Suspension	10, 17
51	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
52	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
53	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
54	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
55	Suspended (Stayed)	8
56	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
57	Inactive Status	Nurse's request
58	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
59	Conditional License	5
	Suspended	17
59a		
60	Conditions removed	Met requirements
61	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
62	Suspended	8, 17
63	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
64	Conditions removed	Met requirements
65	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
66	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements

67	Conditions removed	Met requirements
68	Conditions removed	Met requirements
69	Limitation and Conditions removed	Met requirements
70	Conditions removed	Met requirements
71	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
72	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
73	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
74	Conditions removed	Met requirements
75	Suspended	4
76	Voluntary surrender	5
77	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
78	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
79	Agreement for Corrective Action	5, 15
80	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	10
80a	Agreement Dismissed	Met requirements
81	Conditions removed	Met requirements
82	Civil Penalty and Limited and Conditional License	5, 17
83	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
84	Limited and Conditional License	5, 17

85	Suspended	8
86	Voluntary Surrender	8
87	Limited and Conditional License	5
88	Conditions removed	Met requirements
89	Conditional License	8
90	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
91	Conditions removed	Met requirements
92	Conditional License	5
93	Limited and Conditional License (Amended)	17
93a	Limitations removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
94	Conditions removed	Met requirements
95	Suspended (Automatic)	9
96	Stayed suspension	8, 17
97	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
98	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
99	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
100	Conditions removed	Met requirements
101	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
102	Civil Penalty	17
103	Conditions removed	Met requirements
104	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17

105	Conditions removed	Met requirements
106	Suspended	8
107	Conditions removed	5, 8
108	Suspended	8
109	Voluntary Surrender	Nurse's request
110	Conditions removed	Met requirements
111	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	10
112	Licensure denied	5, 20
113	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
114	Conditions removed	Met requirements
115	Voluntary surrender	5
116	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
117	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
118	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
119	Suspended	17, 21
120	Limited and Conditional License	3
121	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
122	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	5, 20
123	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
124	Conditions removed	Met requirements
125	Suspended	5, 8

126	Suspension removed; Conditional licenses	Met requirements
127	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
128	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
129	Suspended	5
130	Limited and Conditional License	5, 8
131	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
131a	Conditions removed	Met requirements
132	Conditions removed	Met requirements
133	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
134	Conditions removed	Met requirements
135	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	10
135a	Suspended	17
136	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
137	Agreement dismissed	5
138	Agreement for Corrective Action	11
139	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	6
140	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
141	One Limitation removed; One Limitation and Conditions continue	Met requirements
142	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17

143	Civil Penalty and Voluntary Surrender	5, 17
144	Conditions removed	Met requirements
145	Conditional licenses	17
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1	Conditions removed	Met requirements
2	Voluntary Surrender	5
3	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
4	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
5	Limited and Conditional License	5, 8
6	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
7	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
8	Voluntary Surrender	5, 17
9	Suspended	5, 8
10	Conditional License	5, 8
11	Limited and Conditional License	5, 8
12	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
13	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
14	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
15	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
16	Revoked	3, 11
17	Agreement for	

	Corrective Action	5
18	Suspended	17
19	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
20	Voluntary Surrender	9
21	Suspended	5, 20, 21
22	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
23	Suspended	6, 8
24	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
25	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
26	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
27	Suspended	8, 17
28	Limitations and Conditions removed	Met requirements
29	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	6
30	Conditional License	8
31	Conditional License	6
32	Conditions removed	Met requirements
33	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
34	Voluntary Surrender	6
35	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
36	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
37	Civil Penalty and Conditional License	5, 17
38	Suspended	6
39	Suspension removed;	

	Conditional License	Met requirements
40	Conditional License	8
41	Voluntary Surrender	5
42	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
43	Suspended	5, 15
44	Voluntary Surrender	Out of Nursing
45	Suspended	17
46	Voluntary Surrender	6
47	Suspended	8
48	Voluntary Surrender	5
49	Conditional License	8
50	Conditions removed	Met requirements
51	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
52	Suspended	8, 17
53	Agreement for Corrective Action	5, 15
54	Conditional License	5, 6, 7
55	Limited and Conditional License	5, 10
55a	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
56	Limited and Conditional License	3, 5, 8
57	Conditional and Civil Penalty	2, 8
58	Reprimand	5

