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Professional Conduct Policy

Policy Description: Publication of Professional  
Conduct Decisions

Policy Number: PC1

**Effective Date: January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

**Signature**

**Review Date: January 2018**

**New Policy** \_\_\_\_\_

**Revision: Partial**  **Complete**

**Applies To:** RNANT/NU Professional Conduct Committee

**Purpose:** To provide guidance regarding information for disclosure in a professional conduct decision.

**Policy:**

Where allegations of professional misconduct are substantiated in accordance with the Nursing Profession Act (2004) or the Nunavut Nurse's Act (2004), the RNANT/NU Director of Professional Conduct Review shall publish the following information about the member in the RNANT/NU Newsletter:

a) Alternative Dispute Resolution Findings

- Member's RNANT/NU registration number
- Summary of allegations
- Summary of findings
- Any conditions ordered
- Any undertakings ordered

In the case of an alternative dispute resolution, the name of a member is only published if so ordered by the Professional Conduct Committee.

b) Orders imposed by a Board of Inquiry

- Member's RNANT/NU registration number
- Summary of allegations
- Summary of findings
- Any conditions ordered
- Any undertakings ordered

In the case of a Board of Inquiry, the name of a member is only published if so ordered by the Board of Inquiry.

**Conditions and Exceptions:** none

**Authority and Accountability:**

This policy is issued under the authority of the RNANT/NU Board of Directors and is governed by the NWT Nursing Profession Act (2004) s.11 (1) (zo),(zp),(zr), Nunavut Nursing Act (2004) (2), and RNANT/NU Bylaw 5 s. 10 (1-3), and s.13 Publications (a b). The Board of Directors has the authority to revise this Policy as required. The Director of Professional Conduct Review is accountable to the Board of



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Directors, and ultimately to the membership, for the implementation of this policy and may delegate any related administrative tasks.

**History:**

This policy replaces:

Professional Conduct Policy PC1: Defining “Decisions” for the purpose of publication issued in 2001.