

Minutes

The Physician Assistant Advisory Committee of the Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision met on January 7, 2010, in accordance with the Open Meeting Act. The meeting was held at the office of the Board, 101 NE 51st Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Members present were:

Charles Womack, MD, Chairman
Don Flinn, PA
Thomas Pickard, DO
Gerald Wootan, DO
Lindsey Gillispie, PA
Don Coody, R.Ph
Daniel McNeill, PhD, PA

Member absent was:

Curtis Harris, MD

Others present included:

Robyn Hall, Director of Licensing
Kathy Plant, Executive Secretary
Gay Tudor, Assistant Attorney General

The meeting was called to order at 3:05 p.m. The minutes from October 1, 2009 Committee meetings were reviewed. Mr. Flinn moved to approve the minutes as presented. Mr. Coody seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

JUSTIN DANIEL GENSON appeared in support of his application for Physician Assistant licensure. Staff advised that Mr. Genson had a history of alcohol related arrests. An assessment was reviewed showing alcohol abuse but no addiction. Staff presented a proposed Agreement for licensure that would allow the Board to monitor his practice. Mr. Genson testified regarding his practice plans. Dr. McNeill stated that he was aware of Mr. Genson's arrest for DUI six months after Mr. Genson's entering into the PA Program, but there were no further problems at all in the Program. Dr. McNeill moved to recommend approval of the application under terms of the Agreement. Mr. Flinn seconded the motion. Dr. McNeill warned Mr. Genson that if he has to appear before the Committee for discipline problems, the Committee will deal with him harshly. The vote was called and is recorded as follows:

Don Flinn, PA	Aye
Thomas Pickard, DO	No

Gerald Wootan, DO	Aye
Lindsey Gillispie, PA	Aye
Don Coody, R.Ph	Aye
Daniel McNeill, PhD, PA	Aye
Charles Womack, MD	Aye

The motion carried. (See attachment #1)

ERIC WAYNE LEACH appeared in support of his application for Physician Assistant licensure. Mr. Leach had an arrest for DUI in February 2003. An assessment was reviewed showing no problems with abuse or addiction. Mr. Leach testified regarding the arrest. He stated that it happened long ago and he is a more responsible person now. He stated that he has had no problems of any kind since that time. Dr. McNeill stated he had no concerns with Mr. Leach's performance over the past two and a half years in the PA Program. Dr. McNeill moved to recommend approval for licensure. Ms. Gillispie seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative. The Chairman warned Mr. Leach that if he has to appear before the Committee for discipline problems, the Committee will deal with him harshly.

CRAIG CARSON, MD appeared to ask that rheumatologists be allowed to supervise four PAs. Dr. Carson said he works in a group with two other physicians. He spoke of the high quality of care Physician Assistants are able to provide to rheumatology patients. His group would like to utilize six PAs but were concerned about coverage if one physician is not working. Dr. McNeill offered to work with staff to look at the issue of physician/PA supervision ratio in Oklahoma. Dr. Wootan said he was not sure there was a problem with Dr. Carson's group employing six PA if each physician was approved as an alternate for the other physicians' PAs. Each physician would be free to supervise their own PAs in addition to providing alternate supervision for the remaining PAs. The Committee discussed the rules at 435:15-3-15, which limit a physician to two PAs, and 435:15-3-16, which allows for temporary supervision by an alternate physician as approved by the Board. A PA can have an unlimited number of alternate supervising physicians, except in a remote patient care setting where the limit is two alternate supervising physicians. After discussion, the Committee determined that a physician could provide supervision for his/her own PAs along with those PAs for whom he/she is approved as an alternate without violating the supervision rules.

Applications for Physician Assistant licensure were reviewed. Dr. McNeill moved to recommend approval of the following applications for licensure. Mr. Coody seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

AULD, REBECCA GRACE
BROWDER, COURTNEY LEE
COLWELL, LAUREN MICHELLE
EVERETT, MELISSA MICHELLE

BEAMON, SHELBY MATTHIAS
BURKE, JEFFREY O'CONNOR
CURTIS, STACY LEANN
GRAY, KYLE JUSTIN

**HILL, ELIZABETH MCELROY
KRUEGER, ERIN MOORE
LANGE, WILLIAM ALEXANDER
LEACH, ERIC WAYNE
LOWE, PAUL FREDERICK
MEEKS, JEFFREY ROBERT
MILLER, CHRISTY ANN
MOGAN, MEREDITH LEIGH
NELSON, MEGHAN JILL
RONCK, ABBEY LAUREN
ROWSEY, JENNIFER LYNN
SHARP, ANTHONY DAVID
SMITH, KATHRYN LOUISE
SUDDARTH, ABBY RUTH
THOMAS, MEBIN BABU
TOFT, TRACY JANE
TRAN, TRACI PHUONG**