59	Limitation removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
60	Suspended	5, 15, 21
61	Conditional License	5
62	Conditional License	5
63	Voluntary Surrender	5
64	Agreement for Corrective Action	5
64a	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
65	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
66	Conditional License	8
67	Suspended	8
68	Limited and Conditional License	5, 15
69	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
70	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
71	Suspended	8
72	Limitations and Conditions removed	Met requirements
73	Conditions removed	Met requirements
74	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
75	Conditional License	5
76	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	5, 20
77	Suspended	5, 6
78	Conditions removed	5

79	Conditions removed	Met requirements
80	Agreement for Corrective Action	17
80a	Agreement Dismissed	Met requirements
81	Suspended	8
82	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
83	Conditions removed	Met requirements
84	Conditions removed	Met requirements
85	Conditional License	5
86	Conditions removed	Met requirements
87	Agreement for Corrective Action	5
88	Conditional License	8
89	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
90	Revoked	3
91	Agreement for Corrective Action	5
92	Suspended (Amended)	Nurse's request to amend Order
93	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
94	Agreement for Corrective action	5
95	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
96	Conditional License	5
96a	Conditions removed	Met requirements
97	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
98	Conditional License	5, 20

99	Conditional License	5
100	Suspended	5, 8
101	Voluntary Surrender	Out of Nursing
102	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	2, 4
103	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
104	Voluntary Surrender	5, 8
105	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
106	Limited and Conditional License	5, 20
107	Conditions removed	Met requirements
108	Conditional License	5, 8
109	Suspended	5, 8
110	Conditional License	8
111	Suspended	5, 10, 17
112	Conditions removed	3, 8
113	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
114	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
115	Voluntary Surrender	Out of Nursing
116	Conditions removed	Met requirements
117	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17, 20
118	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
119	Suspended	8
120	Conditions removed	5, 6

121	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
122	Suspended	5
123	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
124	Inactive Status	Out of Nursing
125	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
126	Conditional License	5
127	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
128	Limited and Conditional License	6
129	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
130	Limited and Conditional License	8

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1	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	20
2	Voluntary Surrender	17
3	Conditions removed	Met requirements
4	Conditional License	5
5	Conditions removed	Met requirements
6	Conditions removed	Met requirements
7	Suspended (automatic)	9
8	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
8a	Suspended	17

9	Civil Penalty and Voluntary surrender	5, 17
10	Conditions removed	Met requirements
11	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
12	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	5
13	Conditions removed	Met requirements
14	Civil Penalty	17
15	Conditions removed	Met requirements
16	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	10, 20
17	Civil Penalty and Conditional License	5, 10
18	Suspended (automatic)	9, 17
19	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
20	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
21	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
22	Voluntary surrender	8, 17
23	Civil Penalty and Conditional License	5
24	Conditions removed	Met requirements
25	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
26	Conditions removed	Met requirements
27	Voluntary surrender	10
28	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
29	Voluntary surrender	8

30	Conditional License	10
31	Suspended	17
32	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
33	Conditions removed	Met requirements
34	Suspended	17
35	Suspended	4, 8
36	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
37	Conditions removed	2, 8
38	Conditions removed	Met requirements
39	Conditional License	5
40	Conditional License	8
41	Conditions removed	Met requirements
42	Suspended	8, 10
43	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
44	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
45	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
46	Conditions removed	Met requirements
47	Conditions removed	Met requirements
48	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
49	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
50	Voluntary surrender	5
51	Suspended	17
52	Conditions removed	Met requirements

53	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
53a	Suspended	17
54	Suspended	8
55	Conditions removed	Met requirements
56	Voluntary surrender	5
57	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
58	Suspended	5
59	Suspended	5, 17
60	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
61	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
62	Voluntary Surrender	5
63	Conditional License	8
64	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
65	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
66	Stipulation to Cease Practicing Nursing	5, 6
67	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
68	Licensure denied	2, 21
69	Limitations removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
70	Civil Penalty and Conditional License	5
71	Suspended	17
72	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements

73	Conditions removed	Met requirements
74	Suspended	10
75	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	10, 15
76	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
77	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
78	Civil Penalty and Conditional License	2, 5
79	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
80	Suspension removed; Limited and Conditional License	Met requirements
80a	One Limitation removed; One Limitation and Conditions continue	Met requirements
81	Agreement dismissed	Met requirements
82	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
83	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
84	Conditions removed	Met requirements
85	Voluntary surrender	17
85a	Limitations removed; Conditions continue	Met requirements
86	Voluntary surrender	8, 17
87	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
88	Voluntary surrender	17
89	Suspended	17
90	Conditions removed	Met requirements

91	Voluntary Surrender	5, 8
92	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	5
93	Suspended	17
94	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
95	Conditions removed	Met requirements
96	Conditional License	5
97	Suspended	8
98	Voluntary Surrender	5, 17
99	Suspension removed; Conditional License	Met requirements
100	Suspended	6, 21
101	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
102	Conditions removed	Met requirements
103	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
104	Suspended	8, 10
105	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
106	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
107	Voluntary Surrender	Nurse's request
108	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
109	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
110	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17
111	Reprimand and Civil Penalty	17

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Clause n: Receipt and disposition of complaints.

The number of complaints and other communications received by the Executive Director, each Board member, employee or other person performing services for the Board that alleged or implied a violation of a statute or rule which the Board is empowered to enforce.

Complaints	FY 95	FY 96	FY 95 & 96
Written jurisdictional	1014	926	1940
Written non-jurisdictional	53	20	73
Oral jurisdictional & non-jurisdictional	565	502	1067
Total	1632	1448	3080

The number and disposition of written, non-jurisdictional complaints.

Disposition	FY 95	FY 96	FY 95 & 96
Dismissed	41	8	49
Referred to other agencies, including:	12	12	24
Minnesota Dept. of Health:			
Office of Health			
Facility Complaints	6	4	10
Office of Mental Health Practices	1	0	1
Home Care Division	0	2	2
Department of Human Services	2	0	2
Board of Medical Practice	3	3	6
Board of Pharmacy	0	2	2
Board of Social Work	0	1	1
Total	53	20	73

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Clause o: A summary by category of the substance of the complaints and communications referred to in clause n of Minnesota Statute § 214.07 and the responses or dispositions thereof pursuant to Minnesota Statute §§ 214.10, subd. 8, 214.103 and 214.11. Dispositions include complaints and communications received prior to July 1, 1994 and those received but not disposed of by June 30, 1996.

Citation	Category/Number	Response or Disposition	
Section 148.261 subd. 1 (1)	Failure to demonstrate or satisfy requirements for licensure	3	Warning letter
		1	Closed
		2 cases	
148.261, subd 1 (2)	Employing fraud or deceit in attempting to procure a license	2	Board action
		1	Closed
		1	Subsequent status change
4 cases			
148.261, subd. 1 (3)	Conviction of felony or gross misdemeanor	3	Board action
		4	Warning letter
		2	Closed
14 cases			
148.261, subd. 1 (4)	Disciplinary action in another jurisdiction	6	Board action
		5	Warning letter
		1	Educational conference
		9	Closed
		5	Subsequent status change
		3	Other
24 cases			

148.261, subd. 1 (5)	Failure or inability to perform nursing with reasonable skill and safety	74 327 51 18 230 44 5	Board action Warning letter Educational conference Administrative action Closed Subsequent status change Other
	819 cases		
148.261, subd. 1 (6)	Engaging in unprofessional conduct	25 126 17 2 71 18 1	Board action Warning letter Educational conference Administrative action Closed Subsequent status change Other
	212 cases		
148.261, subd. 1 (7)	Delegating or accepting inappropriate delegation	1 5 1 1 1	Board action Warning letter Educational meeting Closed Subsequent status change
	8 cases		
148.261, subd. 1 (8)	Inability to practice nursing safely due to use of alcohol, drugs, illness or as a result of a mental or physical condition	84 31 20 2 17 65 78	Board action Warning letter Educational conference Administrative action Closed Subsequent status change Other
	199 cases		

