

Georgia Composite Medical Board

Minutes of the February 2, 2017 Meeting

The Georgia Composite Medical Board (GCMB) held its regular meeting on February 2, 2017 at 2 Peachtree Street, NW Atlanta, Georgia to consider Medical Board matters.

Board members present:

John S. Antalis, MD, Chair
E. Daniel DeLoach, MD, Vice Chair
Keisha Callins, MD, MPH
Gretchen Collins, MD
John Downey, DO
Charmaine Faucher, PA-C (ex-officio)
Alexander S. Gross, MD
J. Jeffrey Marshall, MD B. K.
Mohan, MD
David Retterbush, MD
Joe Sam Robinson, MD
Ronald "Ronnie" Wallace, MBA
Richard Weil, MD

Management and legal staff present:

Bob Jeffery, MBA, Executive Director
Carl Bedingfield, MD, Assistant Medical Director
William Butler, MD, Medical Director
Carol Dorsey, Licensure Manager
Briana Fry-Jones, Administrative Assistant
Karl Reimers, Director, Investigations & Enforcement
David Stubins, Senior Assistant Attorney General
Patricia Sherman, Enforcement Manager
Janet Wray, Senior Assistant Attorney General

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Antalis called the meeting of the Georgia Composite Medical Board to order at 7:30 a.m.

AGENDA AND MINUTES

Dr. Weil submitted a motion, seconded by Dr. Gross, to approve the agenda of the February 5, 2017 meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Marshall submitted a motion, seconded by Dr. Weil, to approve the minutes of the January 5, 2017 meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

BOARD CHAIR REPORT

1. Dr. Antalis asked for a head count for the March Board meeting, and the Federation of State Medical Boards dinner.
2. Thanked Dr. House for her faithful service to the people of Georgia as a member of the Georgia Composite Medical Board from January 28, 2010 through February 2, 2017.
3. Dr. Antalis appointed a subcommittee to review historical cases of sexual abuse. To review the cases, make recommendations and come up with solutions.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Mr. Jeffery presented the following information in his report to the Board:

1. Carol Dorsey plans to retire from the Georgia Composite Medical Board on March 31, 2017. Carol has served the people of Georgia faithfully since November 16, 2006 as a Board employee, and since October 2006 as a temporary staffing employee.
2. Effective January 16, 2017, Karl Reimers accepted the position of Deputy Executive Director. Karl served with the DCH Office of Inspector General from June 2011 to October 2015, when he joined the Board as Director of Investigations and Enforcement. Karl continues to direct the investigations and enforcement activities of the Board in addition to his new role as Deputy Executive Director.
3. Governor upholds Board's denial of laser practitioner licensure (active supervision certificate).
4. Request for guidance: Pain clinic utilization of practicing physician who is an independent contractor.
5. Request for guidance: Providing medical records when physician has declared bankruptcy.
6. Article from Florida Health "The DEA recently suspended McKesson Corporation's sales of controlled substances from distribution in Florida".

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1. Request for guidance: Pain clinic utilization of practicing physician who is an independent contractor. Board replied even though they may have a separate agreement they are still employed. Refer to Rules Committee.
2. Request for guidance: Providing medical records when physician has declared bankruptcy. This is the physician's responsibility. Refer to the Laws and Rules
3. Article from Florida Health "The DEA recently suspended McKesson Corporation's sales of controlled substances from distribution in Florida".

Reviewed Legislation:

1. HB 36: Optometrists' administration of injectables
2. HB 40: Disclosure of rabies vaccination history by veterinarians to physicians
3. HB 55: Board member term limits
4. HB 157: Advertisement of specialty board certification
5. HB 165: Maintenance of Certification
6. SB 2: Expedited licensure provisions; advance notice to licensees of site visits/inspections
7. SB 47: Physicians in Georgia for sporting events

The Board took the following actions:

1. Stated its position that a pain clinic's utilization of a practicing physician requires Board approval regardless of whether the clinic is employing the physician as a paid employee or as an independent contractor.
2. Stated its position that a physician who has declared bankruptcy remains responsible for complying with the Rules and state laws regarding maintenance of patient records.
3. Stated its opposition to HB 36, based on concerns for patient safety if optometrists were permitted to administer certain pharmaceuticals by injection in and around the eye.
4. Stated its support for HB 40, based on enhancements to patient protection if veterinarians were required to provide information to the physicians of patients who suffered animal bites.
5. Stated its opposition to HB 55, based on concerns that board member term limits might have unintended consequences on the institutional experience and knowledge of professional licensing boards.
6. Stated its opposition to HB 157, based on concerns that patient safety could be adversely affected if physicians who participated in programs not sponsored by the ABMS or the Bureau of Osteopathic Specialists were permitted to hold themselves out as "board certified".
7. Reviewed HB 165 and noted that as the Board does not require specialty board certification or the maintenance of such certification as a condition of licensure, the bill would have no effect on physician licensing activities in Georgia.
8. Stated its opposition to SB 2, based on concerns that requiring the Board to provide advance notice of site visits for the purposes of verifying compliance could hamper the ability of the Board to conduct investigative activities.
9. Stated its support of SB 47, based on enhancements to patient care if visiting sports teams whose physicians did not hold Georgia licenses were permitted to treat team members at events and competitions held in Georgia.
10. Stated its support for SB 102, based on enhancements to patient care if an Office of Cardiac Care was established to designate and regulate emergency cardiac care centers in Georgia.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Dr. Retterbush submitted a motion, seconded by Dr. Gross, to go into executive session to discuss investigative matters. Dr. Antalis declared the meeting in executive session. Upon conclusion of the Board's discussion of confidential matters, Dr. Antalis declared the meeting in open session.

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LEGAL / ENFORCEMENT ACTION REPORT

Mr. Reimers presented the Legal / Enforcement Action Report. Dr. DeLoach submitted a motion, seconded by Mr. Wallace, to accept the report. The motion carried unanimously.

