

## Physical Therapy Advisory Committee

### Minutes

The Physical Therapy Committee of the Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision met on October 17, 2023, at 9:00 AM at the office of the Board at 101 NE 51<sup>st</sup> Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. This regular meeting is being held consistent with the Oklahoma Open Meeting Act. Advance notice of this meeting was transmitted to the Oklahoma Secretary of State on November 22, 2022, and posted on the Board's website on October 11, 2023, at 10:49 AM in accordance with Title 25 O.S. § 311(A)(9).

#### Members present:

Kelly Berry, PT, MPH, Cert. MDT, Chair  
Deb Mason, PT, Vice-Chair  
Sharon Lawrence, DHSc, PTA  
Samantha Chamberlain, PT, DPT, Cert. MMOA

#### Member(s) absent:

Public Member – Vacant

#### Others present:

Barbara J. Smith, Executive Secretary  
Lisa Cullen, Director of Licensing  
Valeska Barr, Assistant Director of Licensing

Having noted a quorum, Ms. Berry called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM. Barbara Smith confirmed the quorum via roll call for purposes of the record.

Following review, Ms. Mason moved to recommend approval of the August 22, 2023 meeting minutes. Ms. Lawrence seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

**NEALA HARPER** appeared personally in support of her complete application for Physical Therapist licensure. Her license lapsed in January of 2023 and she last practiced in 2007. She has been a home caregiver to her parents and in-laws in the interim and she is current on her CEU requirements. Ms. Mason moved to recommend approval of the application pending completion of fifteen (15) days of direct onsite supervision with an adequate performance evaluation from the supervising Physical Therapist at the conclusion thereof. Ms. Chamberlain seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

**MICHAEL GRIFFITH, PT**, appeared virtually in support of his request to supervise an additional Physical Therapist Assistant, specifically Rebecca Blossom, PTA, at Maplewood Care Center in Tulsa. They currently have only one PRN PT (which is Mr. Griffith) and one PTA. He went on to say that the physical therapy department currently has a 20-patient caseload at this facility. Ms. Mason moved to recommend approval of the request to supervise Rebecca Blossom, PTA, for a period of one year with a personal appearance and a supervisory log presented at the conclusion thereof. Ms. Chamberlain seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative. The Committee strongly suggested that the facility work diligently to hire an

additional physical therapist and, if possible, for Mr. Griffith to bring documentation of the facility's efforts in that regard when he appears next year.

**CATHY BROWN**, applicant, Physical Therapist Assistant, appeared personally in support of her request to sit for the Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy examination a third time.

*\*Ms. Lawrence RECUSED. Because there was no objection by the applicant for Ms. Lawrence to remain in the meeting, she remained in the meeting but did not participate in any portion of this matter.*

Ms. Brown is hoping to retake the exam in January of 2024. She provided a study plan for the committee's review. She was advised that this will be the last time she will be able to take the exam in Oklahoma. Following review and discussion, Ms. Lawrence moved to approve the request to sit for the Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy examination a third time. Ms. Chamberlain seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

The Committee then reviewed the supervision report of **KEVIN McFARLAND, PT**. No action was needed on this matter.

The Committee then considered applications for licensure. Ms. Mason moved to recommend approval of the incomplete application(s) for Physical Therapist Assistant licensure pending completion of the file(s) as shown on *Attachment #1* hereto. Ms. Chamberlain seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

Ms. Mason moved to recommend approval of the complete application(s) for reinstatement of Physical Therapist Assistant licensure as shown on *Attachment #1* hereto. Ms. Chamberlain seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

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The Committee reviewed the application of **JUSTIN-EDGAR VILLAFANIA MENDOZA** for Physical Therapist licensure, whose FCCPT report did not meet the current standard of education for Oklahoma. However, Mr. Mendoza is licensed in another state and has passed the Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy exam. The Committee was comfortable in recommending the approval of licensure by endorsement. Ms. Mason moved to recommend approval of licensure by endorsement pending completion of the file. Ms. Chamberlain seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

Ms. Mason moved to recommend approval of the incomplete application(s) for reinstatement of Physical Therapist licensure pending completion of the file(s) as shown on *Attachment #1* hereto. Ms. Chamberlain seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

Then Lisa Cullen, Director of Licensing, presented continuing education courses and providers for Committee review and action. Ms. Mason moved to recommend approval of the continuing education courses previously reviewed and recommended for approval by the education subcommittee and as shown on *Attachment #2* hereto. Ms. Chamberlain seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

