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The Georgia Composite Medical Board (GCMB) held its regular meeting on April 3, 2014 at St Joseph's Hospital Campus 11705 Mercy Blvd Savannah, GA 31419, and April 4, 2014 at Candler Hospital Heart and Lung Bldg. 5356 Reynolds Street, Suite 203 Savannah, GA 31405 to consider Medical Board matters.

Board members in attendance on Thursday, April 3, 2014 were:

Richard Weil, MD, Chairperson
David Retterbush, MD, Vice Chairperson
John S. Antalis, MD
William Butler, MD
Gilbert Chandler, III, MD
E. Daniel Deloach, MD
Alice A. House, MD
Kathy Kemle, PA-C, Ex-Officio Board Member
Jane "Cami" McGarity, Consumer Member
William S. Sightler, DO
Wendy Troyer, MD
Charles White, DO

Board members absent on Thursday, April 3, 2014 were:

Alexander S. Gross, MD
B. K. Mohan, MD
George "Trey" Powell, MD

Representatives from the Attorney General's Office:

Janet Wray, Senior Assistant Attorney General

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Weil called the meeting of the Georgia Composite Medical Board to order at 8:30 a.m.

AGENDA

Dr. White submitted a motion, seconded by Dr. Retterbush, to approve the agenda of the January 9, 2014 meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

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Dr. Butler submitted a motion, seconded by Dr. Gross, to approve the minutes of the March 6, 2014 meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

FAITHFUL SERVICE AWARD

LaSharn Hughes, Executive Director, and Dr. Weil thanked Robert Jeffery for his 15 year service to the state.

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Dr. Weil thanked Dr. Deloach on behalf of the staff for arranging the Board meeting in Savannah.

RULES HEARING

Dr. Butler convened the Public Hearing

Rule Chapter 360-8 “Pain Clinic.”

Dr. Butler asked if anyone was present to address the Board on the posted Rules amendments.

After reviewing comments and Board discussion. Dr. Butler motioned to table Rule 360-8 “Pain Clinic.” Dr. Antalis seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Rule Chapter 360-3-.07 “Practice Through Electronic and Other Such Means.”

Dr. Butler asked if anyone was present to address the Board on the posted Rules amendments.

Dr. Butler made a motion to amend Rule 360-3-.07 “Practice Through Electronic and Other Such Means.” that the Board finds the formulation and adoption of these rules do not impose excessive regularity cost on any licensee and any cost to comply with the proposed rule cannot be reduced by a less expensive alternative that fully accomplishes the objectives of the applicable laws; that the Board finds that it is not legal or feasible to meet the objectives of the applicable laws to adopt or implement differing actions for businesses as listed in O.C.G.A. § 50-13-4(a) (3) (A),(B), (C), and (D).

Dr. Troyer seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Rule 360-10-.01 “Institutional Licenses”

Dr. Butler asked if anyone was present to address the Board on the posted Rules amendments.

After reviewing comments and Board discussion. Dr. Butler motioned to table Rule Chapter 360-10 “Institutional Licenses”. Dr. White seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Dr. Weil discussed his conversation with Governor Deal regarding Medical Marijuana.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S REPORT

LaSharn Hughes, Executive Director, presented the following information for the Board’s review. Dr. Deloach submitted a motion, seconded by Dr. Retterbush, to accept the report. The motion carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

1. Adam Horbuckle emailed with questions regarding retention of medical records. Refer to Department of Community Health.

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2. Marresa Jones a licensed chiropractor contacted the Board regarding performing chemical lab test in her practice and wants to know if legal to upcharge for testing since the lab is charging her. Refer to Chiropractor Board.
3. DCH, OIG requested information regarding the term “Order”. The Board will respond that the Physician retains responsibility.
4. DEA published proposed rulemaking to Reschedule Hydrocodone Products, invites public comment. For information only.
5. Article in Medscape entitled “4 Things Not to Do at a Medical Board Hearing”. For information only.
6. Reviewed AG response concerning Body Piercing and Dermal Anchoring. The Board asked Ms. LaSharn to work with Ms. Wray and prepare a response.
7. Article from the Federation of State Medical Boards “U. S. Medical Regulatory Trends and Actions March 2014. For information only.
8. Dr. Mymys Lang requested the Board remover her profile from the Board’s website. Profile information is required by law and can not be removed from the Board’s website.
9. Ryan Combe emailed questions concerning cosmetic injections. An examination must be done by a physician. The Board is drafting the rules.
10. William Hampton had questions regarding pain clinic rules. The Board has already responded byt will send the response again with the rules.
11. Jill Hartmann Roberts asked if she has the right to demand her own personal hard/paper copy of lab test results. Is this a part of her medical record – regardless the doctor’s refusal to verbally interpret them with her. Board responded yes and will treat request like a complaint.
12. NCCPA Press release regarding No. 1 Concern for Consumers. For information only.

LAW ENFORCEMENT ACTION REPORT

Janet Wray, Senior Attorney General, presented the Law Enforcement Report for the Board’s review. Dr. Retterbush submitted a motion, seconded by Dr. Butler, to accept the report. The motion carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

1. 20140565 – Terminate Non-Disciplinary Order.
2. David M. Nelson, MD – Board approved to terminate Consent Order.
3. David M. Battista, MD – Ratify Voluntary Surrender
4. James A. York, MD – Ratify Voluntary Surrender
5. Mark A. Adams, MD – Accept Voluntary Surrender
6. 20140128 – Close
7. Dan Stephen Hollis, MD- Approved to draft Order of Clarification.
8. 20131513 - Decline counterproposal.
9. Macon Medical Center, PC. - Approved Public Consent Order.
10. Donald R. Taylor, MD – Approved Public Consent Order
11. Michael A. Gibson, Sr., M.D. – Approved Public Consent Order.

