

PUBLIC MINUTES
Regular Meeting
ALABAMA BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
October 19, 2011

848 Washington Avenue
Montgomery, AL

Members Present

George C. Smith, Jr., M.D., Chairman
Richard M. Freeman, M.D., Vice-Chairman
James G. Davis, M.D.
Howard Joseph Falgout, M.D.
Steven P. Furr, M.D.
J. Daniel Gifford, M.D.
William E. Goetter, M.D.
T. Michael Harrington, M.D.
B. Jerome Harrison, M.D.
David P. Herrick, M.D.
Juan Johnson, M.D.
John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D.
Timothy A. Stewart, M.D.
William J. Terry, M.D.

Members Not Present

Paul M. Nagrodzki, M.D.

Recording Secretary

Amy T. Dorminey

Call to Order: 11:20 a.m.

Prior notice having been given in accordance with the Alabama Open Meetings Act, and with a quorum of fourteen members present, Board Chairman, George C. Smith, Jr., M.D., convened the public portion of the meeting of the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners.

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Others Present

Billy Addison
Jackie Baskin
Larry Dixon
Randy Dixon
Jeff Grimsley
Jane Hartley
Carla Kruger
Stan Ingram
Randy Moore
Ed Munson
Jim Nichols
Edwin Rogers
Trish Shaner
Anne Shiver
Cheryl Thomas
Pat Ward
Paul A. Clark
Deborah Winberry

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PUBLIC MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 21, 2011 The Credentials Committee

recommended that the Public Minutes of September 21, 2011, be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

ENDORSEMENT

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Medical School</u>	<u>Endor. With</u>
1	Khaled M. Ahmed Abdelhady	University of Cairo	USMLE/IL
2	Irfan Munir Ahmed	Mysore Medical College Mysore University	USMLE/FL
3	Stephen R. D. B. Brackett	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
4	Christine Marie Campbell	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE/AL
5	James Plemon Coleman II	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	FLEX/MS
6	Kimberly Aann Coveney	Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine	USMLE
7	Ruthann Marie Cunningham	Wayne State University School of Medicine	NBME/USMLE/IL
8	James Alexander Dean II	Kansas City University of Medicine & Biosciences	COMLEX
9	Lee Carroll Ferguson	Pikeville College School Of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
10	Chun Chin Huang	Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine	USMLE
11	Gregory Chad Kahl	University of Florida College of Medicine	USMLE/IN
12	Prashant Sudhir Kelkar	Midwestern University Downers Grove	COMLEX/MI
13	Rekha Khurana	Lady Hardinge Medical College Delhi University	USMLE
14	Jovana Yanique Martin	Case Western Reserve University SOM	USMLE/AL
15	Calvin Ogden McGowan	University of Texas - Houston Medical School	USMLE
16	Dwight Paul Mirmow	University of South Carolina School of Medicine	NBME/SC
17	Dexter Maurice Page	Morehouse School Of Medicine	NBME/NY
18	Justin Alexander Parden	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
19	Sumanth Damodar Prabhu	Jefferson Medical College of Thomas Jefferson U	NBME/PA
20	Jamie Lynn Rister	LA State University Medical Center In Shreveport	USMLE
21	Frank Michael Skidmore	University of Virginia School of Medicine	USMLE/IN
22	Soni Srivastav	Tribhuvan University	USMLE
23	Marien Tavarez Olmos	Universidad Nacional Pedro Henriquez Urena	USMLE/MA
24	Erin Michele Thomas	Loyola University of Chicago Stritch SOM	USMLE
25	Timothy Alphonzo Williams	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
26	Thomas Casey Woodring	University of Louisville School of Medicine	USMLE/MS
27	Rebecca Leigh Alsip	Western U of Hlth Sci Col of Osteo Med of Pacific	COMLEX/SC
28	Itzhak Avital	New York University School of Medicine	USMLE/CA
29	Lashelle French Barmore	Kansas City University of Medicine & Biosciences	COMLEX
30	Marc Eric Boddicker	University of Iowa College of Medicine	FLEX/IA

