

**RNs and APRNs: RENEW NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 31, 2021  
TO CONTINUE TO PRACTICE**

*Over 200,000 licenses have been renewed – RNs and APRNs should not delay – renew now!*

If RNs and APRNs do not renew by October 31, 2021, your license will lapse, and you cannot work as nurses if your license has lapsed.

**ATTENTION APRNs: You must renew BOTH your RN and APRN licenses.** These are two separate renewal applications and you must complete them both.

RNs and APRNs are encouraged to check the expiration date of your license at [https://elicense.ohio.gov/oh\\_verifylicense](https://elicense.ohio.gov/oh_verifylicense). If it shows an expiration date of 10/31/21 it means you have not started to renew; you have not completed the renewal process; or you have not placed your license on inactive status.

To renew go to <https://elicense.ohio.gov>.

If RNs and APRNs do not intend to work as a nurse and do not want to renew, please place your license on “inactive” status. Go to [www.nursing.ohio.gov](http://www.nursing.ohio.gov).

For assistance, call 614-466-3947 and select “option 1” Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm and check the Board website at [www.nursing.ohio.gov](http://www.nursing.ohio.gov) for extended hours in late October. After hours, email [nursing.registration@das.ohio.gov](mailto:nursing.registration@das.ohio.gov) and include a brief description of the issue, first name, last name, telephone number, email address, and license number if you have it.

If additional Information is needed, please refer to the Board website at [www.nursing.ohio.gov](http://www.nursing.ohio.gov) or contact the Board at [renewal@nursing.ohio.gov](mailto:renewal@nursing.ohio.gov).