

**Georgia Composite Medical Board  
Meeting Minutes from August 07, 2025**

The Georgia Composite Medical Board (GCMB or Board) held its regular meeting on August 07, 2025 at the Board Office to consider Board matters.

**BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:**

John S. Antalis, MD  
Subrahamanya Bhat, MD  
William K. Bostock, DO  
Kathryn Cheek, MD, Chair  
Debi Dalton, MD  
Austin Flint, MD  
Sreeni Gangasani, MD  
Judy Gardner, Consumer Member  
Alexander Gross, MD  
Charles Harris, Consumer Member  
George Harrison, MD  
J. Jeffrey Marshall, MD  
Matthew Norman, MD  
Barby Simmons, DO

**EX- OFFICIO PA ADVISOR PRESENT:**

Ashley Griffin, PA

**BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:**

David Retterbush, MD

**BOARD STAFF PRESENT:**

Latisha Bias, Compliance Manager  
Nehu Dave, Executive Admin Assistant  
Kimberly Emm, Deputy Executive Director/Legal Counsel  
David Harris, Licensure Manager  
Tarodrick Harper, Chief Financial Officer  
Jason Jones, Executive Director  
Cameron Rabbit, Director of Investigations  
Traylor Rogers, Chief of Operations

**LEGAL STAFF PRESENT:**

Michelle Sawyer, Senior Assistant Attorney General  
Vanessa Alva, Assistant Attorney General

**CALL TO ORDER**

Dr. Cheek called the meeting of the Georgia Composite Medical Board to order at 7:30 AM, and a quorum was established.

**AGENDA**

Dr. Marshall made a motion, seconded by Dr. Bostock, to approve the agenda of the August 07, 2025, meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

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**MINUTES**

Dr. Gangasani made a motion, seconded by Dr. Antalis, to approve the minutes of the July 10, 2025 meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

**CHAIR'S REPORT**

Dr. Cheek reminded Board members about recusal packets and took a headcount for the September 11, 2025, meeting, which will be held in-person at the Board office.

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

Mr. Jones shared updates that were for information purposes only.

**CORRESPONDENCE AND DISCUSSION ITEMS**

1. Correspondence from Jocelyn Bayliss, MD with DJJ

Response: Please refer to Board Rule 360-3-.02(5)

2. Correspondence from DPH - Administering Authorization for AEDs on School Campus

Response: HB 629 was submitted during the 2025 legislative session which if passed would remove the involvement of physicians and the Georgia Composite Medical Board from the AED process. After consideration, the Board affirms that both medical and non-medical personnel who have been trained in the use of AEDs and hold current certification in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) may be recognized as the "other person authorized by the Georgia Composite Medical Board" for the purpose outlined in the statute.

3. Dry Needling Discussion –

(A) Does the Board agree that dry needling is the practice of acupuncture?

Response: No, the Board does not agree that dry needling is the practice of acupuncture.

(B) Is the Board ok with allowing occupational therapists to resume the practice?

Response: The Board is ok with OTs resuming the practice of dry needling as long as OTs have equivalent education and training requirements to physical therapists.

(C) Does the board see a need to make any alterations to the physical therapist dry needling training requirements as found in Rule 490-9-.05?

Response: No, the Board does not see a need to recommend changes to the PT training requirements.

(D) Can the Board come up with a new definition of acupuncture to incorporate dry needling and grandfather PT and OT into it?

Response: Dry Needling can be defined as a technique that is defined by OT and PT and Acupuncture is considered a separate practice. See PT rules.

**PHYSICIAN LICENSURE COMMITTEE REPORT**

Dr. Gross presented the Physician Licensure Committee Report as a motion. Dr. Marshall seconded. The motion carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

**Rule Petitions – Approve**

1. Applewhite, Andres - Rule 360-2-.02(5)

**Rule Petitions – Tabled**

1. Mehta, Namita Rule 360-2-.02(5): to September meeting secondary to 15-day posting requirement not being met.

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Questions/Requests/Correspondence:

1. Irwin, Kathleen: Approve request to convert full license to an Administrative License.
2. Butler, Edward D: Deny request to substitute SPEX for Board required PLAS.

Approve For Licensure:

1. Akomolafe, Abimbola
2. Mark, Matthews
3. Murphy, Sean
4. Patel, Chirag
5. Tourville, Elizabeth
6. Tyler, Dane

Table:

1. M, M
2. Z, J
3. J, Z

Interview:

1. G,R

Accepted as Information Only:

1. R, R – Withdrew Application

Addendum from August 7, 2025:

Madiha Aziz – Approved

W.E. – Tabled

Ihsan Ui Haque - Approved

Administratively Approved Physician Licensure Applications between July 10, 2025 and August 6, 2025:

<u>Name</u>	<u>License #</u>	<u>License Type</u>
Aaron Christopher Van Alstine	105557	Physician
Adam Brodie King	105529	Physician
Alazar Tesfamariam Seyoum	105411	Physician
Alexandra Georges Jennings	105551	Physician
Anabella Jacks	105457	Physician
Anastasiya Fadyeyeva	105413	Physician
Arushi Sangwan	105409	Physician
Benjamin Rutta	105560	Physician
Biplab Adhikari	105416	Physician
Christopher Michael Perry	105532	Physician
Chukwuma Tonna Apakama	105550	Physician
Cody Mitchell Phillips	105479	Physician
David Kweku Aseda Donkor	105420	Physician

