

GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

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The Georgia Composite Medical Board (GCMB) held its regular meeting on December 2-3, 2010, 2 Peachtree Street, NW, 36th Floor, Atlanta, GA 30303, to consider Medical Board matters.

Board members in attendance on Thursday December 2, 2010, were:

Alexander S. Gross, M.D., Chairperson
Charles White, D.O., Vice Chairperson
William Butler, M.D.
Eddie R. Cheeks, M.D.
Alice A. House, M.D.
Kathy Kemle, PA, Ex-Officio Board Member
Kathy Kinlaw, Consumer Member
Rhonda Kunes, Consumer Member
David W. Retterbush, M.D.
Roland S. Summers, M.D.
Jean Sumner, M.D.
Richard Weil, M. D.
William A. Woolery, D.O., PhD

Board members in absent on Thursday December 2, 2010, were:

Marion O. Lee, Jr., M.D.
John T. Perry, M.D.

Representatives from the Attorney General's Office:

Janet Wray, Senior Assistant Attorney General
Amelia Baker, Senior Assistant Attorney General
Wylencia Hood Monroe, Assistant Attorney General
Scarlett Shell, Assistant Attorney General
Daniel Strowe, Assistant Attorney General

Dr. Gross called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

AGENDA

Dr. Butler moved to approve the agenda of the December 2-3, 2010, GCMB meeting. Dr. Sumner seconded, and it carried unanimously.

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Dr. Cheeks moved to approve the minutes of the November 4-5, 2010, GCMB meeting.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

LaSharn Hughes, Executive Director, presented the following to the Board:

1. Recognize Dr. White as a recipient of the Falcons Football Club Community Quarterback Award for his work at the free clinic Caring Hands Health Clinic

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2. Reviewed Prescription Monitoring Bill. For information only.
3. Review Proposed Legislation for Pain Clinic Regulation. Board advised if it comes with funding the Board could administrate the program.
4. Regarding a question of what is a qualified health professional based on billing codes?
5. Follow-up from November meeting request – Bob Peterson UV Purifier – Ultraviolet Blood Irradiation; The Board asked for additional information.
6. Article Janet from “Professional Licensing Report” regarding “Calls for ending delegation of discipline after Bradley Schandal.” Dr. Bradley was a pediatrician in Baltimore convicted of child molestation. For information only.
7. Jeff – GBI Crime Lab Autopsies for 2009. For information only.
8. Federation of State Medical Boards – Maintenance of Licensure Template to review. For information only.
9. The article “Information on Medical Marijuana from National Association of Boards of Pharmacy”. For information only.
10. Regarding the response to Chuck Williams concerning licensure of RCISs and RCSAs who work in Cath labs. Advised to contact an attorney or a lobbyist for legislation.
11. Reviewed the Notice of Intent to Adopt A Proposed Amended Rule to the Georgia Board of Nursing Chapter 410-1: Organization and Administration General Requirements; Rule 410-1-01 Organization and Administration of the Board. For information only.
12. Regarding a letter from A.C.R. regarding unlicensed practice of medicine. Open an investigation.
13. Letter from Sammy Story RPH regarding a dialysis center telling patients they could only get their meds from the dialysis clinical is this legal? Refer to Pharmacy Board.

Dr. Summers moved to go into Closed Session. Dr. Retterbush seconded and it carried.

Dr. Gross declared Open Session.

14. Regarding a request from a group of medical doctors providing medical hands on training in laparoscopic surgery in their hospital in India concerning starting an

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offshore entity in the USA. Advised they will have to have a license to practice medicine in Georgia unless it is virtual.

15. Revisited number four Dr. Weil advised this is not an issue as long as they use the correct code and as long and as long as they are a licensed professional.

APPEARANCE BEFORE THE BOARD

Rafael D'Aura, MD requested an appearance before the Board to ask that certain documents be expunged from Dr. D'Aura's file or in the alternative sealed and made confidential. Attorneys Bob Wilson and Kerry Ware represented Dr. D'Aura. Mr. Wilson presented oral arguments. Ms. Ware made oral arguments. The Board members asked questions. The Board tabled the discussion for further information.

Dr. Butler moved to go into Closed Session. Dr. Weil seconded the motion and it carried.

Dr. Gross declared Open Session.