The Board took the following actions:

1. 20151206: Approved to release a Status request.
2. Harvey Leslie, MD: Deny Request
3. 20160870: Close
4. 20160130: Close
5. 20121132: Table 60 days
6. 20131375: Refer to Attorney General for Notice Of Hearing (Dr. Retterbush recused)

RECESS

Dr. Antalis declared the meeting in recess for the purpose of holding committee meetings. Upon the conclusion of the committee meetings, Dr. Antalis reconvened the meeting at 2:30 p.m.

LICENSURE COMMITTEE

Dr. Weil presented the Licensure Committee report as a motion. The motion was seconded by Dr. Marshall. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote.

The Board took the following actions:

Approved Applications for Reinstatement

Name	License#
Abad, Fernando	57275
Baker, Norman Donald Jr	53665
Boyett, Timothy Patrick	57938
Bratcher, Montel F	68487
Chung, Lily Shinshil	55193
Dates, Craig Alexander	49838
Gonzalez, Wifredo Jr	74029
Green, Jacqueline Lynn	67886
Mclean, Donald C	12261
Shah, Sheela Rajiv	59756
Syed, Nazim Ali	65187
Weil, Ethel Jennifer	34980
Williams, Wanda Lekeisha	70926

Application Approved Pending Receipt of Additional Information
WEINMANN, MAXWELL, MD

Other Business:

1. Sapna Sareen – Approved request for waiver of rule 360-2-.02.
2. J.B. – Refer to Wellness Committee.
3. J.C. – Deny.
4. C.E. – Table.

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5. F.A. – Invite for interview.
6. A.T. – Invite for interview.
7. T.B. – Deny request for reinstatement.
8. A.C. – Approved request to withdraw application.
9. A.W. – Accept as information only.
10. V.E. – Deny.
11. R.N. – Deny

Approved Applications for Licensure:

Name	License#
Abdelsalam, Almatmed H Mohamed	77419
Aghaebrahim, Amin Nima	77420
Ahmed, Rimsha	77421
Alexander, Vinita	77423
Ali, Huzair	77426
Amin, Md Shahrier	77498
Amy, Jonathan Robert	77427
Antonetti, Emilio A	77389
Asaad, Bassem O	77430
Baker, Kenneth John	77392
Billing, Rajeev Singh	77433
Bolt, Christopher	77435
Carpenter, Joel Philip	77437
Chalavarya, Swati	77440
Clarke, Kristie Elizabeth North	77442
Clouden, Tobeckukwu A	77446
Colorado, Natalia Cristina	77447
Cooper, Saladin	77450
Cuello Pichardo, Kilsy Alexandra	77453
Darwin, Brett Wayne	77454
Das, Surjya Prasad	77461
Dasgupta, Soham	77463
Dean, Christina Lynne	77468
Dev, Nimret	77469
Donaldson, Jessica Summers	77470
Elamir, Hannah Safia	77471
Eng, Antoinette Etienne	77472
Escobar, Guillermo	77395
Ewing, Erik Randall	77473
Fanous-Paul, Amira Boulos	77475
Fields, Tricia Charlene	77483
Fishman, David	77476
Fogarty, Edward Francis Iii	77490

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Name	License#
Forte, Kimberly	77477
Freshour, Ainsely B	77479
Gaitonde, David Y	77480
Gardey, Takla Elizabeth	77481
Geller, Rachel Lynn	77482
Goldberg, Steven Eric	77401
Gomez-Goldman, Suzanne Gomez	77497
Gopishetty, Swathi	77485
Gosselin, Marc Vincent	77484
Greer, Stephen	77492
Hedelius, Richard Ulf David	77391
Heng, Joaquin I	77399
Jakowski, Joseph Daniel	77410
Jeroudi, Abdallah	77496
Kanamathareddy, Narendra Kumar Reddy	77415
Kasi, Ajay Srinivas	77493
Kommuri, Naga Venkata Amarnath	77489
Koukuntla, Padma Rekha	77417
Kumar, Aparna Reddy	77424
Lalane, Robert Arthur Iii	77488
Mahajan, Vasudha	77431
Mallet, Thierry	77487
Manubolu, Venkat Sanjay Reddy	77494
Margolias, Brett	77438
Mcquillan, James Edmund	77444
Moreno, Laarni May	77448
Murphy, Michael Francis	77478
Necessary, Sean Andrew	77491
Niazi, Sultan	77495
Onuorah, Ifeoma Obiageli	77474
Patel, Deepak Dahyabhai	77384
Patel, Mihir H	77385
Patel, Ravi Arunkumar	77387
Patil, Raju Amaregouda	77386
Pavlou, Suzanne	77388
Penedo, Thuy Linh Thi	77393
Pereira, Michael Joseph	77394
Pervaiz, Sumera	77396
Pham, Dang Dr	77390
Polanco, Johana Andrea	77397
Prasad, Smita	77398

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Name	License#
Prylinski, Brett Jordan	77400
Puppala, Shyam Mohan	77402
Ray, Michael Jordan	77403
Reynolds, Joshua	77404
Roemhildt, Louis Walter	77407
Roffwarg, David Elliott	77405
Romej, Michelle Anne	77406
Rosenzweig, Todd Alan	77408
Ross-Douglas, Brandi Kathryn	77409
Said, Binor Berihu	77411
Saiyed, Hasan	77412
Sakai, Isami	77413
Sams, Richard Woodville II	77414
Sareen, Sapna	77416
Sattiraju, Srinivasan	77418
Schultz, Daniel Lawrence	77422
Scleparis, George G	77425
Sharabi, Abdelsalam	77428
Sharma, Ajaya	77429
Sharma, Shree Gopal	77432
Simmons, John Walton II	77434
Smith, Jacquelyn Rae	77436
Smith, Luke	77439
Stanley, Jeffrey Peterson	77441
Stoner, Timothy Lee	77443
Subramaniam, Umashankar	77445
Teferi, Mulualem Yigzaw	77449
Tews, Matthew	77451
Thompson, Gwendell	77452
Toh, Benjamin	77455
Udogu, Chioma Vivian	77456
Valente, Kari	77457
Vichich, Robert David	77458
Wang, Bingyan	77459
Warren, Stewart Drew	77462
Wash, David	77464
Way, Matthew Frederick	77460
Yao, Jonathan Li	77466
Yarra, Srinadh	77465
Yheulon, Christopher Gordon	77467
Zebian, Rami	77486

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NURSE PROTOCOL COMMITTEE

Dr. Callins presented the Nurse Protocol Committee report as a motion. The motion was seconded by Dr. DeLoach. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote.