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Aamir Pervez	105538	Physician
Ahmad Salaheddine Mohamad Zouheir Naja	105486	Physician
Ajit N Shah	105396	Physician
Amanda Wachtel Hammond	105516	Physician
Andre'a Watkins	TM306	Physician
Andrea Dusan Teodorovic	105514	Physician
Andrew Christopher Riga	105444	Physician
Andrew Douglas Sheldon	105324	Physician
Ann Omorovbiye Idemundia-Bryant	55066	Physician
Anna Schilling	105327	Physician
Antoinette Irene Johnson	105428	Physician
Ayobami Fatunmbi	105407	Physician
Azadeh Nezhad	47630	Physician
Brett Scott Walker	105463	Physician
Caroline Anne Ricard	105397	Physician
Christopher Anthony Walker	105333	Physician
Christopher Rhyne	93702	Physician
Chyna Beck Taylor	105353	Physician
Cuong Doan	105494	Physician
Daniel Thomas Mathew	105503	Physician
David Reynolds Cromer	105394	Physician
David Samuel Zapata	105383	Physician
Dean Wong Thongkham	105426	Physician
Gregory Thomas Brown, II	105483	Physician
Hajra Khurshid	105487	Physician
Hana Young Park	12233	Physician
Happiness Bethel Obiaigwe	105317	Physician
Hussain Majeed	105334	Physician
Imran Qassim Ali Samnani	55335	Physician
Issahaku Osmanu	105528	Physician
Jamila Dayo Davison	61231	Physician
Jeffrey Seth Young	105567	Physician
Jennifer Lynn Kemp	105477	Physician
Jifeng Wang	105367	Physician
John Nicholas Moustoukas	105509	Physician
John Nwokedi Onyekaba	105432	Physician
Kaitlyn Marie Dorn	105510	Physician
Kayla Tanya Patel	105525	Physician
Keir Douglas Marshall	76295	Physician
Keith Nesta Walters	105564	Physician
Keith Woodward Gramling Jr	105429	Physician

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Khalil Abdulrauf	105421	Physician
Kingsley Chinonyerem Nnawuba	105450	Physician
Kirsten Elke Frederiksen	91756	Physician
Komal Prakash Kinger	105436	Physician
Lina Mustafa	105362	Physician
Lisete Arias Whitaker Lisete Wh	105484	Physician
Malachi Hampton Groover	105559	Physician
Matthew Dominique Simpson	105378	Physician
Michael Costas Stephanides	105519	Physician
Michael Shelton Skinner	105452	Physician
Mohamed Ahmed	105388	Physician
Mohammed Usmani	105387	Physician
Nduka Vernon	105355	Physician
Neha Vajpayee	85340	Physician
Nicholas James Koullas	105423	Physician
Nicholas P Michalakis	105613	Physician
Nickeya Bri-Jette Brown Wynn	105526	Physician
Norma Elizabeth Farrow	105325	Physician
Ofure Adaeze Jessica Harrison	105371	Physician
Paul Osarumwense Nosa-Oviasu	14353	Physician
Racquel Sulan Puranda	105473	Physician
Rahul Sai Prasad	105454	Physician
Rebecca Danielle Watson	105472	Physician
Robert Lowry Wylie V	105364	Physician
Sana Hussain	105318	Physician
Shahed Al Qudah	105403	Physician
Siedah Morgan	105471	Physician
Somuayiro Nadia Nwokike	105408	Physician
Summer Aldrugh	105461	Physician
Taylor Webb Frazier	105405	Physician
Tochukwu Adaobi Ibe	105496	Physician
Todd Madison Loper	71388	Physician
Tomasz Adam Wiraszka	105342	Physician
Victoria Lynn Johnson	105330	Physician
William Bobo Majors III	105485	Physician
William Dow Embrey	105404	Physician
William Parker Stults	105363	Physician
Yazeed Abdulla	105401	Physician
Yoonhee Kathleen Kim	105391	Physician
Aaron Lerner	105534	Physician
Alexander David Kosiak	105522	Physician

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Alexander Fagenson	105458	Physician
Alexius Nikole Stevenson	105437	Physician
Amy Strong	105370	Physician
Andres Calderon	105467	Physician
Andrew Patrick Ross	64456	Physician
Angelica C Ukaigwe	105418	Physician
Angelica Maria Soberon-Cassar	105541	Physician
Anton Juncaj	105339	Physician
Ashley Aisabor	105515	Physician
Ayesha Saleem	105319	Physician
DR. Bansari Modi	105500	Physician
Barbara Smith	105357	Physician
Benjamin Andrew Bush	105507	Physician
Benson Louis Arnett	105553	Physician
Bethany Katherine Sederdahl	105352	Physician
Blake Edward Sanders	105368	Physician
Blossom Tewelde	105356	Physician
Brett Lynn Butz	52058	Physician
Briand Daniel Bounkeu	105302	Physician
Brianna Nicole Miles	105476	Physician
Carlene Marie Macmillan	105493	Physician
Celine Soriano	105540	Physician
Chandler Lee Cubbedge	105602	Physician
Charles Andrew Slater	105354	Physician
Charmaine Cameron Baker	46051	Physician
Chinyere Jacqueline Ezekwe	105544	Physician
Demian Jideofor Omeh	105546	Physician
Devaunsh Manish Thaker	105419	Physician
Dheeraj Alexander	105566	Physician
Edgar Paul Morales Chevres	105379	Physician
Eihab Nail Abdelfatah	105361	Physician
Elizabeth Marlowe	105322	Physician
Elnaz Balashi	105328	Physician
Elsie Sandrawati Mainali	105155	Physician
Emily Rose Blauel	105386	Physician
Eric J Florestan	105511	Physician
Erin Elizabeth Falk	105375	Physician
Erin M Scott	105347	Physician
Fadi Alyass	105358	Physician
Fares Hosseinzadeh	105392	Physician
Francisco Aecio Almeida Jr	105531	Physician

