

**PUBLIC MINUTES**  
**ALABAMA BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS**  
**June 20, 2007**  
**10:00 a.m.**

Robert Parker Building  
Montgomery, AL

Members Present

Jorge Alsip, M.D., Chairman  
Kenneth Aldridge, M.D., Vice-Chairman  
James G. Chambers, M.D.  
James G. Davis, M.D.  
Edward C. Facundus, M.D.  
Richard M. Freeman, M.D.  
Steven P. Furr, M.D.  
J. Daniel Gifford, M.D.  
Allan Goldstein, M.D.  
B. Jerry Harrison, M.D.  
Juan Johnson, M.D.  
Paul M. Nagrodzki, M.D.  
George C. Smith, Jr., M.D.  
Pamela D. Varner, M.D.

Members Not Present

David P. Herrick, M.D.

Others Present

Billy Addison	Jackie Baskin
Larry Dixon	Randy Dixon
Amy Dorminey	Pat Enfinger
Jeff Grimsley	Jane Hartley
Jim Hulett	Stan Ingram
David McGilvray	Randy Moore
Ed Munson	Ray Murray
Jim Nichols	Patricia E. Shaner
Anne Shiver	Cheryl Thomas
N.K. Horner	Warren R. Seiler, M.D.
Ron Drinkard	Arthur F. Toole, M.D.

Board Chairman, Jorge Alsip, M.D., stated that, a quorum of fourteen members being present, the public portion of the meeting of the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners was convened.

## PUBLIC MINUTES OF MAY 16, 2007

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the Public Minutes of May 16, 2007. The motion was adopted.

### ENDORSEMENT

<u>Name</u>	<u>Medical School</u>	<u>Endor. With</u>
1 Michael Abatzis	EMORY UNIV SCHOOL OF MED	USMLE/LA
2 * Laura Lee Taylor Adams	UASOM	USMLE/AL
3 David Louis Atkinson	UNIV OF TX MEDICAL SCHOOL AT HOUSTON	USMLE/TX
4 Brent T. Carroll	UNIV HEALTH SCIENCES COLL OSTEO MED	NBOME/UT
5 * Joseph Harold Chewning III	UNIV OF SOUTH CAROLINA SOM	USMLE/TN
6 Jesanna Cooper	UASOM	USMLE/AL
7 Randall Quentin Cron	U CA/UCLA/UNIV OF CA LOS ANGELES SOM	NBME/CA
8 Joshua Andrew Crum	UNIV OF MINNESOTA SOM MINNEAPOLIS	USMLE/WI
9 Luke Wahl Deitz	JOHNS HOPKINS UNIV SCH OF MED	USMLE
10 Dawn Nichelle DeLavallade	UNIV OF MARYLAND SCHOOL OF MEDICINE	USMLE/MD
11 Laura Elizabeth Ellis	TEMPLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE	NBME/PA
12 David Larry Estep Jr.	MERCER UNIV SCHOOL OF MED	USMLE/GA
13 Tara Rexanne Harden	UASOM	USMLE/AL
14 Anna Blair Hatchett	CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIV SOM	USMLE
15 Floyd Michael Hindelang III	LA STATE UNIV SCH OF MED NEW ORLEANS	USMLE/LA
16 Jeffrey Spalding Hovater	UNIV HEALTH SCIENCES COLL OSTEO MED	NBOME/CA
17 Jonathan Michael Kerley	UNIV HEALTH SCIENCES COLL OSTEO MED	USMLE/TN
18 * Joseph Michael Mack	ALBANY MEDICAL COLLEGE	USMLE/CA
19 * Everett Ellison McDuffie	SOM AMERICAN UNIV OF CARIBBEAN	USMLE/VA
20 James Alexander McKinnell	COLUMBIA U COL OF PHYSICIANS & SURGEON	USMLE/CA
21 Jonathan Christopher Newton	UASOM	USMLE/TN
22 * Pearlie Peterson-Cornett	UNIV OF OSTEO MED & DEN NJ STRATFORD	NBOME/GA
23 Timothy Thomas Ramsey Jr.	UNIV OF TENNESSEE COLLEGE OF MEDICINE	USMLE/GA
24 David Alan Randolph	WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY SOM	USMLE/CA
25 Steven David Scarcliff	UNIV OF SO AL COLLEGE OF MEDICINE	USMLE
26 Benson Aspin Scott	UNIV OF TENNESSEE COLLEGE OF MEDICINE	USMLE/TN
27 William Barry Smith	MEDICAL COLLEGE OF GEORGIA SOM	NBME/GA
28 Laiandrea Maple Stewart	MEHARRY MEDICAL COLLEGE SOM	USMLE/TN
29 Jamelah Aelon Terry	UNIV OF TENNESSEE COLLEGE OF MEDICINE	USMLE/LA
30 Richard Lee Toothman	UNIV OF NORTH CAROLINA SOM	FLEX/OH
31 Michael Matthews Tucker Jr.	MEDICAL COLLEGE OF GEORGIA SOM	USMLE/GA
32 Thomas Richard Vetter	OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF MED	NBME/FL
33 Christina Lee Voelkel	UNIV OF SO AL COLLEGE OF MEDICINE	USMLE/AL
34 * Ervin Wells	UASOM	USMLE/GA
35 * Zhijie Yan	KUNMING MED COL KUN-MING YUNNAN AKA U	USMLE
36 Cindy Sutton Barrett	BOWMAN GRAY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE	USMLE/NC
37 James G. S. Bramlette	EMORY UNIV SCHOOL OF MED	USMLE/GA
38 Heather Michelle Childers	UNIV HEALTH SCIENCES COLL OSTEO MED	NBOME
39 Joseph Rosario Cuccia	UNIVERSITY DEG STU ROME ITALY	FLEX/MA
40 Kristina Elaine Duffy	WAYNE STATE UNIV SCHOOL OF MED	USMLE/VA