148.261, subd. 1 (9)	Adjudication as mentally incompetent, mentally ill, chemically dependent or dangerous to the public	7 1 4	Board action Warning letter Subsequent status change
	7 cases		
148.261, subd. 1 (10)	Engaging in unethical conduct	10 30 4 2 19 11	Board action Warning letter Educational conference Administrative action Closed Subsequent status change
	81 cases		
148.261, subd. 1 (11)	Sexual misconduct	5 5 1 3 6	Board action Warning letter Administrative action Closed Subsequent status change
	16 cases		
148.261, subd. 1 (16)	Allowing an unlicensed person to practice unlawfully	1 6 1 1	Board action Warning letter Educational conference Subsequent status change
	9 cases		

148.261, subd. 1 (17)	Violating a Board rule, including continuing education, or an Order of the Board; Practicing nursing without a proper permit, license or registration	183	Board action
		145	Warning letter
		4	Educational conference
		1	Administrative action
		65	Closed
		142	Subsequent status change
		5	Other
513 cases			
148.261, subd. 1 (20)	Practicing outside scope of practice	6	Board action
		12	Warning letter
		2	Educational conference
		3	Closed
		5	Subsequent status changes
		24 cases	

This clause includes three complaints about registered or licensed practical nurses involving obstetrics, gynecology, prenatal care, and delivery.

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Clause p: Other objective information which the Board members believe will be useful in reviewing Board activities.

1. VERIFICATION OF LICENSURE STATUS TO OTHER STATES AND COUNTRIES.

The number of registered nurses and licensed practical nurses whose Minnesota licensure status was verified to another state or country during FY 95 and FY 96 and the state or country receiving the information is shown below.

State or Country	FY 1995		FY 1996	
	RN	LPN	RN	LPN
Alabama	7	1	9	1
Alaska	13	4	20	2
Arizona	85	18	85	31
Arkansas	14	4	17	6
California	84	20	79	13
Colorado	54	15	54	22
Connecticut	16	5	28	3
Delaware	4	1	2	0
District of Columbia	12	0	7	0
Florida	109	21	90	20
Georgia	32	8	39	7
Guam	1	0	2	0
Hawaii	19	2	10	1
Idaho	11	3	17	3
Illinois	136	21	132	16
Indiana	53	8	61	12
Iowa	117	35	86	22
Kansas	22	7	14	5
Kentucky	7	0	11	1
Louisiana	16	5	8	3
Maine	6	1	2	1
Maryland	24	2	32	2
Massachusetts	17	2	10	3
Michigan	85	9	53	11
Mississippi	8	5	12	2

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State or Country	FY 1995		FY 1996	
	RN	LPN	RN	LPN
Missouri	30	10	24	12
Montana	24	7	30	2
Nebraska	15	4	20	1
Nevada	26	8	34	9
New Hampshire	10	0	5	1
New Jersey	20	0	21	1
New Mexico	29	5	19	6
New York	34	3	27	4
North Carolina	48	9	46	7
North Dakota	74	53	101	55
Ohio	26	3	31	6
Oklahoma	15	3	12	3
Oregon	36	6	35	5
Pennsylvania	22	4	17	2
Rhode Island	4	0	4	0
South Carolina	17	3	19	5
South Dakota	58	21	52	29
Tennessee	23	7	16	3
Texas	165	17	133	25
Utah	11	0	8	5
Vermont	8	0	8	0
Virginia	30	3	25	4
Virgin Islands	2	2	3	2
Washington	46	11	49	9
West Virginia	5	1	4	1
Wisconsin	296	80	295	98
Wyoming	19	5	9	3
Canada	16	1	9	0
Other Countries	5	0	8	0
Total	1,114	266	1,064	298

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2. PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING

The number of registered nurses who were granted public health nursing registration during FY95 and FY96 is as follows:

<u>FY 1995</u>	<u>FY 1996</u>
487	433

3. NURSE PRACTITIONERS

The number of nurse practitioners who were granted the authorization to prescribe drugs and therapeutic devises is as follows:

<u>FY 1995</u>	<u>FY 1996</u>	<u>Total Number Authorized as of 6/30/96</u>
240	544	668

4. NURSING PROGRAM APPROVAL

In accordance with Minnesota Statutes section 148.251, the Board approves nursing education programs that prepare graduates for licensure as either registered professional nurses or as licensed practical nurses.