The Board took the following actions:

The Board determined that the following protocol agreements meet the provisions of OCGA 43-34-25:

<u>APRN</u>	<u>DELEGATING PHYSICIAN</u>
Adebayo, Monsurat	Moore, Brooks MD
Agomessou, Abalvi	Nailor, Tracy MD
Anderson, Tasha	Taher, Nick MD
Battaglia, Emily	Smith, Yvonne MD
Bennett, Genevieve	Ochieng, Christopher MD
Bradberry, Cara	Sauer, Cary MD
Brunson, Kimille	Heron, Sheryl MD
Castillo, Leanne	Lall, Michelle MD
Chestnut, Ryan	Siegleman, Jeffrey MD
Crawford, Lindsey	Negrin, Arnold MD
Dellinger, Taylor	Hoprn, Christopher MD
Denmark, Stephanie	Miller Jr., Thomas MD
Eke, Chibuzor	Osinbuga, Oladayo MD
Ervin, Nora	Purselle, David MD
Evans, Rebecca	Ribot, Hugo MD
Fall, Patricia	Oliver, David MD
Garfinkel, Kiernan	Batthey Jr., Louis MD
Green, Amie	Carlton, David MD
Griffin, Shashance	Lall, Michelle MD
Hensley, Pamela	Bledsoe, Tom MD
Holmes, Kimberly	Richard, Gloria MD
Lance, Jeffrey	Liebzeiti, Jason MD
Mathis, Jessica	Khanwani, Shyam MD
Mathis, Jessica	Spinolo, Jorge MD
Mathis, Jessica	Davis, William MD
McClellan, Margaret	Sentman, Rebecca MD
Munna, Melissa	Hector, Carol MD
Nguyen, Nga	Patel, Aashish MD
Orendorf, Kristin	Badre, Shenon MD
Pafford, Robert	McCarthy, Raymond MD
Parker, Gail	Omarova, Saida MD
Patrono, Tane	O'Grady, Michael MD
Samples, John	Rimer, Lloyd MD
Schwendinger, James	Liebzeit, Jason MD
Shore, Karen	Strother, Reginald MD
Shumaker, Charvette	Tolbert, Ethan MD
Shuttlesworth, Tanya	Cox, David MD
Sitz, Lisa	Garza, Jose MD
Stephney, Sherese	Canady, Sheryl MD

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Administrative Approvals:

APRN

Alexander, Crystal
Altman, Keri
Altman, Keri
Anderson, Justin
Anderson, Melissa
Atkinson, Denise
Bailey, Jean
Bain, Judy
Baptiste, Gina
Barber, Ronald
Barnett, Connie
Barstow, Pamela
Becks, Tonya
Bell, Gilbert
Benefield, Kristin
Boston, Kathleen
Boyd, Tammy
Brady, Mary
Bumgardner, Heather
Butler, Deborah
Cannady, Kyle
Cho, Haeseon
Copeland, Miriam
Crisostoma, Dorothy
Croft, Ellison
Curtis, Tommy
Curtis, Tommy
Davis, Bradley
Dawson, Rebecca
Day, Samantha
Dehner, Michael
Diaz, Maria
Dill, Winston
Dixon, Martha
Dong, Han
Dorsey, Kweneshia
Driver, Javina
Dumbya, Angela
Economy, Lee
Elledge, Laura
Elmore, William
Evan, Christina
Eyefia, Emmanuel
Fletcher, Kimberlee
Fowler, Carolyn
Freyermuth, Tiffany
Gaskins, Margo

DELEGATING PHYSICIAN

Feely, Emily MD
Graham, James MD
Hepburn Mariel MD
Sims, Hewatt MD
Palazzolo, James MD
Schmidt, Michael MD
Dega, Sreevalli MD
Marchetti, Anthony MD
Allen, Radcliff MD
Harper, Jennifer MD
McCracken, Mark MD
Womack, Rosalind MD
Syed, Quratulain MD
Press, Michael DO
Clay, Mark MD
Elsass, Amy MD
Palazzolo, James MD
Lippincott, Lincoln MD
Gerguis, Angela MD
Parrado, Carlos MD
Slaughter, Chad MD
Han, Hesun MD
Heard, Derek MD
Jean, Joseph MD
Ghosn, Ramzi MD
Fain III., Guy MD
Miller, Jacquelin MD
Skidmore, Troy DO
Hunter, Clarence MD
Joseph, Kirpich MD
Minor, Edward MD
Zurinaga, Gorka MD
Ryabik, Brett MD
Kane, Cecelia MD
Kini, Sarvotham MD
Tega, Fred MD
Tomlinson-Browne, Rashelle MD
Nukala, Suresh MD
Beaulieu, Nicholas MD
Yap, Stephanie MD
Gladstone, Neil MD
De la luz, Antonio MD
Hotz, James MD
Brown, Randall MD
Spruill, Robert MD
Jadick, Richard DO
Ali, Zulfigar MD

