PUBLIC MINUTES
Regular Meeting
ALABAMA BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
November 13, 2013
848 Washington Avenue
Montgomery, AL

Members Present
George C. Smith, Jr., M.D., Chairman
David P. Herrick, M.D., Vice-Chairman
James G. Davis, M.D.
Michael T. Flanagan, M.D.
Ronald D. Franks, M.D.
J. Daniel Gifford, M.D.
William E. Goetter, M.D.
T. Michael Harrington, M.D.
Boyle J. Harrison, M.D.
Gary F. Leung, M.D.
John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D.
Paul M. Nagrodzki, M.D.
Timothy A. Stewart, M.D.

Recording Secretary
Amy T. Dorminey

Others Present
Billy Addison
Jackie Baskin
Deana Bozeman
Larry Dixon
Randy Dixon
Jeff Grimsley
Jane Hartley
Stan Ingram
Carla Kruger
David McGilvray
Jim Nichols
William Perkins
Edwin Rogers
Trish Shaner
Anne Shiver
Pat Ward

Members Not Present
Howard Joseph Falgout, M.D.
F. Darlene Traffanstedt, M.D.

Call to Order: 10:19 a.m.

Prior notice having been given in accordance with the Alabama Open Meetings Act, and with a quorum of thirteen 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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PUBLISHED MINUTES OF OCTOBER 16, 2013 The Credentials Committee recommended that the Public Minutes of October 16, 2013, be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

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| 33  | Rebecca Ann Flores  | Kansas City Univ of Medicine & Biosciences | COMLEX/NE |
| 34  | Andrea Lynn Gabel   | University of Miami School of Medicine | USMLE/PA |
| 35  | Brian Scott Gannon  | University of Tennessee Memphis COM | USMLE/CO |
| 36  | Kathleen Hummel Grisanti | University of Kentucky College of Medicine | USMLE/AL |
| 37  | Eric Hyman Grover   | Saint Georges University | USMLE |
| 38  | Morgan Cheatham Haile | Tulane University School of Medicine | USMLE/LA |
| 39  | Cara Hope Heath     | UASOM Birmingham | USMLE |
| 40  | Mila Jacoba Heersink | UASOM Birmingham | USMLE/PA |
| 41  | Luke Anthony Hiatt  | University of Texas - Houston Medical School | USMLE |
| 42  | Carisa Lynette Hines | Meharry Medical College School of Medicine | USMLE/GA |
| 43  | Matthew Stephen Hull | USACOM | USMLE |
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| 56  | Rajvee Manoj Shah    | University of Missouri Kansas City SOM | USMLE/MA |
| 57  | Kelly Nicole Shoemaker | University of Mississippi School of Medicine | USMLE/AL |
| 58  | Smitha Sonni         | Georgetown University School of Medicine | USMLE/CO |
| 59  | Katherine Elizabeth Turk | Mercer University School of Medicine | USMLE |
| 60  | Jesus Gustavo Vazquez-Figueroa | Universidad Autonoma De Guadalajara | USMLE |
| 61  | Erin Nicole Wait     | Univ of Texas Medical School at San Antonio | USMLE |
| 62  | Emily Gay Womack    | Louisiana State Univ Med Center In Shreveport | USMLE |
| 63  | Jie Xu              | Wuhan Sch Med For Metallurgical Industry | USMLE |
| 64  | Jeff Zijie Zhang    | First Military Medical University | USMLE/GA |

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of endorsement applicants one through sixty-four. The motion was adopted without objection.
RETIRED SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM LICENSE (RSVP)

RSVP Renewal Applicants

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

LIMITED LICENSE

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The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the limited license applicant. Ronald D. Franks, M.D., recused himself from discussion, deliberation and determination. The motion was adopted without objection.

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 / ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSES

P.A. License

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

P.A. Registration

Richard Bautista, PA / Michael A. Mahoney, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Cami Bertus, PA / Laura Dyer, 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.

Cami Bertus, PA / Andrew Hodges, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Cami Bertus, PA / Robert Williams, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

Julie Edmond, PA / Thomas Leytham, 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.