**JONES, ERIN NICOLE
LAMB, JEREMY BRANDON
LAUGHLIN, AMANDA NICOLE
LOVELACE, AMY MARIE
MEDGAARDEN, ALEX EDWIN
MEIERS, ASHLEY NICOLE
MILLER, ERIN LEE
MORROW, TAMRA ANN
PRUITT, MEREDITH ADELE
ROOT, HALSTON LEA
SEVERANCE, BETSY LEIGH
SINIARD, CAROL ELIAS
STANCLIFF, MICHAEL JAMES
THENMADATHIL, MERRY M
TILLOTSON, ERIN BETH
TONN, DEANENE KATHRYN
MARGARET KELLY**

Dr. McNeill moved to recommend approval of the following applications for licensure as Physician Assistants pending satisfactory completion of the files:

**ABAE, ELIZABETH ARLANA
JOHNSON, DENISE WAYNETTE
WILLS, DEREK MICHAEL**

**CUTTER, ELENA GENNADYEVNA
MINNAERT, BRYNN MARIE**

He further moved to recommend approval of the following applications for reinstatement of PA licensure:

**HUNT, SCOTT
LUCHEL, MISTIE BROOKE**

**KAGAN, MARC
OLENBERGER, FRED LEE**

Mr. Flinn seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

Dr. Wootan moved to recommend approval of the following applications for transfer of supervision. Mr. Flinn seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

MUTCH, CHARLES ROBERT transfer to Donald Elgin, MD
JOACHIM, WILLIAM DAVIS transfer to George Petry, MD
HUME, MICHAEL EDWARD transfer to Ronald Hill, MD
POWERS, CHARLES MICHAEL transfer to David Dillow, DO
GUTHRIE JR, DONALD AUGUSTUS transfer to Thomas Vogel, MD
MOSS, BONNIE D transfer to Gregory Blair, MD
WARD, DAVID LEE transfer to Jason Sims, DO

WYMER, BETTI LOUISE transfer to Karl Langkamp, DO
DAVIS, SUSAN L transfer to Steven William Delia, MD
JENSON, MICHAEL GEORGE transfer to Gerald Hale, DO
WALDENVILLE, SUZZIE, J transfer to Yvonne Fine, MD
BEARDEN, SCOTT GREGORY transfer to Arman Janloo, MD
VILLARREAL, CHRISTOPHER transfer to Beth Leader, DO
RUSSELL, STEPHANIE ANN transfer to Ethel Vasquez-Harmon, DO
HANNA, ROBERT DEAN transfer to Michael Partin, MD
PURSLEY, BRENDA LOUISE transfer to Ronald Hay, MD
BRYANT, JULIE KAYE transfer to wayne Flatt, DO
MURROW, KRISTINE KAY transfer to Joseph Blough, MD
BATTOE, MARY KAY transfer to Stephen Kovacs, DO
MONROE, JOE RANDALL transfer to Mark Dawkins, MD
LABRIE, DEBORAH DENICE transfer to Stephen Kovacs, DO
SCROGGINS, STACY LYNN transfer to Johnny Zellmer, MD
LEBLANC, DEBORAH SUSANN transfer to Douglas Brant, DO
DE MASTERS, KENNETH DALE transfer to Michael Earls, DO
ZYBACH, NIKKI SUE transfer to Joseph Blough, MD
CHTAY, CYNTHIA ANN transfer to Joseph Blough, MD
KRAKER, ALLYSON PAIGE transfer to J.A. Blough, MD
POPP, JODIE LYNN transfer to Cornell Clark, MD
GAVULA, THERESA LYNN transfer to Keith Clark, MD
GRAHAM, ASHLEE MELISSA transfer to Tracy Loper, MD
GUNNELS, SAMMUAL WILLIAM transfer to Emily Friedman, MD
DENNIS, KELLY MARIA transfer to David Speegle, MD
PHUNG, NENETH OAKLEY transfer to Zeming Deng, MD
VERBICK, JENNIFER KRANZ transfer to Christina Murray, MD
PHILLIPS, KENDALL LEIGH transfer to John Seguin, MD
JENSEN, JENNIFER ANN transfer to Melody Rachal, MD
SCHMEDT, BECCA LEE-ANN transfer to Cary Lacefield, DO
WRIGHT, DIANNA LEE transfer to Tracey Childers, DO
BELL, DEBRA JEANE transfer to Ronald Lavern Hay, MD
MEDLEY, SHANNON JAMESON transfer to Frank Davis, MD
PEEBLES, MARK KEVIN transfer to Jeffrey Jones, DO
SIMPSON, LEE HALVOR transfer to Richard Helton, DO
NGUYEN, NHANHIEN DUC transfer to Tracey Childers, DO
CARROLL, NICOLE J transfer to Thuan Pham, MD
ESTEP, ERICA JANOVEC transfer to Lenard Phillips, DO
KAY, ANNA MAE MARIE transfer to Dennis Whitehouse, DO
UTLEY, JULIE BETH transfer to Rhonda Sparks, MD
HAGGARD, CAYLON WAYNE transfer to Thuan Pham,, MD
WILLIAMS, KATHERINE NEEL transfer to Larry Lovelace, DO
GREEN, NATALIE LOREN transfer to Richard Thomas, MD
MAYHEW, CHARITY ANN transfer to Scott De La Garza, MD

