

TEXAS STATE BOARD OF ACUPUNCTURE EXAMINERS

EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

May 12, 2017

The meeting was called to order at **10:05 a.m.** by Rachelle Webb, L.Ac, Chair. Committee members present were Allen Cline, L.Ac. and Jingyu Gu, L.Ac.

Agenda Item 2 – Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding requests to become approved providers. Mr. Cline moved to recommend to the full board that Texas Association of Acupuncture & Oriental Medicine (TAAOM) be accepted as an approved provider. Ms. Webb seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion passed.

Agenda Item 3 – Report from staff of continuing acupuncture education courses approved. Ms. Johnston presented a report on the courses that were approved by staff.

Agenda Item 4 - Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding requests for approval of continuing acupuncture education courses.

Mr. Cline moved to recommend to the full board that the Kevin Laux, L.Ac., course reviewed by this committee be approved for 10 hours of General Continuing Acupuncture Education and 2 Hours of Herbal Continuing Acupuncture Education, but recommended that the 1 Hour of Biomedicine be denied, as there is no evidence that the course content, as described, fulfills this type of Continuing Acupuncture Education. Mr. Laux can submit, for review at a regularly scheduled board meeting, further evidence demonstrating how the course curriculum encompasses Biomedicine. Ms. Webb seconded. All voted in favor and the motion passed.

Mr. Cline moved to recommend to the full board that the RockTape course reviewed by this committee be approved for 8 hours of General Continuing Acupuncture Education. Ms. Webb seconded and Mr. Gu opposed. The motion passed.

The committee further directed staff to refer any proposed courses that were deemed not within the traditional practice of acupuncture to the Education Committee for consideration, regardless of whether the course appears to be similar to previously approved continuing education courses.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 10:32 a.m.

Approved Provider	Initial Approval Date	Expiration Date	*Approved Provider Status Dates* This column reflects a lapse in status dates or an overlap in status dates. If blank, there has been or there was no lapse in status from Initial Approval Date to Expiration Date.
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Provider	Title	Method of Course Instruction	Requested: Type	Requested: CAE Hours
RockTape 1610 Dell Ave Ste S Campbell, CA 95008 jody@rocktape.com	FMT Movability (FMT = Functional Movement Techniques)	Lecture	General	8
Kevin Andrew Laux, LAc 209 Heartwood Dr Austin, TX 78745 kevin@healingwayaustin.com	Classical Chinese Medicine: The 12 Primary Meridians and their Luo Vessels	Lecture	General	10
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