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ADJOURNED

Dr. Chandler moved to go into Closed Session to discuss personnel matters and conduct Investigative Interviews. Dr. Retterbush seconded, the motion and it carried unanimously. Dr. Weil then declared the meeting would be open session upon completion of the investigative interviews for the purpose of holding committee meetings.

Board members in attendance on Friday April 4, 2014, were:

Richard Weil, M. D., Chairperson
David W. Retterbush, M.D., Vice Chairperson
John S. Antalis, M.D.
William Butler, M.D. Chairperson
Gilbert Chandler, III, M.D.
Daniel Deloach, M.D.
Alice A. House, M.D.
Kathy Kemle, PA, Ex-Officio Board Member
Cami McGarity, Consumer Member
William S. Sightler, D.O.
Wendy Troyer, M.D
Charles White, D.O.

Board members absent on Friday April 4, 2014, were:

Alexander S. Gross, M.D.
Krishna B. Mohan, M.D.
Trey Powell, M.D.

Representatives from the Attorney General's Office:

Janet Wray, Senior Assistant Attorney General

ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORTS

RULES COMMITTEE

Dr. Butler presented the report of the Rules Committee in the form of a motion. Dr. Retterbush seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

1. Tabled - Laser Licensure application and refer to Dr. Gross, Dr. Deloach, Janet Wray, and staff for further development.
2. Send Rule 360-2-.05 "Renewal Applications" to the Attorney General for legal analysis; post for public comments.
3. Modify the Pain Management Frequently Asked Questions; publish the document to the Board's website.
 - a. Correct "preoperative" to "perioperative" in FAQ's.
 - b. Add the following statement to FAQ 6: "If the patient is prescribed 30 or fewer morphine equivalents per day, monitoring is indicated one time annually."

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- c. Add an additional FAQ(#15): “I am a physician working in a licensed pain management clinic. Do I need to do anything else before I start work?” Answer Prior to working at a licensed pain management clinic, ensure that your name is on the pain management clinic license application, and that you have been approved by the Board to work.

ACUPUNCTURE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Dr. Butler presented the report of the Acupuncture Advisory Committee as a motion. Dr. Chandler seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

Accepted Quarterly Reports from the following acupuncturist:

1. Hojun Park
2. Virginia Priest – pending additional information.

Approved Upgrade from Limited Licensure to Full Licensure:

1. Hojun Park

Approved Application for Acupuncture Privileges for the following physician:

1. Patricia Johnson
2. Joshua Saul

Other Business:

1. Accepted as information the list of limited licensees and supervisors
2. Approved the change in supervisor for Kyungho Cho to Brandon Yongjo Lee
3. Approved the request from Jennifer Marks for a six-month extension of the supervisory period
4. Referred Mr. Kevin Bergeron to the Rules and Laws for information regarding adjunctive therapies within the scope of acupuncture practice.
5. Referred Mr. David Jones to the Rules and Law and recommend attorney consultation regarding the legality of possible business practices.
6. Tabled the NCCAOM Apprenticeship Guidelines and ask Leena Cook. to provide any information that certifies the apprenticeship program is substantially similar to acupuncture education offered by an accredited school of acupuncture approved by the Board.

PHYSICIAN LICENSING COMMITTEE

Dr. House presented the report of the Physician Licensing Committee as a motion. Dr. Butler seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

Denied Application:

1. J.R.

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Approved Reinstatement:

43035	Eisnor, Derek MD
37276	Lennington, Wayne MD
16542	McEachern, Donald
40487	Mesina, Christopher MD
61126	Miller, Leslie, MD
60934	Perera, Ganesha MD
35325	Randall, Milton Barry MD
49478	Staffenberg, Michele MD
64475	Szymik, Bonnie MD
48738	Verma, Vijay MD
51541	Wilmot, Dale MD

Tabled - Pending Additional Information:

1. Grodzin, Charles.
2. Sindos, Maria
3. Onwukwe, Augustine
4. Jacobs, William
5. Woody, Ronald
6. Brown, Tatiana
7. Gehle, Kimberly

Approved Administrative License:

1. Biswas, Micheal

Approved Application for Volunteer in Medicine:

1. McClendon, Harold

Other Business:

1. Flajole, Mark – Grant waiver of 360-2-.02 (5)
2. Johnston, Janice- Grant waiver of Rule 360-02-
3. Jaiyeola, Adremi – Approved to forward transcript to Wisconsin Board.
4. Arsanious, Samah – Does not qualify for educational training certificate because she does not have a fully, unrestricted license. May qualify for residency training permit.
5. King, John – Advise him he must file an application before the Board will discuss licensure.
6. Reddy, Raja – Allow assessment for re entry from CEPEP
7. T.B – Interview regarding training history
8. L.L. – Allow him to withdraw application.
9. D.K. - Application expires one year after date of application. If necessary, he will have to reapply.
10. D.L. - Board will reconsider the application upon successful completion of a Clinical Skills Examination