PAIN MANAGEMENT CLINIC DISCUSSION

Jeff Lane, Director of Investigations and Adrienne Baker, Principle Investigator presented information concerning Pain Management Clinics.

Dr. Sumner moved to go into Executive Session to conduct Investigative Interviews, Dr. Butler seconded, the motion and it carried unanimously. Dr. Perry then declared the meeting would be open session upon completion of the investigative interviews for the purpose of holding committee meetings.

RECONVENED

Dr. Gross called the meeting to order at 3:45 P.M.

LAW ENFORCEMENT ACTION REPORT

Jeff Lane, Director of Investigations, presented the following for the Board.

Dr. White moved to go into Closed Session to discuss investigative/disciplinary matters. Dr. Gross seconded and it carried unanimously.

After the Board's deliberation, Dr. Gross declared Open Session.

Dr. Summers moved to approve the following recommendations. Dr. Cheeks seconded and it carried.

1. Request from attorney for patient for a copy of the investigative file 20101823. Deny request.

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2. Request from DHR Child Support Services for information concerning **O.A.** to include address and other information so as to locate subject. Approved to release address information from application file
3. Request from the Florida Medical Board for a copy of the investigative file of 20081427. Approved to share a copy of investigative file.
4. Request from attorney for a copy of the investigative interview 20101214 recording made when subject appeared for an investigative interview. Approved to release copy of the investigative interview recording
5. Nisar Piracha, MD – Approved Public reprimand.
6. Harvey Brown, MD – Accept inactive status request.
7. 20110744 – Accepted Private Agreement not to Practice.
8. 20110856 – Accepted Private Agreement not to Practice.
9. Paul Perry, MD – Approved Public Consent Order.
10. Mary Howell, MD – Approved Public Consent Order.
11. 20070692 - Table
12. 20091103 - Table
13. 20102007 - Schedule investigative interview
14. 20081146 – No action reported accepted as information only.
15. Regarding a letter from Terry Cone, MD, Credentials Chairman of St. Francis Hospital, Columbus, GA requesting written clarification of a consent order. Approved to send letter with clarifications.
16. 20100560 – Approved Private Consent Order.
17. Robert Palmer, MD – Approved application for inactive status.
18. 20110692 – Approved Private Consent Order. (Dr. Summers recused)
19. Inna LaBelle, DO – Approved Public Consent Order.
20. Chandresh Shah, MD – Approved Public Consent Order.

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21. 20090924 – Did not accept proposed order. (Dr. Summers recused)
22. David Drucker, MD – Accept Voluntary surrender of License.
(Dr. Summers recused)
23. Request from GBI Healthcare Fraud Unit for a copy of complaints 20110773, 20110750, and 20110791 pursuant to their Medicaid fraud investigation. Approved share copy of the complaint with GBI.
24. Request from the Indiana Medical Board for confirmation as to whether or not T. B. disclosed to the Board actions taken against him by the NY Board and the NC Board. Share requested information with the Indiana Board.

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Alexander S. Gross, M.D., Chairperson
Charles White, D.O., Vice Chairperson
William Butler, M.D.
Eddie R. Cheeks, M.D.
Alice A. House, M.D., by Teleconference
Kathy Kemle, PA, Ex-Officio Board Member
Rhonda Kunes, Consumer Member
David W. Retterbush, M.D.
Roland S. Summers, M.D.
Jean Sumner, M.D.
Richard Weil, M. D.
William A. Woolery, D.O., PhD, by Teleconference

Board members absent Friday December 3, 2010, were:

Kathy Kinlaw, Consumer Member
Marion O. Lee, Jr., M.D.
John T. Perry, M.D.

Representatives from the Attorney General's Office:

Janet Wray, Senior Assistant Attorney General by Teleconference

Dr. Gross called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

ACUPUNCTURE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Dr. Gross presented the report of the Acupuncture Advisory Committee. Dr. Summers seconded the committee recommendations and it carried unanimously.

Quarterly Reports Accepted:

1. Whelchel, Noel

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Approved Applicants for Acupuncture Licenses:

1. Liu, Angela
2. Wang, Taian

Other Business:

1. Reviewed the list of Limited Licensees and Supervisors. Kwan Joong Kim was removed from the list, since he has moved and is now practicing in South Carolina.
2. The Board determined that the word “physiotherapy” means the same as “physical therapy” in some cultures and acupuncturists should use more specific terms instead of physiotherapy, such as Tai Chi, QiGong, etc. The Board directed the licensee to make the same inquiry regarding the use of the term “physiotherapy” to the PT Board to avert any potential problems.

