

**Georgia Composite Medical Board
Meeting Minutes from November 06, 2025**

The Georgia Composite Medical Board (GCMB or Board) held its regular meeting on November 06, 2025, at the Board Office to consider Board matters.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

John S. Antalis, 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
Kamesha Harbison, MD
J. Jeffrey Marshall, MD
Matthew Norman, MD
David Retterbush, MD
Barby Simmons, DO

EX-OFFICIO PA ADVISOR PRESENT:

Ashley Griffin, PA

BOARD STAFF PRESENT:

Latisha Bias, Compliance Manager
Kimberly Emm, Deputy Executive Director/Legal Counsel
Tarodrick Harper, Chief Financial Officer
David Harris, Licensure Manager
Jason Jones, Executive Director
Traylor Rogers, Chief of Operations
Cailin Van Eizenga, Paralegal

LEGAL STAFF PRESENT:

Vanessa Alva, Assistant Attorney General

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Cheek called the meeting of the Georgia Composite Medical Board to order at 7:32 AM, and a quorum was established.

AGENDA

Dr. Marshall made a motion, seconded by Dr. Bostock, to approve the agenda of the November 06, 2025, meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

MINUTES

Dr. Retterbush made a motion, seconded by Dr. Marshall, to approve the minutes of the October 09, 2025, meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

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CHAIR'S REPORT

Dr. Cheek reminded Board members about recusal packets and took a headcount for the December 04, 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.

The Board held a moment of silence in remembrance of long-time employee Debi Bruce.

CORRESPONDENCE AND DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Correspondence from Emma Eddy:

- Request to have her company's CME course posted on the GCMB website?

Response: The Board voted to take down the list of courses on the GCMB website to the extent possible and will not be posting any new CME courses. Any posting by the Board is not an endorsement of a particular course.

2. Correspondence from Jorge Cervantes:

- Can Point-of-Care or diagnostic ultrasound studies be performed by appropriately certified healthcare professionals (e.g., licensed physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, or certified sonographers) in a clinical setting without direct supervision from a radiologist?

Response: Tabled for additional research

3. Correspondence from Zanib Arshed:

- Who is permitted to perform the exam required by Board Rule 360-3-.06(2)(c)?

Response: The rule is intended to ensure that the physical examination takes place on the same day as, or immediately before, the initial prescription, thereby confirming that the prescription accurately reflects the patient's current condition. The Board permits a physician assistant (PA), advanced practice registered nurse (APRN), or another physician within the practice to perform the examination, as long as the prescribing physician has access to the examination records and results.

4. Correspondence from Kristina:

- Can a Medical Assistant access a port and flush with saline and heparin?

Response: The above-mentioned procedure is not within the scope of practice for a medical assistant and should only be performed by a properly licensed medical professional.

5. Correspondence from E Wylly Killorin:

- Can a urologist's hospital patients be evaluated in the ER instead of by locums when the urologist is unavailable?

Response: Ultimately, it is the responsibility of each physician to ensure there is appropriate coverage for his/her patients when the physician is unavailable. If there has been a breach of employment contract, then it would be advisable to seek counsel from an employment attorney to explore options.

6. Correspondence from Cassandra Barnes, MD:

- If a physician gets married and files for a legal name change, can the physician's license remain in the physician's maiden name?

Response: Yes, you may maintain your physician license under your maiden name, so long as it is used consistently.

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7. Correspondence from A.Q.M.:

- In light of Canadian schools shifting to CACMS only accreditation on July 01, 2025, how will the Board treat the graduates before that date? Will their degrees remain LCME-equivalent for full licensure?
- For graduates on and after July 01, 2025, will they be considered International Medical Graduates requiring substantial-equivalency and/or ECFMG certification?
- Are any licensure regulations or guidance updates planned?
Response: Tabled for additional research regarding all questions

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. Rabei Alaisami – Rule 360-2-.02(5) – USMLE Step 7-year Rule
2. Ghazali Chaudry – Rule 360-2-.02(5) – USMLE Step 7-year Rule
3. Sahar Geramfard – Rule 360-2-.01(1)(f)(ii) – Official Transcripts
4. Sonam Motani – Rule 360-2-.02(5) – USMLE Step 7-year Rule
5. Anna Pinto – Rule 360-2-.02(5) – USMLE Step 7-year Rule

Questions/Requests/Correspondence

1. Fergus Ambe – Deny request for application extension
2. Sonia Ramirez – Deny request for additional USMLE attempt

Approve for Licensure:

Mehrdad Alemozaffar
Fernando Arzola
Rafik Benaissa
Stewart Berliner
Anthony Bonfiglio
Gregory Brevetti
Allen Churukian
Katyal Deepak
Harelle Duncan
Adele Evans
Christopher Flye
Richard Gaines
Stacy Harbin
Andrew Heyman
Sheikh Jasimuddin
Chanhee Kim
Kenneth Ro
Dale Muller
Patrick Sessoon
Perry Stevens
Zachary Williams

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Table:

SM
DS

Interview:

KR
DR

Information Only:

MS – Withdrawal of initial application
WE – Will take SPEX Exam

Addendum from November 6, 2025:

Janet Lewis – Approved
N.M. – Table for additional information
Elliott Nadelson – Approved
Ucheze Ononuju - Approved

**Administratively Approved Physician Licensure Applications between October 09, 2025
and November 05, 2025:**

| <u>Name</u> | <u>License #</u> | <u>License Type</u> |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Aaron Noah Smith | 110117 | Physician |
| Adeola Elohor Okeowo | 15045 | Physician |
| Aditi Kalla | 110148 | Physician |
| Ahmed Alkaliby | 110192 | Physician |
| Aida Gholami | 110135 | Physician |
| Allan Kerandi | 110118 | Physician |
| Allison Shivers King | 110185 | Physician |
| Alufangnde Njouda Peter Shitebongnju | 110078 | Physician |
| An Guo Michael Chin | 110107 | Physician |
| Anand Shah | 16554 | Physician |
| Anastasia Ruth Quinones | 110211 | Physician |
| Andrea Del Cisne Benavides Ordonez | 110184 | Physician |
| Andrew Blake Collette | 110130 | Physician |
| Andrew Dodd Petersen | 110124 | Physician |
| Andrew James Martin | 110138 | Physician |
| Andrew R Fuson | 110053 | Physician |
| Andrew William Favre | 110159 | Physician |
| Ankur K Singh | 110154 | Physician |
| Anna Rachel Shajee | 110164 | Physician |
| Annamuthu Krishna | 110115 | Physician |
| Anupam Saha | 110152 | Physician |
| Aparajita Spencer | 110169 | Physician |
| April Keeling Papa | 110060 | Physician |

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| Arman S Majumder | 110068 | Physician |
| Arwa Alzaghal | 110045 | Physician |
| Ashok Deepak Shah | 16506 | Physician |
| Aslan Amirian | 110119 | Physician |
| Awais Bajwa | 110105 | Physician |
| Bahaureh Tanya Mohseni | 110149 | Physician |
| Bayan Suleiman | 110066 | Physician |
| Bibi Amena Alli-Ramsaroop | 110187 | Physician |
| Brittain Thompson Robinson | 110050 | Physician |
| Brittany Wilson | 17036 | Physician |
| Brock David Hollett | 110127 | Physician |
| Catherine Elizabeth De Leeuw | 110106 | Physician |
| Cedric Bernard Windom, II | 110205 | Physician |
| Chintan Shah | 110210 | Physician |
| Christian Andres Bermudez | 110162 | Physician |
| Christiana Nnediuto Anyanwu | 14767 | Physician |
| Christine M Lee | 110116 | Physician |
| Christine Marie Talegaonkar | 110191 | Physician |
| Christopher Howard Gibbons | 110180 | Physician |
| Crystal Natasha Bharat | 110202 | Physician |
| Dane Richard Fliedner | 94997 | Physician |
| Daniel Ospina | 110126 | Physician |
| Darshan Patel | 110141 | Physician |
| David Chachkhiani | 110052 | Physician |
| David D Pfau | 110147 | Physician |
| David S Ali | 110046 | Physician |
| David Son | TM320 | Physician |
| Doctor Kenneth Luberice | 110102 | Physician |
| Dominic Adams | 110038 | Physician |
| Donald Edwin Neal | 110061 | Physician |
| Ejaz Ahmad | 110144 | Physician |
| Elizabeth Collier Duncan | 110091 | Physician |
| Erick Giovan Rodriguez Cruz | 110080 | Physician |
| Erin Victoria Sparks | 110095 | Physician |
| Eunice Adeola Adebayo | 15002 | Physician |
| Evan Parker Bailey | 110158 | Physician |
| Fareeha Siddiqui | 110153 | Physician |
| Frinette Maria Barkhauer | 110072 | Physician |
| Gary Leonard Walker | 110093 | Physician |
| Ge Qu | 110186 | Physician |
| Gelilla Daniel | 110173 | Physician |
| George Constantine Skandamis | 110172 | Physician |
| Gopal D Amin | 110111 | Physician |
| Gregory Alan Stanley | 110155 | Physician |
| Gregory Gafni-Pappas | TM317 | Physician |

