

PUBLIC MINUTES
Regular Meeting
ALABAMA BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
848 Washington Avenue, Montgomery, AL
November 18, 2015

Members Present

Boyde J. Harrison, M.D., Chairman
H. Joseph Falgout, M.D., Vice-Chairman
Eli L. Brown, M.D.
Michael T. Flanagan, M.D.
Ronald D. Franks, M.D.
William E. Goetter, M.D.
David P. Herrick, M.D.
Mark H. LeQuire, M.D.
Gary F. Leung, M.D.
John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D.
Dick Owens, M.D.
Bradley S. Rice, M.D.
George C. Smith, Jr., M.D.
Timothy A. Stewart, M.D.
F. Darlene Traffanstedt, M.D.

Members Not Present

Recording Secretary

Amy T. Dorminey

Others Present

Billy Addison
Jackie Baskin
Deana Bozeman
Buddy Chavez
Larry Dixon
Randy Dixon
Norris Green
Jeff Grimsley
Jane Hartley
Stan Ingram
Carla Kruger
Carl Martin
David McGilvray
William Perkins
Edwin Rogers
Trish Shaner
Bob Steelman
Pat Ward
Amy Wybenga

Hendon Coody
Glenda Nagrodzki
Paul M. Nagrodzki, M.D.

Call to Order: 11:37 a.m.

Prior notice having been given in accordance with the Alabama Open Meetings Act, and with a quorum of fifteen members present, Board Chairman, Boyde J. Harrison, M.D., convened the public portion of the meeting of the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners.

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PUBLIC MINUTES OF OCTOBER 21, 2015 The Credentials Committee recommended that the Public Minutes of October 21, 2015, be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

ENDORSEMENT

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Medical School</u>	<u>Endorsement</u>
1	Meraj Mohiuddin Asif	Saint Georges University	USMLE/MS
2	Helen Irene Barkan	Dartmouth Medical School	USMLE/NH
3	Tamika Marquitta Burrus	University of Iowa College of Medicine	USMLE/CA
4	Carrie Anne Coxwell	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
5	Manjula Garapati	Rangarya Medical College Andhra University	USMLE/PA
6	Stacie Lynn Ginsberg	Nova Southeastern University COM	NBOME/FL
7	Laurie Robin Grier	LA State Univ Medical Center In Shreveport	FLEX/LA
8	Marco Hallerbach	Medical Faculty Ruprecht Karls U of Heidelberg	USMLE/FL
9	Shanu Kohli Kurd	Jefferson Medical Col of Thomas Jefferson U	USMLE/IL
10	Liurka Vonn-Dalid Lopez	University of Puerto Rico School of Medicine	USMLE
11	Joseph Paul McCue	Midwestern University Downers Grove	COMLEX/GA
12	Konstantin Millerman	Second Tashkent State Medical Institute	USMLE/NY
13	Despina Moise	Univ De Medicina Si Farmacie Carol Davila	USMLE/IN
14	James Rex Norman	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE/IN
15	James Evander Bean Raulston	University of Oklahoma Health Science Center	USMLE
16	Peilin Chin Reed	Boston University School of Medicine	USMLE/OH
17	Roger Dale Robertson II	West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/WV
18	Laurie Powers Sansbury Jr.	Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine	NBOME.FL
19	Steven Alan Schonfeld	University of Rochester School of Medicine	NBME/OH
20	Dan Gabriel Sotingeanu	Univ De Medicina Si Farmacie Carol Davila	USMLE/MI
21	Steven Mark Spitz	Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine	USMLE/VA
22	James Patrick Taylor	LA State Univ Medical Center In Shreveport	USMLE/LA
23	Bradley Weldon Wills	Georgia Regents University	USMLE
24	Grace Guang-He Zhu	Wayne State University School of Medicine	USMLE
25	Mahmood Mohamed Alasmi	Ain Shams University Faculty of Medicine	FLEX/PA
26	Laura Ansley Allen	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
27	Oscar Guillermo Bernal	Pontificia Universidad Javeriana	USMLE/IN
28	Amy Nicole Boone	USACOM	UMSLE