PHYSICIAN LICENSING COMMITTEE:

Dr. Butler presented the report for the Physician Licensing Committee. Rhonda Kunes moved to approve the Committee report. Dr. Retterbush seconded the committee recommendations and it carried.

Other Business:

1. Alan Stansfield – Approved to release copies of the application documents he furnished to the Board.
2. Invite Drs. AF, BS and MK in for an interview.
3. B.M. – Advise pass the SPEX Examination and the Board will consider application for licensure.
4. R.T. - Interview with the Impairment Committee.
5. J.B., J.L., Advise take and pas the SPEX examination the Board will consider application for licensure.

Approved Reinstatement Applications:

60792	Bailey, Trevor	MD
43184	Chen, Ling	MD
32365	Coolman, David	MD
31433	Graham, Tony	MD
31606	Herring, Duane	MD
34397	Lee, Kevin	MD
45293	McBroom, John	MD
51230	Harman, Ann	MD
50059	Shekhawat, Prem	MD
58488	Williams, Robert M	MD
56382	Williams, Wesley	MD
34041	Petra, Jena	MD

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Approved Applicants for licensure without restriction:

65377	Abaaba, Abiedu Charles	MD
65378	Akintunde, Oluyemisi O.	MD
65379	Alkan, Serhan	MD
65380	Allakhverdova, Larisa I.	MD
65381	Allen, Brian Michael	MD
65382	Badir, Maher Mounir	MD
65383	Bales, Joan Calhoun	MD
65384	Bhandarkar, Sulochana S.	MD
65385	Bhattacharjee, Pradip	MD
65386	Boyle, Michael John	MD
65387	Brown, III, William Melvin	MD
65388	Cavazos, Cristina Margarita	MD
65389	Charney, Jack	MD
65390	Clayton, Jessica Rachael	MD
65391	Cooper, James Anthony	MD
65392	Cornett, Benjamin Cole	MD
65393	Cox, Alan Lee	MD
65394	Cox, Deitrick L.	MD
65395	Cui, Hong	MD
65396	Danesh, Sarvenaz	MD
65397	Duwayri, Yazan	MD
65398	Echols, Carmen Giovanni Deonne	MD
65399	Eckert, Jordan	MD
65400	Ezeihuaku, Christopher	MD
65401	Feiner, Alyssa	MD
65402	Friday, Jack Michael	MD
65403	Gleason, John Paul	MD
65404	Grebenc, Mary Lorraine	MD
65405	Greene, Joe Stephen	MD
65406	Gregory, Carrie Ashby	MD
65407	Grotting, James Christian	MD
65408	Gul, Samina Dr	MD
65409	Pan, Qiuping	MD
65410	Parnes, Neil Hamilton	MD
65411	Patino, Willmar Davison	MD
65412	Patty, Jr., James Walter	MD
65413	Pewitt, Jonathan David	MD
65414	Price, Maryam	MD
65415	Rachal, III, Henry	MD
65416	Rajesh, Tara Viswambharan	MD
65417	Rauls, Russell Barnes	MD
65418	Robinson, Suzette Adele	MD
65419	Romerocaces, Gloria Marcelo	MD
65420	Ryan, Kathleen Therese	MD