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Approved Applications for Licensure:

71608	PACCIONE, RACHEL	MD
71609	PATEL, PAYAL	DO
71610	PATEL, RUCHEET	MD
71611	PATEL, RAJENDRAKUMAR CHIMANLAL	MD
71613	PETERS, CHARLES ALONZO JR	MD
71614	PIMANOVA, ELENA VLADIMIROVNA	MD
71615	PINZON, LUIS NAPOLEON	MD
71616	POLLARD, AJA ELAINE	MD
71617	PRADA, STEFAN ALEXANDER	MD
71618	PRINE, JEREMY JACOB	MD
71619	QUMSEYA, BASHAR	MD
71620	RATHORE, SUMRA	MD
71621	REDDING, SHAWN DEAN	MD
71622	REDDY, SHYLA	MD
71623	REMEDIOS, ALEXANDER ANTHONY	MD
71624	ROGERS, JASON MICHAEL	MD
71625	ROGERS, RYAN TRAVIS	MD
71626	RONDLA, CHETANA	MD
71628	RUTLEDGE, JONATHAN WILLIAM	MD
71629	SAFARULLA, AZIF	MD
71630	SACKEL, DAVID JEFFREY	MD
71631	SAUCEDO, SCOTT	MD
71632	SHAW, STEVEN JAMES	MD
71633	SHEFFY, OHAD	MD
71634	SHENOUDA, TINA ANNE MARIE	MD
71635	SHERID, MUHAMMED	MD
71636	SIMMS, ANTHONY	MD
71637	SOLH, MELHEM	MD
71638	STONECYPHER, MARK S	MD
71639	SWEETSER, SETH ROBERT	MD
71640	TANDON, ANIMESH	MD
71641	TURNER, KEVIN ORLANDO	DO
71642	UTZ, JAMES PHILIP	MD
71643	VAN NOSTRAND, KERIANN	MD
71644	VARNER, ASHLEY ELIZABETH	MD
71645	VISWANATHAN, GAUTHAM	MD
71646	VORA, RAVI SIDDHARTH	MD
71647	WALLACE, CHARLES WILLIAM	MD
71648	WARD, CASEY	MD
71649	WARREN, ROBERT KYLE	DO
71650	WELLING, JOHN DANIEL	MD
71651	WIARDA, KAREN PHYLIS	DO
71652	WILKIN, JUSTIN RICHARDS	MD

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71653	WILLIAMS, RACHAEL YUSON	MD
71654	WOODRUFF, LEIGHA FRADY	MD
71655	WOODRUM, DAVID ARTHUR	MD
71656	ZUZO, AMRA	MD
71657	ZAKI, MONA CARLE DR	MD
71658	AGISIM, DEBORAH GOULD	MD
71659	ASHFORD, CLINTON ALEXANDER	MD
71660	ALVI, NAVEED IKRAM	MD
71661	ADEWUMI, DARE ALABI	MD
71662	DALELA, ANSHU	MD
71663	DAISY, CHRISTOPHER PATRICK	DO
71664	BAGARIA, MADHU	MD
71665	BARROS, THOMAS STUART II	DO
71666	BEATY, TIMOTHY CLAY BUTLER	MD
71667	BERGERON, JOSEPH PETER	MD
71668	BOYANCHEK, IVETA	MD
71669	CAHILL, ANNE THERESE	MD
71670	CESTERO GUZMAN, CESAR	MD
71671	CIERNY, JILL T	MD
71672	COHEN, ZACHARY PAUL	MD
71673	CHASE, AYANA RENEE	MD
71674	CLOUTIER, JEANETTE	MD
71675	JONES, ARTHUR GRAHAM	MD
71676	HAMMERMAN, CURTIS	MD
71677	GOVEA, CHRISTOPHER JOHN	MD
71678	MIDDLEBROOKS, LAUREN	MD
71679	JAVADI, PARDIS	MD
71680	DIMBERG, ELLIOT LESTER	MD
71681	JACOBS, WILLIAM SOLOMON JR	MD
71682	LINDSEY, TANJA KRUTINA	MD
71683	KOMMEL, DANIEL BRENT	MD
71684	KARP, ALANA MERYLL	MD
71685	MORGAN, MICHAEL LOUIS	MD
71686	GROTHAUS, REUBEN JAMES	DO
71687	MASSROUR, KAMIAR	MD
71688	LANCIA, NICHOLAS	MD
71689	OSISANYA, VICTOR T	MD
71690	MARLOW, JEFFREY KLINZING	MD
71691	KENSICKI, PAUL R	MD
71692	HIMELSTEIN, BRUCE PHILIP	MD
71693	KAY, JENNA	MD
71694	HILL, NIKKI	MD
71695	GOMEZ VACA, LUIS ALBERTO	MD
71696	LEE, SUYIN	DO