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| Hafsa Majeed | 110189 | Physician |
| Haiyan Lu | 110090 | Physician |
| Hector Tamez Aguilar | 110182 | Physician |
| Huajun Liu | 59997 | Physician |
| Inevy Seguinot | 110193 | Physician |
| Irina Shabanova | 110218 | Physician |
| James M Brown | 110194 | Physician |
| James R. Barton | 110176 | Physician |
| Jason K Gritti | 110220 | Physician |
| Jaspreet Jawanda | 110178 | Physician |
| Jeffry Diaz Mutuc | 110123 | Physician |
| Jenna Cherise Zudell | 110219 | Physician |
| Jennie Thomas Standford | 110064 | Physician |
| Jennifer Lynn Brown | TM318 | Physician |
| Jennifer Nagode | TM319 | Physician |
| Jesan Evne Zaman | 110170 | Physician |
| Jessica Amelia Tate | 110128 | Physician |
| Jessica Lynn Hata | 110212 | Physician |
| Jessica Steinmetz Coulter | 110161 | Physician |
| Jim Yee Savage | 110075 | Physician |
| Joaquin Caniz Ponce-Zepeda | 110160 | Physician |
| John Joseph Bingham, John Bingh | 110146 | Physician |
| John Wynne | 110183 | Physician |
| Jonathan Caleb King | 110197 | Physician |
| Jose Ariel Giraldo Florez | 110174 | Physician |
| Joseph Michael Wiener | 110063 | Physician |
| Kajal A Patel | 110084 | Physician |
| Karnesha Deanna Goins | 110122 | Physician |
| Kelley Anne Humbert | 110195 | Physician |
| Kevin Charles Frame | 110083 | Physician |
| Koshin Y Ahmed | 110073 | Physician |
| Kristo Curi | 110082 | Physician |
| Labib Makram Ghulmiyyah | 54378 | Physician |
| Larisa Kamga | 15508 | Physician |
| Larry K Nolan | 110059 | Physician |
| Laura Henein | 16731 | Physician |
| Lieuko Nguyen | 110200 | Physician |
| Luc Daniel Messenger | 110077 | Physician |
| Lucas Traub Ribbens | 110131 | Physician |
| Luisa O Mena | 110171 | Physician |
| Lynnette M Johnson | 110104 | Physician |
| Majd Alrawashdeh | 110165 | Physician |
| Maria Guadalupe Valdez | 110151 | Physician |
| Mariella Brune Osariemen | 110150 | Physician |
| Maritza O Liranzo | 65369 | Physician |

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| Mark Alan Tulecke | 110081 | Physician |
| Martin Warren Webb | 110074 | Physician |
| Matthew Joseph Montanarella | 110134 | Physician |
| Matthew O'toole | 110044 | Physician |
| Matthew Plott | 110088 | Physician |
| Megan Lyndall Yu | 110188 | Physician |
| Mena Isnassuos | 88956 | Physician |
| Michael Joseph Yanoschik | 110099 | Physician |
| Michael Scott Monto | 110069 | Physician |
| Michael Steven Clemens | TM316 | Physician |
| Michael W Knudsen | 110221 | Physician |
| Michelle Wood | 110065 | Physician |
| Mina L Rismani | 110133 | Physician |
| Minh Anh Nguyen | 110198 | Physician |
| Mitchell Agyeman-Duah | 110109 | Physician |
| Mr Benjamin Marble | 110094 | Physician |
| Nihar Jani | 110112 | Physician |
| Noble Vondee | 110168 | Physician |
| Nupur Sharma | 110085 | Physician |
| Obaid Shafiq | 110057 | Physician |
| Oladipo Odeyinka | 110121 | Physician |
| Peter Liaw | 110067 | Physician |
| Prince Mohan Anand | 110079 | Physician |
| Priscilla Haewon Kim | 110108 | Physician |
| Quy Van | 110143 | Physician |
| Rajiv Bartaula | 110101 | Physician |
| Ramchander K Chari | 110096 | Physician |
| Randall Rawa | 110076 | Physician |
| Ranjan Banerjee | 110036 | Physician |
| Ricardo Declet-Bauzo | 110120 | Physician |
| Richard Hyun Yi | 11756 | Physician |
| Rishi Sikka | 110062 | Physician |
| Robert Ian Sand | 110181 | Physician |
| Ronald Bradburn Vincent Pearson | 110203 | Physician |
| Ronald Dayton Sullivan | 110139 | Physician |
| Ryan Kervin | 110145 | Physician |
| Sahar Amin Bhai | 14759 | Physician |
| Sameer Sheth | 110209 | Physician |
| Scott Alan Barron | 93769 | Physician |
| Sean Patrick Thomas Murphy | 110206 | Physician |
| Secil Aydinoz | 110100 | Physician |
| Shankar Iyer | 110140 | Physician |
| Shreya Kondle | 110156 | Physician |
| Sierra Marie Armbrust | 110051 | Physician |
| Silas Mcpherson Money | 110235 | Physician |

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| Silvia Cherian | 110055 | Physician |
| Simon Youngsahn Lee | 16276 | Physician |
| Stephen Joseph Raulli | 110177 | Physician |
| Suzanne Depaulo | 110054 | Physician |
| Suzanne Marie McIntyre | 110097 | Physician |
| Syed Nasser Rizvi | 14264 | Physician |
| Tariq Naseem | 110114 | Physician |
| Theodore Kevin Paraschos | 110179 | Physician |
| Timothy Edwards | 110208 | Physician |
| Troy Phillips | 110207 | Physician |
| Twinkle Mehta | 110098 | Physician |
| Uma Jayaraman | 110196 | Physician |
| Uzoma Nnenna Obijiofor | 110125 | Physician |
| Valynn M Antoine | 110132 | Physician |
| Valynn M Antoine | 110132 | Physician |
| Varun Mukeshbhai Halani | 110167 | Physician |
| Veena Agusala | 110175 | Physician |
| Veena Ramachandran | 110190 | Physician |
| Vickie C Motley | 110166 | Physician |
| Vishal Sharma | 110110 | Physician |
| Waqas Qureshi | 81139 | Physician |
| William Austin West | 110163 | Physician |
| William Jerry Lu | 110037 | Physician |
| Winter Kathryn Scott | 110157 | Physician |
| Yamen Saade Korab | 110204 | Physician |
| Yogesh Jonnagadla | 110142 | Physician |
| Yusra Asif | 110136 | Physician |
| Zishan Hashmi | 110199 | 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 Joey Shafritz:

