

Minutes

The Advisory Committee on Orthotics and Prosthetics of the Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision met on February 27, 2009 in accordance with the Open Meeting Act. The meeting was held at the office of the Board, 5104 North Francis Avenue, Suite C, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Members present were:

William Etheridge, LP
Michael Fenner, LPO
Scott Boehlke, LO
Scott Williams, LPR
Mr. Boyd Barclay
J. Andy Sullivan, MD

Others present included:

Patricia Podolec, Assistant Attorney General
Robyn Hall, Director of Licensing
Kathy Plant, Executive Secretary
Lyle Kelsey, Executive Director

The meeting was called to order at 11:00 a.m. The first item of business was approval of the minutes from the October 10, 2008 Committee meeting. After reading the minutes, the minutes were declared to stand as read.

The Committee reviewed applications for licensure. The application of **JENNIFER LEIGH BLOCK** for licensure as an Orthotist/Prosthetist was considered. Mr. Fenner moved to recommend approval of the application. Dr. Sullivan seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

The application of **MICHAEL LLOYD MARTIN** for licensure as a Prosthetist was considered. Mr. Williams moved to recommend approval of the application. Dr. Sullivan seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

The application of **SHELLEY HUSEBO PERKINS** for licensure as an Orthotist was considered. Mr. Fenner moved to recommend approval of the application. Dr. Sullivan seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

The application of **AMY LEE WACHTMAN** for licensure as an Orthotist was considered. Dr. Sullivan moved to recommend approval of the application. Mr. Williams seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

The next item on the agenda was quarterly evaluations of Alternative Qualification Contracts. Mr. Lance Faulkner was the only remaining provisional license holding under terms of a contract. His third quarter report was reviewed. Staff advised that his fourth quarter report had been requested. No further action was required.

Mr. Kelsey was present to update the Committee on a current law change in HB 1897 creating a temporary license for graduates who have not yet taken and passed the licensing exam. He reported that the bill was on the house floor and proceeding on schedule. Mr. Kelsey also reported on efforts to establish a recovery program for allied professionals who have a substance abuse problem.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. The time was 11:20 a.m.