



Texas Board of Nursing

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April 24, 2023

Helen Faulkner, MA, RN Interim Director
Arlington Career Institute
901 East Avenue K
Grand Prairie, Texas 75050

Dear Ms. Faulkner:

At the hybrid April 20, 2023 meeting, the members of the Texas Board of Nursing (Board) discussed the approval status for the Arlington Career Institute Nursing Education Program in Grand Prairie, Texas, based upon review of the NCLEX-PN® examination pass rate of 85.71% for 2022 and program strengths indicating compliance with Rule 214.

Based upon the discussion and review of documents, it was the decision of the Board to change the approval status for the Arlington Career Institute Nursing Education Program in Grand Prairie, Texas, from Initial Approval to Full Approval as indicated in the attached Board Order. Congratulations upon this achievement. The program will be issued a certificate of approval following the April 2023 Board meeting.

If you have any questions or if we may be of assistance, please contact Board Staff at Gayle.Varnell@bon.texas.gov or via telephone at (512) 621-5179.

Sincerely,

Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN
Executive Director

Copy: Jon Vecchio, Arlington Career Institute CEO
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BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

ORDER OF THE BOARD

In the Matter of
Arlington Career Institute
Vocational Nursing Education Program
In Grand Prairie, Texas

A public meeting of the Texas Board of Nursing, herein after referred to as the Board, was held on April 20, 2023, at University of Texas Pickle Research Center, 10100 Burnet Rd Building 137, Austin, TX 78758, to consider the approval status of the Arlington Career Institute Vocational Nursing Education Program in Grand Prairie, Texas, pursuant to Section 301.157, Texas Occupations Code and 22 Tex. Admin. Code Chapter 214, based upon review of the 2022 NCLEX-PN® examination pass rate and compliance with Rule 214.

After review and due consideration of the filed materials, as well as any response from representatives from the Arlington Career Institute Vocational Nursing Education Program in Grand Prairie, Texas, and other interested parties, if any, the Board hereby CHANGES the approval status of the Arlington Career Institute Vocational Nursing Education Program in Grand Prairie, from INITIAL APPROVAL to FULL APPROVAL.

Entered this 20th day of April 2023



Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN
Executive Director

On Behalf of the Texas Board of Nursing