- Does a delegating physician fulfill the statutory and regulatory duty to "evaluate or examine" a patient prescribed controlled substances by reviewing and signing 100% of that patient's medical records each quarter?
Response: Please see the August 2025 Board minutes on page 10.
- If medical record review and signature alone do not satisfy the quarterly evaluation requirement, may the delegating physician conduct the required evaluation via telemedicine? Or is an in-person, on-site examination of the patient by the delegating physician required each quarter?

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Response: One in-person examination by the physician is required per year. The physician may conduct the other three examinations via telehealth in compliance with Board Rule 360-3-.07. The APRN can conduct the initial visit.

The following form Cs were approved:

Jennifer Azar – Neurotoxin Injections
Jennifer Azar – Dermal Filler Injectables
Eliza Boswell – Botox Injections
Rachael Braaten – Hormone Replacement Therapy
Kara Cook – Botulinum Toxin A cosmetic treatment for face
Charles Hankla – Stress Test
Yvrose Jean – Pellet Implants
Chris Leech – Supervision of Cardiac Stress Test
Lauren Mathis – Botox
Lauren Mathis – Filler
Lauren Mathis – IPL
Lutissa Parker – Pelvic Ultrasound follicular tracking
Lutissa Parker – Pelvic Ultrasound Gyn.
Lutissa Parker – Pelvic Ultrasound OB
Thuy-Tien Pham – Shave Biopsy
Thuy-Tien Pham – Punch Biopsy
Thuy-Tien Pham – Cryosurgery
Alyson Reed – Botulinum Toxin Type A Administration
Alyson Reed – Dermal Filler Administration
Emily Sanders – Neuromodulator Injections
Emily Sanders – PLLA (Poly-L-Lactic-Acid) Injections
Emily Sanders – Dermal Filler (hyaluronic acid)
Diane Spiva – Intra Articular Injections

The following form Cs were denied:

Rachael Braaten – Aesthetics Treatment and Evaluation
Diana Cupit – Aesthetic Dermal Filler
Diana Cupit – Aesthetic Neurotoxin Injections
Ambra Jordan – Assessment and admin. of Botox
Ambra Jordan – Assessment and admin. of Dermal Fillers
Lauren Mathis – CO2 Laser
Summer Morrow – Toxins
Summer Morrow – Dermal Filler
Summer Morrow – Microneedling
Julie White – Chemical Peel

The Committee reviewed and approved the following protocol agreements under the provision of O.C.G.A. 43-34-25:

APRN

Aspinwall, Lea
Azar, Jennifer

Delegating Physician

Garnet Craddock, MD
Gordon Jerome Azar, Jr, M

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| Bereznak, Mary | Abdullah Khan, MD |
| Boswell, Eliza | Srilakshmi Rebala, MD |
| Braaten, Rachael | David Powell, MD |
| Childree, Lacey | Dontre' Douse, MD |
| Cook, Kara (resubmit) | Reginald Sherill, MD |
| Dobbs, Hannah | Ricky Mccullough, MD |
| Fitz, India | John Houser, MD |
| Hamrick, Caroline | Thomas Ward, MD |
| Hankla, Charles | Michael Babcock, MD |
| Harvey, Jenna | Vishal Agrawal, MD |
| Hines, Kristin | Barbara Ibeh, MD |
| Hively, Erin | Andre Haynes, MD |
| Huskey, Cicily (resubmit) | Stephanie Dunlap, DO |
| Jean, Yvrose | Kirpich Joseph, MD |
| Mashburn, Lori | Ajitabh Pandey, MD |
| Mathis, Lauren | Briana Brown, DO |
| Pham, Thuy-Tien | Dione Super, MD |
| Reed, Alyson | Kevin Ward, DO |
| Sanders, Emily | Kristin Boehm, MD |
| Sands, Whitney | James Burke, MD |
| Spiva, Diane | Viktor Bouquette, MD |
| Sullivan, Virginia | Stephanie Wang, MD |
| Taylor, Jessica | Guilherme Czelusniak De Oliviera, MD |
| Taylor, Lori | Timothy Thomson, MD |
| Wilson, Joy | John Kemerer, DO |
| Wright, Daniel | Ross Beckman, MD |