CLOPTON, MARIAN MEGAN transfer to Brent Chandler, DO
ARENDS, ANDREW ALLEN transfer to Toribio Velasquez, MD
HANSON, RICHARD ENNISS transfer to Michael Earls, DO

Mr. Flinn moved to recommend approval of the following applications for additional positions. Dr. McNeill seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

EVANS, BILLY ROYCE additional position with Edward Allensworth, MD
HUME, MICHAEL EDWARD additional position with J. Johnson, MD and H. Tipsword, DO
FIXLEY, VICKIE MCBEE additional position with John Grizzle, MD
WALDENVILLE, SUZZIE J. additional position with Stephen Kelly, MD
BURLISON, BOB GENE additional position with Bruce Rumbaugh, MD
HIGH, CHARLOTTE ANNE additional position with Pam Allen, MD
KYTE, KAREN SUZANNE additional position with D. Askins, DO and C. Fisher, DO
HABBEN, LEE ANN additional position with Stephen Treadwell, DO
SMITH, LESLEY JEANINE additional position with T. Perry, DO, J. Castleberry, DO and J. Cook MD
BEARDEN, SCOTT GREGORY additional position with Terry Holt, MD
DOLTON, PAULINE C. additional position with K. Steichen, MD and H. Franklin, MD
RUSSELL, STEPHANIE ANN additional position with Peter Wenger, MD
MASON-MORTON, KATHLEEN ELLEN additional position with a. Hoelscher, MD and M. Padgham, MD
WELLS, MARK LEE additional position with Gary Lawrence, MD
TAYLOR, PRINCE WILLIAM additional position with TA Darwin, MD
WEST, LISA DANETTE additional position with Michael Padgham, MD
LAVICTOIRE, SUSAN LENORA additional position with Robert Moore, DO
CHTAY, CYNTHIA ANN additional position with James Cail, DO
DUNIPHIN, DARLLA DENISE additional position with Tariq Niazi, MD
SHEPARD, REBECCA C. additional position with Peter Wenger, MD
DAMRON, BUFFY additional position with Bruce Cornett, DO
PURVINE, AMBER DAWN additional position with Oliver Cerqueira, DO
HANES, RICHARD DEAN additional position with Jason Sims, DO
BARBETTINI, ANTHONY NICHOLAS additional position with Charles Teter, MD
SCHMIDT, SARAH ELIZABETH additional position with Baptiste Shunatona, MD
MOSER, ANDREA DIANE additional position with Cheryl Black, MD
CRAIG, CHRISTINE MARIE additional position with Kamil Nemri, MD
RAU, JENNIFER LYNN additional position with Mark Brandenburg, MD
FREEMAN, LINDSEY MICHELLE additional position with Elizebeth Monnot, DO
REID, WHITNEY MARTEL additional position with Charles Mark Teter, MD
SHALBY, CYNTHIA JAYNE additional position with Don King, MD

UTLEY, JULIE BETH additional position with Oliver Cerqueira, DO
FIPPS, BRIAN KIRK additional position with Teodoro Darvin, MD
NAYAR, EMILY ELIZABETH additional position with John Seguin, MD
DONALSON, TANNA LEE additional position with Thomas Vogel, MD
COLLINS, JESSICA DAWN additional position with Victoria Pardue, DO
MCCASKILL, KIZZY LANAE additional position with Richard Hartman, MD
HANSON, RICHARD ENNISS additional position with Victoria Pardue, DO
KIRKPATRICK, NORA LU additional position with Danelle Perry, MD

Dr. McNeill moved to approve the following applications to add alternate supervising physicians to previously approved positions. Ms. Gillispie seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