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Gregory Bortoff	105555	Physician
Hannah Kopelman	105478	Physician
Hannah Lane Bollich	105341	Physician
Hayley Kathryn Wernon	105366	Physician
Hema Arikala	105359	Physician
Irene Dixe De Oliveira Santo	105338	Physician
Jacob Roy Parker	105337	Physician
Jaime Kapur	105545	Physician
Jamie Brooklyn Castle	105441	Physician
Jean Luis Reinoso	105475	Physician
Jennifer Landry	105512	Physician
John Charles Tomkinson	105365	Physician
John Murray	105321	Physician
Jordi Gatón	105469	Physician
Josephine Julian	TM307	Physician
Joshua Weimer Elder	105499	Physician
Karthik Kovuru	105524	Physician
Katelyn Amanda Boykin	105335	Physician
Katelyn Sanders	105369	Physician
Kathryn Nicole Barbaza Marquez	105491	Physician
Kathy Pan	TM309	Physician
Keide Kerrick Akinola	105448	Physician
Kenneth Joseph Kaplan	105490	Physician
Kenya Gray	105381	Physician
Kethia Phelizor	105360	Physician
Khamani Robinson	105506	Physician
Ki Soo Jung	105505	Physician
Kody Dhaliwal	105320	Physician
Kunjal Patel	105336	Physician
Laura E Donovan	105315	Physician
Louisette Estelle Vega	105536	Physician
Luisa Fernanda Nilan	105348	Physician
Margaret Eve Morrison	105518	Physician
Maria Vicenta Westerfield	105535	Physician
Mark Adam Giordano	84402	Physician
Mark Andrew Ziegler	105382	Physician
Mark Daniel Farchione Jr.	105521	Physician
Michael Garcia	105508	Physician
Michael John Marino	105422	Physician
Michael Reddy Rayalu	105456	Physician
Michael Robert Brumund	42022	Physician

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Michael Strong	105351	Physician
Michael Thomas Kemp	105400	Physician
Michael Wolfington	TM308	Physician
Michelle Famakinwa	105523	Physician
Mounir Bakhiet Mikhaeil	105466	Physician
Munizay Kanwal Paracha	105402	Physician
Murti Patel	105474	Physician
Nadim Islam	105385	Physician
Namratha Sandella	105465	Physician
Nana Cudjoe	105447	Physician
Naudia Jonassaint	105446	Physician
Nehizena Sarah Aihie	105565	Physician
Nelson Keith Bond	40008	Physician
Nia Alexis James	105533	Physician
Oluwafunmiso Fagbongbe	105563	Physician
Paola Matheus	105492	Physician
Parameshwara Rao Bolla	105537	Physician
Patience Green Ofori-Darkwa	105497	Physician
Patrick Kevin Anonick	105554	Physician
Priyanka Patel	105502	Physician
Rachelle Yvonne Scuderi	105489	Physician
Rana Hussain Asif	105331	Physician
Ravi Upadhyayula	105384	Physician
Raymond Eunho Kim	105398	Physician
Rebecca Scarlett Allen	105406	Physician
Reza Nabavizadeh	105501	Physician
Richard Mark Green	105552	Physician
Rilee Maley	105449	Physician
Roua Kahila	105558	Physician
Sami Ali	105488	Physician
Samuel Hetzer Arroyo Rivera	105424	Physician
Sarah Lalitha Kalliath	105504	Physician
Sathvika Reddy Gaddam	105542	Physician
Shayla Lester	105561	Physician
Simachew Alehegn Demelash	105316	Physician
Sonum Patel	105527	Physician
Sophia Beatriz Quinones	105326	Physician
Sranita Devarasetty	105455	Physician
Srinivasa Venkata Siva Kumar Kasina	105374	Physician
Stephen Martin	105329	Physician
Syed Safiuddin Hashmi	105372	Physician