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

APRN

Barnes, Elle
Burton, Virginia
Cobb, Abigail
Cupit, Diana
Daniels, Julie
Elder, Shelby
Holmes, Dominique
Jacobson, Erin
Kautzman, Brandi
Klein, Bentley
Linton, Briana
McMahon, James (resubmit)
Morrow, Summer
Sokari, Layla
White, Julie
Witt, Lindsey

Delegating Physician

Tatyana Hofmekler, MD
Zachary Wetendorf, MD
Jae Kim, MD
Jose Benjamin Ruiz-Lagos, MD
Simy Parikh, MD
Elizabeth Jones Flail, DO
Nathan Jones, DO
Robert Medearis, DO
Hernan Posas, Jr, MD
Teki Hegwood, MD
Victoria Melanson, MD
Juan Gonzalez, MD
Lori Martin, MD
John Ourderkirk, MD
Tessa Gibson, MD
Garnet Craddock, MD

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Young, Candice

Benjamin Williams, MD

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

APRN

Janicia Charles

Delegating Physician

Roland Brown, MD

The following protocol agreements were tabled:

APRN

Lindsey Prozzillo (Resubmit)

Delegating Physician

Christopher Curro, MD

Protocols Administratively Reviewed: 643

The following protocol agreements meet the provisions of OCGA 43-34-25:
Minutes will be amended when the list can be extracted from the new system.

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:

Rule Petitions

Kirk Matthews – Waiver denied, but variance approved

Other Business

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

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

PA

Noor Alsaedi

James Braswell

Gregory Engel

Tram (Amy) Hoang

Marcus Kessler

Maria Liapis

Ragan Lowe

Miles Mallicote

Jessie Michael

Brianna Nesbeth

Suzanne Oellerich

Mallory Oslacky

Seth Peterson

Tracy Roy

Preston Shields

Jalyn Taylor

Evan Anthony Thompson

Ruben Turcin

Supervising Physician

Marshall Tanner

Raven Bryant

Brittany Anderson

Chan Lee

Anthony Breener

Shivan Amin

Allison Weiffenbach

David Alvarez

Jack Yancey

Michael Greene

Jack Austin

Erin Bowman

Skyler Gordon

Nauman Rashid

Zade Shaw

Njeri Maina

Daniel Ricci

Brendan Browne

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Bethrand Ugwu
Andres Vasquez
Kaitlyn Werner

Courage Atekha
Lingesh Sivanesan
Eric Kiska

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

PA

Olivia Babb
Walker Barrow
Jason Cossey
Erin Fallon
Larissa Flores
Lexy Hazle
Margaret Harris
Kaitlin Hartmann
Anna Klein
Anna Mandziak
Karen (Katon) Miller
Brenda Nguyen
Keya Pandya
Madelyn Phillips
Joshua Porter
Bryan Saldarriaga
Kathy Tran
Britton White

Supervising Physician

Christie Donovan
Ashley Ryan
Kunal Patel
Mark Gerstein
Jeremy Jacobs
Stephen McDade
Joseph Kerr
Sean Beplate
Nemil Shah
Lydia Josephs
Letitia Cosbert
James Sams III
Michael Cox
Sarah Burke
Kevin Lu
Matthew Scott
Alan Maloon
Ashley Ryan

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

PA

Brooke Cox
Meredith Gentry
Johanna Gomez
Lauren Gonzalez
Kara Hood
Katherine Johansen
Kayla Klein
Lloren Lawrence
Scout Leffler
Jacqueline Madeira
Hillary Mendieta
Yuri Rivera
Anna Sisson
Andrew Tucker
Erin Zahorujko

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

PA

Katie Bava
Samantha Barraclough
Peighton Bolt
Kwenda Johnson
Megan Langohr
Chandler Luter
Krista Melchione
Timoya McKay
Radha Patel
Hue Pham
Elizabeth Rasmussen

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

PA

Sean Bannister
Deyanira Horton

Supervising Physician

Charan Donkor
Stephanie Stutz

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

PA

Danielle Robb

Addendum from November 6, 2025:

EM – Application denied

(Dr. Antalis made a motion to deny the application for EM, seconded by Dr. Retterbush. The motion carried unanimously.)

The Committee recommended approval of the following additional duties:

| PA | Additional Duty | Supervising Physician |
|-----------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Erin Curran | Neurotoxin Injections | Mary Elizabeth Loughridge Cole |
| Kendra Farrand | Ultrasound Guided FNA (USGFNA) of the head and neck | Merry Sebelik |
| Rachel Harwood | Nexplanon IUD Placement | Donald Taylor |
| Rebecca Jackson | Hyaluronic Acid Dermal Filler | Paul Cox |
| Naomi Lux | CT Biopsy | Peter Park |
| Alex Shupp | Soft Tissue/Solid Organ Biopsy (targeted and non-targeted) | Faramarz Edalat |

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The Committee recommended TABLING the following additional duties:

| PA | Additional Duty | Supervising Physician |
|-------------------|--|------------------------------|
| Annie Armolt | Chemical Peels Microneedling Deoxycholic Acid Injections (Kybella) | James Ragan |
| Kevin Wijewardena | Trigger Point Injections Platelet-Rich Plasma | Michele Melamed |