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31	Michael Joseph Borowicz	Nova Southeastern University College of Medicine	NBOME/MI
32	Nicholas Jeremy CaJacob	University of Cincinnati College of Medicine	USMLE/AL
33	James Mike Coleman	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE/AL
34	Rodney Kirk Edwards	University of Texas - Houston Medical School	USMLE/FL
35	Christina Bailey Fettig	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE/AL
36	Katrina vonWerssowetz Gooden	East TN State Univ James H Quillen COM	USMLE/AL
37	Carl Wayne Gossett	Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center SOM	FLEX/TX
38	Benjamin Craig Hill	University of South Carolina School of Medicine	USMLE
39	Catherine Marie Hough-Telford	University of South Florida College of Medicine	USMLE/AL
40	Melissa Allison Inman	Louisiana State University SOM New Orleans	USMLE
41	Lemi Luu	Emory University School of Medicine	USMLE/CT
42	Elizabeth Leonora Marshall	Wayne State University School of Medicine	USMLE/AL
43	Charles Eric McCathran	Louisiana State Univ Medical Center In Shreveport	FLEX/LA
44	Mathew Miceli	East Tennessee State Univ James H Quillen COM	NBME/PA
45	Shonak Bipin Patel	Ross University	USMLE
46	Sadia Saeed	Khyber Medical College University of Peshawar	USMLE/CA
47	Kenneth Brett Turner	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE/AL

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of endorsement applicants one through forty-seven. The motion was adopted without objection.

RETIRED SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM LICENSE (RSVP)

2011 RSVP Certificate of Qualification Renewal Applicants

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Facility</u>	<u>License #/Date</u>
1	Agatha M. Thrash	Uchee Pines Institute	RSV-12 - 10/21/2010
2	Mark M. Weinrib	Medical Outreach Ministries	RSV-3 - 01/04/2006
3	Hugh J. Hughes	M-Power Clinic	RSV-13 - 01/28/2011

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of RSVP license renewal applicants one through three. The motion was adopted without objection.

LIMITED LICENSE

Limited License Renewal Applicants The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the limited license renewal applicants. The motion was adopted without objection. The list of limited license renewal applicants shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "A."

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS / ADVANCE PRACTICE NURSES

P.A. License

	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>NCCPA</u>
1	Abigail Joan Hardy	University of Kentucky	1099602
2	Rachel Leanne O'Neal	Nova Southeastern	1079352

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of PA license applicants one and two. The motion was adopted without objection.

Temporary P.A. License to Full License

	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>NCCPA</u>
	Jill Michelle Beam	USAM	1099512
	Kenna Hogue Nettles	USAM	1099545

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of temporary P.A. license to full license applicants one and two. The motion was adopted without objection.

P.A. Registration

Leslie Irene Burnside, PA / Timothy M. Howard, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved including, with standard

language previously approved by the Board, number twenty-three on the P.A. formulary, birth control drugs and devices. The motion was adopted without objection.

Sheryll C. Coleman, PA / James Stanford Faulkner, Jr., M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved including, with standard language previously approved by the Board, number twenty-three on the P.A. formulary, birth control drugs and devices. The motion was adopted without objection.

Chad Jamison Gilliam, PA / Thomas Stephen Christian, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

Vanessa Jackson Gunn, PA / William P. Garth, Jr., M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved including, with standard language previously approved by the Board, number twenty-three on the P.A. formulary, birth control drugs and devices. The motion was adopted without objection.

Tamekia Y. Hayes, PA / Steven George Werdehoff, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

Linda Langston, PA / James Stanford Faulkner, Jr., M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved including, with standard language previously approved by the Board, number twenty-three on the P.A. formulary, birth control drugs and devices. The motion was adopted without objection.

Sally Morriss, PA / James Stanford Faulkner, Jr., M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved including, with standard

language previously approved by the Board, number twenty-three on the P.A. formulary, birth control drugs and devices. The motion was adopted without objection.

Victoria Porter, PA / Marc Roberts Watkins, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

Laura Spencer Simeone, PA / Bruce Myles Pava, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved including, with standard language previously approved by the Board, number twenty-three on the P.A. formulary, birth control drugs and devices. The motion was adopted without objection.

