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WASHINGTON, DC 20002

November 25, 2015

10:30 am - 11:30 am

## **BOARD OF MEDICINE**

### **OPEN SESSION MINUTES**

#### **BoMed Mission Statement:**

"To **protect** and enhance the health, safety, and well-being of District of Columbia residents by **promoting** evidence-based best practices in health regulation, high standards of quality care and implementing policies that **prevent** adverse events."

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**BOARD MEMBERSHIP:**

<b>BOARD MEMBERS:</b>	JANIS ORLOWSKI, M.D. (JO)	
	MARC RANKIN, M.D. (MR)	
	ANITRA DENSON, M.D. (AD)	
	LAWRENCE MANNING, M.D. (LM)	
	ANDREA ANDERSON, M.D. (AA)	
	THOMAS DAWSON, Esq. (TD)	Absent
	BRENDAN FURLONG, M.D. (BF)	
	BERNARD ARONS, M.D. (BA)	
	JEFFREY SMITH, M.D. (JS)	Absent
	KELLY ANN COLDEN, M.D. (KC)	
	TERRENCE STRAUB (TS)	
	TREAZURE JOHNSON, Esq. (TJ)	
	ROBYN MACSATA, M.D. (RM)	Absent
<b>STAFF:</b>	ROBIN JENKINS – INTERIM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	
	LISA ROBINSON – HEALTH LICENSING SPECIALIST	Absent
	MARY HARRIS – HEALTH LICENSING SPECIALIST	
	AISHA NIXON – HEALTH LICENSING SPECIALIST	
	EMILIA MORAN – INVESTIGATOR	
	DIANE MOORER – IT SUPPORT	
<b>LEGAL STAFF:</b>	BRIAN KIM, Esq. – BOARD ATTORNEY ADVISOR	
	CHRISTOPHER BOONE, Esq. – LAW CLERK	Absent

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**OPEN SESSION NOVEMBER 25, 2015 – 10:30 am**

1. Call to Order
2. Introduction of Board Members
3. Introduction of Board staff

OS-15-033 ALL	<p><b><u>OPEN SESSION MINUTES</u></b>          The Board unanimously approved the Open Session minutes from the October 28, 2015 meeting.</p>
OS-15-034 ALL	<p><b><u>OPEN CONSENT AGENDA</u></b>          The Board unanimously approved the current Open Consent Agenda items for November 25, 2015.</p>
OS-15-035 ALL	<p><b><u>BOARD/DEPARTMENT'S REPORT</u></b>  <b>A. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The ED reported the following:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b><u>Liceneeses:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Currently 12,924 licensees under the Board's purview.</li> <li>○ 48 Acupuncturists</li> <li>○ 44 Naturopathic Physicians</li> </ul> </li> <li><b><u>Application Processing:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 140 licenses approved between October 20<sup>th</sup> and November 17<sup>th</sup></li> <li>○ 92 New applications received</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> <li>- The Board Chair requested a dash board of the timeframe for application processing.</li> <li>- <b><u>LGTBO Legislation Update:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The Director of DOH, Dr. LaQuandra Nesbitt testified on October 28, 2015 to the Committee on Health regarding the LGTBO legislation. Dr. Nesbitt's position was supportive of cultural</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



competency for all practitioners in the District of Columbia, however, not focusing on a particular population. Information was from the Mayor's office indicative of Mayor Bowser support of the legislation as it is written. If this law passes, all of the Boards will have to modify their regulations to either add on or include those hours in what is already required.

- **Executive Director Search:**
  - o ED reported that an offer has been extended regarding the Executive Director position and will inform the Board when more is known.
  
- **Trauma Technologist Regulations Update**
  - o The ED provided an update on the Trauma Technologist. The Mayor appointed 2 members in August 2014, Dr. Eric Rosenthal and Dr. Alexander Rucker for the Advisory Committee and that there is one vacancy for a Trauma Technologist. The Advisory Committee will meet in early December to make recommendations to amend the regulations as they are currently written regarding the educational and examination requirements.

**B. BOARD ATTORNEY'S REPORT**

- The Board Attorney reported that the Department received comments regarding the Collaborative Practice regulations for the Board's discussion.

**ADDITIONAL DISCUSSION:**

- The Board was provided clarification on the differences between MTL 1A, 1B, 2 and MTR applications.



- Board Chair moved ES-15-365 regarding the comments received about the Collaborative Practice regulations into open session for discussion. There were no objections. Comments were submitted by Kaiser Permanente regarding the Collaborative Practice regulations. The Board Chair acknowledged that the comments were of merit. The Board Chair highlighted the comments around certification programs, electronic records, verbal consent, and the inconsistencies in the language regarding breaking a Collaborative Practice Agreement. The Board acknowledged that the recommendation regarding telemedicine is not consistent with the Board's view. The Board's recommendations included: presenting the Board of Pharmacy with the Board of Medicine's views regarding Kaiser's comments and receive feedback from the pharmacy community.

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**OPEN CONSENT ITEMS**

**APPROVED CLEAN APPLICATIONS**

OC-15-010     **APPROVED APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE**

**National Board Applicants:**

The following applicants were approved based on successful completion of the examination administered by the National Board of Medical Examiners (NBME) or the National Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners (NBOME).