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Taft Knowles	105340	Physician
Tobin Johnson Chemplavil	105443	Physician
Tooba Zareen Anwer	105434	Physician
Vanitha Banajjar Revanasiddappa	105451	Physician
Veronica Sue	89707	Physician
Vincent K H Tam	38983	Physician
Vineeth Mohan	105562	Physician
Zachary Brook Fang	105373	Physician
Zsolt Kulcsar	105470	Physician
Elizabeth Joan Chambers	105430	Physician
Freaw Nigussie Dejenie	105556	Physician
Gaurav Bector	105435	Physician
Gert Diederick Victor Pretorius	105577	Physician
Harsh Manishbhai Shah	105425	Physician
Hiba Ali	105389	Physician
Jaffet Anthony McDonald	105439	Physician
James Kirk Campbell	105530	Physician
Jeffrey S Plotkin	105481	Physician
John Franklin Green	105480	Physician
Johnathan T Ulrich	105427	Physician
Lianed Perez Mercado	105431	Physician
Louis Edwin Costa	105442	Physician
Melissa Levack	105549	Physician
Milton Omoyagba Pratt	105464	Physician
Gabriel Velez-Oquendo	13685	Physician
Gareth Paul Gilna	105498	Physician
Jeremy Derrick Lam	88008	Physician
Orlin Orlinov Sergev	105520	Physician
Roshan Joshua D'cruz	105459	Physician
Charandle Jordan	86891	Physician
Joe Ed Parkey	60958	Physician
Lakshmi Satya Supriya Nagireddi	105453	Physician
Shilpa Narahari Reddy	105323	Physician
Alison Lee	105445	Physician
Chloe Chai	105399	Physician
Martha-Conley Elizabeth Ingram	105460	Physician
Wen Ting Yang	105462	Physician
Muhammad Talha Haseeb	105350	Physician
Nathan Bakkevig Sperry	105468	Physician
Neha Reddy Kanthala	105377	Physician
Nihal Voruganti	105517	Physician

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Nooshin Kiani Nia	105547	Physician
Obinna Orji	105440	Physician
Oliver Alfonso Fein Proano	105332	Physician
Oluwaseun Basit Ogunbona	105482	Physician
Onyebuchi Hannah Chukwuebuni	105414	Physician
Priyanka Kodali	105393	Physician
Raven V Delgado	105548	Physician
Rejoice Feyisayo Abiodun	105415	Physician
Rohith Gujja	105410	Physician
Ruth Betremariam Abebe	105412	Physician
Ryan Mathew	105539	Physician
Sara Elawad	105390	Physician
Sheetal Chopra	105495	Physician
Shelby Sciullo	105395	Physician
Taarika Vishwanath	105433	Physician
Toluwalase Emmanuel Akinfisoye	105417	Physician
Uzair Khan	105513	Physician
Whitney Morgan Winham	105543	Physician

**NURSE PROTOCOL ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT**

Dr. Cheek presented the APRN Committee Report as a motion. Dr. Marshall seconded. The motion carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

Questions/Correspondence/Discussion:

Correspondence from Mary Grace Griffin, Baker Donelson:

1. Does a physician's quarterly review and signature of 100% of patient records for patients receiving prescriptions for controlled substances pursuant to a nurse protocol agreement under Ga. Comp. R. & Regs. 360-32-.02(7)(a)(1) meet the quarterly evaluation/examination requirement in O.C.G.A. § 43-34-25(c)(9)? In other words, does a quarterly review and signature of the patient record constitute "evaluation" or "examination" of the patient for purposes of O.C.G.A. § 43-34-25(c)(9)?

Response: No, a chart review is not an examination/evaluation of a patient.

2. Would the quarterly physician evaluation/examination be required when the APRN sees the patient and prepares the order, but the order is signed by a physician?

Response: Yes, the physician would still need to examine/evaluate the patient on at least a quarterly basis.

3. If the quarterly physician evaluation/examination is required under the facts described in Question 2 above, would the evaluation/examination requirement nevertheless be met by the physician signing the order?

Response: No, the physician signing the order is not an examination/evaluation of the patient.

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**The following Form Cs were approved:**

- Chelsea Lewis – Trigger point injections
- Chelsea Lewis – HRT pellet insertion
- Chelsea Lewis – Neurotoxin admin. (Botox, xeomin)
- Jennifer Kim – Botox injections for headaches and migraines
- Elham Roshanravan – Juvéderm fillers
- Jennifer Myers – Exercise stress test supervision provider
- Morgan Smith – Supervision of Exercise and Pharmacologic Cardiac Stress Tests
- Gabrielle Traylor – Injections – Dexamethasone IM Injections
- Jennifer Stewart – Radio Frequency Microneedling
- Jennifer Stewart – Platelet Rich Fibrin preparation and injection
- Jennifer Stewart – Dermal Filler
- Casey Borba – Image guided (CT/Fluoro) Lumbar puncture
- Casey Borba – Lumbar epidural injection (steroid, blood patch) and CT guidance
- Sammy Yassin – Stem Cell Injections
- Sammy Yassin – Kybella
- Sammy Yassin – Filler
- Sammy Yassin – Biostimulator Injections
- Shelby McNeal – Inspire therapy - activating and adjusting
- Shelby McNeal – VNS adjustments

**The following Form Cs were denied:**

- Caroline Johnson- Cosmetic skin injectables
- Chelsea Lewis- Small large joint injections
- Elham Roshanravan- Cosmetic botox and fillers
- Amy Garner – Dermal fillers PRP, IV, Aviva Neuromodulator Injections, and Morpheus 8 Empowered RF

**The following Form Cs were tabled:**

- Hannah Campbell- Laceration repair, incision & drainage, Nail trephination, and Reduction
- Leah Lester - Vascular, Arterial, Venous, Renal, Pelvic, Post-Thrombotic
- Jennifer Stewart – Chemical Peels

