

Covenant School of Nursing
Disciplinary Action Summary Assignment
Instructional Module 2

Student Name: [Raleigh Sullivan](#)

Date: [5/27/2022](#)

DAS Assignment # 4

Name of the defendant: [Sundra Kaye Wiley-Everly](#) License number of the defendant: [731830](#)

Date action was taken against the license: [5/8/2012](#)

Type of action taken against the license: [Revoked](#)

Use the space below to describe the events which led to action taken against the license. If multiple charges were in play, be sure and cite them, e.g., drug diversion, HIPAA violation, abandonment, forfeiture on student loans, etc.

[On May 17th, 2010, Wiley-Everly was working as a travel nurse at Las Palmas Medical Center in El Paso, Texas. She was reportedly called in for a drug screening and the examination showed that she was engaging in excessive use of cocaine. Her license was revoked because this habit has the potential to impair her judgement while she is subject to duty and ultimately put her patients in danger.](#)

Use the space below to provide a description of measures you think could have prevented any action being taken against the license and/or would have prevented harm to the patient if harm occurred. Consider which universal competencies were violated.

[Simply stated, Sundra Wiley-Everly could have kept her license by refraining from using cocaine and other substances that are known to impair judgement. By not doing so, she violated the following universal competencies: her ability to critically think and professional role.](#)

Use the space below to describe what action you think a prudent nurse would take as the first to person to discover the event described, in other words, you are the one who discovers the patient has been harmed by the nurse or you have discovered the impairment or criminal activity cited in the disciplinary action.

[If I had come to the knowledge that Wiley-Everly was using cocaine, I would most likely notify the charge nurse. There should be no allowances for drug use by nurses since that places patients' lives in danger and that would need to be reported to the board immediately.](#)