Kaitlin Smith, PA / David K. Williamson, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

Abigail Joan Hardy, PA / Frederick C. Flandry, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

Bonnie Brasseal, PA / Elquis M. Castillo, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved including, with standard language previously approved by the Board, number two on the P.A. formulary, antineoplastic agents. The Committee recommended that the request for the P.A. to prescribe heavy metal antagonists be denied. The motion was adopted without objection.

Archie David Lawson, PA / Geoffrey Singer, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved including, with standard

language previously approved by the Board, number twenty-three and number twenty-four on the P.A. formulary, birth control drugs and devices, and oxytocics. The motion was adopted without objection.

Jennifer George Ramsey, PA / Minh Huynh, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application be approved including, with standard language previously approved by the Board, number twenty-four on the P.A. formulary, oxytocics. The Committee recommended that the request for the P.A. to prescribe heavy metal antagonists and radioactive agents be denied. The Committee recommended that Ms. Ramsey be advised of the procedure to apply for a QACSC. The motion was adopted without objection.

Arthur Stevenson McAdams, PA / James Coffey, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. registration application with remote site privileges be approved including, with standard language previously approved by the Board, number twenty-three on the P.A. formulary, birth control drugs and devices. The motion was adopted without objection.

PA QACSC Registration

1. Bayliss Bridges, PA / Thomas L. Yearwood, M.D.
2. Christopher David Key, PA / John L. Todd, M.D.

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of PA QACSC registration applicants one and two. The motion was adopted without objection.

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Mark Copeland, AA / Maurice G. McCabe, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the A.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Andrew C. Crider, AA / Maurice G. McCabe, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the A.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Cybill C. Hunt, AA / Christopher Mallory Jones, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the A.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Kenneth Maloney, AA / Maurice G. McCabe, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the A.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

P.A. Miscellaneous Requests / Reports

Adrian B. Boone, PA / Shankar B. Yalamanchili, M.D. - Request for consideration for PA to perform telemedicine services The Credentials Committee recommended that the P.A. be approved to practice psychiatry via telemedicine with the condition that a registered nurse or mid-level practitioner must be present with the patient during the session at the distant location. The Committee recommended that, should the patient require a physical examination pursuant to the psychiatric examination, a mid-level practitioner must be present with the patient or the patient must be seen by the physician. The motion was adopted without objection.

Jeffrey Hayes - Request for clarification regarding mid-level practitioners marking procedure sites The Credentials Committee recommended that Mr. Hayes be notified that this matter is not within the jurisdiction of the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners and that the facility's policy is the authority over this matter. The motion was adopted without objection.

Reiga Luedemann, PA / Mamoun Najjar, M.D. - Request for permission to carry over previously approved joint injections to new registration The Credentials Committee recommended that this item be deferred and that Dr. Najjar be asked to provide a letter of clarification regarding his abilities to perform the procedures to be performed by the P.A. J. Daniel Gifford, M.D., recused himself from discussion, deliberation and determination. The motion was adopted without objection.

John Manning PA / Edward Planz, M.D. - Request for approval of documentation of training to perform removal of chest tubes and pacing wires The Credentials Committee recommended that the documentation that the P.A. has been trained to remove chest tubes and pacing wires be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

Physician Assistant training in regards to ventilator management of patients The Credentials Committee recommended that the item be received as information. The motion was adopted without objection.

Suzanne Vickers, PA / Barry C. Ginsburg, M.D. - Request for permission to train PA to perform biopsies on the face The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the PA to perform biopsies of the face. The motion was adopted without objection.

APN Miscellaneous Requests/Reports

Mark Sims Boatright, M.D. / Candace Cassady, CRNP - Request approval for CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents. The motion was adopted without objection.

Cynthia Gale Brumfield, M.D. / Courtney Lee Willoughby, CRNP - Request to use of Women's Health Care Practitioner Specialty Protocol The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the request for the use of the Women's Health Care Practitioner Specialty Protocol within the collaborative practice. The motion was adopted without objection.

S. Paul Dang, M.D. / Patricia M. Collins, CRNP - Request approval for CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents. The motion was adopted without objection.