**The Committee reviewed and approved the following protocols under the provision of O.C.C.A. 43-34-25.**

**APRN**

Amanda Scott (resubmit)  
Casey Borba  
Elham Roshanravan  
Jia Son (resubmit)  
Leslie Narain (resubmit)  
Philipp Luckowski (resubmit)  
Rachel Rowe  
Terri Nabritt

**Delegating Physician**

Edem Avoke, MD  
Stephen Schaffner, DO  
Eric Beyer, MD  
Ahmed Babar, MD  
Heidi Woesnner, MD  
Ned Okarter, MD  
Nizamuddin Khaja, MD  
Jana Cua, MD

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**The Committee determined that the following protocol agreements meet the provisions of O.C.G.A. 43-34-25 with changes.**

**APRN**

Amber Romano (resubmit)  
Candice Young  
Caroline Johnson  
Hannah Campbell  
Jennifer Millbrooks (resubmit)  
Leah Lester  
Sammy Yassin  
Tamu Spurill-Barton (resubmit)  
Thomas Williams

**Delegating Physician**

Wesley Head, MD  
Benjamin Williams, MD  
Kristi Boehm, MD  
Fanta Kasiah, MD  
Fitzlarence Harper, MD  
Christopher Lesar, MD  
Gregory Zengo, MD  
Ikramullah Ahmadani, MD  
Wendy Vandermark, MD

**The Committee determined that the following protocol agreements do NOT meet the provisions of O.C.G.A. 43-34-25.**

**APRN**

Kristen Vaughn (resubmit)  
Oksana Flowerday  
Tyler Tiner

**Delegating Physician**

Lesley Cown, MD  
Hanping Wu, MD  
Fady Henein, MD

**Protocols Administratively Reviewed: #147**

The following protocol agreements meet the provisions of O.C.G.A. 43-34-25:

**PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT**

Dr. Antalis presented the Physician Assistant Committee Report as a motion. Dr. Marshall seconded, and the motion carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

Correspondence/Discussion

Caitlin Lentz – Can a PCP supervise a PA providing psychiatry services including psychotherapy and medication management.

Response: A PA must work within the scope of practice of the supervising physician. In this situation, the PA must work within the scope of practice for the PCP. If the PCP is not trained and regularly engaged in psychiatry services including psychotherapy and medication management, then the PA cannot engage in the practice.

Jolina Klien – re: AA providing services in the field without the anesthesiologist being present  
Response: Tabled for additional information.

Rule Petitions

Daphney Joseph – Rule 360-2-.02(1)(b) – approved must provide 2021 - 2023

Other Business

The committee had a brief discussion on the new gateway applications.

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The Committee recommended approval of the following applications for initial licensure with a supervising physician:

PA

Jeffin Alex  
Kimberly Bilyeu  
Gracie Charlton  
Anastasiya Chekerenda  
Victoria Deeson  
Jillian Dunlap  
Queila Griffin  
Zainab Jishi  
Noor Khan  
Austin Kim  
Arthur Kalinski  
Tristan Massey  
Kristen Moeller  
Jessie Powell  
Madeline Shedd  
Taylor Thompson  
Hannah Wheeler

Supervising Physician

Kingsley Agbeyegbe  
Phillip Singer  
Olga Toleva  
Abdulrahman Elabor  
Karim Ali  
Stephen Smith  
Jonathan Servansky  
Bernice Sessa  
David Arkin  
Michael Allen  
April Landry  
Nercie Danger  
Christian Wilson  
Riaz Gill  
Naga Meduri  
Chandra Ariuj  
Gerald Slagel

The Committee recommended pending approval of the following applications for initial licensure with a supervising physician:

PA

Melissa Anderson  
Stacey Berrios  
Jessica Brantley  
Addison Butler  
Jesica Camacho  
Leigh Casabianca  
Jonathan Cohen  
Jonathan Cuthriell  
Caitlyn Davis  
William Drew  
Naomi Davis  
Yarelis Figueroa- Matias  
Lee Frerker  
April Hirdes  
Chelsea Reese  
John Rutledge  
Victoria Schwartz

Supervising Physician

David Hatfield  
Deepak Ravindranathan  
Kamshad Raiszadel  
Maurice Jove  
Sidney Smith  
Malik Mahesh  
Pamela Obi  
Jonathan Henderson  
David Alvarez  
Robert Greenblatt  
Kristina Pakiz  
Raina Alexander  
Janki Rami  
Jesse Shriki  
Jessica Harris  
Gregory Woods  
Dipenkum Patel

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The Committee recommended approval of the following applications for initial licensure without a supervising physician:

PA  
Anna-Cherie Daigle  
Mara DeTrani  
Rachel Estadi  
Louis Margulis  
Natalie Mercado  
Brooks Mitchell  
Jade Norman  
Lance Parks  
Makelina Pastorella  
Rachel Shah

The Committee recommended pending approval of the following applications for initial licensure without supervising physicians:

PA  
Lauren Adams  
Turner Brittain  
Chakosha Coleman  
Jared Devirgillis  
Doron Haughton  
Dani Henwood  
Diane Jang  
Jenny Kim  
Jami Slone  
Claire Smith  
Amy Ton  
Janson Witcher

The Committee recommended pending approval of the following applications for reinstatement licensure with a supervising physician:

<u>PA</u>	<u>Supervising Physician</u>
Joseph Coleman	Pamela Obi
Daniel Delozier	Richard Manrique
Carl Frizell	Jonathan Hinds