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Gobre, Gisele	Garrison, Joel DO
Graham, Vickie	Ramaiya, Nalini MD
Griffin, Emily	Mathew, Susamma MD
Grove, Misty	Metry, Michael MD
Handley, Jeana	Boax, Joel MD
Harris, Delecia	Wimbush, Tracy MD
Hartline, amy	Meffoerd, Paul DO
Hatter, Melissa	Cheek, Benjamin MD
Hershfield, Chelsey	Riegner, Micah MD
Hoefs, Jamie	Seabolt, Wesley MD
Horton, Kristin	Souza, John
Jacob, Christina	Roberts, David MD
Jean-Louis, Dora	Allen, Radcliff MD
Jordan, Sarah	Filmore, Gerald MD
Kendrick, Patricia	Hooks,Beaulette MD
Kennedy, Debra	Cason, Dana MD
Khalil, Karen	Benson, Craig DO
Knox, Sara	Nayek, Manel MD
Lane, Betty	Kini,Sarvotham MD
Latham, Amy	Wentland, Paul MD
Lee, Pamela	Singh, Harsh MD
Manolakis, Yianna	Morrow Jr., James MD
Maresca, Amy	Shumpert, Michele MD
May, Amie	Yost, James MD
Mburu, Mercy	Evans, Donald MD
McDaniel, Karen	Grimm, Paul MD
Mealing, Tatum	Co, Carter MD
Medlin, Helen	Cheeks Jr., Curtis MD
Miess, Laura	Patel, Piyush MD
Miller-Crystal, Crystal	Minor, Edward MD
Mitchell, Chiketta	Hendrix, Clarence MD
Mitchell, Patricia	Shumpert, Michele DO
Nguyen, Sophie	George, Binu MD
Noto, Penny	Ortiz, Luis MD
Nteff, Misi	Kini, Sarvotham MD
Okpara, Nneka	Dasher, Glen MD
Petrella, Cynthia	Symbas, Nikolas MD
Pontello, Ruby	Shivers, William MD
Proctor, Kacie	Valancius, Daniel MD
Ramirez, Janice	Rill, Matthew MD
Reaves, Robyn	Rill, Matthew MD
Reed, Karen	Weeks, Robert MD
Reynolds, Elysia	Mersereau, John MD
Rogers, Cynthia	Case, Joshua MD
Roseberry, Lisa	Halliburton-Foster,Nadine MD
Roshak, April	Brownlow, Roy MD
Rowe, Sherry	Rubendall Jr., Stephen MD
Saint-Amand, Beverly	Cunningham, William MD
Salmeron, Teresa	Alexander, Erin MD
Sanner, Susan	Kini, Sarvotham MD

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Sar, Kanitha
Sattler, Leshia
Scott, Natalie
Scully, Cathleen
Skinner, Serena
Smith, Leslie
Smith, Lynne
Spaulding, Micah
Stauffer, Joshua
Stewart, Holli
Storey, Amber
Summer, Georgianne
Swilling-Nobles, Ericka
Tal, Shirel
Tenenbaum, Robyn
Thompson, Andre
Thompson, Kimberly
Thrift, Alicia
Tomlinson, Amber
Toufighian, Emile
Uba, Sabo
Walters, Laura
Wangungu, Evah
Washington, Barbara
White, Susan
Wilkinson, Elizabeth
Willingham, Jodi
Wilson, Joy
Wilson, Lavona
Windom, Cidney
Woo-Sheffield, Marci
Wright, Jennifer
Young, Angelique
Young, Beth
Young, Milou

Guo, Xiaoqing MD
Crenshaw, Daryl MD
Grimm, Paul MD
Smith, Dustin MD
Rill, Matthew MD
Peters, Charles MD
Hunter, Clarence MD
Uptigrove, Josh MD
Carson, John MD
Yeh, Jennifer MD
Inman III, John MD
Presley, Martha MD
Mohan, Amar MD
Rikhter, Alex MD
Hogue, Nurul
Rios, Wilfredo MD
Warner, Melissa MD
Shivers, Marlene MD
Jones, Frank MD
Dourron, Robert MD
Paul, Panchajanya MD
Nash, L. Kevin MD
Narayan, Nalini MD
Nahas, Juliana MD
Handelsman, Stuart MD
Hutchings, Warren MD
Coward, Charles MD
Popo-James, Onika DO
Rogan, James MD
Sharpe, Terry MD
Gerguis, Angela MD
Patterson, Gregory MD
Bootstaylor, Lisa MD
Patwa, Sufiyan MD
Lasher, Stephen Jr., MD

The Board determined that the following protocol agreements meet the provisions of OCGA 43-34-25 with additions/changes:

APRN

Cross, Bridgette
Davis, Daisy
Garbarino, Adrienne
Gillillan, Kelly
Gregory, Shalia
Grigg, Carolyn
Jones, Victoria
Lee, Amanda
Lynch, Alexis
Royster, Merissa
Spruill, Stefani

DELEGATING PHYSICIAN

Durham, Megan MD
Eller, Daniel MD
Durbin, Randy DO
Johnson, Craig MD
Srinivah, Jayanthi MD
Bechara, Rabih MD
Murray, Darrell MD
Alexander, Diane MD
Wheatley, Matthew MD
Brachman, Laura MD
Wanzo, Christopher MD

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Walker, Benjamin
Walton, Ralphine
Yocco, Natasha

McGlaughlin, Timothy MD
Ogden, Kess MD
Miller Jr., Thomas MD

Other Business:

1. In response to Julie Thorne, APRNs cannot perform Tumescant Lipoaspiration procedures.
2. During training of new procedures, the delegating physician has to be physically present and not observing from a screen in a different location.

Approved Additional Procedures:

1. Ashleigh Steinmeyer, NP- Approved adding Baclofen Pump Refill procedure under agreement with Elizabeth Sekul, MD.
2. Joshua Batson, NP – Approved adding Ultrasound Guided Occipital, Ultrasound Guided Supraorbital Block, Transforamina Epidural Steroid Injections, Sphenopalantine Ganglion Blocks, Trigger Point Injections, and Facet Steroid Injections, Lumbar and Cervical under agreement with Dr. Sule.
3. Approved Justin Haskin, NP- Adding Ultrasound Guided Occipital, Ultrasound Guided Supraorbital Block, Transforamina Epidural Steroid Injections, Sphenopalantine Ganglion Blocks, Trigger Point Injections, and Facet Steroid Injections, Lumbar and Cervical to agreement with Dr. Jonathan Sule.
4. Approved Lovie Neu, NP- adding Penile Injections, but require certificate to add Hormone Pellet Implantation to agreement with Steven Morganstern, MD.