**Jeffrey Norris, PA / Kurtis Eaton Weldon, 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.

**Gita Ogletree, PA / Donald M. Williams, M.D.** The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

**Lucille Passer, PA / Steven Werdehoff, M.D.** The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

**Jenisa Ryals, PA / Jonah McIntyre, 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.

**Daniel Spraggins, PA / Sudheer Kantharajpur, 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.

**Steven Thompson, PA / Genevieve Ivy McLeod, 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.

Mindy Smith Wilson, PA / Wayne Jones, 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.

Cheryl Davis, PA / Howard J. Rubenstein, 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.

Jeremy Patrick, PA / Ernest Campbell, 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.

Robin Risling - de Jong, PA / Howard J. Rubenstein, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application, including, with standard language previously approved by the Board, numbers two and twenty-three on the P.A. formulary, antineoplastic agents and birth control drugs and devices. The motion was adopted without objection.

Rashida Dossman, PA / Kathleen Dupper, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application with remote site privileges. The Committee recommended that the request to train the P.A. to perform subcutaneous
hormone pellet placement be deferred and that Ms. Dossman and Dr. Dupper be invited to meet with the Committee to discuss the skills request. The motion was adopted without objection.

Karen Harness, PA / Douglas Lipperd, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application with remote site privileges, 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.

Beatrice Johnson McIver, PA / Douglas Lipperd, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application with remote site privileges, 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.

William Moore, PA / Thanh Ha Duong-Wagner, 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 the following duties: 12 lead electrocardiogram; GXT; nuclear GXT; pharmacological nuclear GXT; rest and exercise nuclear ventriculogram; permanent pacemaker reprogramming; permanent pacemaker autothresholds; and chest x-ray, appropriate lab. 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.
Kelli R. Riddle, PA / Robert Wayne Calcote, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application including remote site privileges in Auburn, Alabama. The Committee recommended that the request for a remote practice site in Troy, Alabama be denied. The Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the P.A. to perform cryosurgery / cryotherapy, shave / excision / punch biopsies and procedures using a cutera laser. The Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of numbers two, twenty-three and twenty-eight on the P.A. formulary: antineoplastic agents; birth control drugs and devices; Enbrel, Stelara, and Humira subsequent to physician initiation of treatment; and TB ointment. The motion was adopted without objection.

Elizabeth Ann Simpson, PA / Ryan Burke Ramagosa, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application including number twenty-eight on the P.A. formulary, topical preparations. The Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the P.A. to perform cryotherapy / cryosurgery; removal of skin tags; shave / excision / punch biopsies of skin lesions and rashes; intralesional injections of kenalog; and intramuscular injections of triamcinolone. The Committee recommended that the request to allow the P.A. to perform layered closure be denied and that Ms. Simpson and Dr. Ramagosa be advised of the Board's standard language regarding single layer closure. The motion was adopted without objection.
A.A. Registration

Emily Peters, AA / Timothy Killen Adams, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the A.A. registration application. The motion was adopted without objection.

P.A. Miscellaneous Requests / Reports

Laura Townsend, PA / Michael Granberry, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the documentation of the P.A. having been trained to perform joint injections. The motion was adopted without objection.

APN Miscellaneous Requests / Reports

Ronald M. Roan, M.D. / Amanda Wester, CRNP The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform central venous line access, internal jugular with ultrasound guidance; central venous access, femoral; arterial line placement, radial; arterial line placement, femoral; and needle decompression of tension pneumothorax. The motion was adopted without objection.

Kenneth G. Smithson, M.D. / Jennifer Grap, CRNP The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform central venous line access, internal jugular with ultrasound guidance; central venous access, femoral; arterial line placement, radial; arterial line placement, femoral; and needle decompression of tension pneumothorax. The motion was adopted without objection.

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Kenneth G. Smithson, M.D. / Summer Lusk, CRNP The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform central venous line access, internal jugular with ultrasound guidance; central venous access, femoral; arterial line placement, radial; arterial line placement, femoral; and needle decompression of tension pneumothorax. The motion was adopted without objection.

