

PUBLIC MINUTES
Regular Meeting
ALABAMA BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
November 9, 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.
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.
Paul M. Nagrodzki, M.D.
Timothy A. Stewart, M.D.
William J. Terry, M.D.

Members Not Present

William E. Goetter, M.D.

Recording Secretary

Amy T. Dorminey

Others Present

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

Call to Order: 10:29 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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PUBLIC MINUTES OF OCTOBER 19, 2011 The Credentials Committee recommended

that the Public Minutes of October 19, 2011, be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

ENDORSEMENT

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Medical School</u>	<u>Endor. With</u>
1	Victoria Shamblin Anderson	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE/AL
2	* William Allison Barret	Wake Forest University School of Medicine	USMLE
3	David Lee Booker	Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine	NBME/GA
4	* Andrea Morrison Dabney	Michigan State Univ College of Human Medicine	USMLE/NC
5	* Robert Thomas Dambach	Nova Southeastern University College of Medicine	COMLEX/LA
6	* Jeffrey P. Davenport	Florida State University College of Medicine	USMLE/FL
7	Stephanie L. Wilson Denham	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
8	Adam Wayne Farris	West Virginia University School of Medicine	USMLE
9	Sandra Bentes Pessoa Garcia	Fac Med Health Sci Cen Fed Univ Fluminense	USMLE/AZ
10	Monalisa Ghosh	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
11	* Mark Edward Green	Wright State University School of Medicine	USMLE/IN
12	Vikas Gupta	Government Medical College Bhavnagar	USMLE
13	Anne Doran Halli-Tierney	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
14	* Joshua B. Erroll Johannson	University of Michigan Medical School	USMLE/PA
15	Ashley Marie Joslin	State Univ of New York Upstate Medical University	USMLE
16	Townes Randolph Leigh Jr.	West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
17	Javier Jose Lopez Araujo	Universidad Central Del Caribe School of Medicine	USMLE
18	Virginia Logue Menendez	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE/AL
19	Signe H. O'Neale	Morehouse School Of Medicine	USMLE/GA
20	Charles Joseph Osier Jr.	Emory University School of Medicine	USMLE
21	* James Earl Posey Jr.	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE
22	Cleon Louis Rogers	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
23	Sabrina Noel Wyatt	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE/AZ
24	* Arshad Muhammad Yousuf	Dow Medical College University of Karachi	FLEX/NJ
25	Terry Lee Adams	University of Tennessee Memphis COM	FLEX/TN
26	Nana-Ama Esi Ankumah	University of Wisconsin Medical School	USMLE/AL
27	Alan Lee Billsby	Des Moines University of Osteo Medical Center	NBOME/MI
28	John Robert Blackwell	University of Colorado School of Medicine	USMLE/MS
29	Paul Curtis Buzhardt	Louisiana State University SOM New Orleans	USMLE
30	Amy Myers CaJacob	University of Cincinnati College of Medicine	USMLE
31	Conley James Carr	University of Alabama School of UASOM	USMLE

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32	* Christopher Michael Dukes	Mercer University School of Medicine	USMLE
33	Jennifer Katherine Durst	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE/AL
34	Spencer William Evenhuis	Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
35	Joseph Tyler Fuqua	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
36	Deidre Downs Gunn	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE/AL
37	Barbara Marie Herfel	St. Matthews University (Grand Caymen)	USMLE
38	Casey Lauren Hitt	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
39	Christine Kabanga Ilunga	Universite De L `Etat A Liege	FLEX/MA
40	* Marcus Matthew Janicki	West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/WV
41	Eric Sarkis Jarandeh	Emory University School of Medicine	USMLE/DC
42	Sheni Nanakbhan Meghani	N H L Municipal Medical College Gujarat University	USMLE/PA
43	Steven Paul Menard	University of New England College of Osteo Med	COMLEX/NV
44	Niket Nathani	University of Illinois College of Medicine at Peoria	USMLE
45	Song Ching Ong	National University of Singapore	USMLE/HI
46	Kristine Aura Parungao Ortega	University of Santo Tomas	USMLE
47	Melissa Brooke Robert	College of Medicine University of Arkansas	USMLE/AR
48	Christopher Paul Roth	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
49	Carolina Salvador	University of Texas Medical School at San Antonio	FLEX/TX
50	Kyle William Schuller	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
51	Emily Anne Sumner	Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine	USMLE
52	Kristen Marie Trulear	Howard University College of Medicine	USMLE
53	Shani Hadiya Woolard	University of Maryland School of Medicine	USMLE

The Credentials Committee recommended that endorsement applicants one through fifty-three be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

LIMITED LICENSE

Limited License Renewal Applicants

Melissa C. Gray, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that the limited license certificate of qualification renewal application be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

Limited License Renewal Applicants The Credentials Committee recommended that the limited license certificate of qualification renewal applicants be approved. The motion

was adopted without objection. The list of limited license certificate of qualification 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	Kelly Lynn McGrath	Towson University	1094761
2	Nicole Janette Sardy	A.T. Still University	1100052
3	Larinda Michelle Ogawa	University of Nebraska	1102215
4	Warren Joseph Stoffey	Stephens College	1005969

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of P.A. license applicants one through four. The motion was adopted without objection.