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT COMMITTEE

Dr. Antalis presented the Physician Assistant Committee report as a motion. The motion was seconded by Dr. Retterbush. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote.

The Board took the following actions:

Approve Applications for initial licensure with a supervising physician:

PA	PHYSICIAN	
Williams, Keyanna	Price, Ginari	56712
Yardley, Sarah	Holland, Ned	24263

Approve applications for initial licensure with a supervising physician pending additional information:

PA	PHYSICIAN	
Mitchell, Jamie	Armstrong, Peter	43160
Seago, Amber	Shokat, Maximillian	60192

Approve the following applications for initial licensure without a supervising physician:

PA
Anyanwu, Chiedozie
Shetty, Danna
Kirchberg, Daniel

Approve the following applications for reinstatement of licensure:

PA		PHYSICIAN
Blake, Robert	6479	Dare, Amos 64353
Daniel, Mark	3392	N/A

Approve the following applications for reinstatement of licensure pending addition information:

PA		PHYSICIAN
Bergin, Cameron	3116	N/A

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Administratively-approved initial licensure with a supervising physician:

PA	PHYSICIAN
Jace Crawford	Reginald Warren
James Dinwiddie	Chad Miller
Catherine Fenner	Edmund Waller
Jeffrey Henefeld	Ryan Gerrity
Stacey Whitaker	Thinh Nguyen

Administratively-approved Add Change Application:

PA	PHYSICIAN
Jace Crawford	Mitchell Hecht

Approve the following request for additional duties:

Tejalben Patel – with Dr Claude Sportes
Bone marrow aspiration and biopsy

Invite for interview:

JS

Other business:

DS- Deny Application for Reinstatement

Email from Jennifer Jones – CHOA –

Refer Jennifer Jones to the current PA rules and laws. CHOA can have their own internal job description. The Board's Job Description is standardized and cannot be changed. Suggest she speaks with Tom Bauer.

Interviews:

CJ- Approved Initial Application with one on one with Physician for two months, Quarterly reports for one year, and two Form D. Recommend complete 20 CME hours in Pediatrics.

DJ- two Form D, and Quarterly for one year.

Approve the following Add/change applications:

PA		PHYSICIAN	
ABELL, MARGARET	7329	JAIN, PRAVIN	30794
ADUSEI, PATRICK	7426	KNOX, JOHN DANIEL III	44873
AGUIRRE-JOHNSON, AMANDA MARIE	8218	AGGARWAL, DEEPAK KUMAR	57767
AHRENS, CHELSEA	7571	PORTZER, JAMES L.	58095
AMORELLO, JESSICA LENORE	8212	POTTINGER, JILL G.	42601
ANDREWS-BODI, ANNIE KRISTEN	4997	SOUZA, JOHN WILLIAM	39475
ASKEW, ESTHER JORDAN BAILEY, WILHMENIA	3878	JOHNSON, ALTEE S.	60387
SINGLETON	2126	GREENE-JOHNSON, TRACEY	38785
BARKER, JAMES	7177	CLARK, TERESA	20417
BARNETT, JAMES	1766	PORE, GIRISH	56868
BIRON, EDWIN	1987	MORRIS, CULLEN	44285

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BLAKLEY, DAPHNE REENE	4296	GRIFFITHS, MARK ANTHONY	67223
BRANNEN, JODI	7975	DEGA, SREEVALLI	71063
BURDO, EDMUND THEODORE	1915	OSBORNE, ANDREW MICHAEL	35491
CASHER, CYNTHIA MARIE	7912	BANJOKO, AFOLARIN	49267
CASON, MATTHEW LYLE	7944	MCNULTY, DARLENE ALEXANDRA	66551
CLACK, JUSTIN	6639	BOND, TOBY	43880
CLAYTON, TYGER	7397	DEGA, SREEVALLI	71063
COLSON, PATRICIA	1955	PATEL, CHHAYA	62755
COX, MARY A.	3057	ZUCKERMAN, ALAN MILES	34501
DAVIS, DONICA JUSTINE	7390	KHAN, ZIA L.	62533
DAVIS, LOGOI	3158	HUMAN, ANTHONY	56072
EARLY, CHRISTINA DICIOCCIO	8072	LYNCH, LORI DANIELLE	68826
EBERHEART, FRANK ANDREW	4672	DUFFIN, SCOT REYNOLD	31412
EDWARDS, MARSHALL CRAIG	3732	DAVIS-JENKINS, PETRENIA ALMECA	76812
EDWARDS, MARSHALL CRAIG	3732	SUMNER, AMANDA DAWN	66650
EDWARDS, MORGAN	7841	PATEL, SHASHANK	29510
ELVINGTON, DAVID	4857	KELLEY, PETER	37847
EVANS, JASON	7834	DEGA, SREEVALLI	71063
EVANS, STEPHANIE LAUREN	7185	MERSBERGER, RICHARD ALLAN	55140
EVERIDGE, ANGEL	7957	BOLCH, SIDNEY	16876
FERNANDES, ELIZABETH A.	3319	SABOM, MICHAEL SHAY	59583
FILSON, JOHN	3951	WOOD, ROBERT	77005
FLUNKER, ANNABEL	2454	KISSEL, MICHAEL	60394
FOREMAN, KRISTOFER RYAN	3756	ASRAEL, DAVID	51291
FORREST, MICHAEL DAVID	2876	BEDI, NAVJYOT SINGH	55658
GIDDENS, KRISTEN NOEL	8113	BEHRENS, SARA STREBE	77086
GIECK, RICHARD E	7451	MORGAN, SIDNEY JOSEPH JR	21262
GILLEON, MACI	7347	MOHSEN, AKHLAGHI	56672
GILLEY, PAMELA SCHNELL	8122	JASPER, NICOLE	49572
GILLIGAN, COLIN REID	5956	RANDALL, DERRICK WADE	50251
GONTO, STEVE	1309	LANE, GRANT	75579
Graefin Vonder Schulenburg, Amanda	3997	LAIRET, KIMBERLY	67672
GREEN, WILLIAM	3425	LANE, GRANT	75579
GRIFFIN, TINA EFFATT	7135	OSER, ERIC RICHARD	28302
HALL, GRACE ELIZABETH	6647	DUXBURY, GILBERT SHAWN	62969
HAMMOND, ERIKA ELIZABETH	3542	SOLTAN, ALAA EL-DIN	45011
HAMMOND, ERIKA ELIZABETH	3542	GARROT, LOUIS CRAIN	59157
HAMSLEY, LAUREN DANIELLE	5711	HOGAN, DANA JUNE	44236
HANDLEY, JOSEPH EDWARD	7621	HOLLAND, NED WILSON JR	24263
HOANG, VU	3934	JAVELONA, LEMUEL PAHANG	55845
HOANG, VU	3934	GILMAN, CARY	29454
HOWARD, TRICIA ARNOLD	4085	CARSON, JOHN DAVIDSON	16321
HSU, YI-CHING	4124	STEWART, DAVID	41489