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65421	Schwab, III, Harold Lewis	DO
65422	Shahpoury Arani, Mehdi	MD
65423	Shaikh, Ayesha Adnan	MD
65424	Shaw, Jesse Zisholtz	DO
65425	Smith, Richard Bayne	MD
65426	Soehnlén, Michael William	MD
65427	Sunny, Sitara	MD
65428	Thomason, Fred Godwin	MD
65429	Utleý, Jennifer Jennifer Elizabeth	MD
65430	Van Arsdell, Kent Howard	MD
65431	Vasudevan, Raghavan	MD
65432	Veloso, Audrey Marie Vasquez	MD
65433	Verma, Neha	DO
65434	Visitacion, Maria Clarissa Lorete	MD
65435	Walker, Patrice Nicole	MD
65436	Walton, Kenneth Brian	MD
65437	Westberg, Lindsey Ann	MD
65438	Yang, Steven Seung Chul	MD
65439	Zalacain, Joaquin Fernando	MD
65440	Hanna, Tarek Noel	MD
65441	Hanowell, Robert Goddin	MD
65442	Heath, Candrice Rachelle	MD
65443	Jamie, Sharon	MD
65444	Jammal, Hachem	MD
65445	Johnson, Joseph Patrick	MD
65446	Jouett, Brandi Nichole	MD
65447	Kelley, Jr., Wayne	MD
65448	Kim, Lindsay	MD
65449	Kreymerman, Peter	MD
65450	Lau, Stanley Taune	MD
65451	Lubin, Ronald	MD
65452	Lucas, Amy Suzanne	MD
65453	Mathieu, Jr., Paul K	MD
65454	Mezquita, Madelyn	MD
65455	Mugleston, Steven William	MD
65456	MCBrine, Paula Anne	MD
65457	Oberste, David Jason	MD
65458	LaBelle, Inna	DO
65459	Eggleston, Ben Edward	MD
65460	Joves, Froilan Borja	MD
65461	Irvin, Thomas Lee	MD

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Approved Residence Training Permits:

Emory School of Medicine

1. Watkins, William MD
2. Castillo, Nelson MD

Childrens Healthcare of Atlanta

1. Moore, Toby MD

NURSE PROTOCOL COMMITTEE

Dr. Weil presented the Committee recommendations report for the Nurse Protocol Committee Dr. Retterbush moved to approve the Committee recommendations. Ms. Kunes seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Nurse Protocol Agreement accepted pending additional information:

APRN

PHYSICIAN

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| 1. Sharri Rittenhouse | Edward Espinosa, DO |
| 2. Christopher Dawson | Brett Cannon, MD |
| 3. Kimberly Johnson | Daxes Banit, MD |

Other Business:

1. Rejected the training documentation for EKG interpretation from K.L., APRN and I. N., MD and determined that further training documentation is required, in addition to the ACLS Provider Course.
2. Approved search for an APRN to fill the vacancy on the NP Committee left by Toni Barnett, Ph.D., APRN, whose term will end in January 2011.

Nurse Protocol Agreements accepted:

APRN

PHYSICIAN

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| Angela Barrett-Brown | James Spivey, MD |
| Kristin Booth | Anthony Ditaranto, MD |
| Karen Bowser | Wendy Vandemark, MD |
| Robin Brackett | Richard Maxa, MD |
| Jennifer Campbell | James Lindley, MD |
| Yvonne Chesser | Parker Grow, MD |
| Sallie Coke | Lee Woodall, MD |
| Julie Coleman | Thomas Murphy, MD |
| Melissa Crosby | Jose Medina-Bairan, MD |
| Lottie Davenport | Crystal Comeau, MD |
| Susan Fricke | Eric Paulk, MD |
| Michelle Goldklang | Harriette Perlstein, MD |
| Willie Goodwin | Oladapo Odujebe, MD |
| Elaine Granger | Karim Godamunne, MD |

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Lisa Hartman	Alan Einstein, DO
Maria Hildebrand	Henry Philip Morris, MD
Esther Iwotor	Dolapo Babalola, MD
Sarah John	Karina Belinfante, MD
Vickie Johnson	A. S. Ghiathi, MD
Patricia Kohler	Elliott Raizes, MD
Karen Kress	Kimford Meador, MD
Julie Mattox	Ahmad Irfan, MD
Bonnie Moore	Julian Hutchins, MD
Carissa Moser	Daniel Lopez, MD
Robert Pafford	Woody Francis, MD
Katie Rangnow	Robin Lowman, MD
Trena Ray	Teresa Baysden, DO
Jodie Rodriguez	Annmarie Brooks, MD
Shirlene Royal	Charles Ruis, MD
Victoria Sanchez	John Coleman, MD
Catherine Sanderson	Julian Hutchins, MD
Ali Shropshire	Cheryl Perkins, MD
Rebecca Simpson	Gary Minkiewicz, MD
Samantha Spell	Gary Minkiewicz, MD
Tania Suao-Castleberry	Kenneth Rice, MD
Ericka Swilling-Nobles	Henry Watson, MD
Brandy Sykes	Richard Dukes, MD
Crystal Szczepanski	Damon Kimes, MD
Cathy Tedder	Larry Stewart, Jr., MD
Kamie Theobald	Mark Oliver, MD
Julia Thorne	Donna Haley, MD
John Ventimiglia	Mark Tanner, MD
Keela Weeks	O. Goga Vukotic, MD
Tiffany Williams	Cathy Larrimore, MD
Tina Williams	Theresa Jacobs, MD
Tina Williams	Susan Kinsella MD
Cynthea Wilson	David Woodard, MD
Joy Wilson	Derex Stewart, MD
Karen Wright	Divina Dyer, MD