Devin Eckhoff, M.D. / Amy Thompson, CRNP - Request approval for CRNP to administer immunosuppressants The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to administer immunosuppressants. The motion was adopted without objection.

Fred D. Hunker, M.D. / Jaime Cannon, CRNP - Request to train CRNP to perform central and arterial line insertion The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform central and arterial line insertion. The motion was adopted without objection.

Frank J. Kelly, M.D. / Stacey S. Hill, CRNP - Request approval for 1st Assist Surgery and for the administration of antineoplastic agents The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents. The Committee noted that 1st Assist Surgery is part of the approved registered nurse protocol. The motion was adopted without objection.

Clint C. Kingsley, M.D. / Deborah Abu-Alrub, CRNP - Request approval for CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents. The motion was adopted without objection.

Brendan M. McGuire, M.D. / Tiffany Dionne Benefield, CRNP - Request approval for CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents. The motion was adopted without objection.

Brendan M. McGuire, M.D. / Misty L. Ralyea, CRNP - Request approval for CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents. The motion was adopted without objection.

Brendan M. McGuire, M.D. / Donna L. Stevens, CRNP - Request approval to administer immunosuppressants The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to administer immunosuppressants. The motion was adopted without objection.

Wahib Mena, M.D. / Tara B. Wood, CRNP - Request to use Neonatal Nurse Practitioner Protocol The Credentials Committee recommended approval for the use of the Neonatal Nurse Practitioner Protocol within the collaborative practice. The motion was adopted without objection.

Larry O. Skelton, M.D. / Kelly Hall, CRNP - Request approval to train CRNP to perform joint injections The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform joint injections of the shoulder, elbow, knee, and greater trochanteric bursa. The motion was adopted without objection.

Grace H. A. Thomas, M.D. / Robin L. Merkel, CRNP - Request approval for sub-dermal placement of Implanon by CRNP The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform sub-dermal placement of Implanon. The motion was adopted without objection.

Lisa J. Williams, M.D. / Mehgan Lazenby, CRNP - Request approval to train CRNP to perform internal jugular central venous line insertion The Credentials Committee recommended that this item be deferred pending a review of the training protocols. The motion was adopted without objection.

Collaborative Practice Registration

Physician

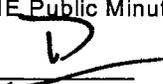
CRNP

- 1 Susan Arnold, M.D.
- 2 Syed Aftab, M.D.
- 3 William Alldredge, M.D.
- 4 Brent Boyett, D.O.

- Stephanie Wynn
- Ella Williamson
- Amy McCool
- Susan Pollard

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5 Brigatta Brott, M.D.
6 Cynthia Brumfield, M.D.
7 Allen Campbell, M.D.
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9 Mark Eich, M.D.
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11 Roddie Gantt, M.D.
12 David Garvey, M.D.
13 David Garvey, M.D.
14 David Geldmacher, M.D.
15 Scott Gilchrist, M.D.
16 Rommel Go, M.D.
17 Miles Gresham, M.D.
18 Micahel Grossman, M.D.
19 Zehra Haider, M.D.
20 Oliver Harper, M.D.
21 Otis Harrison, M.D.
22 Randall Hess, D.O.
23 Jody Hughes, M.D.
24 Arvind Kamath, M.D.
25 Robert Loudon, M.D.
26 Anthony Maggio, M.D.
27 Jerrel McAnalley, M.D.
28 Jack McLendon, M.D.
29 Sherry Melton, M.D.
30 Charles Moore, M.D.
31 Avinash Nichani, M.D.
32 Dick Owens, M.D.
33 Randy Pounders, M.D.
34 Silvio Papapietro, M.D.
35 Brenda Peak, D.O.
36 Daniel Polansky, M.D.
37 James Robinson, M.D.
38 James Ruble, M.D.
39 Jeremy Russell, M.D.
40 Sanjiv Shah, M.D.
41 Marshall Shoemaker, M.D.
42 Richard Shamblin, M.D.
43 Geoffrey Singer, M.D.
44 Geoffrey Singer, M.D.
45 Geoffrey Singer, M.D.
46 Oscar Stokes, M.D.
47 Subramaniam Sundar, M.D.

