# ALABAMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

# PUBLIC MINUTES

**Regular Meeting** 

848 Washington Avenue, Montgomery, AL

Public Access: Electronically February 17, 2021

#### **Members Present**

Mark H. LeQuire, M.D., Chairman

Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D.

Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D.

### Members Present via Videoconference

Aruna T. Arora, M.D.

Gregory W. Ayers, M.D.

Eli L. Brown, M.D.

Hernando D. Carter, M.D.

Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Vice-Chairman

Beverly F. Jordan, M.D.

Gary F. Leung, M.D.

John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D.

Dick Owens, M.D.

William J. Suggs, M.D.

Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D.

Jane A. Weida, M.D.

Amanda J. Williams, M.D.

## **Recording Secretary Present**

Amy T. Dorminey

#### **Staff Present**

Mandy Ellis

**Chris Hart** 

**Effie Hawthorne** 

William Perkins

### Staff Present Via Videoconference

Sam Aikens

Kimie Buley

**Buddy Chavez** 

**Anthony Crenshaw** 

Lynde Crowder

Randy Dixon

**Becky Daniels** 

**Trey Flowers** 

**Greg Hardy** 

Amanda Hargrove

Amariaa margic

Matt Hart

Blake Henson

Wilson Hunter

Roland Johnson

Carla Kruger

Stephen Lavender

Suzanne Lazenby

Ryan Lynch

Brandi Madderra

**Burke Britton McMahan** 

**Edwin Rogers** 

Tiffany Seamon

**Scott Sides** 

**Bob Steelman** 

**Christy Stewart** 

Pat Ward

**Devin Whittle** 

#### Others Present

Mark Jackson



**Other Present Electronically** 

Raymond Bell

**Dawn Daniel** 

Alice Henley

Call to Order: 10:38 a.m.

Pursuant to the Proclamation issued by Governor Kay Ivey in response to SARS-CoV-2 and

the disease known as COVID-19 that allows governmental bodies to participate in a meeting,

establish a quorum, deliberate, and take action via electronic means, with prior notice given in

accordance with the Alabama Open Meetings Act, and with a quorum of the Board present

electronically, Board Chairman Mark H. LeQuire, M.D., convened the public portion of the

meeting of the Alabama State Board of Medical Examiners. Public access to the meeting was

provided electronically.

Executive Director's Report Director Perkins reported on the license renewal totals for

2021, on completion of upgrades to the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners website, and the

receipt and distribution of new lapel pins. Director Perkins called for an update on the

BoardBooklt program from Amy Dorminey and on the current Legislative Session from Matt Hart.

Director Perkins also expressed his gratitude to Board of Medical Examiners' staff member,

Amanda Hargrove, CRNP, FNP-C, for volunteering her time serving at a local COVID-19 vaccine

clinic.

**MINUTES** 

Public Minutes of January 20, 2021 The Credentials Committee recommended that the

Public Minutes of January 20, 2021, be approved. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D.,

Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D.,

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Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. Dick Owens, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., and Jane A. Weida, M.D., were not present for the vote.

#### **CURRENT BUSINESS**

Administrative Rule 540-X-1-.18, Dishonored Checks The Credentials Committee recommended that Administrative Rule 540-X-1-.18, Dishonored Checks, be approved for final adoption. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. Dick Owens. M.D., and Jane A. Weida, M.D., were not present for the vote.

Administrative Rule 540-X-9-.08, Sexual Misconduct in the Practice of Medicine: A Joint Statement of Policy and Guidelines by the State Board of Medical Examiners and the Medical Licensure Commission The Credentials Committee recommended that Administrative Rule 540-X-9-.08, Sexual Misconduct in the Practice of Medicine: A Joint Statement of Policy and Guidelines by the State Board of Medical Examiners and the Medical Licensure Commission, be approved for final adoption. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. Dick Owens, M.D., and Jane A. Weida, M.D., were not present for the vote.

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Administrative Rule 540-X-10-.12, Registration of Office-Based Surgery / Procedures Physician The Credentials Committee recommended that Administrative Rule 540-X-10-.12, Registration of Office-Based Surgery/Procedures Physician, be approved for final adoption. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. Dick Owens, M.D., and Jane A. Weida, M.D., were not present for the vote.

Administrative Rule 540-X-12-.18, QACSC Risk and Abuse Mitigation Strategies The Credentials Committee recommended that Administrative Rule 540-X-12-.18, QACSC Risk and Abuse Mitigation Strategies, be approved for final adoption. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. Dick Owens, M.D., and Jane A. Weida, M.D., were not present for the vote.