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HUYGHUE, YOLANDA MARIE	4011	KHO, BRIAN FREDERICK	74040
IMES, ALLAN BROWN	4088	POPO-JAMES, ONIKA AYODELE	62759
ISETT, RAFFAELA	5860	BROWNLOW, ROY	42196
JONES, JEAN	5865	SHAH, PRIYANK	75366
JORDAN, GARY	5024	FAILE, GEORGE	27724
KELLY, JOSHUA RYAN	6363	QUINA, JOHN AUSTIN	50248
KEYES, KIMBERLY	5363	CLARK, TERESA	20417
KROHN, SHAYNA DANIELLE	8123	NAVE, LUCRETIA DENOI	72033
LANE, RANDY	7362	BARNARD, HENRY HARRIS 11	27961
LEARD, TAYLOR A.	8238	DECAMP, DANIEL P.	63575
LOWE, KRISTINA	2923	ENMON, CONSTANCE	67561
McELEARNEY, PAMELA	1193	DOLAN, CYNTHIA	35615
McPHAIL, DEANNA	6390	TAKAWIRA, NGANO	73500
MITCHAM, CHERYL HUDSON	3124	FELDMAN, PAUL DAVID	29640
MORROW, WHITNEY	7705	GARCIA, GASTON	33580
NESBIT,DARRELL	2547	CLARK, TERESA	20417
NOLL, REIKO	4876	WATERMAN, MARK	21214
ODER, WILLIAM	5590	SMITH, KEVIN	57247
OENICK, PAUL JOSEPH	3129	BAKER, DONALD VAN	46667
OQUENDO, CYNTHIA	7116	PALMORE, MELODY	33679
PACE, JENNIFER I.	6512	KNOX, JOHN DANIEL III	44873
PANKOWSKI, LAURA	8239	DELMAN, KEITH ANDREW MD	56424
PATEL, KRISHNA SATYAKAM	8023	MCCARTER, KELLY PEARCE	76915
PERKINS, DANIELLE	8044	HOBBS, ELGIN JR.	29886
PRACHT, JOHN	4985	ALLARDICE, LISA	38421
RINDERKNECHT, MICHAEL	2698	LANE, GRANT	75579
RINTELMAN, WHITNEY LEE	8060	MARTIN, GARLAND LEON	47233
RIVERA, NICOLE TABATHA	5226	ASRAEL, DAVID	51291
RIVES, ANTHONY	4177	GORE, JAMES	36384
ROBINSON, GILLIAN ANDREA	5970	FERRELL, THOMAS JR.	8433
RONVELWALA, JILPA	3359	TAKAWIRA, NGANO	73500
RONVELWALA, PURVESH	6952	CARNES, ALAN	31217
SAILORS, JOSHUA	7707	KELLEY, PETER	37847
SCAGGS, DONALD F	2050	WILES, MARY ELIZABETH MILLER	19625
SCHINDLER, ALLISON	6303	EKEJI, KATHERINA I	70373
SCOTTI, COLE	7501	SCRUGGS, JANNET	49433
SINGH, AMANDA	8093	McCARTER, FRED A	53494
SINK, MARK	8094	MILLER, JACQUELIN A	43098
SMITH, GABRIEL GORDON	5325	PALMER, SHARON ROSALIA	67076
SMITH, MELANIE	4479	FONG, FUN	39571
SMITH, STUART	8240	ODUJEBE, OLADAPO AYOTUNDE	60950
SPRINGER, ROBERTO STEWART- MCALLISTER,	3709	WAZEERUD-DIN, SULIEMAN	60891
DONNA SUE	3710	CARSON, JOHN DAVIDSON	16321
THAI, ELIZABETH	7098	NGUYEN, KIM	67515

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THORNTON, JONATHAN	5326	GUMIDYALA, KRISTNA	64382
TRAN, NGOC	6553	WARD, JACOB	32075
VETZEL, LASHAUN LEE	2972	URBONAS, ARUNAS	54135
VON DER SCHULENBURG, AMANDA	3997	LAIRET, KIMBERLY	67672
WALLENTINE, RYAN CARTER	6279	JAIN, PRAVIN KUMAR	30794
WARD, JACKSON	3220	ASRAEL, DAVID	51291
WARDEN, MEAGAN	4897	KELLEY, PETER	37847
WRIGHT, DAVID LEE	4417	SERNA, FERNANDO	76810
DALY, MEGAN	7225	GARD, DWAYNE THOMAS	60731
CARRINGTON, HELEN EDWARDS			35221
JOHNSON, JARED	6449	OBERSTE, DAVID JASON	65457
MARSHALL CRAIG 3732 ELAINE			

Deny the following Add Change Application:

PA
SA

RESPIRATORY CARE COMMITTEE

Dr. Collins presented the Respiratory Care Committee report as a motion. The motion was seconded by Dr. Retterbush. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote.