The Committee recommended pending approval of the following applications for reinstatement licensure without a supervising physician:

PA  
Bernard Coxton Jr  
Ahmed Gbadamosi  
Sally Holmes  
Cletus Ibe  
James Settle

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The Committee recommended approval of the following additional duties:

<u>PA</u>		<u>Supervising Physician</u>
Sarah Applegarth	Central Venous Line Placement	John Mix
Annie Armolt	Botulinum Toxin and Injections Dermal Filler Injections	James Ragan
Nicolas Colavito	Arterial Lines Central Lines Intubation	Lisa Daniels
Annette Dickerson	Central Venous Catheter Placement Moderate Sedation Paracentesis Thyroid Biopsy	Meghan Lilly
Kendra Farrand	Fiberoptic Laryngoscopy Point of Care Ultrasound (POCUS)	Merry Sebelik Flexible
Jaye Kimsey	Arterial Lines Central Lines	Wendy Greene
Lezyon LaGarde	Arterial Lines Central Lines	William Bender
Lindsey Leonard	Arterial Line	Adam Shaver
Deborah Linquester	Central Venous Catheter Insertion and Removal Moderate Sedation Paracentesis Soft Tissue/ Solid Organ Biopsy/ Targeted and Non	Bryson Hauck
Shekofe Nematollahi	Pellet Insertion	Kevin Little
Anisha Patel	Botox Dermal Filler	Lori Martin

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The Committee recommended tabling the following additional duties:

<u>PA</u>	<u>Supervising Physician</u>
Kaitlin Eddy	Khurram Khan

Infection of Botulinum Toxin and Soft Tissue Fillers

Approved ADD/CHANGES

<u>PA</u>	<u>Supervising Physician</u>
Izna Ahmed	David Nguyen
Izna Ahmed	Scott Pennington
Marc Anderson	Michael Wilson
Alexandra Andrade	Scott Edward Bell
Travis Baisden	Itauma Udosen
Jackson Barnes	Jonathan Sevransky
James Barnett	Bharat Rao
Kathryn Belvins	Collin Patterson
Michelle Berkovski	Kemba Mark
Allison Berger	Jonathan Clayton
Bina Bhakta	Vishal Patel
Gabrielle Blaylock	Jenkins Bush
Angel Bridges	John Destito
Charity Burden	Rodney Avery
Lauren Cassels	Caitlin Mueller
Amanda Chaffo	John Keel
Adnan Chowdhury	Eric Davis
Christopher Couey	Antonios Sideris
Jamie Cool	Madeline Roorbach
Jason Davidson	Joseph Carter
Daniel Dasher	Franklin Geoffery Conner
Mallory Drake	Bipinchandra Krishna
Sharna Draia	Jospeh Carter
Markeita Edwards	James Granger
Jade Efuné	Paul Scheinberg
Joseph J. Esfahbodi	Rad Michael Kelly
Joseph J. Esfahbodi	Rad Lindsay Margoles
Caleb Etheridge	Randall Anderson
Ifeoma Ezeh-Omoregie	Lozenzo Zaffin
Josie Francis	Brent Acker
Allison Fritzsche	Charles Claps
Allison Gallagher	Eric Davis
Lori Gaylor	Robert Weeks
Michael Gianelle	James Cox
Janai Gibson	Jay Patel
Victor Gomez	Roberto Rodriguez
Joseph Herzberger	Neel Patel
Mollie Herzberger	Neel Patel
Mollie Herzberger	William Boling

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Grace Higgins	Christopher Massad
Bailey Hooper	Amy Case
Charles Hufstetler	Yunzhong Huang
Thomas Hynes	Elizabeth Seidler
Fahim Imam Ginger	Elaine Zarse
Allyson Ingram	Stephen Larson
Kevin Jackson	John Sherman
Kierney Jackson	William Zickler
Rebecca Jackson	Paul Cox
Mahrukh Jamil	Samuel Ojewale
Hannah Jarnagin	Christopher Curro
Daniel Jo	Lawrence Charles
Alexander Jones	Samuel Church
Bridgette Jones	Allen Quetant
Tamara Kairuz	Gerald Rodts Jr.
Rebecca Katz	Dipenkumar Patel
Kathleen Keirn	Kishore Rasamallu
April Kooy	Megan Boissonneault
Peter Kim	Eddison Williams
Johanna Kimbrel	Veer Chahwala
Eduard Kerzhner	Collin Patterson
Adeline Kranzburg	Mahmoud Abdou
Mattea Krasicky	Samuel Durrett
Wendi Kretzschmar	Letitia Cosbert
Teklewold Lake	Sidhant Nagrani
Robert Lanford	Glenn Carlos
Eileen Lau	David Montaldi
Alexandria Lawson	Peter Mann
Amy Zoller Lee	Joshua Morris
Rachell Lindell	Mehwish Khan
Seth Love	Claudio Machado
Jacob Lunsford	Thomas Williamson
Jarrod Lutjohann	Franklin Harkrider
Lebinh Luu	Francis Sullivan
Isabelle Marin	Beth Littlefield
Sarah Masinelli	Rahul Goli
Sibley McCallie	Jose Lizcano-Perez
Meena Mehta	Donald Cornutt
Eve Melendez	Abdon Borges
Kennadi Meurer	Brad Goodman
Deborah Moffet	William Miller
Kevin Montgomery	Ajay Kasi
Madison Moxley	Lyle Fisher
Shekofe Nematollahi	Kevin Little
Tyrone Nieves-Martinez	Nikki Hill
Isabel Nogues	Daniel Henson