Approved ADD/CHANGES

PA

Serena Abouzeidan
Maryanne Aguilar
Nayeli Alcantar
Ivey Allen
Deanine Angotti
Sarah Apatov
Madeline Armstrong
Olivia Basile
Charles C. Bai
Melanie Banks
Tamara Bernaski
Brittne Berry
Adam Bevilacqua
Katherine Bishop
Joseph Borrillo III
David Bradley
Turner Brittain
Katelyn Brummett
Elizabeth Burkett
Lauren Butera
Lauren Butera
Micaela R. Campagna
Dustin Carter
Kathryn Carney
Melissa Childs
Melissa Childs
Fathima Chowdhury
Annie Christian
Kathryn Christlieb
Brian Collins
DNeka Colzie
Margeaux Connealy
Emily Copeland
Rosirma Corney
Rosirma Corney
Corinne Currier

Supervising Physician

Elizabeth Nesmith
Kevin Ward
Sanjay Mehta
Melissa Bruhn
Jamal Taani
Adam De La Garza
Kevin Norris
Narendra Singh
Ebonique Moment
Courtney Moreno
Nicole Nemore
Lauren Hill
Olaitan Ajisafe
William Ashford
Bradley Carthon
Arina Ghaffari
Hunter Hayes
Joseen Bryant
Arachelvi Dhandayuthapani
Bingchan Zhang
Brooke Balun
Christian Baumgartner
Franklin Conner
Tayseer Chowdhry
Ivan Rubel
Destin Hill
Morium Chowdhury
Rahul Goel
Chesney Fowler
Joseph Burch
Ikramullah Ahmadani
Josh Bettner
Emmett Bowers
Eric Davis
Andrew Simpson
Vivian Okirie

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| Ellington Grace Day | Jason Springer |
| Lindsay Day | Christopher Mcelroy |
| Caroline Douglas | Jeffery Winge |
| Jennifer Duckett | Seth T. Wagner |
| Andrew Duffy | Matthew Rudy |
| Cassandra Edwards | Robert Jeter |
| Bibiana B. Essienmoh | Ebonique Moment |
| Jonie Fawley | Christopher Mathews |
| Catherine Fisher | Ross Beckman |
| Deanne Fordham | Alexandra Sola |
| Katherine Foss | Bunja Rungruang |
| Peter Forrester | Lauren Fitzhugh |
| Amber Freeman | George Aristide |
| Allison Gallagher | Andrew Simpson |
| Miranda Garcia | Megan Crosmer |
| Lori Gaylor | Kristina Johnson |
| Nurin Ghazzawi | Uy Vu |
| Scott Gilpatrick | Andrew Seihoon HO |
| Scott Gilpatrick | Ruth E. Mathis |
| Caroline Gostin | Sanjay Mehta |
| Mikaela Gray | Tyler Wheeler |
| Rachel Green | Carlos Muller |
| Ashley Griffin | Jonathan Morris |
| Ashley Griggs | Thomas Nguyen |
| Jasmine Hagen | Wayne Hodges |
| Katherine Hall | Anthony Mason |
| Caroline Hamilton | Aneesh Mehta |
| Myranda Hand | Johan Koo |
| Elizabeth Chandler Harris | Enrique Jesus Martinez |
| Margaret Harris | David Samuels |
| Vabah Harris | William Blum |
| Arden Hill | Elizabeth Benjamin |
| Ashley Himmel | Megan Smith |
| Eunki Hong | Michael Allen |
| David Hooper | Devangi Patel |
| Marilyn Howard | Daniel Freeman |
| Kylie Humphries | Jason Gordon |
| Patricia Ingold | David Celestial |
| Pooja Javia | Ngozi Okoro |
| Chloe Jacobs | Kalyani Rajeev |
| Syed Jazayeri | Harold Minerve |
| Nicole Jeffries | Raven Bryant |
| James E. Johnson | Andreea Lazar |
| Daniel Johnstone | Michael Strong |
| Joquetta Johnson | Konara Bandara |
| Robert Joiner | Glen Henry |

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Robert Joiner
Daphney Joseph
Emma Kane
Kathryn Kaufman
Patricia Sue Kipper
Cody Kitchens
Christopher Klein
Yuhsuan Kung
Sandra Kwarteng
Cicely Jevon Kyle
Robert Land
Robert Land
Robert Land
Jake Lane
Amanda Lariscey
Mariana Liquidano
Alice Lin
Wynn Lott
Wynn Lott
Josselynn Mallard
Louis Margulis
Devin Martin
Lucile Martin
Trenise Martinez
Jessica Matthew
Julia McDonald
Cynthia McDonald
Grace McLoughlin
Anne Medved
Anne Medved
Natalie Ann Mercado
Annie Mishkofski
Heather Morgan
Jamie Morrison
Daniella Muller-Boone
Caitlin Murphy
Mulaka Mustafa
Minar Mustafiz
Natalie Nabors
Jenna Nash
Ha Nguyen
Kristen Oliver
Kaelin O'mara
Patrick Opoku-Amankwah
Patrick Opoku-Amankwah
Anilkumar Patel

