

Certified Nurse-Midwives Advisory Council

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Appointed by the State Board of Nursing, the Certified Nurse-Midwives Advisory Council was created in 1983. The Council advises the Board on matters relating to the practice of nurse-midwifery. It consists of at least three certified nurse-midwives who serve three-year terms (Code Health Occupations Article, sec. 7-504).

Anesthetist Advisory Committee

Chairperson: E. David Bucher, C.R.N.A.

The Anesthetist Advisory Committee was created in 1981. Appointed by the State Board of Nursing, the Committee advises the Board on matters concerning the practice of nurse anesthesia. The Committee also oversees the use of health insurance and medical assistance benefits by certified nurse anesthetists (Code Health Occupations Article, sec. 7-504).

Joint Committee on Nurse-Midwifery

Jeanne Brinkley; Frank Kaltreider, M.D.; J. Cortland Robinson, M.D.; Kathleen Sloane; Linda Walsh; Annelise S. Zachary, M.D.

Created in 1983, the Joint Committee on Nurse-Midwifery reviews and makes recommendations on all written agreements between nurse-midwives and physicians. The Committee consists of three nurse-midwives and three physicians. The State Board of Nursing appoints Committee members to three-year terms (Code Health Occupations Article, sec. 7-504).

Nurse Practitioner Joint Committee

Chairperson: Jean Fizzell, C.R.N.P.

The Nurse Practitioner Joint Committee was created in 1981. The Committee reviews written agreements between nurse practitioners and physicians. The Committee then makes recommendations to the State Board of Medical Examiners and the State Board of Nursing.

The Committee consists of six members. Three are appointed by the State Board of Medical Examiners and three are appointed by the State Board of Nursing.

Nurse Practitioner Peer Review Committee

Chairperson: Marie Joel, C.R.N.P.

Established in 1981, the Nurse Practitioner Peer Review Committee oversees the use of health insurance and medical assistance benefits by certified nurse practitioners. The Committee is appointed by the State Board of Nursing (Code Health Occupations Article, sec. 7-504).

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The State Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators was established in 1970 to examine, license, and register nursing home administrators (Chapter 262, Acts of 1970). The Board establishes reasonable fees for the issuance of licenses and biennial registrations and enforces standards. It also develops techniques and procedures for the issuance of licenses and, if necessary, may establish procedures for the revocation or suspension of any license. In addition, the Board conducts a continuing study of nursing homes and administrators of nursing homes. The Board arranges for examinations and determines the subjects to be included in examinations for licensure as well as the training program necessary for prospective administrators.

The Board consists of ten members appointed by the Governor upon recommendation of the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene for three-year terms. Four members are nursing home administrators; four are not nursing home administrators but are actively engaged in professions concerned with the care of the chronically ill, infirm, or aged; and two are consumers. Consumer members are appointed with the advice and consent of the Senate. They are not trained as nursing home administrators, have no financial interests in a related field, and have no household member