P.A. Registration

Delsey Austin, PA / Bruce Romeo, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Traci Renee Billingsley, PA / Gary A. Calhoun, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Suzanne Machel Brown, PA / Sheila Dillard, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application 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.



Erin Canady, PA / Gregory S. Mims, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application 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.

Elizabeth B. Eisenbeis, PA / Anthony Raymond Maggio, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application 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.

Tresarae Pate Lane, PA / Alan Frederick Kitchens, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Steven Laubenheimer, PA / Scott Timothy Kelley, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Kristin M. Lewis, PA / LaTonya Wilder, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application 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.

Julie Ngoc Nguyen, PA / Herbert Alonzo Stone, Jr., M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Garrett Smith, PA / Geoffrey Singer, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended

approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Joseph Edmond Watters, II, PA / Scott Timothy Kelley, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Stanley Dowlin White, PA / Regina Gilliland, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Stanley Dowlin White, PA / Corey D. Jacobs, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Larinda Michelle Ogawa, PA / Scott Beals, D.O. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Bryanna Korin Wansick, PA / Robert Eugene Vickers, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Suzanne Machele Brown, PA / Yolanda Alamilla Jones, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application including, with standard language previously approved by the Board, number two and number twenty-four on the P.A. formulary, antineoplastic agents and oxytocics. The Committee recommended that number eleven on the P.A. formulary, radioactive agents, be denied. The motion was adopted without objection.

Valencia Wilson Lockhart, PA / Fazole Matin, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application including, with standard language previously approved by the Board, number two and number twenty-three on the P.A. formulary, antineoplastic agents and birth control drugs and devices. The motion was adopted without objection.

Kendall Roper, PA / Heinz Dueffer, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application including, with standard language previously approved by the Board, number twenty-four on the P.A. formulary, oxytocics. The Committee recommended that number nine and number eleven on the P.A. formulary, heavy metal antagonists and radioactive agents, be denied. The motion was adopted without objection.

Tiffany Lazier, PA / Purushottam Garg, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application including, with standard language previously approved by the Board, the request to train the P.A. to perform joint injections. The Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of number twenty-three on the P.A. formulary, birth control drugs and devices. The motion was adopted without objection.

P.A. Miscellaneous Requests / Reports

Susan Angerholzer, PA / Ronald B. O'Gorman, M.D. - Request for permission to train to perform sclerotherapy The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the P.A. to



perform sclerotherapy. The motion was adopted without objection.

Baylissa Bridges, PA / Thomas L. Yearwood, M.D. - Request for permission to train to perform joint injections The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the P.A. to perform joint injections. The motion was adopted without objection.

Larry Miller, PA / Ronald T. Y. Moon, Jr., D.O. - Request for permission to train to perform trigger point injections The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the P.A. to perform trigger point injections. The motion was adopted without objection.

Anna Evans, PA / Michael E. Damrich, M.D. - Request for permission to train to perform sclerotherapy The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the P.A. to perform sclerotherapy. The motion was adopted without objection.

Claire Hinton, PA / Ronald B. O'Gorman, M.D. - Request for permission to train to perform sclerotherapy The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the P.A. to perform sclerotherapy. The motion was adopted without objection.

Christine Paragone, PA / William R. Higgs, M.D. - Request for permission to train to perform sclerotherapy The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the P.A. to perform sclerotherapy. The motion was adopted without objection.

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APN Miscellaneous Requests/Reports

Mitchell W. Alverson, M.D. / Marcelee R. Gilder, CRNP - Request for approval for Women's Health Standard Protocol The Credentials Committee recommended that the Women's Health Standard Protocol be approved for the collaborative practice. The motion was adopted without objection.

Ariel Anguiano, Jr., M.D. / Jill R. Hobbs, CRNP - Request for 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.

Shimshon Porat, M.D. / Chase Thomas, CRNP - Request to train CRNP to perform cryotherapy The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform cryotherapy. The motion was adopted without objection.