Amit Pandit
Jesse Cannon
Glenn N. Carlos
Mohamed Koronfel
Darryl Crosswright Hall
John Gorecki
James Velimesis
Mohamed Koronfel
Mehmet Bilen
James Patrick Ries
Eugene H. Jackson
Shayla Curtis
Thomas R. Mann
Loc Ba Pham
James Ray
Sharon Tinanoff
Hunter Crane
Franklin Conner
James Porter
Gerald Filmore
Neville Pereyo
Pulin Patel
John Meisinger
Effie Branton
Cecilly Pratt
Hussein Rayatzadeh
Victor Gaur
Iana Malakian
Jawad Shahid
Louis Rolston-Cregler
Matthew P Hughes
Antonios Sideris
Carolyn Freeman
James Dougal
Dauri Z. Alvarez
Shelly Norris
Donish Siddiqi
Olaitan Ajisafe
Philip Robb Jr.
Arun Kumar
Andreea Lazar
Hogai Gharzai Nassery
Natalie Lane
Andrea Sara Clarke-Moore
Kathleen W. Nissman
Blake Smith

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Deep G. Patel
Kajal M. Patel
Sohil Mukesh Patel
Sean Perry
Shalonda Pettis
Rachel Phan
Rachel Phan
Angel Pham
Blair Porter
Christian Price
Ebonne Quiller
Elizabeth Quirk
Michael Randall
Margaret Richards
Tamara Richardson
Jeffrey Ricketts
Elizabeth Ringer
Jennifer Roberts
Heidi Nicole Robella
Jaclyn Rogers
Richard Rogers
Emma Romigh
Caylin Roszina
Jamie Schools
Jamie Schools
Nathan M. Setka
Nancy Seigle Lesperance
Carlton Shuford
John Smith
Melanie P. Smith
Steven Snipes
Ashley Spires
Annalyse Grayson Summey
Ben Summer
Meghan Sterett
John Strain
Sera Story
Sarah Swisher
Scott Tatum
Christopher D. Thomas
Amy Ton
Ray T. Townsend
Emma Trancygier
Robert Turner
Ashlie Walsh
Heather Warren

David Asrael
Wyndham G. Mortimer
Samuel Ogbuetti
Glenn Carlos
Kevin Norris
Ayushi Ahuja
Sherita King
James Velimesis
Ashish Zalawada
Skyler Gordan
Ramin Sadeghi
Aaron Richardson
Daniel Ralston
Murray Douglas
Makayla Riles
Michael Halkos
Aneesh Mehta
Jose Lopez-Vera
Ekan Essien
Summar T. Salim
Zachary Hurst
Edan Shapiro
Jeffrey Schulze
Chhavi Noohani
Yuliyana Donchev
Kenneth S. Jago
Shin Lin
William Godfrey
Charles Smith
Matthew Rudy
Khaled Ajib
Lauri Bullen
Jamal Al Taani
Rochelle Rennie
Gregory Lang
Brian Bobb
Martin Sheldon
Thomas Nguyen
Michael Halkos
Jack F. Yancey
Sonny Dosanjh
Ronald Van Tuyl
Benjamin Foster
Abdul Bikak
Keri Seamon
Kenneth Boss

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Madison Watson
McKenzie Webster
Jessica Wesmiller
Kevin Wijewardena
Kaleigh Wix
Sarah Wolfe
Sara Wood
Sarah Worthy
Abigail Woodruff
Kellie Wydrinski
Kellie Yeates
Wesley Aaron Zila

Anthony Carter
Clara Farley
Stephanie Ambrose
Michele Melamed
Matthew Lee
Brian Thomas
Sandra Fariyike
Reginald Nesbitt
Christopher Dente
Enrique Martinez
Bounthavy Homsombath
Charles Moomey

COSMETIC LASER PRACTITIONER ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT

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

Approved the following for Assistant Laser Practitioner:

Julia Ayers
Amanda Cortes
Kara Covey
Mary Edwards
Carolina Escobar
Chandalene Gibson
Leslie Gutierrez
Nilofer Hamirani
Melissa Harding
Ryane Hunter
Erica Jenkins
Azadeh Kamizi
Savannah Knight
Tam Ma
Gabrielle McLendon
Yasmine Munoz
Sandra Parra
Nicola Renwick
Sharon Rook
Shallyn Samples
Barbara Santos Silva
Analise Schneller
Inice Son
Renita Stampler
Jaden, Stubblefield
Wioleta Szulc
Sarah Torres
Hannah Walden

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Joseph Yoo

Approved the following for Senior Laser Practitioner:

Brittany Daniel
John Gordon
Kibibi Jackson
Breana Jarrells
Shonda Moore
Questa Tingler

Tabled Applications:

MB
BF
SJ
RW – Refer to Legal Services

RESPIRATORY CARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT

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

Full Licensure Approved:

Susan Rattigan
Nnamandi Ibekewe
Makenna Pieschl
Turki Alshammuri
Vanessa Randall
Gloria Mott
Nawaf Almutairi
Lilian Mendoza

Full Licensure Pending Documentations:

JL
LH
CS
TW
TAW
RT
AL
PJ
KS
NV

Reinstatement Pending Documentations:

SN
OH
ZM

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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:

Approve the following for initial licensure:

Christopher Drodz
Leon Lorino
Jordan McCall
Judith Stanford

ACUPUNCTURE ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT

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

Approved the following for quarterly reports:

Jung Bum Kim

Approved the following for initial licensure:

Ae Yi
Christal Bae
Yosun Hwang

Tabled the following:

CS
GH

ORTHOTIST & PROSTHETIST ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT

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

Approved the following applications:

David Lee
Adaeze Ononakachi Onny Mbagwu

PAIN MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

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

Approved the following for Pain Licensure:

Care Medical Center
Select Interventional Pain

Ratified the following application that was administratively approved:

| License # | Facility Name | Change |
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| 311, 312 | Pain Care | Add Physician Tochukwu Adaobi Ibe |

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GENETIC COUNSELOR COMMITTEE REPORT

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

Approved the following Genetic Counselor applicants (Full):

Akash Anand
Paige Babb
Franceska Bhansali
Katherine Lauro
Christina Nguyen
Miles Picus
Sonja Singeltary
Jazmine Vaz-Baker

Approved the following Genetic Counselor applicant (Temporary):

Lauren Wilson

Pending approval for the following Genetic Counselor applicants:

JK
KB

Approved for reinstatement for the following Genetic Counselor applicant:

Nick Case

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Dr. Marshall motioned, seconded by Dr. Norman, 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. Retterbush and was seconded by Dr. Marshall. 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. Norman and was seconded by Dr. Retterbush. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote. The Board took the following actions:

Rizwan Khan, MD – Petition to Lift Patient Restriction – Referred to Department of Law for Amended Consent Order
Edd Jones, III, MD – Petition to Terminate Probation – Tabled
Mark Griffis, MD – Petition to Terminate Consent Order – Tabled
Max Franco, Esq. – Request to use a physician not on the approved list for OMPE – Denied

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ATTORNEY GENERAL’S REPORT

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

Cases/Matters Closed in 2025: 83

Ratification of Orders:

- Victor T. Enoch, MD – Public Consent Order
- Justin Houman, MD – Public Consent Order
- Rabahuddin Syed, MD – Public Consent Order
- Daniel Parks, MD – Voluntary Surrender
- Oscar D. Jackson, MD – Public Consent Order

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:

20241158 Close

INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

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

AG Discussion:

- 20181037 – Approve AG recommendation
- 20250209 – Rescind referral and close
- 20250829 – Rescind referral and close, Flag license
- 20251727 – Rescind referral and close

Close:

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| 20201616 | 20251637 | 20251728 |
| 20210958 | 20251642 | 20251729 |
| 20231694 | 20251657 | 20251730 |
| 20250377 | 20251660 | 20251732 |
| 20251246 | 20251662 | 20251734 |
| 20251257 | 20251663 | 20251735 |
| 20251266 | 20251664 | 20251736 |
| 20251274 | 20251669 | 20251738 |
| 20251288 | 20251685 | 20251749 |
| 20251316 | 20251686 | 20251750 |
| 20251326 | 20251688 | 20251755 |
| 20251329 | 20251693 | 20251756 |
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| 20251555 | 20251698 | 20251761 |

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| 20251596 | 20251704 | 20260159 |
| 20251598 | 20251706 | 20260170 |
| 20251600 | 20251711 | 20260364 |
| 20251602 | 20251712 | 20260442 |
| 20251612 | 20251715 | 20260499 |
| 20251617 | 20251716 | 20260509 |
| 20251624 | 20251720 | 20260553 |
| 20251630 | 20251721 | 20260602 |
| 20251634 | 20251722 | |
| 20251635 | 20251726 | |

Close with No Action:

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| 20221836 | 20250232 | 20251933 |
| 20230963 | 20250567 | 20252109 |
| 20240659 | 20251441 | 20260220 |
| 20241847 | 20251648 | 20260389 |

Letter of Concern:

20251228

Invite for Investigative Interview:

20241871
20251969
20260253

Further Investigation:

20251331

Peer Review:

20252125

Refer to Department of Law:

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| 20251035 | 20251548 |
| 20251136 | 20260321 |
| 20251262 | 20260526 |
| 20240736 | |

Recusals:

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| Dr. Dalton | 20252125 |
| Dr. Shuman | 20251648 |
| Dr. Retterbush | 20251969 |
| Dr. Bedingfield | 20251648 |

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WELLNESS COMMITTEE REPORT

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

Accepted the PHP Report

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, motion Dr. Antalis, seconded by Dr. Marshall, to adjourn the meeting at 1:10 PM.

Kathryn Cheek, MD
Chairperson

Jason S. Jones
Executive Director

Recorded by:
Board Staff