ORTHOTIC AND PROSTHETIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Dr. Butler presented the report for the Orthotic and Prosthetic Advisory Committee. Dr. Summers seconded the Committee report and it carried.

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Approved Applicant for Orthotic & Prosthetic licensure:

1. Welling, Richard

Other Business:

1. Tabled discussion of practice for Orthotic/Prosthetic & Pedorthic.
2. Reviewed update on Rules.

PERFUSION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Applicants Approved for Perfusionist Licensure:

1. Edwin Palmer - pending additional information.

Other Business:

1. K.W. - Table application and invite for an interview.
2. Discussed setting a date and time where all (including a Board Member) would be in attendance to participate in an in-house meeting to discuss the Perfusionist Rules (Suggested dates were December 13-15 or December 22, 2010 at 3:30pm). The Board also requested that a representative from the Attorney General's office participate in the in-house meeting to discuss the Clinical Perfusionist rules and laws, and to clarify the question of whether a licensee must be currently certified by the ABCP in order to renew his/her license.
3. The Board requested a copy of the law referencing certification and license renewal.
4. The Board requested that the staff prepare a letter of appreciation to Dr. Vinayak Kamath for his service and leadership of the Perfusionist Advisory Committee.

PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANT ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

Dr. Retterbush moved to go into Closed Session. Ms Kunes seconded the motion and it carried. Dr. Gross declared Open Session. Dr Sumner presented the Physician Advisory Committee report to the Board. Dr. Summers moved to accept the report as amended and it carried unanimously.

Approved Additional Duties Request:

1. Phillip Burr (elbow, hip, shoulder, ankle, knee, hand, foot DeQuervain's Stenosing Tenosynovitis injection and Trigger finger injections)
2. Jessica Cook: (Heat Needle, Electrodesiccation and Cumettager or benign lesions, Excisions of benign and malignant lesions including close and repair, lesion extraction, skin biopsies, cryotherapy,)
3. Stephen Leatherwood: (intraarticular joint injections—knee and shoulder)
4. Linda Morrison (Arterial lines and Swan Ganz)
5. Horace Saunders (Excision/closure of uncomplicated nevi, cysts)

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Additional Duties Request Denied:

1. Jessica Cook: (Sclerotherapy and Laser treatment, Incise and drain abscesses and cysts, intrasessional injections and KOH and mineral oil preps)
2. Linda Morrison: (Transvenus Pacemakers, Thoracentesis)
3. Dianne Sheintal: (Botox Injections)

Approved Applicant for Reinstatement:

1. Marielena Marlow
2. Nisha Ranchhodjee (Approved to send a letter of concern regarding unlicensed practice).

Other Business:

1. The Board declared that it is permissible for a hospitalist perform in the capacity of a Supervising Physician in the emergency room or another venue; such as in an outpatient clinic.
2. The Board certified that a Physician Assistant can renew his/her license without having a supervising physician; however, the Physician Assistant may not practice until approval has been granted to practice with the supervising physician.
3. B.C. - Refer to staff attorney for OMPE
4. L.B. - Advised to adhere to the terms of Consent Order.
5. T.W – Refer to AG/Staff Attorney for a Public Consent Order..
6. Ageless Clinic – Approved a Cease and Desist letter regarding a Podiatrist practicing medicine without a license. Report the Podiatrist to the Podiatry Board.
7. C.M. - Invite for an interview.