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—9	Sheniqua Bouges	Medical University of South Carolina COM	USMLE
—0	Vijaya Boyella	Kurnool Med College NTR U of Health Science	USMLE/AZ
31	Allison Kimball Brown	University of Wisconsin Medical School	USMLE
32	Francisco Javier Cordero-Gallardo	Universidad Central Del Caribe SOM	USMLE
33	Megan E. Cotti-Rausch	University of Virginia School of Medicine	USMLE
34	Denise Ann Crawley	Memorial Univ of Newfoundland Fac of Med	LMCC/GA
35	Gary Ross Farris	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
36	Christoph Hans George Fuchs	Baylor College of Medicine	USMLE
37	Laura Shari Heidelberg	University of South Carolina School of Medicine	USMLE
38	Nathaniel Alfredo Kouns	Medical Fac Of Hygiene Charles Univ Prague	USMLE
39	Brett Thomas LaBrecque	Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine	USMLE
40	Melissa Erin McEnery-Stonelake	University of Massachusetts Medical School	USMLE
41	Sarah B. Miller	State Uof NY at Stony Brook Hlth Sci Ctr SOM	USMLE/NY
42	Davit Mrelashvili	David Tvildiani Medical Univ AIETI Medical Sch	USMLE/GA
43	Emily Widner Nance	Georgia Regents University	USMLE
44	Mohammed Naseemuddin	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
45	Vivian Olsen	TX A&M University Health Science Center COM	USMLE/TX
46	Falguni Satish Patel	New York College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMPLEX/DE
47	Brett Jordan Prylinski	Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMPLEX
48	Shelley Ann Quarless	Des Moines University of Osteo Medical Center	USMLE/MA
49	Mary Kate Reischmann	University of Florida College of Medicine	USMLE
50	Matthew Ward Romine	Georgia Regents University	USMLE
—1	Kenneth Andrew Schepcke	State Uof NY at Stony Brook Hlth Sci Ctr SOM	NBME/DE
—2	Charles William Schlappi	University of Tennessee Memphis COM	USMLE
53	Evan Drew Sheppard	U of Med & Dentistry NJ R. W. Johnson Med	USMLE
54	Keith Michael Spellman	Drexel University College of Medicine	USMLE/CA
55	Elizabeth Staley	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE
56	Michael Slade Stratton	University of Oklahoma COM Tulsa	USMLE/VA
57	Trevor Malcolm Stubbs	LA State University SOM New Orleans	USMLE
58	Lars Thestrup	Virginia Commonwealth University SOM	USMLE/VA
59	Nicole Brigette Thomas	U of Med & Dentistry of NJ-NJ Medical School	FLEX/NJ
60	Jackson Scott Thomas	College of Medicine University of Arkansas	USMLE/MS
61	Jeremiah H. Tyson	Ross University	USMLE/CT
62	Walter Edwin Watts IV	University of Oklahoma Health Science Center	USMLE/OK

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

RETIRE SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM LICENSE (RSVP) RENEWAL APPLICANTS

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Facility</u>	<u>Location</u>
1	Hugh Joseph Hughes	M-Power	Birmingham
2	James W. Mathews	Mercy Medical Clinic	Auburn
3	Mark W. Weinrib	Medical Outreach Ministries	Montgomery

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

LIMITED LICENSE

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Medical School</u>	<u>Endorsement</u>
1	James Joseph Cimino	New York Medical College	LL/AL
2	Harish Kempegowda	Mysore Medical College Mysore University	LL/AL

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

LIMITED LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICANTS

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Position</u>
1	Lena Jeanelle Gamble	Cahaba Family Medicine	Resident

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the limited license renewal applicant. The motion was adopted without objection.

The Committee recommended that the supplemental list of limited license renewal applicants be approved. 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."

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PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS / ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSES

P.A. License

	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>NCCPA</u>
1	John Bastin	USAM	1029872
2	Carlyn Leahey	Midwestern University	1094057
3	Jeremy Perkins	USAM	1110128
4	Hamna Riaz	Oregon Health and Science	1129444
5	Stevie Stewart	UAB	1116617
6	Lucas VanEmelen	University of North Dakota	1127724

