

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

In the Matter of:

Docket No. 2021-ENF-FAIRBAIRN-791

Margaret Fairbairn, RN  
(License #042271-21)

**VOLUNTARY SURRENDER OF LICENSURE**

The New Hampshire Board of Nursing ("Board") first granted Margaret Fairbairn ("Respondent") a license to practice as a Registered Nurse ("RN") in the State of New Hampshire on June 19, 1996. Respondent was issued license number 042271-21 set to expire July 11, 2022.

On or about July 16, 2021, the Board received a complaint alleging Respondent engaged misconduct in violation of RSA 326-B and/or administrative rules 100-800 while engaged in my duties as a Registered Nurse.

On or about July 26, 2021, the Board issued an emergency suspension of my license to practice Nursing in the State of New Hampshire. On August 5, 2021, the Board accepted a Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice in place of the emergency suspension of my license to practice.

Recognizing that professional misconduct allegations are now pending against me before the Board, I, Margaret Fairbairn, voluntarily agree to surrender my license to practice as a Registered Nurse, or in any licensed nursing capacity in the State of New Hampshire upon execution of this agreement by the Board.

I, Margaret Fairbairn, agree to the following terms:

1. Upon execution by the New Hampshire Board of Nursing of this Voluntary Surrender, I agree to surrender my license to practice as a Registered Nurse or in any licensed nursing capacity in the State of New Hampshire.
2. I admit to no violations of NH Chapter RSA 326-B or any administrative rules (Nur 100-800), ethical provisions, or any other laws, statutes, or regulations, adopted by the Board.
3. While I admit to no violations of NH Chapter RSA 326-B, administrative rules (Nur 100-800), ethical provisions, or any other laws statutes, or regulations adopted by the Board, I do admit if this matter was heard before the Bord, there may be sufficient evidence presented before the Board where the Board, pursuant to RSA 326-B: 37, III, may order disciplinary action against me up to and including revocation of my license.
4. I admit that this Voluntary Surrender of licensure has occurred in settlement of a pending misconduct complaint filed against me on or about July 16, 2021.
5. Understanding that this Voluntary Surrender of licensure and the restrictions herein shall remain until further order of the Board, I hereby specifically waive any statute of limitations, or laches defense, which might be then available, including but not limited to, those based on RSA 332-G: 8 and RSA 332-G: 9.

6. In the event that I apply for a reinstatement of my license, I voluntarily agree to waive any statutory or administrative time deadlines regarding the Board's final action on any such license reinstatement application. I understand that by waiving such deadlines, the Board's final action on any such license reinstatement application will be automatically deferred until after the disposition of this Board matter.
7. I further understand that the pending disciplinary allegations resolved as a result of this Voluntary Surrender shall be brought forward and heard before any future licensure reinstatement request or application I may submit in New Hampshire is approved.
8. I enter into this Voluntary Surrender 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 understand that this document shall be deemed an Order of the Board and become a permanent part of my licensure file maintained at the Office of Professional Licensure and Certification and will be maintained by the Board as a public discipline document.
10. I understand that if the Board chooses to accept my Voluntary Surrender of licensure, this document shall be distributed to all relevant licensing authorities in the same manner as a final decision, making specific findings of professional misconduct and discipline.


11. 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 Voluntary Surrender.

12. 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 Surrender.

13. I understand that continuing to practice as a licensed nurse, as governed by RSA 326-B and administrative rules 100-800, upon execution of this Voluntary Surrender by the Board, will constitute unlicensed practice pursuant to RSA 326-B: 41, and carry with it criminal penalties consistent with RSA 326-B: 41-a.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereby affix my signature on this 12 day of

January 2022.

  
Respondent  
Margaret Fairbairn

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD;

Date: January 27, 2022

Ashley Czechowicz  
(Signature)

Ashley Czechowicz  
Print Name and Title Board Administrator