



State of Arizona Naturopathic Physicians Medical Board

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Dr. Tam Spat, ND – Physician Member, Dr. Daniel Rubin, ND– Physician Member

BOARD MEETING

Thursday, June 10, 2021 • 11:00 a.m. • Board Room B, First Floor

1740 W. Adams Phoenix, AZ 85007

To Attend Via Phone 1-877-820-7831 Passcode 715853

1. CALL TO ORDER BY PRESIDING OFFICER

Dr. Sadilek called the meeting to order at 11:00 a.m.

A. Roll call of Board members and establishment of a quorum to conduct meetings.

	VOTE	SADILEK Chair	POPIEL Vice Chair	TIBBITTS Sec. / Tres.	GALAN	CAMPBELL	RUBIN	SPAT
All Present Via Phone	4	x	x	x	x			
Absent	3					x	x	x
Vacant	0							

Dr. Rubin joined the meeting at 11:07 am

Dr. Spat joined the meeting at 11:38 am

B. Acknowledgement of presence of Board staff and legal counsel.

Mr. Justin Larson, Assistant Attorney General

Mr. Marc Harris, Assistant Attorney General

Ms. Gail Anthony, Executive Director

2. DECLARATIONS OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

Dr. Rubin recused from item 5 (A).

3. CIVILITY STATEMENT

Dr. Sadilek read the statement into the record.

4. CONSENT AGENDA – REVIEW, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING APPROVAL OF THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS.

- A. Naturopathic Medical License by Examination
 - Avelin, Aalia (temporary license issued in accordance with A.R.S. § 32-1522.01)
 - Chand, Vasundhra (temporary license issued in accordance with A.R.S. § 32-1522.01)
 - Killion, Aaron (temporary license issued in accordance with A.R.S. § 32-1522.01)
 - Puchalski, Keely (temporary license issued in accordance with A.R.S. § 32-1522.01)
- B. Naturopathic Medical License by Endorsement
 - Feindt, Julie (temporary license issued in accordance with A.R.S. § 32-1522.01)
- C. Reinstate Retired Medical License
- D. Retire Medical License
- E. Reinstatement of Expired Medical License
 - Smith, Ashley (temporary license issued in accordance with A.R.S. § 32-1522.01)
- F. Renewal of Medical License
 - Anguiano, Christian
- G. Initial Certificate to Dispense
 - Kelemen, Ramona
 - Killion, Aaron
 - Puchalski, Keely
 - Tilchen, Joseph
- H. Reinstatement of Expired Certificate to Dispense
 - Wdowin, Garrett
- I. Renewal Certificate to Dispense
 - Abbott, Crystal
 - Abers, Mareshah
 - Aidun, Sima
 - Alexandria, Karsten
 - Alhadi, Fatima
 - Anderson, Erin
 - Archambault, Brian
 - Arneson, David
 - Baayeh, Harriet
 - Bain, Jaclyn
 - Birdsall, Shauna
 - Blasi, Jennifer
 - Borsa, Robin
 - Boyer, Veronica
 - Brandeis, Damien
 - Brown, Joseph
 - Brown, Warren
 - Buratovich, Nick

Cain, Nicole
Calimeri, Susan
Cavanaugh, Shannon
Cocker, Ephraim
Cooke, Rebecca
Cronin, Courtney
Cullen, Luann
Deal, Sheldon
Deville Baden, Lauren
DiFilippo, Mary
Drought, Kelly
Duffy, Kaitlyn
Dugan, Carli
Feaster, Joanne
Feria, Lilia
Fernandez, Lena
Flagler, Lila
Flagler, Samuel
Frederick, David
Gaines, Patricia
Gajus, Stephanie
Gianni, Judy
Gliniecki, Michele
Godman, Susan
Greenfield, Jacqueline
Gregory, Margot
Grey, Laurence
Grimes Saber, DeeAnn
Haebe, Patricia
Hampton, Eric
Hayes, Cynthia
Heffner, Karlee
Hendricks, Jane
Hoag, Melanie
Hobi, Annette
Houtan, Houtaneh
Hug, Colleen
Hull, Ginger
Husami, Margaret
Huston, Stephanie
Irwin, Rebecca
Jamison, Carol
Jeffers, Monica
Jonas, Mary
Jones, Greg
Katz, Steven
Kennedy, Cori

Kennedy, Cori
Khaut, Christine
Knytych, Jeffery
Kollin, Cheryl
Krause, Apryl
Krieger-Fiedler, Allyn
Kubacz, Cheryl
Kupperman, Jami
Langston, Danielle
Leone, Jacqueline
Lewis, Danielle
Lieske, Robert
Lima, Paula
Linton, LoRal
Livengood, Elizabeth
Logan, Darla
Marcantel, Mary
Marchese, Marianne
Markison, Laura
Marshall, Amanda
Marshall, Sarah
Massingale, Morgan
Matthias, Ronald
McDaniel, Allison
McJunkin, Clinton
Milisen, Robert
Mittman, Paul
Mizera-Lieske, Kimberlyn
Mora, Carmen
Morstein, Mona
Mosley, Mariah
Munoz, Victoria
Murdoch, Jessica
Muro, Eugene
Myatt, Dana
Nagallo, Krisel
Nave, Gaynel
Neeley, Kyle
Nikolic, Elizabeth
Noronha, Bethania
Norris, Kristi
Nowak-Stears, Julie
Patrice, Analiah
Pingel, Patricia
Placella, Naomi
Porter, Jason
Poteet, Zachary