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Phuong Nguyen  
Michelle Nye  
Madison Odom  
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Kelly O'Keefe-Watson  
Christopher Overbay  
Caitlin Parsons  
Aakash Patel  
Anisha Patel  
Bianca Patel  
Disha Patel  
Nirali Patel  
James Payne  
Katherine Powell  
Bethany Quinn  
Victor Quinones  
Morgan Rains  
Hannah Ramelb  
Micaline Regis  
Lauren Rivera  
Jessica Russell  
Jennifer St. Louis  
Sara Saleh  
Cheryl Sam  
Jessica Sanchez  
Lauren Scott  
Hetu Shah  
Sharon Shaji  
Michael Shaw  
Dana Simpson  
Sarah Smith  
Ada Spahija  
Samantha Stewart  
Cynthia Stover  
Melanie Strahm  
Claudia Strickland  
Jieri Sumitani  
Meghan Swartzendruber  
Megan Sweet  
Keenan Templeton  
Alexandra Tuuk  
Jenny Walker  
Andrea Welter  
Spencer Wenzel  
Peter Whatley  
Blair White

Eddison Williams  
Stephen Squires  
Vijay Tirumalasetty  
Manasa Vasireddy  
Vadim Petrov-Kondratov  
Woodrow Farrington  
Michael Schmitz  
Jung Suh  
Lori Martin  
Eddison Williams  
Melvin Bullock  
David Alvarez  
Ian Munger  
Charles Murrah  
Parita Patel  
Stephen Perez  
Morgan Arnold  
John Mulligan  
Lalitha Medepalli  
Jared Shell  
Randall Anderson  
Woodrow Farrington  
Mihaela Ille  
Nigel George  
Foyinsola Amoye  
Mhd Alkhatib  
Bruce Miller  
Cedrice Davis  
Alexis Alva  
Vishwanath Danthulun  
Asim Kidwai  
Julia Liu  
Harish Madala  
Stewart Shevitz  
David Alvarez  
Kalpesh Mistry  
Julie Mitchel  
Greer Noonburg  
Joseph Maakaron  
Barry Jordan  
Joseph Maakaron  
Lisa Rogers  
Cary Perry  
Charles Land  
Hogai Nassery  
Karen Moore

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Sheena White  
Ashley Williams  
Bryanna Williams  
Eva Willauer  
April Woodyard  
Jennifer Young

Laura Joseph  
Keith Michael  
Curtis Champion  
Hogai Nassery  
Shelly Ahmann  
Wambui Machua

**COSMETIC LASER PRACTITIONER ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT**

Dr. Flint presented the Cosmetic Laser Committee Report as a motion. Dr. Marshall seconded, and the motion carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

Approved the following for Assistant Laser Practitioner

- Baeza, Devon
- Bergstrom, Julie
- Compos, Adriana
- Griffith, Caroline
- Honaker, Jordan
- Hughes, Brooke
- Jones, Sharon
- Martinez, Jennifer
- McCarthy, Sarah
- Mimbs, Mindi
- Mitchell, Tawana
- Oliphant, Latoya
- Overton, Katelyn
- Perkins, Taje
- Pugh, Bianca
- Riley, Heather
- Shipley Brooke
- Spencer, Kristen
- Vivas Lovera, Vanessa
- Walker, Elise
- Wallace, Valonn
- Wheeler, Tela

Approved the following for Senior Laser Practitioner:

- Abatan, Olusey
- Blackburn, Brittaney
- Britt, Calee
- Danielle, Wisely
- Jenkins, Jahlee
- Jones, Jessica
- Reaves, Ashley

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Tabled the following for pending documents:

- BP
- LO
- TP
- CB
- KO
- JJ
- VW
- BB

Other Business:

All Milan updated certificates accepted.

**RESPIRATORY CARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT**

Dr. Harrison presented the Respiratory Care Committee Report as a motion. Dr. Marshall seconded, and the motion carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

Full Licensure Approved: 20

- Brown, Deleisha
- Brown, Jonathan
- Dean, Dayana
- Kirkland, Ninetta
- Perez-Sosa, Julie
- Allmon, Quinton
- Davis, Donald
- Fox, Tamera
- Harmon, Telena
- Martinez, Alyson
- White, Karen
- Casiano, Jay
- Johnson, Nicole
- Abid, Eman
- Bhagwandeem, Mirlaine
- Andry, Tamia
- Deal, Whitney
- Hernandez-Rios, Carlos
- Nations, Audrey
- Almarhoon, Aqdar

Full Licensure Pending Documentation: 8

- C, P
- P, J
- S, K
- P, K
- H, S

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- L, S
- J, M
- C, J

Reinstatement Approved: 1

- Carbone-Smith, Carrie

Reinstatement Pending Documentations: 4

- C, T
- C, R
- G, V
- J-G, A

**PERFUSION ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT**

Dr. Marshall presented the Perfusion Committee Report as a motion. Dr. Flint seconded, and the motion carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