Approved Applicants for a Physician Assistant license:

PA/Name	Phy/Name
Amber Bell	Barry Morgan, MD
Andrea Boz	Josiah Matthews, MD
Clay Cushman	Christopher Meyerings, MD
Yosef Giles	Wayne Harris, MD
Diana Magun	Thomas Cadier, MD
Megan Mueller	Alvin Head, MD
Nikki Newnan	Charles Lodge, MD
Stevie Odom	Robert Mendes, MD
Andrea Sallusti	Frank DeMarco, Jr, MD
Sarah Sanders	John Northup, MD
Kristin S. Taylor	Wayne Richey, MD
Danielle Turner	Marvin Nix, MD

Approved Applicants who are either changing jobs or requesting an additional physician (* indicates additional physician).

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PA/Name	Previous Phy	Phy/Name
Nancy Allen	Raymond Tidman, MD	Jennifer Jones, MD
Richard Barth	Woody Francis, MD	Woody Francis, MD*
Henry Braner	Michael Register, MD	Thomas Crews, MD
Sandra Burns	Thomas Wyatt, MD	Ujwal Reddy, MD
Diane Butelr	Maneesh Bawa, MD	Donald Leslie, MD
Elliott Butler	Ronald Brock, MD	John Blakenship, MD*
Candice Cain	Charles Spike, MD	William Smith, MD
Kristen Campbell	Cynthia Summer, MD	Charles Bryan, MD*
Katie Covington	Stephanie Gardner, MD	Holly Edmunds, MD
Gary Day	Dominic Mack, MD	Lynn Flowers, MD*
Kindal Delay	Robert Hall, MD	Jorge Moreno, MD*
John Derrick	Claudio Machado, MD	Bruce Gioia, MD*
Dina Dlugos	Seth Rosen, MD	Mark Johnson, MD*
John Dorough	Keith Johnson, MD	Arthur Gray, MD*
Mara Franklin	Michael Jackson, MD	Cheryl Reinhardt, MD*
John Gravgaard	Jacklyn McParlane, MD	John Shivdat, MD
Jennifer Hall	Steven Helfman, MD	Paul Turk, MD
Scott Hearn	Tiffani Salas, MD	Eugene Harris, MD*
Scott Helms	Frank Steele, MD	Rodolfo Bordoni, MD*
Amy Hodge	David Olansky, MD	Jennifer Buckley, MD*
Ashley Holland	Jay Garten, MD	Anupama Ravi, MD*
Allan Imes, Jr.	Rodrigo Sanchez, MD	Jorge Moreno, MD*
Angela Jones	Robert Hoddeson, MD	Robert Gadlage, MD
Nesrine Khoury	Julia Weeks, MD	Rudy Hehn, MD*
Jennifer Laing	Christina Noyles, MD	Karen Trulson, MD
Vanessa Layne	Timothy Young, MD	Claus Brandigi, MD
Brian Leland	Pal Richin, MD	Syed Rizvi, MD*
Katrina McKay	Kashif Naseem, MD	Kashif Naseem, MD
Markeita McIntosh	Bryan Blake, MD	Larry Hornsby, MD
Donald Maner	Timothy Young, MD	Jill Miller, MD*
Chaska Moore	Dawn Wilson, MD	William McGarity, MD*
Jannet Morias	Carrie Cwiak, MD	Mary Dailey-Smith, MD*
Stephen Mosley	Lee LaRowe, MD	Heather Henry, MD
Sandy Mueller-Brady	Robert Pyle, MD	Theron Thompson, MD
Erika Mullen	Robert Mendes, MD	Robert Mendes, MD
Thomas Murphy	Satish Poddar, MD	Praveen Rastogi, MD*
Yvette Murray-Thomas	Darryl Sherrod, MD	Tyra Harris, MD *
Clement Ncho	Alawode Oladele, MD	David Fiesler, MD*
Heather NeSmith	Jeffrey Harris, MD	Adam Kennah, MD*