The numbers of approved professional and practical nursing programs as of June 30 of each fiscal year are shown below:

Type of Program	FY 1995	FY 1996
Professional	21	24
Associate Degree	12	15
Baccalaureate	9	9
Practical	<u>24</u>	<u>26</u>
	45	50

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New programs that prepare graduates as professional nurses or as practical nurses must demonstrate compliance or intent to comply with all applicable rules and must be granted Board approval. Three professional programs, **Fergus Falls Community College Associate Degree Nursing Program**, Fergus Falls; **Lake Superior College Associate Degree Nursing Program**, Duluth; and **Worthington Community College Associate Degree Nursing Program**, Worthington; received Board approval April 12, 1996. Two practical nursing programs, **Riverland Community College Practical Nursing Program**, Austin; and **South Central Technical College Practical Nursing Program**, Faribault; also received Board approval April 12, 1996.

Approved programs are surveyed for continued compliance with applicable Minnesota Rules at least once every ten years. During FY95, two professional nursing programs were surveyed; each was granted renewal of approval. Four practical nursing programs were surveyed; each received renewal of approval. One other practical nursing program was placed under Board oversight because of low pass rates for first time takers of the licensing examination.

During FY96, four professional nursing programs were surveyed; each received renewal of approval. One practical nursing program was surveyed and was granted renewal of approval. The practical nursing program placed under Board oversight improved the pass rate on the licensing examination. Monitoring of the program will continue for at least one more year.

During each fiscal year, 1995 and 1996, each program indicated compliance with all applicable Rules.

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Item q: A summary of each individual case (complaint or other communication) that involved possible sexual contact of a licensee with a patient or client as required by Minn. Stat. § 214.10 subd. 8 (b) (1994). All cases received prior to July 1, 1994, but disposed of in FY 95 and FY 96, as well as cases received prior to June 30, 1995, but not yet disposed of are included.

Each summary includes:

- 1) a description of the alleged misconduct;
- 2) the general results of the investigation;
- 3) the nature of board activities relating to that case;
- 4) the disposition of the case; and
- 5) the reasons for board decisions concerning the disposition of the case.

1. Pending from previous fiscal year

- a. **Allegations:** A male licensed practical nurse was convicted of First and Second Degree Criminal Sexual Conduct involving a minor female. This conduct did not involve a patient.
- b. **Investigation:** Convicted of criminal charges. Conviction upheld on appeal.
- c. **Board activities:** Investigation; review of written materials. Contested case hearing initiated. Nurse withdrew from hearing. Board reviewed the Findings of Fact, Conclusions and Recommendations of the Administrative Law Judge.
- d. **Disposition:** License revoked. May not reapply for licensure prior to October 1, 2004.
- e. **Reason for Disposition:** Nature and seriousness of the offense; failure to acknowledge seriousness of conduct.

2. Pending from previous fiscal year

- a. **Allegations:** A male licensed practical nurse inappropriately touched a male nursing home resident while assisting the resident with dressing. The nurse also made remarks of a sexual nature to the resident. The nurse exposed himself to another male nursing home resident and made remarks of a sexual nature. The nurse asked a third male nursing home resident to touch him sexually. The nurse sodomized a fourth male nursing home resident.