KENNETH ADAMS adding Mark Adams MD
TODD ARMS adding Jose Maria Borrego Acosta MD and Andrew Vuong MD
AUDRA BALL adding Maurice Corman MD
DEBORAH BEARCE adding Marty Lofgren MD and Tiffany Baird MD
SHAY BEATTY adding Zeeshaan Khan MD
BRETT BENNETT adding R. Wetz DO, James Holleman MD, Christopher Martin MD and Kenneth Williams MD
WADE BITTLE adding Jack Anderson MD
BOBBY BOSSE adding R. Wetz DO, Christopher Martin MD, James Holleman MD, Joshua Calvert MD, Randall Reust DO, Kenneth Williams MD, Joseph Moore MD, Suraj Suku MD, Hurlis Graham MD, Justin Thankachan MD, Sidney Lawler MD, and Hassan Abou houli MD
SONJA BOSWELL adding James Rooks MD
JEFFREY BRAND adding Margaret Ellis MD
CYNTHIA BROWN adding Maurice Corman MD
SABINE BROWN adding Vicky Weidner MD and William Wilkins MD
BRIAN CARTER adding Amber Williams DO
MICHAL CHRISTIAN adding Richard Swenson MD
DAVID COLLIER adding Lonette Bebensee DO
DAVID COLLIER adding Mark Adams MD
CHRISTINE CRAIG adding Jack Anderson MD
GREGORY DAILEY adding William Wilkins MD and Amy Jarvis MD
BUFFY DAMRON adding Jack Anderson MD
PAULINE DOLTON adding Lloyd Anderson MD
TANNA DONALSON adding Winston Fong MD, Bradley Margo MD, and James Mitchell MD
MARY DUNAGAN adding Mark Adams MD
SARAH EARLEY adding Ian Bond MD, Steven Emmons MD, Daniel Biggs MD, Robin Elwood MD and Matthew Cohen DO
SARA ELDER adding Robert Hines MD

THOMAS ENGLE adding Jack Anderson MD
RACHAEL FERGUSON adding Lloyd Anderson MD
MERRITT FINNEY adding William Wilkins MD
DAN FOX adding Mark Adams MD and Lonette Bebensee DO
TARA GLEAVES adding Karen Kinney MD, Linda Salinas MD, and Douglas Drevets MD
CAYLON HAGGARD adding Andrew Vuong MD and Jose Maria Borrego Acosta MD
RICHARD HANES adding Philip Self MD and James Colvert MD
JOANNA HART adding Matthew Cohen DO, Steven Emmons MD, and Ian Bond MD
DEBORAH HOLDER adding Maurice Corman MD
VICKI JARRELL adding Zeeshaan Khan MD
SUSAN JOHNSON adding Jose Maria Borrego Acosta MD and Andrew Vuong MD
CHANDA KERSEY adding Jose Maria Borrego Acosta MD and Andrew Vuong MD
LINDEE LEDBETTER adding Steven Danley DO
KATHLEEN MASON-MORTON adding Andrew Hoelscher MD
JEAN MCGINNIS adding Lori Whelan MD and William Wilkins MD
HEATHER MCPHERSON adding Lonette Bebensee DO and Mark Adams MD
CHAD NICHOLS adding John Chaffin MD
BRET OWEN adding Jose Maria Borrego Acosta MD and Andrew Vuong MD
AMANDA PALUMBO adding Andrew Vuong MD and Jose Maria Borrego Acosta MD
CATHERINE PAZOURECK adding Margaret Ellis MD
MARK PERDUE adding Leo Boggs MD
CARROL PERRY adding Mark Adams MD and Lonette Bebensee DO
JEFFREY PHILLIPS adding Margaret Ellis MD
PATRICIA PIGGINS adding Ajay Bedekar MD and Amber Williams DO
STEPHEN POPIELEC adding Jack Anderson MD
JENNIFER RAU adding Amber Williams DO, William Ediger MD and Jack Anderson MD
WHITNEY REID adding Jon Cox MD, Lloyd Anderson MD, Tracy Smith MD, Linda Goldenstern MD, Michael Maxwell MD, Ethel Vasquez-Harmon DO and Diana Chen MD
SHAWNA ROGERS adding R. Wetz DO, Hurlis Graham MD, James Holleman MD, Christopher Martin MD and Kenneth Williams MD
MICHAEL SCALF adding Amy Jarvis MD
SARAH SCHMIDT adding Lloyd Anderson MD
REBECCA SHEPARD adding Lloyd Anderson MD
MARCUS SIZEMORE adding Craig Corson MD
LESLEY SMITH adding Kenneth Phillips DO and Amber Williams DO
DOYLE STARK adding Bahiru Mekete MD
GARY TAGGART adding Amber Williams DO
MARILYN TAYLOR adding Amber Williams DO

RONALD TAYLOR adding Joshua Gierman MD and William Havron MD

MARK THOMAS adding Ahmad Agha MD

NANCY THOMPSON adding John Cook MD

SAMUEL TUCKER adding Paul Reel DO

VERONICA WORRELL adding Ronald Elkins MD

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. The time was 3:35
p.m.