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

P.A. Registration

P.A. / Physician		Registration / Formulary Requests	Recommendation
1.	Stacey Brown, PA Sherman Armstrong, M.D.	Registration	Approve
2.	Jennifer Boyd, PA Kristine Ortega, M.D.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
3.	Brad Cantley, PA Joseph Tubbs, M.D.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
4.	Hannah Clark, PA John Nichols, M.D.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
5.	Ashley Greer, PA Steven Kahn, M.D.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
6.	Philip Hake, PA Jeremy Rogers, M.D.	Registration	Approve
7.	Allison Hofamann, PA Tracy Harrington, M.D.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
8.	Kristi Bane, PA Regina Phillips, M.D.	Registration	Approve
9.	Cheri Johnson, PA William Bohannon, D.O.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
10.	Misti Lipscomb, PA Josiah Daily, M.D.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language

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P.A. / Physician		Registration / Formulary Requests	Recommendation
11.	Kristopher Maday, PA Timothy Talbot, M.D.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
12.	Amy McCormick, PA John Croushorn, M.D.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
13.	Shauna O'Dell, PA Timothy Toms, D.O.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
14.	Robin Risling-de Jong, PA Henry Koch, M.D.	Registration Remote site Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
15.	Sherri Ross, PA Gayatri Venkatraman, M.D.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
16.	Shawn Shahid, PA Lee Wimberly, M.D.	Registration	Approve
17.	Lindsay Shillinglaw, PA Joseph Sherrill, M.D.	Registration	Approve
18.	Nicholas Vester, PA Janet Linton, M.D.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
19.	Benny Wilkerson, PA Heath Parker, D.O.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices	Approve with standard language
20.	Jeremy Perkins, PA Matthew Barber, M.D.	Registration	Approve
21.	Jennifer Echols, PA Patrick Lett, M.D.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices Joint Injections Arthrocentesis	Approve with standard language
22.	Cindy Sampson, PA Barton Guthrie, M.D.	Registration Birth control drugs and devices Stereotactic head frames: placement and removal	Approve with standard language

A motion was made to adopt the recommendations of the Credentials Committee for items one through twenty-two. The motion was adopted without objection.

P.A. Miscellaneous Requests / Reports

P.A. / Physician	Skill; Formulary; Misc Requests	Recommendation
1. Julie Boyd, PA Barton Guthrie, M.D.	Stereotactic head frames: Placement and removal	Approve with standard language
2. Ashley Camp, PA Richard Clay, M.D.	Radial artery harvest	Approve with standard language
3. Jaime Dunn, PA Corey Hartman, M.D.	Documentation of training: Shave/excision/punch biopsies Cryosurgery/Cryotherapy of the face	Approve
4. Rebecca McElroy, PA Amy Morris, M.D.	Biopsies of the ear without prior physician evaluation	Approve
5. Noel Zvonar, PA Dena Howell, M.D.	Biopsies of the ear without prior physician evaluation	Approve

A motion was made to adopt the recommendations of the Credentials Committee for items one through five. The motion was adopted without objection.

PA Limited Purpose Special Permit

Physician / PA / Specialty	LPSP Formulary	Recommendation
1. William Scott McNair, M.D. Scott Morrison, PA Internal Medicine/Pediatrics	Hydrocodone Combinations meds SA Hydrocodone Cough Preps MSIR	Approve all
2. Shannon Waters, M.D. Sarah Sparks, PA Emergency Medicine	Hydrocodone Combinations meds SA Hydrocodone Cough Preps MSIR	Approve all

A motion was made to adopt the recommendation of the Credentials Committee for items one and two. The motion was adopted without objection.

APN Miscellaneous Requests / Reports

Physician / APN		Skill; Restricted Drug; Misc Requests	Recommendation
1.	Scott C. Bellot M.D. Abigail M. Barrow CRNP	Mid-Level Critical Care Specialty Protocol	Approve with standard language
2.	Ashleigh Butts-Wilkerson M.D. Amy Dawn Adams CRNP	Subdermal Contraceptive Implant-Insertion and Removal	Approve with standard language
3.	Robert Smith Cleveland M.D. Amy C. Franklin CRNP	Subdermal Contraceptive Implant-Insertion and Removal	Approve with standard language
4.	Judy D. Corbett M.D. Tracy Brown CRNP	Subdermal Contraceptive Implant-Insertion and Removal	Approve with standard language
5.	Jack Anthony Dipalma M.D. Tanya E. Rowell CRNP	Anti-Rheumatic Drugs: Non-Biologic DMARDS Biologic DMARDS Non-TNF Inhibitors	Approve with standard language
6.	Stephen Ensminger M.D. Ashlee Maddox Carlo CRNP	Mid-Level Critical Care Specialty Protocol	Approve with standard language
7.	David S. Gams M.D. Marsha B. Patterson CRNP	Subdermal Contraceptive Implant-Insertion and Removal	Approve with standard language
8.	Virginia Houserman M.D. Tracey L. Mendelsohn CRNP	Saline Infusion- Hysterosonography	Approve with submitted practice protocol
9.	James Marland Hunter M.D. Indra Anita Oldham CRNP	Documentation of training Mid-Level Critical Skills	Approve documentation of training for arterial line, radial and CVL, IJ Documentation of training for arterial line, femoral and CVL, femoral is not approved due to insufficient performance of live procedures
10.	John Philp Lazenby M.D. Nathan James Bush CRNP	Mid-Level Critical Care Skills	Approve with standard language

