



# News Release

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## **King County nursing assistant's credential revoked due to sexual misconduct**

**OLYMPIA** – The Secretary of Health permanently revoked the credential of a King County nursing assistant Samuel K. Njuguna (NAC.NC.60440728).

The revocation completes the legal process that started in October 2015 with the immediate suspension of his license based on charges of second-degree rape, a class B felony in King County. Njuguna had sex with a mentally disabled resident under his care.

Njuguna has no right to apply for reinstatement of his nursing assistant credential.

The legal documents for this case are available online by clicking the link to “[Provider Credential Search](#)” on the [Department of Health website](#); copies can also be requested by calling 360-236-4700. Anyone who believes a health care provider acted unprofessionally is encouraged to call that number to report their complaint.

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