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Heather NeSmith	Jeffrey Harris, MD	Michael Fletcher, MD*
Heather NeSmith	Kenneth Adam, MD	Timothy McGlaughlin, MD*
Rebecca Northway	Harold Herbert, MD	John A. Burns, MD*
Alicia Overton	Paul Monte, MD	Y. Khalid Siddiq, MD*
Matthew Paarlberg	Paul Hart, MD	E. Lowell Justice, MD*
Michelle Ray	Vance Tedman, MD	Jessica Bilotta, MD*
Anthony Rives	Rodirgo Sanchez, MD	Jorge Moreno, MD
Gail Rose	Steven Johnson, MD	Eugene Jackson, MD*
Alejandro Serrano	Philip Macon, MD	Carlos Zevallo, MD*
David Siegel	Stephen Felton, MD	Stephen Felton, MD
Dana Simpson	Richard Rickman, MD	Carroll Cooper, MD *
John Simms	David Hatmaker, MD	Stephen Suss, MD
Sharon Sines	Andrew Moutrie, MD	Syed Zaidi, MD*
James Smith	Tran Dong, MD	Nick Vlachos, MD*
Cory Stanley	Patrick McMahan, MD	Lawrence Adjie, MD*
Kimberly Stone	Lansing Hellman, MD	Jonathan Parrott, MD*
Greg Stevens	Terrence Duffy, MD	Caroline Earle, MD*
Tiffany Taylor	Alonzo Jones, MD	Andrew Mecca, MD*
Scott A. Thumser	Donald Jue, MD	Gwendolyn Zember, MD*
Neil Trossevin	Robert Wirt, MD	Greg Pyne, MD*
Stephanie Tsui	Joseph Biuso, MD	Robert Schultz, MD*
Kenya Tucker	Tracy Nailor, MD	Trya Harris, MD
Dustin Walsh	Michael Szpak, MD	James Palazzolo, MD*
Timantha Wilcox	David Kay, MD	John Maylock, MD*
Timantha Wilcox	John Maylock, MD	Jesse Moskowitz, MD*
Sonya Winborne	Luther Vance, MD	Nick Vlachos, MD*
Dennis Yelverton	Michael Jones, MD	William Brown, MD*
Dennis Yelverton	Ahmed Jaffal, MD	Charlotte Charfen, MD*
LaTanya Young	Lisa Flowers, MD	Thomas Locke, MD*
Amanda Von der Schulenburg	Joseph Williams, MD	Jennifer Amerson, MD*

RESPIRATORY CARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

Dr. Summers presented the report for the Respiratory Care Advisory Committee. Dr. Sumner seconded the committee recommendations and it carried unanimously.

Approved Applicants for a 12-month permit:

Chattanooga State Technical College

1. C., Y. – recommended for an interview

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Macon State College – pending additional information

1. Banks, Courtney
2. Fudge, Stephanie
3. Howard, Jerri
4. James, Nadine
5. Mukati, Mustafa
6. Phon, Chooi San
7. Thomas, Lerissa

Approved Applicants for full licensure by Reciprocity:

1. Cunningham, Jason
2. Cushman, Donnell – pending additional information
3. Galante, Cynthia – pending additional information
4. Gigli, Teresa
5. Jackson, Shimere – pending additional information
6. Quick, Elvira – pending additional information
7. Rosario, Lorna – pending additional information
8. Wong, Fung Ying – pending additional information

Approved Applicants for licensure:

1. Butt, Rachel
2. Coe, Sandy
3. Douglas, April
4. Hadden, Amanda
5. Maze, Emery
6. Simmons, Trevin
7. Taylor, Rodrique

Other Business:

1. D.J. – Approved request for an interview before the Respiratory Care Advisory Committee.

IMPAIRMENT COMMITTEE

Dr Summers moved to go into Closed Session to discuss investigative/disciplinary action. Dr. Cheeks seconded and it carried unanimously. After the Board's deliberation, Dr. Gross declared Open Session.

Dr. Weil seconded the Committee recommendations and it carried unanimously.

1. 20101071-Refer to Staff Attorney for Private Consent Order Lifting Suspension.
2. Hugh Hall, MD - Refer to Staff Attorney for Public Consent Order Lifting Suspension.

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3. 20090909-AG-NOH will accept Consent Order if respondent does not agree refer to AG/Staff attorney for Summary Suspension. (Dr. White recused)
4. 20090826 - Refer to Staff Attorney to draft Amendment to Private Consent Order.
5. 20050328-Terminate monitoring.
6. 4991559-Table.
7. 20100196-Table.
8. Thomas Johnson, MD – Request denied.
9. 20101816-Invite for interview. Dr. Butler recused.
10. 20100168-Table.
11. 20041655-Table.
12. 20100085- Maintain recommendation regarding consent order practice restriction. Consent order may be docketed upon receipt of original.
13. 20100356 -Refer to Staff Attorney for Public Consent Order Lifting Suspension. (Dr. Weil recused)
14. 20081459-Table request regarding submission of Excel file.
15. 20041866-Deny request for Board approval of the Center for Healthy Sex in Los Angeles, CA to provide treatment for sexual addiction.