Physician / APN		Skill; Restricted Drug; Misc Requests	Recommendation
11.	Mansoor Saleh M.D. Courtney Estes CRNP	Antineoplastic Agents	Approve with standard language
12.	Margaret Winkler M.D. Kristen Waddell CRNP	Documentation of Training Mid-Level Critical Care Skills (Pediatrics)	Approve documentation of training for arterial line, radial and CVL, femoral. Documentation of training for arterial line, femoral and CVL, IJ is not approved due to insufficient performance of live procedures
13.	Rosa J. Bell, M.D. Teresa M. Watkins, CRNP	Anti-Rheumatic Drugs: Non-Biologic DMARDS	Approve with standard language
14.	Roddy Dean Cook, M.D. Kelli Anderson, CRNP	Collaborative Practice Registration Agreement	Approve retroactive application of fee to 2015 registration renewal
15.	William Stewart M.D. Jessica Voss CRNP	Reduction of Fractures	Defer for clarification of "simple fracture", pediatric or adult patients, and anatomic location to be performed
16.	Standard Language	CRNP and PA Standard Language Review	Approve Dr. Falgout to work with the mid-level departments to edit the language and bring back to the Board

A motion was made to adopt the recommendations of the Credentials Committee for items one through sixteen. The motion was adopted without objection.

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Joseph Garland Surber, D.O. The Credentials Committee recommended awaiting further contact from Dr. Surber prior to his being rescheduled to meet with the Committee. The motion was adopted without objection.

Collaborative Practice

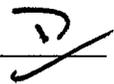
Collaborative Practice Registration The Credentials Committee recommended approval of applicants one through one hundred fifteen. The motion was adopted without objection. The list of applicants shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "B."

Collaborative Practice Registration Modifications The Credentials Committee recommended approval of applicants one through thirty-six. The motion was adopted without objection. The list of applicants shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "C."

Collaborative Practice Covering Physician Applicants The Credentials Committee recommended approval of applicants one through sixty-one. The motion was adopted without objection. The list of applicants shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "D."

APN QACSC Registration

APN QACSC Registration Applicants The Credentials Committee recommended approval of applicants one through nine. The motion was adopted without objection. The



list of applicants shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "E."

APN Limited Purpose Special Permit

Physician / APN / Specialty	LPSP Formulary	Recommendation
1. George Evans, M.D. Russell Bien, CRNP FM / Acute Care	ADHD medications Hydrocodone Cough Preps Hydrocodone meds SA MSIR Oxycodone IR Fentanyl LA Hydrocodone LA Hydromorphone Morphine LA Oxycodone LA Oxymorphone Tapentadol ER	Approve all Approve with standard language for hospice, palliative, nursing home, oncology patients only: Fentanyl LA Hydrocodone LA Hydromorphone Morphine LA Oxycodone LA Oxymorphone Tapentadol ER
2. Hoyt Childs, III, M.D. Kimberly Ellis, CRNP Radiation Oncology	Hydrocodone Cough Preps Hydrocodone meds SA Oxycodone IR Fentanyl LA Hydrocodone LA	Approve all Approve with standard language for hospice, palliative, nursing home, oncology patients only: Fentanyl LA Hydrocodone LA
3. Philip Maddox, M.D. Deborah Light, CRNP Orthopedic Surgery / Adult	Hydrocodone meds SA MSIR Oxycodone IR	Approve all
4. Laura Montgomery Barefield, M.D. Valisia Davis, CRNP Psychiatry / Pediatric	ADHD medications	Approve all
5. Angelia Woodward, M.D. Lisa Crowe, CRNP Emergency Medicine / FNP	ADHD medications Hydrocodone Cough Preps Hydrocodone meds SA Oxycodone IR	Approve: Hydrocodone Cough Preps Hydrocodone meds SA Oxycodone IR Defer request for ADHD meds to obtain clarification

