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MINUTES

BOARD MEETING

Thursday November 12, 2009 • 1:00 p.m. • Basement Conference Room B-1

1400 West Washington • Phoenix, AZ 85007

1. Call to Order by Presiding Officer

- A. Roll call of Board members and establishment of a quorum to conduct meeting.
The meeting was called to order at 1:01 PM. Dr. Walker, Present; Dr. Sadilek; Present, Dr. Waldman; Present, Mr. Zang; Present, Mr. Micuda; Present via phone. Ms. Barron joined the meeting at 1:05. Dr. Rubin joined the meeting at 1:07. 7 present
- B. Acknowledgement of presence of Board staff and legal counsel.
Dr. Craig Runbeck, Executive Director, Ms. Elizabeth Campbell, Assistant Attorney General and Ms. Gail Anthony, Deputy Director.

2. Call to the Public

No requests to address the Board were received.

3. Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by Board of Consent Agenda

- A. **Discussion, Consideration, Possible Decision and Vote by Board of Minutes of September 10th, 2009**
The Board voted to approve the minutes from September 10, 2009.
- B. **ED. Report**
No action required by the Board
- C. **Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by Board of Medical License(s) / Examination Application**

Stephanie Gajus	Amanda Frick
Sonal Patel	Emily Keranen
Thomas Jemison	Irina Riabikina
Cathy Forbes	Taylor Arbour
Sibongile Mnguni	Lisa Graham

The Board approved the issuance of license(s) by examination.

D. Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by Board of Temporary License(s) to Practice Medicine

Raushanah Najeeullah	Margot Longenecker
Irina Riabikina	Constance Dutton
Jennifer Dye	Summer Swanick
Amanda Frick	

The Board approved the issuance of temporary license(s).

E. Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by Board of Medical License(s) / Endorsement

Raushanah Najeeullah	Margot Longenecker
Deborah Ardolf	Kathryn Sage
Emily Kevenen	Summer Swanick
Jennifer Dye	Eric Cerre
Julie George	Kiera Smialek
Constance Dutton	Judith Jones
Eric Cerre	

The Board approved the issuance of license(s) by endorsement.

F. Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by Board of Application(s) for Renewal of Medical License

Simon Sung	Jorge Badillo Cochran
Roger Adair	Ryan Ferchoff
Tracy Peruch	Sonja de Graaff
Jason Sherbondy	Stephen Messer
Olya Stouk	Monica Jeffers
Alan Christianson	Boris Schwartz
Reiner Kremer	Brian Popiel
Farra Swan	Shahrazad Orona
Lorraine Sumegi	Jeannette Toghiani
Michele Nickels	Tracy Peruch
Melissa Dawahare	Amy Terlisner
Laurence Grey	Cheryl Deroin
Eugene Eihausen	Thomas Kruzel
Paul Mittman	Linda Jarvis
James Sensenig	Carol Revak
Christine Madsen	Camille Teal
Colleen Huber	Christine Girard
Paul DeLoe	Marianne Marchese
Jan Highfield	Garrett Wdowin
Brian Archambault	Karen Freeze
Frank Tamburri	Kimberly Wilson
Kiera Lane	Judy Stolz
Dawn Lamb	Katherine Neubauer
Amy Whittington	Joni Olehausen
Lila Flagler	Samuel Flagler
Victoria Zupa	Kathy Kamin
Jesika DiCampli	Shaida Sina
Clark Hansen	Meagan Harris Crossley
Jeffrey Potts	Shannon Maltais
Judith W. Curtis	Courtney Cronin
Michael Allen	Benita Perch
Stephen Lee	Deborah Rogalla
Sandy Lutrin	Jeffrey Winton

Carol Anne Spooner	Anne Christine Hicks
Kevin Barnett	Allyn Krieger-Fiedler
Mary DiFilippo	Bradley Smith
Jamie Oskin	Laura Weeshoff
Hanna Ian	John Alexander Robinson
Lois Marie Eaton	Boyer B. Cole
Jessica Mitchell	Robert Milisen

The Board approved the renewal of the medical license(s).

G. Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by Board of Application(s) / Request(s) to Retire Medical License

Holly Castle	
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The Board approved the request(s) for retirement of the medical license(s).

H. Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by Board of Application(s) for Certificate to Engage in a Preceptorship Training Program

Deborah Ardolf (Renewal)	
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The Board approved the renewal of the certificate to engage in a preceptorship training program.

I. Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by Board of Application(s) for Certificate to Dispense (initial)

Krystal Tellier	Kristen Fujii
Dianna Heath	Angela Wojtowicz
Patricia Smith Pingel	Michelle Thatcher
Kristin Berkner	Jason McNeil
Leslie Link	Alexander de Soler
Tracy Magerus	Robin Borsa
Heather Paulson	

The Board approved the issuance of the certificate(s) to dispense.

J. Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by Board of Application(s) for Renewal of Certificate to Dispense

Rebekkah Sax	Matthew Cavaiola
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The Board approved the renewal of the certificate(s) to dispense.

K. Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by Board of Application(s) for Certificate for Medical Assistant

Shawn Smetzer	Danielle McClung
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The Board approved the issuance of the medical assistant certificate(s).

L. Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by Board of Application(s) for Certificate to Engage in a Clinical Training Program

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The Board approved the issuance of the certificate(s) to engage in a clinical training program.

Mr. Zang made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda, items (3) A, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K and L. Second by Dr. Sadilek. Motion carried 7 Ayes.

4. Regulatory Matters

A. **Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by the Board of Investigations and Complaints. The Board may go into executive session regarding this matter.**

(1) Dr. Jennifer Burns, Case No. 09-051, Investigative Interview.

Dr. Burns was present with her attorney Mr. Steve Myers. Dr. Burns made statements and answered questions. After discussion and consideration by the Board, Dr. Rubin made a motion to move the matter to Formal Interview, and combine it with case no. 08-042 and case no. 08-029. Second by Mr. Zang. Motion carried 7 ayes.

(2) Dr. Kathy Kamin, Case No. 09-050, Investigative Interview.

Dr. Kamin was present, made statements and answered questions. The complainant was present and addressed the Board. After discussion and consideration by the Board, Dr. Rubin made a motion to dismiss the complaint and issue a Letter of Concern to include staff recommendations 1, 2 and 3 also to include compliance with contemporary record keeping and an order for 1 hour of non-disciplinary CME in the process of prescription writing. Second by Mr. Micuda. Motion carried 7 ayes.

The Board took a 5 minute recess at 2:30 PM

The Board resumed regular session at 2:35 PM.

Mr. Micuda left the meeting at 2:30 PM.

(3) Dr. Amy O'Hara, Case No. 09-058 – Investigative Interview.

Dr. O'Hara was present, made statements and answered questions. After discussion and consideration by the Board, Dr. Waldman made a motion to dismiss the case. Second by Ms. Barron. Motion carried 6 ayes, 1 absent.

(4) Dr. Donald Mayfield, Cases No. 08-024 and 08-037, Formal Interview.

Dr. Mayfield was not present. The Board was presented with a consent agreement for licensure surrender, signed by Dr. Mayfield. After discussion and consideration by the Board. Ms. Barron made a motion to accept the consent agreement for surrender of Dr. Mayfield's medical license. Second by Mr. Zang. Roll Call: Dr. Sadilek; aye, Ms. Barron; aye, Mr. Zang; aye, Dr. Rubin; aye, Dr. Walker; aye. Motion carried 6 ayes, 1 absent.

B. **Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by the Board regarding Case No. 08-025, Dr. Carole Eastman including consideration of proposed settlement agreement. The Board may go into executive session regarding this matter.**

Dr. Eastman's Attorney, Mr. M. Brent Peugeot notified the Board shortly before the meeting, that he would not be attending. No action required by the Board on this matter.

C. **Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by the Board on non compliance of Board Order. The Board may go into executive session regarding this matter.**

(1) Dr. Kirk Slagel

Dr. Slagel was present. After discussion by the Board, Dr. Waldman made a motion that a case be opened regarding Dr. Slagel's non compliance with Board order and that the matter be moved on to Formal Hearing. Also granting staff the ability to negotiate a consent agreement for licensure surrender. Second by Ms. Barron. Motion carried 6 ayes, 1 absent.

D. **Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by the Board on application for licensure reinstatement. The Board may go into executive session regarding this matter.**

(1) Kelly Hannigan Lewis

Kelly Hannigan Lewis was not present. After discussion and consideration by the Board, Dr. Sadilek made a motion to request Kelly Hannigan Lewis to obtain a psychological evaluation, from a Board staff approved evaluator, as part of her application for medical license. Second by Dr. Rubin. Motion carried.

E. **Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by the Board on application for Medical License. The Board may go into executive session regarding this matter.**

(1) Judith de Beaumont

The applicant withdrew her application for licensure prior to the meeting. No action required.

F. **Discussion, Consideration, Possible Action by Board of Persons Licensed by the Board. The Board may go into executive session regarding this matter.**

(1) Dr. Alexis Osborne McNeil. Renewal of License and issuance of Certificate to Dispense.

Works for Dr. Walker.

(2) Steven Bescak. Renewal of License. Works for Dr. Walker.

Dr. Walker recused herself. Item(s) F 1 and 2 were considered together. After discussion by the Board, Mr. Zang made a motion to issue the certificate to dispense and renew the medical license. Second by Ms. Barron. Motion carried 5 ayes, 1 recused, 1 absent.

(3) Lisa Alschuler. Renewal of License. Works for Dr. Dan Rubin.

Dr. Rubin recused himself. After discussion by the Board, Dr. Waldman made a motion to renew the license. Second by Ms. Barron. Motion carried 5 ayes, 1 recused, 1 absent.

ADJOURNMENT

THE BOARD ADJOURNED AT 3:30 PM

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