PHYSICIAN HEALTH PROGRAM

Other Business:

1. Reviewed the parameters of how the Physician Health Program should be administer.

Ms. Kinlaw updated the Board with information from the medical directors of the Physician Health Programs in Colorado and Tennessee.

The Committee will develop recommendation guidelines on how it thinks the program should function.

APPEARANCE BEFORE THE BOARD

Dr. Springrose made a presentation to the Board for the Now Clinic – Optima Health Telemedicine a telemedicine initiative. The Board members informed Dr. Springrose the initiative would require a change to the current Rules.

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APPEARANCE BEFORE THE BOARD

Vincent L. DiCianni, President of Affiliated Monitors, made a presentation to the Board concerning their company's ability to bridge the gap between regulatory agencies and licensing boards and those who are subject to their oversight. The company provides compliance monitoring. The Board members asked questions. The Board members requested Mr. DiCianni provides references from his current clients.

INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

Dr. Summers moved to go into Closed Session to discuss Investigative/Disiplinary Matters. Dr. Cheeks seconded and it carried.

Dr. Gross declared Open Session.

Dr. Weil presented the Investigative Committee Report. Dr. Retterbush seconded the Committee report and it carried.

Refer to AG / Legal Services:

20101335 20110862

20101254(Dr. Retterbush recused)

Close:

20100119	20100992	20101638	20101645	20101914	20101915
20101918	20101931	20101980	20101981	20101982	20101983
20101990	20102045	20102076	20110008	20110099	20110129
20110186	20110198	20110209	20110218	20110242	20110251
20110275	20110307	20110418	20110431	20110563	20110620
20110709	20110752				

20110085(Dr. White recused)

20110153(Dr. Gross recused)

20110597(Dr. Retterbush recused)

Close with Letter of Concern:

20100469 20100620 20101484

Interview:

20091896	20100471	20100991	20101743	20101893	20101894
20101913	20101964	20101979	20102037	20110035	20110065
20110155	20110177	20110180	20110225	20110227	20110255
20090962					

20110119(Dr. Summers recused)

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20110216(Dr. Woolery recused)

Tabled:

20031331 20101161 20110161 20110337 20110386 20110823

20110772

20110687(Dr. Woolery recused)

Refer to another Committee:

20110104

Deny Request:

20080253

Refer to AG/Staff Attorney for Consent Order:

20101855

Cease and Desist:

20110234

INITIAL MALPRACTICE EVALUATIONS

Close:

20101655 20110335 20110364 20110365 20110611 20110855
20110857 20110858 20110859

20110281(Dr. Butler recused)

INITIAL COMPLAINT EVALUATIONS

Close:

20100063 20100792 20101615 20101684 20101991 20110041
20110088 20110120 20110121 20110130 20110210 20110239
20110247 20110282 20110324 20110342 20110390 20110304
20110410 20110411 20110414 20110437 20110438 20110439
20110446 20110448 20110450 20110452 20110454 20110456
20110457 20110478 20110479 20110486 20110519 20110520
20110527 20110533 20110536 20110551 20110553 20110554
20110556 20110562 20110603 20110610 20110618 20110654
20110734 20110742 20110749 20110787 20110788 20110801
20110835 0110840 20110865 20110875 20110876

20110419(Dr. Retterbush recused)

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20102083 20110473 20110527 20110531

INVESTIGATIVE INTERVIEW RECOMMENDATIONS

Close:

20110402 20110403 20110404 20100952 20100850 20110776
20101292

20101788(Retterbush)

20101772(Retterbush)

20101876(Cheeks)

Close with Letter of Concern:

20100520 20101874 20101786 20101388

Peer Review:

20101229 20100539 20100819

Tabled:

20101172 20100841 20101643

There being no further business to conduct, Dr. Weil moved that the December 2-3, 2010, GCMB meeting be adjourned, Dr. Summers seconded, and it carried unanimously.

Alexander S. Gross, M.D., Chairperson

LaSharn Hughes, MBA
Executive Director

Recorded by Diane Atkinson
Board Secretary