Ehtsham Haq, M.D. / Daniel Dahl, M.D. / Leasha Laster, CRNP - Request for CRNP to perform psychiatric telemedicine The Credentials Committee recommended that the telemedicine protocol be approved with the condition that the distant location examination be conducted via video conference. The motion was adopted without objection.

Richard E. Jones, M.D. / Leigh S. Rose, CRNP - Request for CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents and gold compounds The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents and gold compounds. The motion was adopted without objection.



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Elaine Barefield St. John, M.D. / Donna D. Ledlow, CRNP - Request approval for Standard Neonatal Protocol The Credentials Committee recommended that the Standard Neonatal Protocol be approved for the collaborative practice. The motion was adopted without objection.

Melissa C. Smallfield, M.D. / Caroline E. Pierce, 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.

Keith M. Willie, M.D. / Sally E. Smith, 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.

Thomas L. Yearwood, M.D. / Shireen Tate, CRNP - Request approval to train the CRNP to perform trigger point injections and joint injections The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform trigger point injections and joint injections. The motion was adopted without objection.

Advanced Privilege Credentialing for Mid-Level Practitioners The Credentials Committee recommended that the document, Advanced Privilege Credentialing for Mid-Level Practitioners, be amended by deleting the wording "internal jugular" and "CVL" from the list of Advanced Level Procedures. The Committee recommended that the Board's previously approved language regarding central line placement be considered the standard

by which requests to perform central line placement be determined. The motion was adopted without objection. A copy of the revised document, Advanced Privilege Credentialing for Mid-Level Practitioners, shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "B."

Javier Repetto, M.D. / Meredith L. Bailey, CRNP - Request approval for Standard Neonatal Protocol The Credentials Committee recommended that the Standard Neonatal Protocol be approved for the collaborative practice. The motion was adopted without objection.

James D. Snipes, M.D. / Janet L. Holley, CRNP - Request approval for CRNP to perform digital nerve block The Credentials Committee recommended that the request to train the CRNP to perform digital nerve block be approved pursuant to the submitted protocol. 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 fifty-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 "C."

Joint Committee on Advanced Practice Nursing

Joint Committee on Advanced Practice Nursing, November 8, 2011, 6:00 p.m. The Credentials Committee recommended deferring to the full Board for a report to be

presented by Dr. Nagrodzki. The Board recommended that the report presented by Dr. Nagrodzki be received as information. The motion was adopted without objection. A copy of the report shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "D."

A motion was made that the recommendations of the Joint Committee, as stated in the Minutes of the Joint Committee, be approved. The motion was adopted without objection. A copy of the Minutes of the Joint Committee Meeting shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "E."

CURRENT BUSINESS

Article, Alabama Free Clinic Serves the Uninsured in Baldwin County The Credentials Committee recommended that the article be received as information. The motion was adopted without objection.

Stringfellow Memorial Hospital - Request for Board Opinion, Delegation of Duties The Credentials Committee recommended that consideration of this item be deferred for discussion at the Board's December meeting. The motion was adopted without objection.

MLC Administrative Rule 545-X-2, Appendix B, Medical License Renewal Application The Credentials Committee recommended that consideration of this item be deferred to research other states' licensure renewal questions. The motion was adopted without objection.



HEARINGS

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

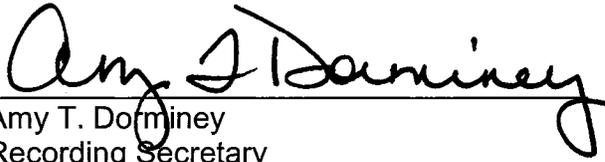
Donald Lew Bedney, M.D., Loma Linda, GA After consideration of a request from Dr. Bedney to postpone the Show Cause Hearing, a motion was made to enter an Order granting a continuance of the hearing. The motion was adopted without objection. A copy of the Order shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "F."

Ricky Joe Nelson, M.D., Oklahoma City, OK A hearing panel of the Board convened to consider the Board's previous Order of February 22, 2010, wherein the Board deferred consideration of Dr. Nelson's application for reinstatement of his certificate of qualification pending his successful completion of the Special Purpose Examination. Pursuant to Dr. Nelson's failure, after twenty months, to provide notice to the Board of his successful completion of the Special Purpose Examination, a motion was made to enter an Order allowing Dr. Nelson until March 1, 2012, to successfully complete the examination, at which time, if Dr. Nelson does not submit documentation of successful completion of the examination, the Board will enter an Order denying Dr. Nelson's application for reinstatement of his certificate of qualification. The motion was adopted without objection. A copy of the Order shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "G."



Meeting Adjourned: 10:50 a.m.

The Alabama Board of Medical Examiners will convene its next public meeting December 14, 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