41	Stephen Barnett Eagles	GEORGETOWN UNIV SCHOOL OF MED	USMLE/DC
42	Jonathan William Frederick	VANDERBILT U SOM	USMLE/AL
43	Ralph Aaron Gutierrez	WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY SOM	NBME/NM
44	Scott Max Walter Haufe	UNIV OF SO FLORIDA COLL OF MEDICINE	NBME/FL
45	Marlo Eve Hodnett	LOMA LINDA UNIV SCHOOL OF MEDICINE	USMLE
46	Vatsal Inamdar	SRI DEVA RAJ URS MED COL	USMLE/PA
47	Stephen Wayne Landreneau	LA STATE U SOM NEW ORLEANS	USMLE/AL
48	Frank Feng Luo	SECOND MILITARY MEDICAL UNIVERSITY	USMLE/CA
49	Syed Minhaj Mahmood	DOW MEDICAL COL UNIV OF KARACHI	FLEX/MI
50	Stephen Lewis Nelson	UNIV OF CALIF SAN DIEGO SOM	USMLE/IN
51	Ataur Rehman	QUAID-E-AZAM MED COLLEGE ISLAMIA UNIV	USMLE/TX
52	John David Sarrouf	COLL OF OSTEO MED OF THE PACIFIC	NBOME/CA
53	Robert H. Swedarsky	GEORGETOWN UNIV SCHOOL OF MED	NBME/DC
54	Ely David Zaslow	UNIV OF NORTH CAROLINA SOM	FLEX/NC
55	* Jeffrey Lawrence Shere	MEDICAL COLLEGE OF WISCONSIN	USMLE/MI

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of endorsement candidates one through fifty-five. The motion was adopted.

\* Laura Lee Taylor Adams, M.D. After consideration of an application for licensure through endorsement, the Credentials Committee recommended approval of the endorsement application. The motion was adopted.

\* Joseph Harold Chewing, M.D. After consideration of an application for licensure through endorsement, the Credentials Committee recommended approval of the endorsement application. The motion was adopted.

\* Joseph Michael Mack, M.D. After consideration of an application for licensure through endorsement, the Credentials Committee recommended approval of the endorsement application. The motion was adopted.

\* Everett Ellison McDuffie, M.D. After consideration of an application for licensure through endorsement, the Credentials Committee recommended approval of the endorsement application. The motion was adopted.

\* Pearlie Peterson-Cornett, D.O. After consideration of an application for licensure through endorsement, the Credentials Committee recommended approval of the

endorsement application. The motion was adopted.

\* Ervin Wells, M.D. After consideration of an application for licensure through endorsement, the Credentials Committee recommended approval of the endorsement application. The motion was adopted.