Powell, Arthur
Predmore, Leslie
Proefrock, Kenneth
Purcell, Andrea
Quart, Kendra
Quintanar, Noemi
Rader, Alan
Rames, Oceana
Ramirez, Lena
Ramsey, Theresa
Randahl, Samantha
Reker, Mary
Rhodes, Rachel
Rich, Gregory
Riley, Ashley
Rittling, Carrie
Roberson Alexander, Amanda
Rodriguez, Odessa
Rosario, Sue
Royer, Lacey
Ruiz, Guillermo
Ryskowski, Amanda
Salisbury, Lauren
Sandoval Becker, Estrella
Sayadian, Serop
Scheeler, Natalie
Schroeder, Hannah
Seenauth, Casey
Sexton, Trevor
Shafferman, Madelelin
Shams, Marcus
Shashtri, Nisharg
Shaw, Elizabeth
Shenkman, Brett
Shine, Jahaz
Simmons Stuber, Margie
Simone, Myleen
Skelton, Janice
Smith, Jennifer
St. Clair, Julia
Stallone, Paul
Stein, Ashley
Stewart, Elaine
Stills, Sharon
Stouk, Olya
Stowell, Aaron
Strand, Roxie

Stringer, Bethany
Strom, Mark
Swartz, Tara
Szeto, Katherine
Takaki, Nanao
Takeuchi Miller, Emily
Tallman, David
Tallman, Ty
Thom, Dickson
Toghyani, Jeannette
Trockels, Kristine
Truong, Tue
Turner, Leila
Turner, Mary Jo
Wagner, Amy
Walz, Amber
Warren, Brittany
Warren, Daniel
Wayne, Emilee
Wazny, Phillip
Weiner, Andrea
Wells, Wendy
Werner, Mykayla
Werner, Stefanie
Wheeler, Miriam
White, Lasha
Whitsell, Melinda
Williams, Crystal
Wilson, Donielle
Winter, Erin
Witman, James
Woeller, DeAnna
Wright, Berlin
Zdan, Jill
Ziol, Judith

J. Initial Certificate to Engage in a Clinical Training Program

Bosen, Tonya
Lessila, Jami
Schafhirt, Kayla
Surratt, Charmine

K. Renewal Certificate to Engage in a Clinical Training Program

Ali, Hibo
Hujer, Nicole
Kamwee, Paw
Montag, Abigail
Morales, George

Nola, Daniel
 Rainier, Tonia
 Villacorta, Eduardo
 Waddell, Rikki
 Wingo, Ebony

- L. Initial Certificate to Engage in a Preceptorship Training Program
- M. Renewal Certificate to Engage in a Preceptorship Training Program
- N. Initial Certificate to Conduct a Preceptorship Training Program
- O. Renewal Certificate to Conduct a Preceptorship Training Program
- P. Initial Certificate to Engage in a Preceptorship Training Program
- Q. Initial Medical Assistant Certificate
 Franco, Brenda
- R. Renewal Medical Assistant Certificate
 Gear, Christina
 Sanchez, Susan

Consent Agenda Vote: Dr. Sadilek made a motion to approve consent agenda items 4 A-R.
 Seconded by Dr. Popiel. Roll Call Vote: Motion Carried 5 Ayes, 2 Absent.

	VOTE	SADILEK Chair	POPIEL Vice Chair	TIBBITTS Sec. / Tres.	GALAN	CAMPBELL	RUBIN	SPAT
Yes	5	x	x	x	x		x	
No	0							
Abstain	0							
Absent	2					x		x
Recused	0							
Vacant	0							

5. REVIEW, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING THE FOLLOWING BOARD CASES.

- A. Case No. 20-176, Dr. Anna Nordin, Initial Review.
 Dr. Rubin recused.

Dr. Nordin and Attorney Steve Mahaffey were present via phone.

Ms. Anthony summarized the case.

Dr. Sadilek made a motion to continue the case for 30 days for additional chart review. Seconded by Dr. Popiel. Roll Call Vote: Motion Carried 5 Ayes, 1 Absent, 1 Recused.

	VOTE	SADILEK Chair	POPIEL Vice Chair	TIBBITTS Sec. / Tres.	GALAN	CAMPBELL	RUBIN	SPAT

Yes	5	x	x	x	x	x		x
No	0							
Abstain	0							
Absent	1					x		
Recused	1						x	
Vacant	0							

- B. Case No. 20-174, Dr. Vanessa Ferreira, Review of Consent Agreement.
Ms. Anthony summarized the consent agreement.