Timothy D. Bassett, M.D. / David C. Bailey, CRNP The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform arthrocentesis and joint injections of the shoulder, elbow, knee, ankle and greater trochanteric bursa. The motion was adopted without objection.

Lawrence Carpenter, M.D. / Jennifer Byrd, CRNP The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform laser procedures with G-Max and V-Beam lasers; electrodessication and curettage of superficial lesions; photodynamic therapy; intralesional steroid injection of benign lesions; superficial and medium depth chemical peels; and subcutaneous hormone pellet placement. The motion was adopted without objection.

Fred Hunker, M.D. / Jamie Cannon, CRNP The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the documentation of the CRNP having been trained to perform central line insertion, internal jugular; central line insertion, femoral; and radial arterial line insertion. The motion was adopted without objection.
Carole Norden, M.D. / Linda Chavers, CRNP The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform bone marrow aspiration / biopsy; intrathecal administration of chemotherapy; and intra-ventricular chemotherapy. The Committee recommended approval of the addition of antineoplastic agents to the collaborative practice formulary. The motion was adopted without objection.

Racquel Innis-Shelton, M.D. / Dekozlymn Anderson, CRNP The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform bone marrow aspiration and biopsy, iliac crest; skin biopsy; central venous line removal, percutaneous and tunneled; and administration of intrathecal chemotherapy via ommaya reservoir. The Credentials Committee recommended, with standard language previously approved by the Board, approval of the physician’s request to allow the CRNP to administer antineoplastic agents. 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 ninety-nine. The motion was adopted without objection. The list of covering physician applicants shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit “B.”

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Lorna Bland, M.D. / Debra Russell, CRNP / Ronnie Pollard, M.D. After consideration of the application to add Dr. Pollard as a covering physician to the collaborative practice, the Credentials Committee recommended that the application be denied pursuant to Dr. Pollard not meeting the requirement that he be readily available. The motion was adopted without objection.

CRNP QACSC Registration

1. James D. Ashmore, M.D. / Juanita D. Webb, CRNP
2. Daniel Cameron, M.D. / Ian L. Burge, CRNP
4. Michael N. Gordon, M.D. / Maria M. Murdock, CRNP
5. Stephen B. Henderson, M.D. / Nancy G. Seaman, CRNP
6. John Eugene Lammers, M.D. / Wendy S. Moroni, CRNP
7. Loren McCoy, M.D. / Natasha Ledlow, CRNP
8. Ronald W. McCoy, M.D. / Theresa Landrum, CRNP
9. James E. McKinley, M.D. / Gary O. Lawson, CRNP
10. Kristina E. Ray, M.D. / Lloyd Sean Stokes, CRNP
11. Kenneth E. Rose, M.D. / Elizabeth A. Raper, CRNP
12. John Simmons, M.D. / Deirdre M. Aycock, CRNP
13. Judy Travis, M.D. / Deirdre M. Aycock, CRNP
14. Sunil Chandra, M.D. / Joanna H. Bundrum, CRNP
15. Melissa DeBerry, M.D. / Vailaree G. Prentice, CRNP
16. Kelly Michel, M.D. / Jewel L. Abbot, CRNP
17. Kelly Michel, M.D. / Brandi K. Carbonie, CRNP
18. Thomas Perkins, M.D. / Kala Blakely, CRNP
19. Terry True, M.D. / Joyce L. Shea, CRNP
20. Tony White, M.D. / Margaret Stephens, CRNP
21. James R. Cranford, M.D. / Mary Sue Suggs, CRNP

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of CRNP QACSC applicants one through twenty-one. The motion was adopted without objection.
Joint Committee on Advanced Practice Nursing

Joint Committee Meeting - November 12, 2013 The Credentials Committee recommended deferring to the full Board for a report to be presented by Dr. Harrison. The Board recommended that the report presented by Dr. Harrison 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 “C.”

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 “D.”