Physician / APN / Specialty	LPSP Formulary	Recommendation
6. Jere Disney, Jr., M.D. Shannon Morrison, CRNP Emergency Medicine / FNP	Hydrocodone Cough Preps Hydrocodone meds SA MSIR Oxycodone IR Hydromorphone - Inpatient	Approve: Hydrocodone Cough Preps Hydrocodone meds SA MSIR Oxycodone IR Deny: Hydromorphone - Inpatient
7. Timothy Whalen, M.D. Nikita Duke, CRNP Psychiatry / Mental Health	ADHD medications Hydrocodone meds SA Hydrocodone Cough Preps MSIR Oxycodone IR	Approve all

CURRENT BUSINESS

Administrative Procedures Act The Credentials Committee recommended that this item be received as information. The motion was adopted without objection.

Administrative Rule 540-X-3-.09 Fees Payable for Applicants for COQs for Licensure to Practice Medicine in Alabama The Credentials Committee recommended that the amendment to Administrative Rule 540-X-3-.09 be approved and be published for public comment in the *Alabama Administrative Monthly*. The motion was adopted without objection.

Administrative Rule 540-X-10-.08 - Request for clarification After consideration of correspondence from Evans C. Bailey, M.D., the Credentials Committee recommended that Dr. Bailey be notified that the equipment and the appropriate medications should be on-site at all times. The motion was adopted without objection.

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Administrative Rules Chapter 540-X-15 - Telehealth The Credentials Committee recommended that Administrative Rules Chapter 540-X-15 be approved for final repeal. The motion was adopted without objection.

PERSONNEL

Associate Counsel In consideration of the current search for a staff attorney, the Credentials Committee recommended that Executive Director Larry Dixon, Associate Executive Director Norris Green, and General Counsel Patricia Shaner be approved to choose a candidate, from a selection of applicants interviewed by Mr. Dixon, Mr. Green and Ms. Shaner, to be presented to the Board for final approval. The motion was adopted without objection.

Executive Director In consideration of the expected retirement of Executive Director Larry D. Dixon, December 2016, the Credentials Committee recommended that a Search Committee, consisting of the current members of the Credentials Committee, H. Joseph Falgout, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., William E. Goetter, M.D., Boyde J. Harrison, M.D., Mark H. LeQuire, M.D., and F. Darlene Traffanstedt, M.D., be convened January 2016, to begin a nationwide search for the Board's next Executive Director. The Committee recommended that the Chairman of the Credentials Committee, H. Joseph Falgout, M.D., or his designee, serve as Chairperson of the Search Committee. The Committee recommended that the chosen applicant be employed six months ahead of Mr. Dixon's retirement. The motion was adopted without objection.

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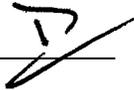
HEARINGS

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

Rodolfo Veluz, M.D., Irondale After consideration by a hearing panel of the Board of testimony and exhibits presented in this matter, a motion was made to enter an Order denying Dr. Veluz's petition to lift the revocation of his Alabama Controlled Substances Certificate. 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".

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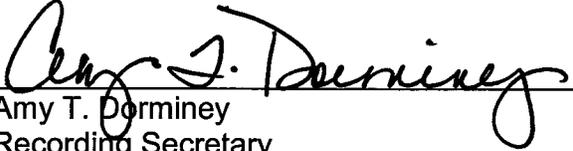
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Meeting Adjourned: 11:48 a.m.

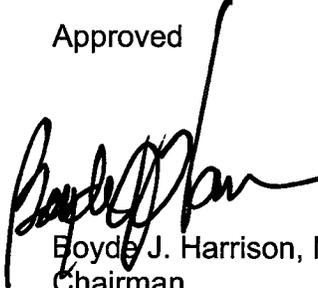
The Alabama Board of Medical Examiners will convene its next regularly scheduled public meeting December 16, 2015, 848 Washington Avenue, Montgomery, Alabama.


Amy T. Dorminey
Recording Secretary

Approved


Larry D. Dixon
Executive Director

Approved


Boyde J. Harrison, M.D.
Chairman

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