Dr. Sadilek made a motion to amend the consent agreement to include an additional 8 hours of continuing medical education in Medical Charting. Seconded by Dr. Popiel. Roll Call Vote: Motion Carried 6 Ayes, 1 Absent.

	VOTE	SADILEK Chair	POPIEL Vice Chair	TIBBITTS Sec. / Tres.	GALAN	CAMPBELL	RUBIN	SPAT
Yes	6	x	x	x	x		x	x
No	0							
Abstain	0							
Absent	1					x		
Recused	0							
Vacant	0							

- C. Case No. 20-180, Dr. Rosa-Elise Scooler. Initial Review.
Dr. Scooler and Attorney Krizia Verplanke were present via phone.

Ms. Anthony summarized the case.

Dr. Popiel made a motion to issue a Letter of Concern for failure to check the CSPMP report prior to certifying some patients for medical marijuana, and failure to obtain prior medical records to support the diagnosis for which the certifications was issued. Seconded by Dr. Sadilek. Roll Call Vote: Motion Carried 6 Ayes, 1 Absent.

	VOTE	SADILEK Chair	POPIEL Vice Chair	TIBBITTS Sec. / Tres.	GALAN	CAMPBELL	RUBIN	SPAT
Yes	6	x	x	x	x		x	x
No	0							
Abstain	0							
Absent	1					x		
Recused	0							
Vacant	0							

- D. Case No. 20-177, Dr. Yasaman Tasalloti, Initial Review.
Dr. Tasalloti and Attorney Scott King were present via phone.

Ms. Anthony summarized the case.

Dr. Sadilek made a motion to issue a Letter of Concern for failure to check the CSPMP report prior to certifying some patients for medical marijuana, and failure to keep the copy of the reports in some patient charts. Seconded by Dr. Popiel. Roll Call Vote: Motion Carried 6 Ayes, 1 Absent.

	VOTE	SADILEK Chair	POPIEL Vice Chair	TIBBITTS Sec. / Tres.	GALAN	CAMPBELL	RUBIN	SPAT
Yes	6	x	x	x	x		x	x
No	0							
Abstain	0							
Absent	1					x		
Recused	0							
Vacant	0							

6. REVIEW, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING APPLICATION FOR CLINICAL TRAINING CERTIFICIATE.

- A. Anthony Freyre

Mr. Freyre was present via phone.

Ms. Anthony summarized the application.

Dr. Sadilek made a motion to issue the clinical training certificate via Consent Agreement, for one year probation to include quarterly alcohol urine testing.

Seconded by Dr. Popiel. Roll Call Vote: Motion Carried 6 Ayes, 1 Absent.

	VOTE	SADILEK Chair	POPIEL Vice Chair	TIBBITTS Sec. / Tres.	GALAN	CAMPBELL	RUBIN	SPAT
Yes	6	x	x	x	x		x	x
No	0							
Abstain	0							
Absent	1					x		
Recused	0							
Vacant	0							

- B. Brandon Amienyi

Ms. Anthony stated Mr. Amienyi had withdrawn from S.W. College. No action was required or taken on this agenda item.

7. REVIEW, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF CERTIFICATE TO DISPENSE.

A. Dr. Bruce Sadilek

Dr. Sadilek recused. Dr. Popiel made a motion to approve the certificate to dispense application. Seconded by Dr. Spat. Motion Carried 5 Ayes, 1 Recused, 1 Absent.

B. Dr. Tam Spat

Dr. Spat recused. Dr. Popiel made a motion to approve the certificate to dispense application. Seconded by Dr. Sadilek. Motion Carried 5 Ayes, 1 Recused, 1 Absent.

8. REVIEW, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING DEFINING MINOR SURGERY.

The Board discussed the matter and requested Ms. Anthony to obtain further information from S.W. College of Naturopathic Medicine and the Arizona Naturopathic Medical Association, and bring back the information to the Board for consideration at a later date.

9. REVIEW, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING DRAFT MINUTES.

A. Draft Minutes of April 8, 2021 Open Session.

Ms. Tibbitts made a motion to approve the minutes. Seconded by Dr. Sadilek. Motion Carried 6 Ayes, 1 Absent.

B. Draft Minutes of May 13, 2021, Open Session.

Dr. Sadilek made a motion to accept the minutes. Seconded by Dr. Popiel. Motion Carried 6 Ayes, 1 Absent.

10. REVIEW, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING SALARY INCREASE REQUEST FOR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR.

Dr. Sadilek made a motion to approve the request. Seconded by Dr. Popiel. Motion carried 6 Ayes, 1 Absent.

11. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT

A. Budget

B. Licensee Numbers

C. Board Case Numbers

D. Sunset Audit Update

No Action Required

12. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

None Requested

13. CALL TO THE PUBLIC

No requests to speak were received.

14. ADJOURNMENT

Dr. Sadilek adjourned the meeting at 1:45 pm