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71697	KELKAR, ANITA	MD
71698	MERCER, JESSICA J	MD
71699	ENTER, ALLISON BUCHANAN	MD
71700	OMMEN, STEVE	MD
71701	GEBREMARIAM, NEGA	MD
71702	CURIALE, STEVEN VINCENT	MD
71703	DUPREE, BRIAN STERLING	MD
71704	MEKAROONKAMOL, POJNICHIA	MD
71705	HILL, DUSTIN NICOLAS	MD
71706	KHELIFA, SIHEM	MD
71707	LEE, DOREEN	MD
71708	HINES, STEPHANIE	MD
71709	GREEN, JEFFERY TYLER	MD
71710	FIKE, WILLIAM	MD
71711	FANDINO-SENDE, FERNANDO	MD
71712	FANG, CHONG	MD
71713	KWONG, RICHARD YAO CHANG	MD
71714	MARSHALL, MICHAEL	MD
71715	MASOOD, AWAIS	MD
71716	HANSING, JERALD	MD
71717	MALI, RAJESH	MD
71718	LANZER, JENNIFER	MD
71719	HATCHER, JEANNE LEIGH	MD
71720	OGUNBAMERU, AYORINDE OLATOKUNBO	MD
71721	OKUNO, SCOTT HEITAKA	MD
71722	LUA, ALFRED DINGLASAN	MD
71723	HUBER, AARON RYAN	DO
71724	LYONS, JOHN DANIEL	MD
71725	HILL, SHANNON NOTTINGHAM	MD
71726	MUZERE, JULIET J	DO
71727	KANHERE, MANSI	MD
71728	LACY, MARTHA	MD
71729	DARROW, MATTHEW DAVID	MD
71730	EBERT, BARBARA EILEEN	MD
71731	EBERHART, KAREN ANN	MD
71732	EZE, SCHAKIA YOLANDA	DO
71733	FIELDS, LOGAN KAMRATH	MD
71734	FINDLING, FILLIP	DO
71735	GURSAHANEY, PRIYA RAMESH	MD
71736	FELKER, JAMES THADDEUS	MD
71737	GILL, SUJATA	MD
71738	BRIGGS, KATRINA BROWN	MD
71739	GREEN, ROLAND HALE JR	MD
71740	GOGGANS, SUSAN PATRICE	MD

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71742	CLEMMONS, MARTIN SINCLAIR	DO
71743	REESE, STEPHANIE TAMARA	DO
71744	ANNAN, ISAAC BENJAMIN	MD
71745	COOPER, DEBRA	DO
71746	CARTER, INGRID D	DO
71747	WIRSING BLACK, ROBYN JOANNE	MD
71748	WHITING, CLYDE	MD
71749	RANSOM, JOEL ALEXANDER	MD
71750	PUJALTE, GEORGE GUNTUR ABANES	MD
71751	REUTER, MERRILL WAYNE	MD
71752	WEITZMAN, DAVID	MD
71753	TEAL, KEVIN RENARD	MD
71754	UGORJI, CHINEMEREM	DO
71755	PATEL, NEAL CHHITU	MD
71756	POPE, JANE L	MD
71757	BOAKYE, KWASI OPUNIT	MD
71758	BETTERS, KRISTINA ANN	MD
71759	MEHTA, ANAND PRAVIN	MD
71760	GRODZIN, CHARLES JASON	MD
71761	MATHEW, RAJESH	MD
71762	LEE, CHRISTINE UANG-CHIN	MD
71763	KATZMAN, SCOTT STEVEN	MD
71764	HORNSBY, DOUGLAS NEAL	MD
71765	HAMLIN, SCOTT ANDREW	MD
71766	ONWUKWE, AUGUSTINE W	MD
71767	O'MARA, ADAM GRAHAM	MD

ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Dr. House presented the report of the amended APRN Advisory Committee as a motion. Dr. White seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

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

APRN

Olunmi Agbede
Nanci Ahearn
Troy Alderman
Jean Armand
Michelle Asa
Nancy Austin
Nidsa Baker
Pollyanna Bass
Joni Baumann
Virginia Bellamy

DELEGATING PHYSICIAN

Francis Gonzalez, MD
Douglas Perry, MD
Jorge Pisarello, MD
Thomas Demaro, DO
Alicia Hopkins, DO
Pete Williams, MD
Lawrence Zottoli, MD
Renaldas Smidtas, MD
Kartik Reddy, MD
George Smith III, MD

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Shawna Berg
Marguerite Bobon
Tiffany Boring
John Botero
Karen Bowser
Chasidy Brooks
Elizabeth Bulatao
Julie Carney
Stephanie Carter
Linda Collins
Valerie Cousins
Rebecca Cowart
Michelle Crumbley
Yvette Cruz
Daniece Cummins
Julia Daniel
Karla Dearmas
Erica DeMaro
Sherry Denton
Ashley Derby
Pamela Freeman
Danielle Garner
Shuvory Griffin
Crystal Hancock
Jennifer Heavin
Rachel Howell
Heather Hoyt
Yuan Hu
Rhona Hyman
Brandi Jernander
Kristie Johnson
Robert Johnson
Whitney Johnson
Bennaissa Kaddour-Diebbar
Angela King
Marie-Louise Kombre
Kristen Lane
Amanda Lee
Terri Lewis
Jessica Lindley
Mackenzie Lovvorn
Jimmy Maddox
Mirei Malave
Patricia Marshall