CURRENT BUSINESS

Administrative Rule 540-X-4-.03, and Appendices A and B - ACSC Renewal / Administrative Rule 540-X-12-.05, and Appendix B - QACSC Renewal The Credentials Committee recommended that Administrative Rule 540-X-4-.03 and Appendices A and B, and Administrative Rule 540-X-12-.05 and Appendix B be approved for final adoption. The motion was adopted without objection.

Administrative Rule Chapter 540-X-19, Pain Management Services The Credentials Committee recommended that Chapter 540-X-19 be amended pursuant to the public comments received and be approved for final adoption without being re-published for public comment. The Committee recommended that the responses to the public comments be approved as drafted. The motion was adopted without objection.

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Administrative Rule Chapter 540-X-19, Pain Management Services - Licensee Notification

The Credentials Committee recommended that the licensee notification and instruction sheet regarding enactment of, and compliance with, Administrative Rule Chapter 540-X-19 be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

Advisory Committee on Administrative Rules Regarding QACSCs for CRNPs and CNMs

The Credentials Committee recommended that Susan Alexander, DNP, CRNP be appointed to the Advisory Committee on Administrative Rules Regarding QACSCs for CRNPs and CNMs, and that D'Ann Somerall, DNP, CRNP be appointed to serve as alternate to the Advisory Committee. The motion was adopted without objection.

After consideration by the full Board, a motion was made to appoint Beverly Flowers Jordan, M.D.; John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D.; and Paul M. Nagrodzki, M.D., as physician representatives to the Advisory Committee. The motion was adopted without objection.

The current Advisory Committee appointments are as follows: Susan Alexander, DNP, CRNP; Joy Deupree, PhD, MSN, APRN-BC; Beverly Flowers Jordan, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., and Paul M. Nagrodzki, M.D.; Amy Wybenga, MSN, CRNP; and D'Ann Somerall, DNP, CRNP, alternate.

Advisory Opinion Request - Alabama Limited Liability Limited Partnership for the provision of medical services

After consideration of a request for the issuance of an advisory opinion, the Credentials Committee recommended that an Advisory Opinion be issued stating that the Board finds no statutes that would prohibit a legal entity owned and operated by non-physicians from entering into an equity joint venture organized as an Alabama limited liability limited partnership under the Alabama Business and Nonprofit ABME Public Minutes

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Entities Code with legal entities owned and operated by Alabama licensed physicians for the purpose of providing professional medical services. The motion was adopted without objection.

FSMB - Interstate Compact for Physician Licensure The Credentials Committee recommended that this item be received as information. The motion was adopted without objection.

Greenville Neuromodulation Center - Distance Expert™-Medical After consideration of correspondence from Erwin B. Montgomery, Jr., M.D., Medical Director, Greenville Neuromodulation Center, the Credentials Committee recommended that Dr. Montgomery be notified that the practice model described in his correspondence of October 2, 2013, does not violate any requirements of the Board’s telehealth rules. The Committee recommended that Dr. Montgomery be further notified that an out-of-state physician using the Distance Expert across state lines on a patient located in the state of Alabama must hold a full Alabama medical license or Alabama special purpose license. The motion was adopted without objection.

Physician Peer Review - Fraudulent Documentation The Credentials Committee recommended that this item be received as information. The motion was adopted without objection.

Teladoc, Inc. v. Texas Medical Board The Credentials Committee recommended that this item be received as information. 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.

John P. Hagler, Jr., M.D., Montgomery After consideration of testimony and exhibits presented before a hearing panel of the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners, a motion was made to enter an Order revoking Dr. Hagler’s authority to prescribe Schedule II controlled substances. The motion was adopted without objection. The Order revoking Dr. Hagler’s authority to prescribe Schedule II controlled drugs shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit “E.”

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Meeting Adjourned: 10:34 a.m.

The Alabama Board of Medical Examiners will convene its next regularly scheduled public meeting December 10, 2013, 848 Washington Avenue, Montgomery, Alabama.

Amy T. Dominey
Recording Secretary

Approved

Larry D. Dixon
Executive Director

Approved

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

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