The Board took the following actions:

Approved the following applicants requesting a 12-month permit:

Augusta

Muller, Eileen
Konitzer, Stephanie
Trotter, Shavakia
Burns, David

Florida A&M

Dryden, Tiffany R

Middle GA State

Riceman, Bethany

San Joaquin Valley

Stefani, Carrie

Southern Regional Tech

Jackson, Samyia

Approved Applicants requesting licensure by Reciprocity:

Brown, Breyanna
Britt, Joseph
Burton-Mahdi, Aliah

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Coe Michael,
Connor II, Harley A
Culp, Michael
Glass, Madelene
Hobson, Nina
Hyde, Shannon
Joseph, Sony Johnny
Kennedy, Patty
Roberts, Jason
Smith, William Edward
Steubing, John-Mark
Swift, Claudia

Approved Application for Reinstatement:

Allred, Jean M.
Patel, Neha M
Ray, Marilyn
Marilyn, Pam
Sapateh, Marie
Taylor, Juan
Washburn, Timothy
Taylor, Courtney

Approved pending additional information:

Lynch, Michael
Walters, Kim

Administratively approved up-grades from 12 month permits to full RCP license:

Abebe	Zenebe
Barnes	Donna
Benford	Cassidy
Brandstetter	Jonathan C
Brown	Kayla
Captain	Ashley
Carman	Pamela
Chance	Sherika R
Clemons	Tomeisha
Daniel	Sabrina
Dixon	Olga
Dor	Marc
Dorsey	Sanjtojjia
Goodman	Chad
Henderson	Jasmine
Henderson	Jarit Lamar
Hobbs	Victoria

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Hotmer	Brittany
Jones	Aquarius
Khalis	Ashani
Kone	Safourata M
Le	Hai
Lim	Elizabeth
Machisko	Haley
Mistry	Alisha Z
Motieram	Patricia
Osman	Sarho
Prater	Keyana
Riley	Cierra
Robinson	Kimberly
Sanitil	Ann Fidlin
Sartip	Hannah
Tamba	Kaikor
Teece	Joel
Tolbert	Tiffani
Vaughn	Amber
Whitelock	Kibret
Williams	Joi
Wilson	Jennie
Young	Erin

Other Business:

1. Reviewed letter from Anne Cofield regarding M. C's respiratory assistance duties. Determined M. C. was practicing as a RCP, and upheld previous decision.
2. Board approved Committee recommendation to have staff to contact John Dean, MD, regarding the possibility of joining the RCP Committee as the Pulmonologist member.

COSMETIC LASER PRACTITIONER COMMITTEE

Dr. Gross presented the Cosmetic Laser Practitioner Committee report as a motion. The motion was seconded by Dr. Deloach. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote.

The Board took the following actions:

Approved Assistant Laser Practitioner applications for licensure:

Meghan Bacher
Tiffany Barnes
Angela Barringer
Melissa DiMaggio
Stella Duru
Casey Handley
Julie Hartney

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Sona Martinez
 Kimberly Richardson
 Adina Sinasohn
 Erica Thomas
 Chom Troxel

Approved Senior Laser Practitioner applications for licensure:

Teresa Herring
 Kelly Kessinger
 Katrina Robinson
 Benjamin Rosen

Other Business:

1. Reviewed the grandfather application for M.V., recommend she should reinstate her cosmetology license and reapply for Assistant Laser Practitioner license.
2. Discussed inconsistencies in the Rules of Lasers (mainly 360-35-.05 and .06). Karl Reimers joined the teleconference for this discussion. After Mr. Reimers explained the confusion, Dr. Gross explained that no supervision was needed for hair removal but supervision was needed for any other procedure, clearing up the confusion.
3. Discussed fee schedule under “Lapsed/Revoked Reinstatement” and “Inactive Reinstatement”, and approved:
 1. Inactive fee \$100,
 2. Reinstatement of an inactive license fee \$100
 3. To reinstate a lapsed (expired longer than 3 months) or revoked license fee is \$300.
4. Discussed a change to Senior Laser Practitioner application on page one (1), number three (3) should be changed to read “Do you have a current cosmetic laser practitioner license or certificate in Georgia or any other state?” Unanimously approved.
5. Discussed and Tabled: Can the committee suggest classes for CEU’s to be earned? Cosmetology Board had no interest in helping laser practitioners to earn their CEU’s.

PAIN MANAGEMENT CLINIC COMMITTEE

Dr. Weil presented the Pain Management Clinic Committee report as a motion. The motion was seconded by Dr. Retterbush. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote.

The Board took the following actions:

Approve Initial Applications

File #	Pain Clinic Name
413	Cleaver Medical Group- Center for Interventional Pain Management
414	Center For Spine Interventions – Acworth

Approve Change of Location Application Request

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License # 374	Hemlock Pain Center, Warner Robins GA
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Applications Administratively Approved

License #	Pain Clinic Name
234 291	Specialty Clinics Spine Intervention Delete Managing Employee: Larry Lehman Revise Business Hours
257	Center for Spine Interventions Add Practicing Physician: Virlyn Bishop, MD Revise Business Hours
256	Center for Spine Interventions Revise Business Hours
284 285 286	Georgia Pain Associates Add Physician Assistant: Ngoc B. Tran
350	Kroll Care P.C. Add practicing physician: Steven A. Urban Delete Practicing Physician: Deitrick Cox
116	Georgia Pain and Spine Care Add physician assistant: Raffaella Isett Add APRN: April D. Roshak (Pending Protocol & DEA)

Other Business:

Approved change of location applications be administratively approved as long as the clinic/practitioners are in good standing.

