



## Ohio Board of Nursing (OBN) Approvers

An OBN Approver is an organization, headquartered in the state of Ohio, that is authorized by the Board to approve continuing education (CE) activities offered by a provider or to approve a provider unit. A provider of CE may work with any of the OBN Approvers when they plan to offer a CE activity.

If a provider plans to offer Category A,<sup>1</sup> the CE activity must be approved by an OBN Approver or offered by a provider unit that is headquartered in the state of Ohio and has been approved by an OBN Approver. Please refer to Chapter 4723-14, OAC, for the administrative rules regarding CE.

Organization	Contact Information	Programs Offered and/or Approved
<p><b>Ohio Nurses Association</b> 3760 Ridge Mill Drive Hilliard, Ohio 43026 <a href="http://www.ohnurses.org">www.ohnurses.org</a></p> <p>OBN-001-91</p>	<p>Kelli Schweitzer (614) 893-4235 <a href="mailto:kschweitzer@ohnurses.org">kschweitzer@ohnurses.org</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Human Trafficking Awareness</li> <li>• Sexual Harassment</li> <li>• Opioids</li> <li>• Elder Abuse</li> <li>• Mental Illness</li> <li>• Nursing Skills</li> <li>• Forensic Nursing</li> <li>• Primary Care</li> <li>• Category A</li> </ul>
<p><b>Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services</b> 30 E. Broad Street, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215-3430</p> <p>OBN-003-92</p>	<p>Angela Thompson (614) 466-1570 <a href="mailto:angela.thompson@mha.ohio.gov">angela.thompson@mha.ohio.gov</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mental Health First Aid</li> <li>• Medication Assisted Treatment</li> <li>• Trauma informed care</li> <li>• Cultural Competency/ Humility</li> <li>• Hospice</li> <li>• Crisis Intervention Training</li> <li>• Promoting Solutions for Addiction</li> </ul>
<p><b>Ohio League for Nursing</b> 20545 Center Ridge Road, Suite 205 Rocky River, Ohio 44116 <a href="http://www.ohioleaguefornursing.org">www.ohioleaguefornursing.org</a></p> <p>OBN-006-92</p>	<p>Jane Mahowald (440) 331-2721 <a href="mailto:jfmahowald@aol.com">jfmahowald@aol.com</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Approved Summits &amp; Conferences</li> <li>• LPN IV Therapy</li> <li>• Category A</li> </ul>
<p><b>Northwest State Community College Division of Nursing &amp; Allied Health</b> 22600 St. Rt. 34 Archbold, Ohio 43502 <a href="https://northweststate.edu/">https://northweststate.edu/</a></p> <p>OBN-008-92</p>	<p>Deborah Hartzell (419) 267-5511 <a href="mailto:dhartzell@northweststate.edu">dhartzell@northweststate.edu</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Global Nursing and Cultural Awareness</li> <li>• Adolescent Health</li> <li>• Hospice Care</li> <li>• Palliative Care</li> <li>• Chronic Care Management</li> <li>• Holistic Care – Mind Body Soul</li> <li>• Category A</li> </ul>

<sup>1</sup> Category “A” means the portion of CE that meets the one-hour requirement directly related to the law and rules of the Board.

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<p><b>Omnicare of Northwest Ohio</b>            7643 Ponderosa Road            P.O. Box 1030            Perrysburg, Ohio 43552</p> <p>OBN-009-93</p>	<p>Nancy Lopiccolo            (313) 550-5439  <a href="mailto:Nancy.lopiccolo@omnicare.com">Nancy.lopiccolo@omnicare.com</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nursing</li> <li>• LPN IV Therapy</li> <li>• Category A</li> </ul>
<p><b>Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities</b>            30 E Broad Street, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor            Columbus, Ohio 43215  <a href="https://dodd.ohio.gov/">https://dodd.ohio.gov/</a></p> <p>OBN-010-93</p>	<p>Janet Winterstein            (440) 714-5372  <a href="mailto:janet.winterstein@dodd.ohio.gov">janet.winterstein@dodd.ohio.gov</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medication Administration</li> <li>• Core Competencies</li> <li>• Seizures</li> <li>• GERD</li> <li>• Women's Health Issues</li> <li>• Beating Depression &amp; Anxiety</li> <li>• Dual Diagnosis</li> <li>• Dehydration</li> <li>• Sexual Violence</li> <li>• Category A</li> </ul>
<p><b>University of Cincinnati College Of Nursing</b>            P.O. Box 210038            Cincinnati, Ohio 45221  <a href="https://nursing.uc.edu/">https://nursing.uc.edu/</a></p> <p>OBN-011-93</p>	<p>Lisa M. Hachey            (419) 602-7608  <a href="mailto:uccenurse@uc.edu">uccenurse@uc.edu</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Faculty Directed Continuing Education</li> </ul>