Grace Grau
Courtney Willoughby
Marianna Wester
Mary Wilmoth
Andrea Goodwin
Samantha Joseph
Emily Johnson
Paul Thomley
Dedra Thrash
Josephine Hackett
Candace Short
James Hutcherson
Candace Arnold
Donna Whaley
Eddah Muya
Ashley Scoggins
Glendora Jamison
Kathy Martin
Whitney Bailey
Joy Nichols
Erin Chambliss
Angela Cobb
Justin Coan
Justin Coan
Cassandra Phillips
Robin Cross
Mary Davis
Justin Kokiousis
Justin Coan
Summer Langston
Mary Kimbrell
Charles Moss
Elizabeth DeBerry
Charles Moss
Patricia Bellomy
Bryan Smith
Stella Sims
Amy McCool
Erica Jantzen
Natashia Andrews
Cynthia Lee
Amy Reynolds
Deborah Rye-Crook

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| 48 | George Sutton, M.D. | Edna Harris |
| 49 | George Sutton, M.D. | Kara Huggins |
| 50 | Joel Sullivan, M.D. | Meghan McMackin |
| 51 | Eric Tyler, M.D. | Michelle Bevels |
| 52 | Joshua Vacik, M.D. | Justin Coan |
| 53 | Bill Vermillion, M.D. | Deborah Campbell |
| 54 | Thomas Washburn, Jr., M.D. | Lisa Stephens |
| 55 | Steven Werdehoff, M.D. | Elizabeth Stanfield |
| 56 | Michael Wilensky, M.D. | Suzzan Nelson |
| 57 | James Wilhite, M.D. | Amy McCool |
| 58 | David Williamson, M.D. | Janet Heins |
| 59 | Bobby Wrights, M.D. | Suprior Harris |

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of collaborative practice registration applicants one through fifty-nine. The motion was adopted without objection.

Collaborative Practice Covering Physician Applicants

Collaborative Practice Covering Physician Applicants The Credentials Committee recommended approval of collaborative practice covering physician applicants one through eighty-three. The motion was adopted without objection. The list of collaborative practice covering physician applicants shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "B."

CURRENT BUSINESS

Administrative Rule Chapter 540-X-17, Guidelines and Standards for the Use of Controlled Substances for Weight Reduction The Credentials Committee recommended that the proposed rule, Administrative Rule Chapter 540-X-17, be amended to make all gender references specific to male patients and female patients. The Committee recommended that the amended rule be published for public comment in the *Administrative Monthly*. The motion was adopted without objection.

The Medication Program, Inc. The Credentials Committee recommended that consideration of this item be deferred. The motion was adopted without objection.

San Juan Bautista School of Medicine The Credentials Committee recommended that Administrative Rule 540-X-3-.02 be amended to include San Juan Bautista School of Medicine on the Board's list of unapproved medical schools. The Committee recommended that any graduate from San Juan Bautista School of Medicine with a graduation date on, or after, October 3, 2011, be considered ineligible to apply for an Alabama medical license. The motion was adopted without objection.

Administrative Rule 540-X-3-.02 Medical Education Requirement A motion was made to adopt Administrative Rule 540-X-3-.02, as amended, as an emergency rule and to publish the amended rule for public comment in the *Administrative Monthly*. The motion was adopted without objection.

Telemedicine The Credentials Committee recommended that the practice of psychiatry via telemedicine be approved with the condition that a registered nurse or mid-level practitioner must be present with the patient during the session at the distant location. The Committee recommended that, should the patient require a physical examination pursuant to the psychiatric examination, a mid-level practitioner must be present with the patient or the patient must be seen by the physician. The motion was adopted without objection.

HEARINGS

ABME Hearing Schedule The Credentials Committee recommended that the ABME Hearing Schedule be received as information. The motion was adopted without objection.

Meeting Adjourned: 11:40 a.m.

The Alabama Board of Medical Examiners will convene its next public meeting November 9, 2011, 848 Washington Avenue, Montgomery, Alabama.



Amy T. Dorminey
Recording Secretary

Approved



Larry D. Dixon
Executive Director

Approved



George C. Smith, Jr., M.D.
Chairman