- b. **Investigation: Convicted of Third Degree Criminal Sexual Conduct.**
 - c. **Board activities: Investigation; review of written materials.**
 - d. **Disposition: Stipulation to Cease Practicing Nursing; license subsequently revoked. May not reapply for licensure until June 2010 or completion of probation, whichever is later.**
 - e. **Reason for Disposition: Nature and seriousness of violation; repeated violations and vulnerability of the clients.**
3. **Pending from previous fiscal year**
- a. **Allegations: A male licensed practical nurse inappropriately touched the genitals of a female nursing home resident.**
 - b. **Investigation: Did not substantiate the allegations.**
 - c. **Board activities: Investigation; review of written materials.**
 - d. **Disposition: Case dismissed.**
 - e. **Reason for Disposition: Insufficient evidence to support disciplinary or corrective action.**
4. **Pending from previous fiscal year**
- a. **Allegations: A female registered nurse inappropriately touched a hospitalized female patient's genital area while rendering care.**
 - b. **Investigation: Pending.**
 - c. **Board activities: Pending.**
 - d. **Disposition: Pending.**
 - e. **Reason for Disposition: Pending.**
5. **Pending from previous fiscal year**
- a. **Allegations: A male registered nurse began a personal and sexual relationship with a male psychiatric patient when the patient was hospitalized on the unit on which the nurse worked. The nurse also holds a licensed practical nurse license.**

- b. **Investigation:** Did not substantiate the allegations.
 - c. **Board activities:** Investigation; review of written materials.
 - d. **Disposition:** Case dismissed.
 - e. **Reason for Disposition:** Insufficient evidence to support disciplinary or corrective action.
6. **Pending from previous fiscal year**
- a. **Allegations:** A male registered nurse made comments of a sexual nature and sexually touched a female psychiatric patient. The nurse also holds a licensed practical nurse license.
 - b. **Investigation:** Pending.
 - c. **Board activities:** Pending.
 - d. **Disposition:** Pending.
 - e. **Reason for Disposition:** Pending.
7. a. **Allegations:** A female licensed practical nurse engaged in a sexual relationship with a male client of a chemical dependency program following his discharge from the program.
- b. **Investigation:** Did not substantiate the allegations.
 - c. **Board activities:** Review of written materials, including the licensee's response to the allegations
 - d. **Disposition:** Case dismissed.
 - e. **Reason for Disposition:** Insufficient evidence to support disciplinary or corrective action.
8. a. **Allegations:** A female registered nurse had a personal and sexual relationship with a male former regional treatment center patient.
- b. **Investigation:** Licensee died during the pendency of the investigation.
 - c. **Board activities:** Investigation.
 - d. **Disposition:** Closed.

- e. Reason for Disposition: Licensee deceased.
- 9.
- a. Allegations: A female registered nurse engaged in a personal and sexual relationship with a male psychiatric patient who was an inmate at a federal detention facility. The nurse also holds a licensed practical nurse license.
 - b. Investigation: Substantiated the allegations of a personal relationship which violated professional boundaries. The allegation of a sexual relationship was not supported.
 - c. Board activities: Investigation; Board Review Panel; review of written materials.
 - d. Disposition: Agreement for Corrective Action.
 - e. Reason for Disposition: Need to increase the licensee's understanding of appropriate professional boundaries in nursing.
- 10.
- a. Allegations: A female registered nurse engaged in a personal and sexual relationship with a male patient who was an inmate at a federal detention facility. The licensee continued the relationship after resigning from the facility.
 - b. Investigation: Substantiated the allegations of a personal relationship which violated professional boundaries, including kissing the patient, but no other sexual contact.
 - c. Board activities: Investigation; Board Review Panel; review of written materials.
 - d. Disposition: Stipulation and Consent Order for Conditional License.
 - e. Reason for Disposition: Nature and seriousness of allegations; need for professional mental health evaluation, education regarding understanding of appropriate professional boundaries in nursing, and monitoring of application of knowledge to practice.
- 11.
- a. Allegations: A female registered nurse working as a nursing assistant made sexual remarks and inappropriately touched a male resident of a long-term care facility while providing care.
 - b. Investigation: Did not substantiate the allegations.