Jeffery Reid, MD
Sean Delaney, MD
Crystal Bailey-Gary, MD
Lisa Amodio, MD
Wendy Vendemark, MD
Fred Tega, MD
John Blumer, MD
Sreekanth Reddy, MD
Brendan Groarke, DO
Archna Podder, MD
Luther Vance Jr., MD
Sanjay Nariani, MD
Chandrasekhar Sankarar, MD
Lawrence Zottoli, MD
Davey Deal Jr., MD
David Persaud, MD
Maziar Rezvani, MD
Thomas Demaro, MD
Melissa Rhodes, MD
Lin Timothy, MD
Russell Jones, MD
Patrick Bowen, MD
Jim Barlow, MD
Gary Smith Sr., MD
Robert Whipple, MD
Craig Fredericks, MD
Shalani Reddy, MD
Markus Porkert, MD
Mitzi Rubin, MD
Bruce Gioia, MD
Subhod Rao, MD
Bruce Gioia, MD
Ashfaq Saiyed, MD
Licheng Tian, MD
Vijith Prasad, MD
Prishant Mishra, MD
Mark Ellison, MD
Leilani Shivers, MD
Yuan-Xiang Meng, MD
Yousef Hindi, MD
Javad Deganian, MD
Carl Lift, MD
Stephen Finn, MD
Thomas Bossuto, MD

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Sharon McDade
Wanda McGill
Darin Melvin
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Sara Millwee
Amy Morgan
Laura Morison
Rodney Mullins
Diane O'Conner
Joan Ohawa
Audrey Owen
M. Denise Pollard-Manigault
Julie Marie Posey
Nina Prata
Ling Qin
Janice Reed
Lisa Rowland
Diana Senior-Crosby
Jessica Scott
Sara Shanahan
Jennifer Siddle
Lisa Sims
Melissa Smith
Christen Standiford
Amy Steves
Stephanie Sutton
Amy Tarpley
Linda Ann Thames
Maquissa Thomas
Lisa Thornton
Christopher Timmins
Mary Ann Thrasher
Kelly Tickle
Stephanie Wallace
Jennifer Ward
Patrick Washington
Lanie Welch
Angie Whitlow
Susan Wilson
Joni Winter
Mary Wise
Elizabeth Yesbick

Douglas Moss, MD
Julia Ballard, MD
Jarod Bailey, DO
John Gee, MD
James Goss, DO
Irvine Duplan, MD
Francis Gonzalez, MD
William Parrish, MD
Hewatt Sims, MD
Rajiv Tejura, MD
Yuan-Xian Meng, MD
John Pittman, MD
Bess Schoen, MD
Martha Millan-Sanchez, MD
Amy Hirani, MD
Javellana Eileen, MD
William Early, MD
Rajiv Tejura, MD
Thomas Bloodworth, MD
Melissa Schepp, MD
Roger Morales, MD
Meena Shah, MD
Philip Ploska, MD
Javellana Eileen, MD
Edward Doch, MD
Roy Rajan, MD
Gary Smith, MD
Amy Lynn Elsass, MD
Murray Robinson, MD
Thomas Taylor, MD
Luther Vance, MD
David Persaud, MD
Rajiv Tejura, MD
Carolyn Bennett, MD
Melissa Schepp, MD
Suzette Chin, MD
Janet Griffin, DO
Jeffrey Davis, MD
Tamia Edwards, DO
Danielle Epanchin, DO
Christopher Morgan, MD
Michael Holeman, MD
Anthony Olofintuyi, MD

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The following protocol agreements meet the provisions of OCGA 43-34-25 with additions or changes:

Barbara Jean Conyers	Joseph Bishop, MD
Jennifer Davis	Dennis Harper, MD
Valerie Leonard	Amar Singh, MD
Patricia Marshall	Stephen Weiss, MD
Rovi-Jane Mehta	Yian-Xiang Meng, MD
Christine Nell-Dybdahl	Laurence Sperling, MD

Tabled the following protocol agreements:

Merri Earl	Leilani Shivers, MD
Wendy Gray	Morgan Christopher, MD
Doreen Hamilton	Blake Illston, DO

The following protocol agreement does not meet the provisions of OCGA 43-34-25:

Cynthia Lewis	Farid Qazi, MD
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ORTHOTICS AND PROSTHETICS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Dr. Antalis presented the report of the Orthotics and Prosthetics Advisory Committee as a motion. Dr. Deloach seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions.

Approved Applications for an upgrade to full Orthotics and Prosthetics:

1. Delana Finney
2. Kristopher Urbanovitch

PAIN CLINIC ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Dr. Chandler presented the report of the Pain Clinic Advisory Committee as a motion. Dr. Deloach seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously.

The Board took the following actions:

Approved Applications:

1. TDI Pain
2. Advanced Pain Management

Other Business:

1. Peter Fong, MD – Approved as a practicing physician for Georgia pain Physicians
2. Approved request of Spine Care and Pain Management to add practicing physician Fred Usoh, MD, Physician Assistant Brittany Fox and APRN Lori Leonard to the specified pain clinic locations.
3. Interview with the owner of MYFamilyDOC.
4. K.P. – Issue a Consent Order for having unapproved physicians working in the pain clinic.
5. Board reviewed and approved the revised pain clinic checklist and application.

