



TEXAS PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT BOARD

LICENSURE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

November 13, 2015

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by the Chair, Teralea Jones, PA-C. Committee members present were Jason P. Cooper, PA-C, Michael D. Reis, M.D., and Blayne Rush.

Agenda Item 2 – Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding licensure applicants referred to the Licensure Committee by the Executive Director for determination of eligibility of licensure.

Applicant #1706 appeared before the Committee after appealing the Executive Director's offer of a 12 month supervised temporary license to remedy their active practice issue. The applicant presented a brief summary and the Committee members asked questions. **Mr. Rush moved to recommend to the full Board that the applicant's appeal be denied and the original offer of a 12-month supervised temporary license stand.** This recommendation is due to the applicant's failure to meet active practice requirements. **Dr. Reis seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion passed.**

Agenda Item 3 - Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding review of Physician Assistant applications for permanent licensure. There were 347 applicants and 9 relicensure applicants who met all requirements to be considered for permanent licensure by the full Board. **Mr. Cooper moved to recommend to the full board that all 347 applicants and 9 relicensure applicants be approved for permanent licensure. Dr. Reis seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion passed.**

Agenda Item 4 – Proposed Orders Offered by the Executive Director – Ms. Johnston reported on one physician assistant licensure order offered by the Executive Director and

accepted by the applicant. **Mr. Cooper moved to recommend to the full Board that the order be approved. Mr. Rush seconded. All voted in favor and the motion passed.**

Agenda Item 5 - Report on physician assistant licensure process statistics – Ms. Johnston reported that 676 physician assistant licenses were issued in Fiscal Year 2015 in an average of 22 days. In the first quarter of Fiscal Year 2016 (as of November 3, 2015) 115 physician assistant licenses were completed in an average of 17 days.

Agenda Item 6 - Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding board rules:

- a. §185.8 – Inactive License

Mr. Rush moved to recommend to the full Board that the rule as written be published in the Texas Register for public comment. Dr. Reis seconded. All voted in favor. The motion passed.

Agenda Item 7 - There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 9:50 a.m.

**PA APPLICANTS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR APPROVAL
STATUS: CS**

ID NUM	LAST NAME #	FIRST NAME	SUF	PA APPSTAT CD
595562	ABABAF	SHAGHAYEGH		CS
589319	ADAMS	JASON PAUL		CS
590103	ADAMS	JULY		CS
594446	AHMED	NABIHA		CS
594986	ALI	SAFRIN R		CS
594228	ALI	SHAHNOOR MANSOOR		CS
592195	ALMASRI	REMA NIZAR		CS
594037	ALTENDORF	CRISTIN		CS
594039	AMIJI	FATEMA ABDEALI		CS
589861	AMISSAH	JOSEPHINE OTUWA		CS
592312	ANDERSON	RACHAEL MORRIS		CS
590106	ASFAR	JOHN RUSTON		CS
594808	AZIH	AMY		CS
594806	BACH	DANIA		CS
590292	BAKANE	KAYLA MARIE		CS
591223	BAKER	JAYME MAUREEN		CS
595561	BANNISTER	BAKE THOMAS		CS
596067	BAUMANN	AMY LOUISE		CS
595852	BELOW	LAQUINTA		CS
593837	BEWLEY	ALEXANDRA LEE		CS
594651	BIEMER	SARAH JANE		CS
593685	BLANKEN	ROBERT DAYTON		CS
593828	BLIZZARD	HEATHER JENNICE		CS
594761	BOYDSTUN	BLAIRE MICHELLE		CS
590034	BROOKS	ALEXANDRA A'LENA		CS
590937	BROWN	SADIE LEE		CS
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590797	BROWNING	PERRY DILLON		CS
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594765	BUCKNER	KOLBY SPENCE		CS
595637	BURGE	BROOKE ELIZABETH		CS
595595	BURKEEN	CHRISTINE P		CS
554818	CABRERA	CASSANDRA MAY		CS
590530	CANCELLARE-WELCH	EMILY LAURA		CS
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595462	CHAMBERLAIN	JILLIAN JORDY		CS