- c. **Board activities:** Investigation; review of written material, including the licensee's response to the allegations.
 - d. **Disposition:** Case dismissed.
 - e. **Reason for Disposition:** Insufficient evidence to support disciplinary or corrective action.
- 12.
- a. **Allegations:** A male licensed practical nurse made sexual remarks and advances towards a female resident at a long-term care facility.
 - b. **Investigation:** Inconclusive. Nurse denied allegations and resident was not credible. Resident had history of making such allegations and later saying they were false. Resident's report of the incident was not consistent.
 - c. **Board activities:** Investigation; review of written material.
 - d. **Disposition:** Case dismissed.
 - e. **Reason for Disposition:** Lack of corroborating evidence.
- 13.
- a. **Allegations:** A male licensed practical nurse inappropriately touched a female nursing home resident while providing care.
 - b. **Investigation:** Did not substantiate the allegations.
 - c. **Board activities:** Investigation; review of written material, including the licensee's response to the allegations.
 - d. **Disposition:** Case dismissed.
 - e. **Reason for Disposition:** Insufficient evidence to support disciplinary or corrective action.
- 14.
- a. **Allegations:** A female registered nurse inappropriately touched a female patient during a pelvic examination.
 - b. **Investigation:** Did not substantiate the allegations.
 - c. **Board activities:** Investigation.
 - d. **Disposition:** Case dismissed.
 - e. **Reason for Disposition:** Insufficient evidence to support disciplinary or corrective action.

15.
 - a. **Allegations: A female licensed practical nurse had sexual contact with a vulnerable adult resident of a supervised living facility for chemically dependent males.**
 - b. **Investigation: Pending.**
 - c. **Board activities: Pending.**
 - d. **Disposition: Pending.**
 - e. **Reason for Disposition: Pending.**
16.
 - a. **Allegations: A female licensed practical nurse had a personal and sexual relationship with a male patient following his discharge from a hospital. The patient had a history of medical and psychiatric illnesses.**
 - b. **Investigation: Pending.**
 - c. **Board activities: Pending.**
 - d. **Disposition: Pending.**
 - e. **Reason for Disposition: Pending.**
17.
 - a. **Allegations: A female licensed practical nurse had a personal and sexual relationship with a male home care client.**
 - b. **Investigation: Substantiated the allegations of a personal relationship which violated professional boundaries, including kissing the client, but no other sexual contact.**
 - c. **Board activities: Investigation; Board Review Panel; review of written materials.**
 - d. **Disposition: Stipulation and Consent Order for a Conditional License and Civil Penalty.**
 - e. **Reason for Disposition: Nature and seriousness of allegations. Need to increase licensee's understanding of professional boundaries in nursing and have licensee demonstrate how she will apply knowledge to her practice.**
18.
 - a. **Allegations: A female registered nurse working as a guidance counselor sexually abused a minor female student.**

- b. **Investigation: Alleged perpetrator had same name as a registered nurse but was not a licensee of the Board of Nursing.**
 - c. **Board activities: Investigation.**
 - d. **Disposition: Closed with referral to Board of Teaching.**
 - e. **Reason for Disposition: Alleged perpetrator misidentified.**
- 19.
- a. **Allegations: A female registered nurse provided nursing care for a male patient with whom she had a pre-existing romantic and sexual relationship.**
 - b. **Investigation: Substantiated the allegations.**
 - c. **Board activities: Investigation; review of written materials including the licensee's response to the allegations.**
 - d. **Disposition: Case dismissed.**
 - e. **Reason for Disposition: Licensee demonstrated a good understanding of professional boundaries in nursing and made arrangements for other staff to provide nursing care to the patient.**
- 20.
- a. **Allegations: A female licensed practical nurse had a personal and sexual relationship with two male chemical dependency clients prior to or following their discharge from treatment.**
 - b. **Investigation: Pending.**
 - c. **Board activities: Pending.**
 - d. **Disposition: Pending.**
 - e. **Reason for Disposition: Pending.**
- 21.
- a. **Allegations: A female licensed practical nurse had a personal and sexual relationship with a male patient hospitalized for chemical dependency treatment.**
 - b. **Investigation: Pending.**
 - c. **Board activities: Pending.**
 - d. **Disposition: Pending.**

- e. Reason for Disposition: Pending.
- 22.
- a. Allegations: A male registered nurse touched a male prison inmate in a sexual manner.
 - b. Investigation: Pending.
 - c. Board activities: Pending.
 - d. Disposition: Pending.
 - e. Reason for Disposition: Pending.