**NBME:**

Herzstein, Jessica A.  
Sidford, Christopher, F.  
Warson, James  
Skorton, David  
Grimm, Cordelia  
Soto, Theresa M.  
Lester, Cecelia T.  
Gafni, Rachel I.  
Borowitz, Michael J.  
Catt, Karyn  
Murphy Jr., Greer M.

**NBOME:**

Binder, Leila

**FLEX Examination:**

The following applicants were licensed based on successful completion of the FLEX examination.



McCain, Cameron  
Mighty, Hugh E.  
Collazo, Lucas R.  
Covington, Donald S.  
Speir, Alan M.  
O'Shea, John S.  
Ratner, Emily F.

**USMLE APPLICANTS:**

Guy, Keyteshia P.  
Simon, Rochelle A.  
Ralston, Jonathan  
Hu, Yao-Wen E.  
Srivastava, Adarsh  
Ramnitz, Mary S.  
Nguyen, Long  
Lewis, Leanna  
Patel, Minesh  
Nuibe, Andrew  
Maximous, Ericka  
Swamy, Ramya  
Chou, Jonathan  
Lee, Yoom  
Ito, Seiji  
Shah, Archana  
Wu, David  
Kim, David

**Took USMLE in D.C.**

N/A

**Took USMLE Outside of D.C.**



Alvi, Khadija L.  
Bao, Jainxiong R.  
Schuette, Jr., Albert J.  
Walcott, Farzana L.  
Singh, Neeru B.  
Thirumalai, Priya S.  
Papia, Nasiri  
Malhotra, Sheetal  
Kakimoto, Charlene  
Chan, Connie H.  
Robinson, Jocelyn A.  
Batajoo-Shrestha, Binu  
Albrecht, Robert A.  
Orange, David T.  
Andresen, Jennifer M.  
Gayles, Travis A.  
Okogbule-Wonodi, Adora C.

**Endorsement:**

N/A

**Step 3:**

N/A

**Took Combo:**

N/A



**LMCC:**

Andrews, Jeffrey  
Law, Joanna

**COMLEX:**

The following applicants were approved based on successful completion of the COMLEX examination:

Lee, Jennifer, M.  
Nzeogu, Ikenna S.

**State Constructed:**

Droblas, Beniamien

**MD/DO Reinstatement Applicants:**

Filipescu-Turner, Laura  
Christie, Rebekka  
Kim, Susan J.  
Yanoff, Lisa  
Bhakta, Arpan  
Rockwood, Margaret

**MD/DO Reactivation Applicants:**

N/A

**Acupuncturist:** (NCCAOM)

Millea, Paul (Physician Pathway)



**Acupuncturist Reinstatement:**

Gibson, Meghan

**Physician Assistants: (NCCPA):**

Srebnik, Jenna  
Horewitz, Gary  
Merola, Michelle  
Wicks, Emily  
Combs, Andrew  
Tamashasky, Sara

**PA Reinstatements:**

N/A

**Surgical Asst. / NSAA:**

Cao, Wengang

**Surgical Asst. / ABSA**

Lightell, Stephen W.

**Anesthesiology Assistants:**

Pollio, Christopher V.  
Kim, Mijin



**Naturopathic Physician:**

The following applicant was approved for a naturopathic physician license (NPLEX).

N/A

**Eminence:**

N/A

**Polysomnographers:**

N/A

**Polysomnographer Trainee:**

N/A

**Alternative Pathway:**

N/A

**LICENSURE EXEMPTION (formerly 'Affiliated With'):**

N/A

**MEDICAL TRAINING REGISTRANT**

Salerno, Alexis

Bostick, Barbara



Al Rebh , Heba  
Abuduruk, Ibrahim  
Gandapur, Yousuf  
Bhalodia, Samir  
Riar, Jasneet  
Abdelgader, Abdelhai  
Vallabhaneni, Srilakshmi  
Jabaji Ramez S.F.  
Forouhar, Sara  
DuBois, Riley S.M.  
Oparaji, Judy-April  
Brickner, Katherine  
Teisberg, Madeline  
Cassell, Andre  
Richards, John  
Debuse, Maek

**MEDICAL TRAINING LICENSE IA**

Yeh, Bess Y.  
Lebenson, Joshua R.  
Allen, Elizabeth  
Dickson, Cody F.  
Cronin, Wiliam A.  
Nelson, Randin C.  
Robertson, Brian  
Lim Grace  
Wyatt, William C.  
Fayos, Zetta  
Gall , Timothy  
Sterling, Megan P.  
Junga, Zachary C.  
Flores, Michelle  
Cardarelli, Cassandra  
Cagniart, Kendra



Sthalmann, Charles

**MEDICAL TRAINING LICENSE IB**

Cebe, Laith J.  
Channapati, Muralidhar  
Memon, Muhammad

**MEDICAL TRAINING LICENSE II**

**This ends the Open Session Minutes.**



**Approved:**

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Janis Orlowski, M.D. – Board Chairperson

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Date

[Submitted by HLS Aisha Nixon]

[Reviewed and Edited by ED Robin Jenkins]