

ABSNC ACCREDITATION OVERVIEW

Marianne Horahan, MBA, MPH, RN, CPHQ, NEA-BC, CAE
President
 Assembly Meeting
 Friday, March 6, 2020



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WELCOME NEW PUBLIC MEMBER

Joy Redmon, JD
Begins July 1, 2020



CONGRATULATIONS

- **Programs Accredited Since Fall of 2019**
- Board of Certification for Emergency Nurses (BCEN)
- Certified Pediatric Emergency Nurse (CPEN)



TIME TO VOTE FOR TWO NEW ABSNC DIRECTORS

Instructions:

- Raise your hand if you represent an ABSNC accredited program
- If you've raised your hand, you are invited to vote.
 - Put your hand down and take a piece of paper and write the names of the **two** candidates that your organization has chosen
 - When you are done writing down names, raise your hand again and your ballot will be collected



THE CANDIDATES

Thank you to the candidates who applied! While there are two positions and four candidates, the candidates not selected today will be invited to serve as accreditation application reviewers.

1. Cynthia D. Beckett, PhD, RNC-OB, LCCE, LSS-BB, CHRC, EBP-C
2. Robin L. Bissinger, PhD, APRN, NNP-BC, FANN
3. Keisha Davidson, MBA
4. Dawn Whiteside MSN (Ed), RN, CNOR, NPD-BC, RNFA



STANDARD 13: RECERTIFICATION AND CONTINUING COMPETENCE

Plans for today:

- Review ABSNC revision activities to-date
- Discuss next steps
- Organizational Sharing session this afternoon will include opportunities for organizations to share:
 - What are the current recertification requirements in your organization?
 - What, if any, new requirements or changes to your current requirements are you considering or have you put in place in the past 12 months?
 - Why have you chosen these?



- ▶ 13.1 Submit the publicly available catalog, application, or other materials that describe the recertification or continuing certification program, eligibility requirements, and rationale for the program requirements.

▶ 13.2 Provide documentation showing how recertification requirements contribute to certificants' ability to maintain current knowledge and competence in the specialty (e.g., practice analysis, credible providers of continuing education in nursing [e.g., hospitals or other healthcare organizations], research).


▶ 13.3 Describe audit procedures used to ensure authenticity and accuracy of information provided by certificants seeking to maintain certification.

▶ 13.4 Describe how the recertification program protects the public and population which certificants serve.

UPDATE ON STANDARD 13 REVISION PROCESS

Activities to date:


- Standard 13 ABSNC task force completed a draft revision
- Proposed revision to Standard 13 was circulated for public comment
- Fall 2019 ABNS Assembly: feedback received/noted, not all received public comment notification
- Re-opened public comment period
- Here we are: Spring 2020 Assembly



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Next Steps

- ABSNC Task Force will review the comments and will update the draft
- Revised draft will be shared
- Discussion forum to be scheduled for additional feedback opportunity
- ABSNC Task Force will present the final draft to the ABSNC Board for vote
- A deployment timeline will be established and communicated



QUESTIONS?



**SANDRA LEE SCHAFER
SCHOLARSHIP**

- WELCOME
- CONGRATULATIONS:
 - Mary Ellen Rich, BS, MBA
Credentiaing Specialist Certificate - Oncology Nursing Certification Corporation
 - Judi Spann, BA, APR, CPNC
American Board of Perianesthesia Nursing Certification, Inc.