\* Zhijie Yan, M.D. After consideration of an application for licensure through endorsement, the Credentials Committee recommended approval of the endorsement application. The motion was adopted.

\* Jeffrey Lawrence Shere, M.D. After consideration of an application for licensure through endorsement, the Credentials Committee recommended approval of the endorsement application. The motion was adopted.

### **LIMITED LICENSE**

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Medical School</u>	<u>Endor. With</u>
1	Nileshkumar Mavjibhai Chaudhari	GOVERNMENT MEDICAL COL SO GUJARAT U	LL/AL
2	Preeti Chaurasia	MAHATMA GANDHI MEM MED COLL INDORE U	LL/AL
3	Taiye Ogundipe	COM UNIVERSITY OF LAGOS	LL/AL
4	Roberto Pisoni	LIBERA UNIVERSITA CAMPUS	LL/AL
5	Shyamsunder Brindavan Sabat	GRANT MEDICAL COLLEGE UNIV OF BOMBAY	LL/AL
6	Spyros Bill Spyrakos	PECS UNIV OF MEDICAL SCIENCE	LL/AL
7	Justin T. Cooke	SABA U SCH MED	LL/AL
8	Jeb Stuart Hornsby	UNIV OF ALABAMA SCHOOL OF MEDICINE	LL/AL
9	Ahmed M. M. Moussa Abou Zeid	FACULTY OF MED UNIV OF CAIRO	LL/AL
10	Valiparambil B. Praveenkumar	AMBEDKAR MEDICAL COLLEGE	LL/AL
11	Achara Sathienkijanchai	FAC OF MED MAHIDOL U SIRIRAJ HOSPITAL	LL/AL
12	Amarjit Kaur Singh	ST. MATTHEW'S UNIVERSITY	LL/AL
13	Katherine Denise Waldrop	SABA U SCH MED	LL/AL

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of limited license candidates one through thirteen. The motion was adopted.

## PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS / ADVANCE PRACTICE NURSES

### P.A. License

<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>NCCPA</u>
1. Sherry Lynn Barnhart	Medical College of Georgia	1055093
2. Kristin Nicole Bishop	UAB	1069224
3. William Matthew Fallin	Bethel College	1078196
4. Meredith Ellis Grimm	University of Texas	1070611
5. Lisa Cox Kessler	South University	1067091

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of P.A. License applicants one through five. The motion was adopted.

### P.A. Registration

LeAllen Alexander, Jr., PA / Simon Roland Brooks, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application with additional duties as requested. The motion was adopted.

Kristin N. Bishop, PA / Robert L. Hash, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

Randall Wa Chang, PA / Chad E. Mathis, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

William Matthew Fallin, PA / William Leonard Gibson, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application to include standard language regarding number twenty-three on the P.A. formulary, birth control drugs and devices. The motion was adopted.

Regina Dawn Goff, PA / Jeffrey C. Davis, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

Regina Dawn Goff, PA / K. David Moore, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

Regina Dawn Goff, PA / Sherry Collawn, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

Garrett Guilbeau, PA / William Charles Braswell, III, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

Garrett Guilbeau, PA / John O. Issis, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

Garrett Guilbeau, PA / Justin David Moellinger, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

Garrett Guilbeau, PA / Luis Roland Pernia, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

Zachary Keith Phillips, PA / George M. Hill, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

Matthew Plummer, PA / John L. Todd, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

Donald L. Quinn, PA / Jeffrey H. Glaze, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application to include number nine, Deferoxamine Mesylate, and number twenty-three, birth control drugs and devices, on the P.A. formulary. The motion was adopted.

Christopher Devon Williamson, PA / William A. Crotwell, III, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the P.A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

## **A.A. Registration**

Charles Brian Edgerton, AA / Jeffrey Blake Crazier, MD The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the A. A. registration application. The motion was adopted.

## **Miscellaneous Requests / Reports**

Valentina Anselmo, PA / Rowell Ashford, II, MD - Request remote site privileges The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the request for remote site privileges. The motion was adopted.

David Bryan, PA / Shelley Ray, MD - Documentation of training to perform cryosurgery The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the documentation of training the P.A. to perform cryosurgery. The motion was adopted.

Jessica Davis, PA / Shelley Ray, MD - Request consideration of additional duties The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the request for additional duties which have previously been approved by the Board. The motion was adopted.