Ms. Mason moved to recommend approval of the continuing education providers previously reviewed and recommended for approval by the education subcommittee and as shown on *Attachment #3* hereto. Ms. Chamberlain seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

Next, Valeska Barr, Assistant Director of Licensing, presented information regarding the Professional Development Audit for the Compliance Period February 1, 2022 – January 31, 2024 pursuant to Okla. Admin. Code 435:20-9-4. Ms. Barr stated that, according to the current rule as provided above, there is no pre-renewal CEU audit required nor is there any authority for one to be conducted and, therefore, there will be no pre-renewal audit conducted this year. Ms. Barr stated that the Medical Board's general counsel suggested audit letters for this compliance period, which ends January 31, 2024, be sent out to auditees March 1, 2024. The Committee thanked Ms. Barr for this updated information.

Barbara Smith, Executive Secretary, presented information regarding the newly effective Administrative Rules that cover, primarily, licensure by agreement and telehealth. The rules went into effect on September 14, 2023, and each committee member was provided a copy. The rules are also posted on our website.

There being no further business, Ms. Berry adjourned the meeting. The time was 9:59 AM.

**PHYSICAL THERAPY ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
OCTOBER 17, 2023**

**INCOMPLETE PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT APPLICATIONS**

TA 3750	HOVELSRUD, HAILEY
TA 3751	FOMUSO, ANNA
TA 3752	LAZARINE, BRANDY D
TA 3753	WATTS, MACY HUDSON
TA 3754	SCHOCH, LUZ IRMA
TA 3755	LOVETT, DESTANIE A
TA 3756	KIFYUK, BOGDANA
TA 3757	ROMERO, BROOKLYN TAYLOR
TA 3758	RADELL, JONATHAN LEE
TA 3759	ROGERS, MIIYOSHI

**COMPLETE PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT REINSTATEMENT APPLICATION**

TA 1831	CRAGHEAD, DONNIE WAYNE JR
TA 3341	HUDSON, MCKENZIE EVELYN

**COMPLETE PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT APPLICATION**

TA 3749	HIGHTOWER, SHANA
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**INCOMPLETE PHYSICAL THERAPIST APPLICATIONS**

PT 6115	MENDOZA, JUSTIN-EDGAR VILLAFANIA
PT 6451	LEGACY, RACHEL ROSE
PT 6452	LEGACY, NICHOLAS THOMAS
PT 6454	JURGENS, JONATHAN MICHAEL
PT 6455	NESHEM, KATIE MARIE
PT 6456	WHITSON, AUTUMN NICHOLE
PT 6457	CALHOON, RALEY
PT 6458	COLON, JOSHUA MATIAS
PT 6459	KONKOL, MEAGAN LEIGH
PT 6460	ROBINSON, ALIX N
PT 6461	NEWMAN-CHOCK, MICHAIAH JANA E
PT 6462	MUERY, NICHOLAS RICHARD
PT 6463	MORROW, MARLEE ELIZABETH
PT 6464	MUSSARI, TAMMIE LYNN
PT 6465	SPARKS, KATHLEEN ANN
PT 6466	KIZARR, KAYTLYN BRYELLE

**INCOMPLETE PT REINSTATEMENT APPLICATIONS**

PT 5205	ASHER, SCOTT RYNE
PT 5242	BIRDSONG, JOSEPH T
PT 5634	REESE, CHRISTOPHER MARTIN

PHYSICAL THERAPY COURSES  
RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL

ATTACHMENT 2

LICENSEE NUMBER	PROVIDER	COURSE TITLE	PDU HOURS	ETHICS HOURS	RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL	COMMITTEE DATES	COMMENTS
740	Home CEU Connection	Components of Ethics in Healthcare		3	APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
1154	PESI	Address primitive reflexes and promote functional skills	1		APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
1364	Parkinson Wellness Recovery (PWR)	PWR! Moves Therapist Certification Virtual Workshop	15		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
1734	Cerebral Palsy Foundation	Hammersmith Infant Neurological Examination	3.5		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
2013	University of KS Medical Center	2022 Midwest Region Burn Conference	13.75		APPROVED 9/7/23 KJB	10/17/2023	APPROVED 9/7/23 KJB
2167	Functional Movement	Clinical Overview: Approach into the Classification and Management of Patients with Low Back Pain course	2.45		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
2602	OASIS Answers Inc.	Blueprint for OASIS Accuracy	13		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
2928	Quantum Caring Institute	Trauma Informed Professional Assessment-Based Certificate Program	46		APPROVED FOR 46 CE HOUR. DOES NOT MEET REGULATORY CRITERIA FOR APPROVAL AS ETHICS HOURS	10/17/2023	APPROVED FOR 46 CE HOUR. DOES NOT MEET REGULATORY CRITERIA FOR APPROVAL AS ETHICS HOURS
3529	National Association of Home Builders	CAPS I- Marketing and Communicating with the Aging in Place Client	6		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
3529	National Association of Home Builders	CAPS II- Design Concepts for Livable Homes and Aging in Place	6		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
3529	National Association of Home Builders	CAPS III- Details and Solutions for Livable Homes and Aging in Place	6		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
3552	Cerebral Palsy Foundation	Hammersmith Infant Neurological Exam Training	4		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
3585	Mercy	Mercy Post-Concussion Rehabilitation Conference	7.5		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
4443	Parkinson Wellness Recovery (PWR)	PWR!Moves: Therapist Certification Virtual Workshop	15		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED

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4465	Neuro Development Treatment Association	Practical Interventions Strategies to Develop Perceptual Awareness in Clients with Neurological Impairments: Pediatric and Adult NDTA Contemporary Practices Align.	7		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
4549	Functional Anatomy Seminars	Functional Range Release	16		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
4625	United States Olympic and Paralympic Committee and the Steadman Philippon Research Institute	7th Annual Injury Prevention Symposium	13.5		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
4739	PelviCon	PelviCon 2023	14.25		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
4872	Mercy	Mercy Post-Concussion Rehabilitation Conference	7.5		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
4920	OU College of Medicine	2023 Oklahoma Stroke Symposium	4.25		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
4985	Bioness	Bioness L300 Clinician Training	3		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
5629	PelviCon	PelviCon 2023	14.25		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
5966	MikeReinold.com	Functional Stability Training for the Lower Body Course developed by Mike Reinold MikeReinold.com	6.75		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
6063	Parkinson Wellness Recovery (PWR)	PWR!Moves: Therapist Certification Virtual Workshop	15		APPROVED	10/17/2023	APPROVED
	Relias LLC	Ethics for PT Providers: 3 Hours		3	APPROVED 3 HOURS ETHICS PT/PTA	10/17/2023	APPROVED 3 HOURS ETHICS PT/PTA
	Colibri Healthcare	Ethics for the Oklahoma Physical Therapy Professional		2	APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
	Flex Therapist CEUs	Ethics for the Oklahoma Physical Therapist		3	APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
	Jason Gates	Exercise is Medicine: Combating Parkinson Disease	2.5		APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN

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	Ascension St. John	Ethics Symposium and PT Ethics Conversations		3	COURSE OFFERED IN 2 PARTS 2 HOURS ON 9/25, 3RD HOUR ON 9/28. ALL 3 HOURS ATTENDANCE REQUIRED FOR COMPLETION/. 3 HOURS TOTAL	10/17/2023	COURSE OFFERED IN 2 PARTS 2 HOURS ON 9/25, 3RD HOUR ON 9/28. ALL 3 HOURS ATTENDANCE REQUIRED FOR COMPLETION/. 3 HOURS TOTAL
	Oklahoma Autism Network	Fearless Different, our differences are our strength	1		APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
	Aquatic Therapy & Rehab Institute	Intro to Aquatic Therapy	8		APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
	Summit Professional Education	The latest Ethics Standards in Physical Therapy		2	Approved	10/17/2023	Approved
	MedBridge	What every clinician should know about ACL Injury and Treatment	1.75		APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
	Blue Sparrow Therapy Consulting	Uncover the potential: Advanced Dynamic Assessment Strategies for Children with Complex Needs in OT, PT, and Speech	0.55		APPROVED- SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED- SN

PHYSICAL THERAPY PROVIDERS  
RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL

PROVIDER NAME	RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL	COMMITTEE DATE	COMMENTS
JASON GATES	APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
SCOTT SABOLICH PROSTHETICS AND RESEARCH	APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
INSTITUTE FOR BRAIN POTENTIAL	APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
ASCENSION ST JOHN	APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
OKLAHOMA AUTISM NETWORK	APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
AQUATIC THERAPY & REHAB INSTITUTE	APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
MEDBRIDGE	APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN
BLUE SPARROW THERAPY CONSULTING	APPROVED-SN	10/17/2023	APPROVED-SN