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593832	CRIDER	MADISON MARIE	CS
592530	CRITES	NANCY	CS
595314	CROSS	COLBIE	CS
586175	CUCCIO	JESSICA M	CS
594944	CUELLAR	CLARISSA MARIE	CS
594439	CUNANAN	ARIANNE GRAY	CS
594440	DAVIS	KATHRYN NOEL	CS
594208	DE LA CRUZ	SHARON LIZETH	CS
593687	DE LOYAL	PATRICIA JEANETTE	CS
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595826	ENGLAND	JULIE ANNETTE	CS
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594628	FIEBRICH	TYLER JARRAD	CS
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590702	GALINDO	FERNANDO	CS
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588885	GARCIA	HOMERO	CS
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596783	GARDNER	JUSTIN	CS
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589691	GARZA	MIRANDA NICOLE	CS
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595014	GEORGE	SANDRA	CS
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589256	GLOVER	JULIE MARIE	CS
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592254	GREEN	JANIEL JOYCE	CS
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591545	GUAJARDO	KIMBERLY ANNE	CS
591786	HALFAST	ASHLEY	CS
593007	HALL	MICHAEL JOSEPH	CS
595828	HALMARI	IRENE	CS
587823	HAN	JOHN D	CS
589978	HANSON	KIMBERLY KAY	CS
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594652	HOCHSCHILD	ANN ELYSE	CS
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595179	NUNEZ	SAMMANTHA RAELENE	CS
568489	NYINAWINYANGE	DOMINA	CS
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595338	PATHIYIL	NEEMA ABRAHAM	CS
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595156	STUMP	KERI LEIGH	CS
596322	SULLIVAN	EMILY NICOLE	CS
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587871	ULLOA	BLANCA ESTELA	CS
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594625	VALDEZ	DARA DANIELLE	CS

589802	VALDEZ	JACQUELINE RENEE	CS
594443	VALIKA	INSIYA	CS
594269	VAN OSSELAER	LEIGH	CS
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596171	VENA	SARA	CS
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593684	YORK	CAROLINE ABIGAIL	CS
595408	YOZWIAK	VICTORIA LYNN	CS
595176	ZAWISLAK	CAROLYN	CS
594705	ZHENG	JIE	CS
590335	ZILIAK	KATIE LOUISE	CS

TOTAL - 342

**PA APPLICANTS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR RELICENSURE APPROVAL
STATUS: TC**

535153	HELIOTIS-OLSEN	EMILY JUNE		TC
556981	HO	RODNEY ALAN	JR	TC
547887	KHAN	HINA		TC
535092	MINEFEE	JARRED		TC
460461	PETERSON	TIMOTHY KARL		TC
460205	PURSLOW	M TOBIN		TC
439265	SANGIORGI	SUSAN LEE		TC
536497	SPLENSER	NICOLE CHANTAL		TC
480113	WILLIAMS	FRANK RUSSEL		TC

TOTAL - 9

**PA APPLICANTS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR APPROVAL - ADDENDUM
STATUS: CS**

ID NUM	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	SUF	PA APPSTAT CD
596651	BAUMGUARDNER	SAMUEL		CS
595136	DECELL	DEVAN		CS
594353	GARCIA	CLARA		CS
594435	RUFFNER	SARAH CONLEY		CS
596045	WILLIAMS	NATALIE		CS

Agenda Item 04 – Proposed orders offered by the Executive Director

November 2015

Applicant #

1743

Type of Application

Physician Assistant

Type of Order

Licensure Agreed Order

§185.8. Inactive License.

(a) A license holder may have the license holder's license placed on inactive status by applying to the board. A physician assistant with an inactive license is excused from paying renewal fees on the license and may not practice as a physician assistant in Texas.

(b) In order for a license holder to be placed on inactive status, the license holder must have a current annual registration permit and have a license in good standing.

(c) A license holder who practices as a physician assistant in Texas while on inactive status is considered to be practicing without a license.

(d) A physician assistant may return to active status by:

(i) applying to the board, paying an application fee equal to an application fee for a physician assistant license;

(ii) complying with the requirements for license renewal under the Act;

(iii) providing current verifications from each state in which the physician assistant holds a license;

(iv) demonstrating current certification by NCCPA,

(v) completing a fingerprint card and returning the card to the board as part of the application;

(vi) submitting a report from the National Practitioner Data Bank/Health Integrity and Protection Data Bank (NPDB-HIPDB) by contacting the NPDB-HIPDB and having a report of action submitted directly to the board on the applicant's behalf; and

(vii) submitting professional evaluations from each employment held after the license was placed on inactive status, and complying with subsection (e) of this section.

(e) A physician assistant applicant applying to return to active status shall provide sufficient documentation to the board that the applicant has, on a full-time basis as defined in §185.4(d) of this title (relating to Procedural Rules for Licensure Applicants), actively practiced as a physician assistant or has been on the active teaching faculty of an acceptable approved physician assistant program, within either of the two years preceding receipt of an application for reactivation. Applicants who do not meet this requirement may, in the discretion of the board, be eligible for the reactivation of a license subject to one or more of the following conditions or restrictions as set forth in paragraphs (1) - (5) of this subsection:

(1) current certification by the National Commission on the Certification of Physician Assistants;

(2) completion of specified continuing medical education hours approved for Category 1 credits by a CME sponsor approved by the American Academy of Physician Assistants;

(3) limitation and/or exclusion of the practice of the applicant to specified activities of the practice as a physician assistant;

(4) remedial education; and/or

(5) such other remedial or restrictive conditions or requirements which, in the discretion of the board are necessary to ensure protection of the public and minimal competency of the applicant to safely practice as a physician assistant.