Kelly Durham, PA / Tim Cool, MD - Documentation of training to perform joint injections The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the documentation of training the P.A. to perform joint injections. The motion was adopted.

Thomas Mullican, PA / Dave Dueland, MD - Documentation of training to perform joint injections The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the documentation of training the P.A. to perform joint injections. The motion was adopted.

Curt Murray, PA / Ginger Bryant, MD - Request to train PA to perform joint injections The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the request to train the P.A. to perform joint injections. The motion was adopted.

Rachel Rolling, PA / Yocunda Clayton, MD - Request remote site privileges The

Credentials Committee recommended approval of the request for remote site privileges. The motion was adopted.

Benjamin Rooke, PA / Rowell Ashford, II, MD - Request remote site privileges The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the request for remote site privileges. The motion was adopted.

Carmen May, CRNP / Frederick Meyer, MD - Request to train to perform joint injections The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the request to train the CRNP to perform joint injections which have been previously approved by the Board. The Committee recommended denying the request to train the CRNP to perform wrist injections. The Committee further recommended requesting a letter of clarification regarding the request for Soft Tissue Injections. The motion was adopted.

PA CME Compliance Report The Credentials Committee recommended the P.A. Continuing Education Compliance Report be received as information. The motion was adopted. A copy of the P.A. CME Compliance Report shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit "A."

### **Physician Assistant's Advisory Meeting**

#### **P.A.'s Advisory Meeting - June 19, 2007**

The Credentials Committee recommended deferring to the full Board for an oral report to be presented by Dr. Harrison. The Board recommended that the oral report presented by Dr. Harrison be received as information. The Board further approved the P.A. Advisory Committee's Minutes. The motion was adopted, and a copy of the P.A. Minutes shall be made a part of these Minutes and attached hereto as Exhibit "B".



## **CURRENT BUSINESS**

Administrative Rule 540-X-3-.02, Medical Education Requirement The Credentials Committee recommended the amendment to 540-X-3-.02 be approved for final adoption. The motion was adopted.

Article, Ranking State NP Regulation, Practice Environment and Healthcare Choice The Credentials Committee recommended the article be received as information. The motion was adopted.

West Alabama Mental Health Board After consideration of correspondence from Kelley Parris-Barnes, Executive Director of the West Alabama Mental Health Board, the Credentials Committee recommended notifying Ms. Parris-Barnes that the Board cannot waive the examination requirement for a full medical license; however, the Board will consider an amendment to Administrative Rule 540-X-3-.14 to include Community Mental Health entities created by Act 310. This amendment would allow a physician to apply for a limited license to practice only within the confines of the facilities of Community Mental Health entities created under Act 310. The Committee recommended approval to amend 540-X-3-.14, Certificate Of Qualification Issued Without Examination (limited license). The motion was adopted.

Administrative Rule 540-X-7-.30, Physician Assistants' Advisory Committee The Credentials Committee recommended the amendment to 540-X-7-.30 be approved for publication and public comment as amended by the Committee to include language that at least two members of the Physician Assistant's Advisory Committee must be current members of the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners. The motion was adopted.

Proposed Administrative Rule 540-X-11, Guidelines for the Use of Lasers and Other

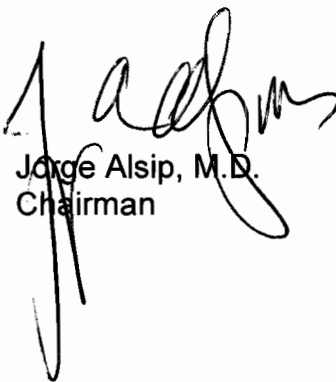
Modalities Affecting Living Tissue The Credentials Committee recommended 540-X-11, as amended pursuant to comments received during the public comment period ending May 4, 2007, be approved for publication and public comment. The motion was adopted.

Legislation Passed in the 2007 Legislative Session The Credentials Committee recommended Senate Bill 382, as passed by the Alabama House and Senate in the 2007 Regular Legislative Session, be received as information. The motion was adopted.

## **HEARINGS**

ABME Hearing Schedule The Credentials Committee recommended the ABME Hearing Schedule be received as information. The motion was adopted.

  
Larry D. Dixon  
Executive Director

  
Jorge Alsip, M.D.  
Chairman