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PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Dr. Retterbush presented the report of the Physician Assistant Advisory Committee with amendments as a motion. Dr. Deloach seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

Approved Additional Duties Requests:

Physician Assistant	License#	Supervising Physician	License#
NELSON, SUZANNE R	6156	CRAVEN, WILLIAM MOTEN	33304
• Intra-articular injections/aspirations: knee, shoulder			

Approved Applications for Initial Licensure:

Physician Assistant	License#	Supervising Physician	License#
BROWN, JEFFREY R	7129	FOSTER, JAMES L JR	46099
BROWN, LINDSEY M	7130	MINES, CRAIG MICHAEL	58902
CASTILLO, LORENA A	7131	LEE, JAMES YONG	56583
CHOI, AMANDA A	7132	STEWART, JAMES LAMAR	33205
DAUGHERTY, NORMA	7133	ARNOLD, WILLIAM S	20400
DREBING, LAUREN E	7134	REED, LAURA LYNN	52393
GRIFFIN, TINA E	7135	GOLDBERG, MARK	68736
JERVIS, RICHARD W	7136	JACKSON, EUGENE HOOKS	22793
KUDER, DANIEL T	7140	WADE, JONATHAN	66666
LINK, JACQUELINE	7139	LEADERMAN, ADAM J	29709
MCHONE, CASSIE B	7137	SMITH, THOMAS WARREN	46254
ORDONEZ-FALL, KATHERINE	7138	AKINNUSI, OPEOLUWA O	64802
RIGDEN, KATRINA L	7142	VELASQUEZ, JONATHAN J	48581
SULLIVAN, SAMANTHA	7141	WILLIAMS, JERRY K JR	63231
SCOTT, KERI ANNE D	7043	PAPADOPOULOS, DIAMONDIS	27733

Tabled Applications for Initial Licensure:

1. M.R. Further review of applicant's work history.

Approved Applications for Reinstatement of Licensure:

Physician Assistant	License#	Supervising Physician	License#
TREADWELL, BOBBY J JR	5730	STARNES, TREVOR TYRONE	65799

Approved Applications to Add or Change Supervising Physicians:

Physician Assistant	License#	Supervising Physician	License#
ABERNETHY, LINDSAY T	6851	COWAN, AMANDA	50793

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ALISON, JESSICA	5939	ALTURKMANI, RAGHEED	67889
ARVIN, COURTNEY D	5136	KISSEL, MICHAEL THOMAS	60394
BASSEY, SHIRLEY EPHRAIM	6593	HIRANI, AMYN	64388
BEESON, ANDREW EDWARD	2684	GUPTA, RAHUL S	65363
BHATIA, AMINTA	6525	PRASATIK, ERIK JOSEPH	61456
BURKE, TRACY FOSSAS	6353	LEVITT, BRIAN ALLEN	29485
BUTLER, ELLIOTT PLEDGER	870	RILEY, RENEE S	67974
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COX, SHANNON LARISSA	6244	HARRIS, RASHANTE	62706
CROKER, ASHLEY PARKER	5567	HARVEY, RICHARD LYNN	37827
DE FREITAS, MARIA C	4588	ROBERTS, MARCUS C	35986
DICORPO, JOSEPH EDWARD	1776	TARK, MARVIN DENNY	18257
DILUZIO, ALEXANDRA R	7105	OGUNDIPE, AKIN OLUBOWALE	50237
DUNCAN, PATRICIA E.	4703	WILSON, RUSSELL A	40590
DUNCAN, PATRICIA E.	4703	JORDAN, SUSAN S	66169
EFUNE, JADE BATYA	6604	SHRIVASTAVA, ASEEM	70426
ESHLEMAN, BRANDON LEE	6606	BRANCH, THOMAS PAUL	30963
FARMER, QUENTIN BOYLES	5857	GANJAM, SATISHKUMAR M	61583
FOUSHEE, MEREDITH	5880	GLASER, THEODORE EDWARD	50168
FOX, BRITTANY TARA	6780	VILLASENOR, NAZARIO JR	64985
GELIN, KARINE	5984	TATA, UDAY KUMAR	53413
GREEN, TANYA RENITA	5276	DANG, BAO LAM	70803
GROMADZKI, MARY	3057	REYES, MEDEL AGUILA	48815
HOOTON, KELLY	6862	EKEJI, KATHERINA I	70373
HORTON, DEYANIRA	6432	KARRIEM-NORWOOD, VARNADA	48902
HOWARD, REBECCA LEIGH	6403	SHRIVASTAVA, ASEEM	70426
HUFFMAN, ANDREA KEELER	5468	SHRIVASTAVA, ASEEM	70426
HUTCHINSON, EMMANUELLE	5413	STEWART, VANESSA SIMS	55201
JACKSON, ANISHA NICOLE	5881	RAO, SUBHOD	64251
JOHNSON, ABBIE HOPE	6257	MALAMIS JR, ROBERT B	42346
KAPADIA, KANWAL	6406	ALTURKMANI, RAGHEED	67889
KELLER, MEGAN MARIE	6716	STAHL, KELLEY A	54257
KENMEGNE, ANGELA DAWN	6865	HAWKINS, PRESTON PEARLE	23169
KIFF, JONATHAN PAUL	4801	POWELL, ERIC WINTON	49081
KNIGHT, DONNA MICHELLE	3664	LORENZ, GIFFORD W	30816
KOSHOFER, KATHERINE A	5017	HARRIS, RASHANTE	62706
KROHN, BENJAMIN	5913	SCHWOCK, KATHY LEE	37677
LILL, BETHANY WILEY	6629	SWAYZE, ALAN RHOADES	52641
LINDSAY, SHANE DAVID	6635	PRASATIK, ERIK JOSEPH	61456
MANN, MEGAN J	6893	KOLIPAKA, MALATHI	68660
MCKENNA, ROBERT MARTIN	3534	JORDAN, THOMAS M	30329
METZGER-COMMISSO, DIANE	5364	SANDHU, SUNNY SUNDEEP	68184
MOHAMMAD, SHAMIM ARA	5475	MELCHER, RICHARD EARL	18526
MUSTER, SIMONE PATRICE	3740	OLOFINTUYI, ANTHONY	45309

