

ALABAMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

MINUTE ENTRY EXTRACT

JULY 21, 2010

Limited License / Telemedicine The Credentials Committee recommended that

the following opinion be adopted:

A teaching physician at the University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Medicine or the University of South Alabama College of Medicine who holds a certificate of qualification and license pursuant to § 34-24-75(a) of the *Code of Alabama* (2007) (a limited license) must limit his/her medical practice to the confines of the medical center of which the medical school/college is a part, and as an adjunct to his/her teaching functions in that school/college. It is the opinion of the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners that a teaching physician at the University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Medicine or the University of South Alabama College of Medicine who holds a limited license may include in his/her medical practice the provision of telemedicine services which are external to the school/college and rendered from the school/college; provided that the telemedicine services are rendered as an adjunct to the physician's teaching functions in that school/college.

A physician enrolled in a residency training program at the University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Medicine or the University of South Alabama College of Medicine who holds a certificate of qualification and license pursuant to § 34-24-75(c) of the *Code of Alabama* (2007) (a limited license) must limit his/her medical practice to the confines of the institution in which he/she is placed pursuant to his/her training program. It is the opinion of the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners that a physician enrolled in a residency training program at the University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Medicine or the University of South Alabama College of Medicine who holds a limited license may include in his/her medical practice the provision of telemedicine services which are external to the school/college and rendered from the school/college; provided that the telemedicine services are rendered pursuant to his/her training program.

The motion was adopted without objection.