

**State of New Hampshire
New Hampshire Board of Nursing
Concord, New Hampshire 03301**

**In the Matter of:
Linda Carter, RN/APRN
(License #036999-23 & 036999-21)**

Docket No. 2022-NUR-Carter-0998

VOLUNTARY PRELIMINARY AGREEMENT NOT TO PRACTICE

The New Hampshire Board of Nursing (“Board”) first granted Linda Carter (“Ms. Carter or Respondent”) a license to practice as a Registered Nurse on April 30, 1992, and a license to practice as an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (“APRN”) on October 15, 2019. Ms. Carter was issued license number 036999-21 (RN) and 036999-23 (APRN).

On September 22, 2022, the Board issued an emergency suspension of Ms. Carter’s license to practice as a RN and APRN in the State of New Hampshire based on a suspension of Ms. Carter’s license to practice in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts on or about June 9, 2022. The matters surrounding Ms. Carter’s licensure suspension in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts involve matters that may constitute discipline in the State of New Hampshire.

Ms. Carter is scheduled for an emergency suspension hearing before the Board on October 4, 2022 at 4:30 PM. In lieu of the emergency hearing, Ms. Carter enters into a *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice* with the Board as follows:

1. I, Linda Carter, voluntarily agree not to practice as a RN and APRN in the State of New Hampshire, effective upon my signing this *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice*.
2. I admit to no violations of NH RSA 326-B or any administrative rules, ethical provisions, or any other laws, statutes, or regulations, adopted by the Board.

8. I enter into this *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice* with the Board and state that no promises or representations have been made to me other than those terms and conditions expressly stated herein.
9. I further understand that this document shall become a permanent part of my file and will be maintained by the Board as a public document upon execution by the Board as a Board Order.
10. I have had the opportunity to seek and obtain the advice of an attorney of my choosing in connection with my decision to sign this Preliminary Agreement.
11. I am of sound mind and not under the influence of any substance that would impair my judgement at the time I sign this *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice*.
12. I understand that my failure to comply with the terms of this *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice* shall constitute unprofessional conduct under RSA 326-B: 37 and may subject me to discipline under RSA 326-B: 37.

FOR RESPONDENT

Date: _____

9/28/22

Linda Carter

Respondent (Linda Carter)

FOR THE BOARD

This *Voluntary Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice* is hereby accepted in accordance with the binding terms and conditions set forth above and shall issue as an Order of the Board upon execution by the Board.

Date: 9/29/2022

Ashley Czechowicz
(Signature)

Ashley Czechowicz
Print Name
Authorized Representative of the New
Hampshire Board of Nursing