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NELSON, SUZANNE RACHEL	6156	CRAVEN, WILLIAM MOTEN	33304
NORRIS, KENNETH L	2268	HARVEY, RICHARD L	37827
ORTEGA, OMAR A	6996	MEEKS, LLOYD	67247
OSWALD, BRENDA DIANE	2605	PRASATIK, ERIK J	61456
PEARCE, SHANNON LYNN	4196	GORE, JAMES ROY	36384
QUEENSBORROW, OMAR	6678	BAKER, DONA	46667
RANDALL, GIA SHREE	6451	BROWN, DONOVAN K	56020
REILLY, EDWARD JOSEPH	4794	LEE, JOON NAM	15017
ROBERTS, HANNAH LEE C	5051	TONNU, THAIVI	32068
ROBINSON, TERRY LYNN	3629	ALAM-GONZALEZ, ALEJANDRO	25918
SARMIENTO, YASMILKA E	7068	BAYYAPUREDDY, PRIYA VAMSI	55177
SHAH, LEENA SUDHIR	4360	AMRUTIA, SHIRISH	70034
SHELLABARGER, CAROL F	2125	INCORVATI, DENNIS L	50527
SIEGEL, DAVID F	2762	TALATI, RAVIN BATUK	67172
SIMON, YIRIMA	7005	BARRETT, PETER WALTER	69372
SIMPSON, DANA AFSONIA	5338	PROCTER JR, CHARLES DANIEL	59108
STRAIN II, JOHN WESLEY	3234	HISER, ROGER ALAN	48899
SWINDLE, BRETT TILLMAN	6626	DUGGAN, ELIZABETH WATSON	69399
THAN, JENNY H	5594	DICKERSON, JILL BURNETT	61061
UNION, JOSEPH MICHAEL	3365	GUPTA, RAHUL S	65363
VO, DAN THANH N	6897	MORGAN, BARRY W	25554
WALSH, ANNA LYNN	6459	PATTERSON, PICKENS A III	57737
WANG, YING	7124	ALAM, MUHAMMAD MAHMOOD	69167
WATSON, KELLY	5849	SMITHSON, DAVID	71416
WRIGHT, LAURIE JEAN	2028	ESKILDSEN, MANUEL A	57455

Other Business:

1. Adopted a policy to issue a 4-week temporary license to applicants for initial licensure with complete applications, whom have not received their certification exam results.
2. Adopted a policy to add the PA's license expiration date and a statement advising the PA and physician that the physician may be sanctioned for utilizing a PA whose license has expired to all approval letters.
3. C.W. – Refer to the Investigative Committee.
4. S.A. – Invite for an interview.
5. A.H. – License with a Consent Order.

RESPIRATORY CARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Dr. Sightler presented the report of the Respiratory Care Advisory Committee as a motion. Dr. Retterbush seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

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Approved the Applicants for 12-month permits:

Armstrong Atlantic State University

1. Clinkscales, Natalie
2. Maddox, Angela
3. Pierre, Elizabeth
4. Webb, Brandi
5. Wells, Brianna

Augusta Tech

1. Young, Stacie - pending additional information

Columbus Tech - pending additional information

1. Bannister, Brandi
2. Brundidge, Kamisha
3. Funderburk, Krista
4. Joseph, Allen
5. Kraft, Tracy
6. Mendoza, Katy
7. Moore, Angelica
8. Murry, Alysse
9. Ornowski, Melanie
10. Peach, Kristy
11. Reid, Darrell
12. Shaw, Donald
13. Stokes, Ashaneik
14. Ward, Aaron
15. Weeks, Devin

Dalton State College - pending additional information

1. Adams, Kandi
2. Cook, Justin
3. Nixon, Alexis
4. Ponders, Kayla
5. Smith, Aaron
6. Whitener, Elizabeth

Georgia NW Tech - pending additional information

1. Ashmore, Leah
2. Earwood, Tammy
3. Horvath, Joseph
4. Mulkey, Stephanie
5. Owenby, Stephanie
6. Rapp, Heather

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7. Scoggins, Gina
8. Wheeler-McGinnis, Christy
9. Whitley, Jennifer

Georgia Regents University

1. Bold, George - pending additional information

Georgia State University

1. Allah, Nafiyyah
2. Dillon-Ndaw, Fenetra
3. Dotray, Adourra
4. Dubois, Debee
5. Edwards, Kellie
6. Fernandez, Lila
7. Grant, Aiesha
8. Hancock, Emily
9. Hornaday, Katherine
10. Ijeoma, Jane
11. Kazemi, Rodney
12. Lewis, Christina
13. Limay, Abdalnasir
14. Miner, Joanna
15. Mohamud, Salaado
16. Monteiro, Abigail
17. Nguyen, Ngan
18. Perkins, Tamethia
19. Pope, James
20. Roberts, Amanda
21. Shannon, Shanice
22. Stewart, Katie
23. Vaquero, Kristie
24. Washington, Renita