ORTHOTIST & PROSTHETIST COMMITTEE

Mr. Wallace presented the Orthotist & Prosthetist Committee report as a motion. The motion was seconded by Dr. Retterbush. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote.

The Board took the following actions:

Approve application for upgrade of licensure:

Seth Smith – upgrade from Orthotist to Orthotist/Prosthetist

Table applications for (dual) O&P licensure:

M.G.

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J.H.

Other business:

1. Deny petition for waiver from C.S regarding the acceptance of the BOC certification in lieu of the ABC certification.

ACUPUNCTURIST COMMITTEE

Dr. Downey presented the Acupuncturist Committee report as a motion. The motion was seconded by Mr. Wallace. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote.

Approved the following applications for initial licensure. Approved the following application for reinstatement of licensure.

Approved Applications for Initial Licensure:

Francine Choren
Sergio De La Garza

Approved the following Quarterly Report:

Monique Pamphile
Michelle Lee

Other Business:

1. Approved petition for variance from Sergio De La Garza; using Canadian in place of US physician for reference letter.
2. Reviewed as information —the list of limited licensees and supervisors.

RULES COMMITTEE

Dr. Gross presented the Rules Committee report as a motion. The motion was seconded by Dr. Marshall. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote.

The Board took the following actions:

1. Voted to post proposed amendments to Rule 360-15-.01 concerning the addition of CME requirements for physicians who hold active DEA registration for public comment at the hearing scheduled for March 9, 2017.
2. Adopted standards for providing specialized IV medications or supplements.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Dr. Weil submitted a motion, seconded by Dr. Gross, to go into executive session to discuss investigative matters.

Dr. Antalis declared the meeting in executive session. Upon conclusion of the Board's discussion of confidential matters, Dr. Antalis declared the meeting in open session.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT

Ms. Wray updated the Board on the status of matter that have been referred to the Attorney General for legal action.

Mr. Wallace submitted a motion, seconded by Dr. DeLoach, to accept the report.

WELLNESS COMMITTEE

Dr. Callins presented the Wellness Committee report. Dr. Gross submitted a motion, seconded by Dr. Retterbush, to accept the report. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote.

The Board took the following actions:

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1. PHP report received from Paul Earley, M.D.
2. 20160676 – Termination of Private Consent Order granted
3. 20090681 – Termination of Private Consent Order granted.
4. 20070278 – Amend Public Consent Order granted.
5. 20160766 – Supervising and monitoring physicians approved.

INVESTIGATIVE INTERVIEW REPORT

Krishna Mohan, M.D. presented the Investigative Interview report as a motion, and was seconded by Daniel DeLoach, M.D. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote. The Board took the following actions.

20160930	Letter of Concern		20161672	Further Investigation
20161065	Further Investigation		20161910	Voluntary Surrender
20161188	Letter of Concern	20162196		Close/No Action
20161534	Letter of Concern	20170284		Letter of Concern
20161620	Private Reprimand			

INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE

The Investigative Committee report was presented as a motion by Alex Gross, M.D., and was seconded by Ronald Wallace, MBA. The Board accepted the report by unanimous vote. The Board took the following actions.

Close:

20141041	20160102	20160462	20160657	20160702	20160756
20160929	20160995	20160996	20161613	20161673	20161752
20161779	20161926	20162054	20162102	20162324	20162371
20162397	20162399	20162404	20162414	20162442	20170008
20170018	20170022	20170045	20170251	20170265	20170274
20170282	20170290	20170293	20170294	20170306	20170307
20170314	20170315	20170321	20170322	20170332	20170333
20170349	20170428	20170471	20170478	20170482	20170486
20170496	20170497	20170499	20170502	20170509	20170516
20170526	20170529	20170530	20170545	20170552	20170560
20170563	20170568	20170573	20170574	20170576	20170577
20170580	20170584	20170586	20170588	20170592	20170593
20170596	20170598	20170601	20170607	20170609	20170623
20170630	20170631	20170640	20170652	20170654	20170668
20170681	20170682	20170687	20170691	20170695	20170696
20170700	20170702	20170708	20170714	20170715	20170723
20170737	201707440	20170764	20170773	20170778	20170792
20170793	20170794	20170797	20170798	20170810	20170827
20170829	20170852	20170872	20170884	20170963	20171044
20171120	20171123	20171124	20171126	20171127	20171135
20171150	20171211				

Further Investigation

20161967	20170661	20170806
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Close with Letter of Concern:

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20160556	20161720	20162283	20170061	20170302	20170338
20170429	20170710	20170879			

Invite for Investigative Interview:

20150349	20170288	20170295	20170313	20170344	20170441
20170638	20170127				

Table

20160093	20162149	20170435
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INITIAL COMPLAINT EVALUATIONS


The Board approved the following recommendations.

20171139	20171143	20171146	20171153	20171156	20171182
20171185	20171186	20171194	20171216	20171217	20171221
20171222	20171229	20171230	20171234	20171256	20171259
20171260	20171265	20171269	20171271	20171272	20171276
20171280	20171282				

RECUSALS

Callins	20170429	20170574			
DeLoach	20160102	20160702	20170314	20170429	20170486
	20170521	20170545	20170586	20170652	20170661
	20171143	20171182	20171234		
Downey	20170708				
Marshall	20160930	20171156			
Retterbush	20170045	20170307			
Weil	20170638	20171143			

There being no other business, Dr. DeLoach submitted a motion, seconded by Dr. Weil, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried unanimously. Dr. Antalis adjourned the meeting at 4:15 pm.



 John Antalis, MD
 Chairperson



 Robert Jeffery, MBA
 Executive Director

Recorded by Diane Atkinson