Applications approved for full Perfusion Licensure

- Le, Nhan Van

**ORTHOTIST & PROSTHETIST ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT**

Dr. Bostock presented the Orthotist & Prosthetist Committee Report as a motion. Dr. Gangasani seconded, and the motion carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

Tabled the following pending documentation:

- WO

**PAIN MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT**

Ms. Gardner presented the Pain Management Committee Report as a motion. Dr. Marshall seconded, and the motion carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

Approve the following for pain licensure:

Georgia Pain and Wellness Center, LLC - Austell

**GENETIC COUNSELOR COMMITTEE REPORT**

Dr. Simmons presented the Genetic Counselor Committee Report as a motion. Dr. Norman seconded, and the motion carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

Approved the following Genetic Counselor Applicants (Full):

- Ulman, Jillian

Approved the following Genetic Counselor Applicants (Temporary):

- Scholl, Tatum
- Lopez, Olivia
- Parrott, Audrey
- Blasingame, Alfreda

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- Krumanocker, Kelsey
- Cruzado, Trishel

Pending approval for the following Genetic Counselor Applicants:

- K,E

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Dr. Marshall motioned, seconded by Dr. Flint, to go into executive session to discuss confidential matters. The motion carried unanimously.

**OPEN SESSION**

Dr. Cheek declared open session.

**LAW ENFORCEMENT ACTION REPORT**

The LEAR was presented as a motion by Dr. Marshall and was seconded by Dr. Flint. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote for information only.

**LEGAL SERVICE REPORT**

The Legal Services report was presented as a motion by Dr. Gross and was seconded by Dr. Antalis. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote. The Board took the following actions:

- Olanrewaju Fasusi, MD – Petition to Terminate Public Consent Order – Approved
- Rizwan Khan, MD – Petition to Terminate Patient Restriction – Tabled
- A.F. – Petition to Terminate Private Consent Order – Approved

**ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT**

The AG report was presented as a motion by Dr. Norman and was seconded by Dr. Marshall. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote. The Board took the following actions:

Cases/Matters Closed in 2025: 63

Ratification of Orders:

A.P. – Private Consent Agreement Docketed  
Lee Battle, MD – Public Consent Order Docketed  
Leonard Guyer, MD – Public Consent Order Docketed  
M.B. – Private Consent Order Docketed

The Board requested advice regarding issuing licenses to a person with DACA status, a person without an employment visa, a person who is not a US citizen or present in the US, and use of immigration status to refuse licensure.

20251876 – Rescind referral and close  
20251384 – Board is ok with AG's recommendation

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**INVESTIGATIVE INTERVIEWS**

The Investigative Interviews report was presented as a motion by Dr. Marshall and was seconded by Dr. Flint. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote. The Board took the following actions:

20230752	Close
20250405	Close
20250751	Close
20231535	Refer to Department of Law
20241562	Close
20240731	Close
20240928	Close

**INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE REPORT**

The Investigative Committee report was presented as a motion by Dr. Norman and was seconded by Dr. Marshall. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote. The Board took the following actions:

Close:

20231186	20251197	20251295	20251406
20241813	20251208	20251302	20251465
20250917	20251210	20251308	20251468
20250918	20251212	20251311	20251477
20250940	20251215	20251312	20251479
20251008	20251216	20251315	20251499
20251093	20251220	20251337	20251500
20251160	20251222	20251340	20251668
20251163	20251224	20251345	20251810
20251166	20251225	20251348	20251840
20251169	20251227	20251350	20251863
20251170	20251232	20251352	20252076
20251175	20251253	20251361	20252259
20251177	20251255	20251374	20252263
20251191	20251269	20251377	20252264
20251193	20251277	20251385	20252338
20251194	20251286	20251393	

Letter of Concern:

20241393	20251200	20251284	20251328	20251483
20250449	20251205	20251293	20251341	20251371
20250953	20251217	20251299	20251357	20251417
20251154	20251230	20251301	20251365	20251473
20251156	20251249	20251306	20251367	20251476

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Further Investigation:

20251155	20251331	20251356	20252130
20251228	20251333	20251386	20252204
20251275	20251336	20251467	
20251303	20251339	20251724	

Invite for Investigative Interview:

20240005	20251915
20251206	20252104

Table:

20231631	20251246
20240314	20251267
20251085	20251279
20251157	20251290
20251242	20251701
20251244	20260022

Peer Review:

20250915  
20251202  
20251256

Refer to Department of Law:

20230268	20251683
20250799	20251727
20251680	20251884

Initial Complaint Evaluations:

20252324	20252385	20260040
20252325	20252389	20260061
20252332	20252390	20260065
20252333	20260008	20260070
20252335	20260018	20260080
20252353	20260023	20260081
20252364	20260031	20260094
20252374	20260038	20260109

Recusals:

Dr. Marshall 20251155

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**WELLNESS COMMITTEE REPORT**

The Wellness Committee report was presented as a motion by Ms. Marshall and was seconded by Dr. Norman. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote. The Board took the following actions:

Accepted the PHP Report

20240535 – Approved petition to lift group therapy requirement.

**ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, motion Dr. Marshall, seconded by Dr. Norman, to adjourn the meeting at 1:11 PM.

Kathryn Cheek, MD  
Chairperson

Jason S. Jones  
Executive Director

Recorded by:  
Board Staff