Independence University

1. Gantt, Paula

Oconee Fall Line Technical College - pending additional information

1. Brown, Brittany
2. Grimes, Ashley
3. Hill, Annie
4. Lord, Brittany
5. Mountain, Crushika
6. Rollins, Joy

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7. Smith, Mallory
8. White, Tameka
9. Wilkes, Heather

Wallace Community College

1. Reaves, Beverly - pending additional information

Approved Applicants Requesting Licensure by Reciprocity:

1. Allen, Clarence
2. Azemard, Farah - *pending additional information*
3. Correll, Jeri
4. Esconar, Leonardo
5. Hinch, Deborah
6. Sanden, Merrill
7. Weaver, Michael

Approved Reinstatement Applications:

1. Hall, Christina - pending additional information
2. Helton, Connie
3. Solomon, Ulietta
4. Zegeye, Minilik

Approved Applicants for Licensure:

Allen, Amanda
Burdette, Crystal
Costlow-Shiver, Chasisty
Griggs, Renee
Hardy, Jodie
Johnson, Hilary
Kenney, Ashley
McNair, Steven
Martin, Thyjuana
Pacheco, Juan
Patrick, Kimberly
Qualls, Kaylyn
Stewart-Gunder, Ashley
Tessin, Abraham
Wells, Kristen

Other Business

1. The Board extended their congratulations to Kiley Hodge, Advisory Committee member, on the arrival of her son William Ray Hodge born on March 14, 2014!
2. Matthew Fillyaw – Advised to reinstate Respiratory care license he must submit reference form from his supervisor or prospective supervisor.

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3. Guerline Daguisan – Approved request for a three month extension.
4. G.R. – Invite for interview.

CLOSED MEETING

Dr. White made a motion, seconded by Dr. House, to go into closed session to discuss pending litigation, investigative, and Wellness Committee matters. The motion carried unanimously.

OPEN MEETING

Dr. Weil declared the meeting in open session.

WELLNESS COMMITTEE

Dr. Chandler presented the amended report of the Wellness Committee as a motion. Dr. Sightler seconded the motion, and it carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

1. 20141218 - Close
2. Elizabeth Board, MD - Terminate probation.
3. Anthony Junco, MD - Deny request to modify Public Consent Order.
4. 20090485 - Terminate monitoring.
5. 20112015 - Terminate monitoring. (Dr. Chandler recused)
6. Carlos A. Levy-Eliceiri, M.D. - Deny request to modify Public Consent Order.
7. 20101648 - Terminate Public Consent Order upon receipt of additional information

INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE

Dr. White presented the report of the Investigative Committee as a motion. Dr. Deloach seconded the Committee's motion, and it carried unanimously. The Board took the following actions:

Recusals: Retterbush (20131243, 20140834 Weil (20110018, 20140888) Antalis (20140888)
Troyer (20130015, 20130495, 20130748, 20131010, 20140558)
Chandler (20130015, 20130495, 20130748, 20140558)

Close:

20081060	20101423	20102092	20110018	20121697	20121915
20130122	20130492	20130554	20130588	20130748	20130749
20131008	20131009	20131010	20131243	20131663	20131700
20131733	20140202	20140314	20140347	20140358	20140368
20140369	20140380	20140425	20140544	20140558	20140559
20140563	20140569	20140574	20140575	20140576	20140578
20140579	20140585	20140589	20140593	20140595	20140596
20140597	20140598	20140600	20140610	20140624	20140627
20140631	20140635	20140636	20140642	20140644	20140645
20140667	20140702	20140713	20140721	20140819	20140833
20140834	20140888	20140899	20140939	20140950	20141001
20141056	20141085				

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Close Letter of Concern:

20120016 20140568 20140609 20140683 20140853

Invite for Investigative Interview:

20140371 20140383 20140580 20140880

Table:

20120690 20130015 20130495 20140581 20140920 20141085
20131634

FINV:

20111626 20140602 20140643 20140691 20140744 20140781

Order Mental Physical Evaluation:

20140607

Refer to Attorney General for Notice Of Hearing:

20121914 20140554

Offer Inactive

20141042

INITIAL COMPLAINT EVALUATIONS:

Close:

20111722 20140181 20140420 20140701 20140787 20140789
20140800 20140825 20140951 20141007 20141019 20141052
20141065 20141076 20141077 20141078

INITIAL MALPRACTICE EVALUATIONS

Close:

20140831 20141183 20141212 20141213 20141225 20141226
20141227 20141232 20141236 20141240 20141241 20141261
20141310

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20140719-Close with Letter of Concern

20130383-Table

Other Business

20140534-Close

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APPEARANCE BEFORE THE BOARD

Alexander Horwitz, M.D. requested an appearance before the Board regarding denial of licensure. Dr. Horwitz made opening statements. A Committee of the Board asked questions and Dr. Horwitz responded.

Dr. Antalis motioned to table and report back to the Board in May. Dr. Deloach seconded the motion and it carried.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:07 a.m. there being no further business, Dr. Deloach made a motion, seconded by Dr. Antalis, to adjourn the April 3-4, 2014 Board meeting. The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned.

Richard Weil, MD
Chairperson

LaSharn Hughes, MBA
Executive Director

Recorded by LaSharn Hughes
Typed by Diane Atkinson