Administrative Rule 540-X-18-.15, QACSC Risk and Abuse Mitigation Strategies The Credentials Committee recommended that Administrative Rule 540-X-18-.15, QACSC Risk and Abuse Mitigation Strategies, be approved for final adoption. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams,

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M.D., voted in favor of the motion. Dick Owens, M.D., and Jane A. Weida, M.D., were not present for the vote.

Administrative Rules, Chapter 540-X-26, Collaborative Pharmacy Practice The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the amendments to Administrative Rules, Chapter 540-X-26, Collaborative Pharmacy Practice, and recommended approval for final adoption. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. Dick Owens, M.D., was not present for the vote.

Hormone Pellet Therapy presented by Senator Gerald Dial (Retired) and Howard D.

Woodford, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended that discussion of the presentation be deferred to the full Board.

After consideration by the full board, a motion was made by John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., and was seconded by Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., that the Hormone Pellet Therapy presentation by Senator Gerald Dial (Retired) and Howard. D. Woodford, M.D., be received as information. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. Dick Owens, M.D., was not present for the vote.

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After further discussion, a motion was made by Eli L. Brown, M.D., and was seconded by Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., that Luz M. Burgos Fuster, M.D., and Richard E. Blackwell, M.D., be invited to make a presentation to the Board on the subject matter of hormone therapy. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., Charles M.A. Rogers, IV, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion.

FSMB Delegate Nomination The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the nomination of Charles M.A. Rogers, IV, M.D., as FSMB Delegate to the 2021 FSMB Annual Meeting. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., abstained from voting.

Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., left the meeting and did not rejoin.

2020 Alabama Opioid Overdose and Addiction Council Annual Report The Credentials Committee recommended that the 2020 Alabama Opioid Overdose and Addiction Council Annual Report be received as information. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs,

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M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion.

Alabama Board of Medical Examiners 2020 Annual Report The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners 2020 Annual Report. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. The Alabama Board of Medical Examiners 2020 Annual Report shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit A.

### **LICENSURE**

## **Full License Applicants**

	<u>Name</u>	Medical School	Endorsement
1.	Ramla Abbas	Baqai Med & Dental College, Baqui Medical University	USMLE
2.	Madhava S. Abburi	Univ C of Medl Sci & Guru Teg Bahadur Hospital, U of Delhi	USMLE/WA
3.	Priya Airen	PT B.D.S. Postgraduate Institute of Medical Sciences	USMLE/MA
4.	Muneer Asrar Ali	Nova Southeastern University College of Medicine	COMLEX/NY
5.	Samir Allos	Lebanese American University	USMLE/MO
6.	Muhammad Omair Ahsan Ata	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Med, Carolinas Campus	COMLEX
7.	Annemieke Mattanja Austin	Loma Linda University School Of Medicine	USMLE/CA
8.	Qurrat-ul-ain Aziz	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
9.	Steven Chase Baker	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE
10.	Debdeep Banerjee	Texas Tech Univ Health Sciences Center School of Med	USMLE/FL
11.	Usman Barlass	Aga Khan Medical College, Aga Khan University	USMLE/IL
12.	Patrick Scott Berry	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE
13.	Bailee Farmer Blackburn	Augusta University	USMLE/GA
14.	Robert Olliff Boatwright	Mercer University School of Medicine	USMLE/VA
15.	Mark Brinckman	University of Kansas School of Medicine	USMLE/CO
16.	Leah Anne Cardwell	Howard University College of Medicine	USMLE/NC
17.	Amarsha Chakraburtty	University of Oklahoma College of Medicine	USMLE/OK
18.	Srikant Velagaleti Charya	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX



	Nama	Medical School	Endorsoment
10	<u>Name</u> Cori Clark	Medical School	Endorsement COMPLEX
		Nova Southeastern University College of Medicine	
	Paul Richard Clark	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE/MS
	James M. Coley	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Med, Carolinas Campus	COMLEX (NC
	William Ian Cross	Nova Southeastern University College of Medicine	COMLEX/NC
	Steven Cunningham	Univ of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Med	USMLE/MI
	John Louis Davis	University of Medicine and Health Sciences	USMLE/MI
-	Joe-La Daniele Dewitt	Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/MI
	Adam Russell Eppler	University of Chicago Pritzker School of Medicine	USMLE/MS
	Vanessa Anne Eulo	Rush Medical College of Rush University	USMLE/MO
	Elizabeth Tejblum Evans	University of Virginia School of Medicine	USMLE/OK
	Boris Faynberg	Florida State University College of Medicine	COMPLEX
	Sean A Feinberg	Ross University	USMLE/CT
	Michael Gregory Fister	Univ of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Med	USMLE
	Mariecken Verspoor Fowler	University of Virginia School of Medicine	USMLE/VA
	Candice Nikisha Fraser	University of Connecticut School of Medicine	USMLE/NY
	Richard D Gonzales	Univ of the East, Ramon Magsaysay Memorial Med Center	USMLE/UT
35.	Mareen Greenway	Universidad Autonoma De Guadalajara	USMLE/TX
36.	Mouna Gunda	Kamineni Institute of Medical Sciences	USMLE
37.	Erin Hall-Minnie	University of Arkansas College of Medicine	USMLE/TX
38.	Kewan Ahmed Hamid	Hawler Medical University School of Medicine	USMLE/MI
39.	Geoffrey Glenn Herndon	Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
40.	Kelly Roger Hersey	University of Arkansas College of Medicine	FLEX/MO
41.	Christopher Scott Holladay	Nova Southeastern University College of Medicine	COMLEX /GA
42.	Jaycelyn Raye Holland	Vanderbilt University School of Medicine	USMLE/TN
43.	Mohammad Raheel Nawaz Jajja	Aga Khan Medical College, Aga Khan University	USMLE/GA
44.	Georges Jean-Pierre	Universite D 'Etat D 'Haiti	USMLE/NY
45.	Jayasree Jonnadula	Sri Venkata Sai Medical College	USMLE / MO
46.	Buhalqem Kadire	Peking University Health Science Center	USMLE/NY
47.	Jaclyn Alycia Klimczak	Charles E. Schmidt College of Med at FL Atlantic University	USMLE
48.	Brendan Jonathan Knowles	Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Med - GA Campus	COMLEX/WV
49.	Avery Berlin Lisenbe	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE
50.	Alexander Edward Loeb	University of Virginia School of Medicine	USMLE
51.	Matthew Joseph MacDonald	Loma Linda University School of Medicine	USMLE/CA
52.	Anita B Mannancheril	Ross University	USMLE/NY
53.	Nicolette Ruzicka Marak	Louisiana State University School of Medicine New Orleans	USMLE
54.	Martin James Marak	Louisiana State University School of Medicine New Orleans	USMLE/LA
55.	Carmen Julia Martinez Martinez	Universidad Central Del Caribe School of Medicine	USMLE/FL
56.	Chase Matthew Mitchell	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE/SC
57.	Sana Mohiuddin	Deccan College of Medical Sciences	USMLE/IN
58.	Ala Mousa Mohsen	Jordan University of Science & Technology	USMLE/IL
59.	Michael James Mullarkey	TX Tech University Health Sciences Center School of Med	USMLE
60.	Leyla Nasehi	Tehran University of Medicine Sciences	USMLE/MI

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	Name	Medical School	Endorsement
61.	Thomas C Naslund	Vanderbilt University School of Medicine	NBME/TN
62.	Dmitriy M Niyazov	University of Rochester School of Medicine	USMLE/GA
63.	Uzoma Chidinma Obiaka	University of Nigeria College of Medicine	USMLE/NY
64.	Kinner Mayurbhai Patel	Saint Georges University	USMLE
65.	Kalyan Prudhvi	Sri Venkateswara Medical College	USMLE/AZ
66.	Angie N Reddick	University of Massachusetts Medical School	USMLE/GA
67.	Nima Rezaie	Florida State University College of Medicine	USMLE
68.	Peter Craig Rippey	University of Missouri School of Medicine Columbia	USMLE/FL
69.	Drew Douglas Robinson	TX A&M University Health Sci Center College of Medicine	USMLE/TX
70.	Diwas Shahi	Kathmandu Medical College	USMLE
71.	Anton Shapoval	Dniepropetrovsk State Medical Academy	USMLE/NY
72.	Michael Bradley Simon	Albert Einstein College of Medicine of Yeshiva University	NBME/NY
73.	Ryne Cullen Simpson	University of TN Health Science Center College of Med	USMLE/MO
74.	Colin Gabriel Stafford	Medical University of South Carolina College of Medicine	USMLE
75.	Evan Charles Torline	University of Louisville School of Medicine	USMLE/HI
76.	Marissa Amanda Toussaint	Lewis Katz School of Medicine at Temple University	USMLE/NY
77.	Celeste Sullivan Trice	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
78.	Sade Udoetuk	University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine	USMLE/TX
79.	Luis David Velasco	University of Illinois College of Medicine Chicago	NBME/IL
80.	Elizabeth Chang Wendel	Harvard Medical School	USMLE/GA
81.	Janelle Therese West	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE/TX
82.	Kristopher Wayne Whitehead	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE/FL
83.	Joshua James Wickstrom	Augusta University School of Medicine	USMLE
84.	Joshua Jacob Zaritsky	Stanford University School Of Medicine	USMLE/CA
85.	Andrew Eugene Zwolski	Loyola University of Chicago Stritch School of Medicine	USMLE/IL

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of applicants one through eight-five.

Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion.

## **Limited License Applicants**

	<u>Name</u>	Medical School	<u>Endorsement</u>
1.	Foluwakemi Olufehinti	Ross University	LL/AL
2.	Dima E. Otaishan	lmam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal C of M	LL/AL





The Credentials Committee recommended approval of Limited License applicants one and two. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion.

#### **Special Purpose Applicants**

	<u>Name</u>	Type of Practice	<b>Location</b>
1.	Gregory Wallace Stewart	Tulane University/ Sports Medicine	Louisiana

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of the Special Purpose Applicant. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion.

## **Certificate of Qualification for Ratification**

	<u>Name</u>	Medical School	<b>Endorsement</b>
1.	Yun Andrew Coronado	University of Texas Medical School at Galveston	USMLE/TX
2.	Ronald Steven Englert	Des Moines Univ of Osteopathic Medical Center	COMLEX/CO
3.	Mohammed Ali Jaloudi	Ross University	FLEX/NJ
4.	Peter Yong Joon Lee	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE
5.	Adrienne C. Robertson	UASOM Birmingham	USMLE/ID
6.	Logan Brown Rogers	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX

The Credentials Committee recommended that the issuance of Certificates of Qualification to applicants one through six be ratified. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D.,

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William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion.

Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Fourth Quarter Report The Credentials Committee recommended that the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Fourth Quarter Report be received as information. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. The Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Fourth Quarter Report shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit B.

Letters of Qualification Fourth Quarter Report The Credentials Committee recommended that the Letters of Qualification Fourth Quarter Report be received as information. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. The Letters of Qualification Fourth Quarter Report shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit C.

## **PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS**

#### P.A. License

NameSchoolNCCPABrian Baldwin, P.A.UAB1181495John Brisson, P.A.Nova Southeastern University1178122Scott Clark, P.A.University of Nebraska1034337

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1	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>NCCPA</u>
4.	Desiree Cleveland, P.A.	University of Texas Rio Grande Valley	1080954
5.	Jeffrey Guilbeau, P.A.	UAB	1181513
6.	Stephanie Harris, P.A.	George Washington University	1102350
7.	Alyssa Hollingsworth, P.A.	USA	1165845
8.	Sarah Reagan Hughes, P.A.	UAB	1181519
9.	Emily Lawrentz, P.A.	Chatham College	1105472
10.	Matthew Lentz, P.A.	UAB	1181530
11.	Quincy Marlin, P.A.	UAB	1181532
12.	Mariah Melton, P.A.	Oklahoma City University	1163931
13.	Julia Minopoli, P.A.	UAB	1181539
14.	Bailey Murphy, P.A.	UAB	1181541
<b>15</b> .	Katlyn Norris, P.A.	UAB	1181546
16.	Tara Parr, P.A.	University of Nebraska	1085798
<b>17</b> .	Emma Perkins, P.A.	UAB	1181548
18.	Joseph Sinacori, P.A.	Hofstra University	1097178
19.	Megan Shumate, P.A.	UAB	1181557
20.	Anna Smith, P.A.	UAB	1181559
21.	Shelby Smith, P.A.	Mississippi College	1179837
22.	Brent Smoyer, P.A.	Bethel College	1098599

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of P.A. License applicants one through twenty-two. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion.

#### Temporary P.A. License to Full License

	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>NCCPA</u>
1.	Nina Leblanc, P.A.	UAB	1181529
2.	Madeleine Snidow, P.A.	UAB	1181561

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of Temporary P.A. License to Full License Applicants one and two. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D.,

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Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion.

# P.A. / A.A. Registration and Requests Within Protocol

PA / Physician		Registration	Recommendation
1.	Andrew Bartran, P.A. Orlando Turner, M.D.	Request to Train Central Venous Line Placement Up to 13 French	Approve with standard language
2.	William Black, P.A. David Marotta, D.O.	Registration Remote Sites	Approve
3.	Kaleb Coleman, P.A. Michael Blackmer, D.O.	Registration	Approve
4.	Emily Cosgrove, P.A. Theodore Woods, Jr., M.D.	Registration Other Biologics or Biosimilars (excluding antiTNF)	Approve with standard language
5.	Lauren Gibson, P.A. James Worthen, M.D.	Registration	Approve
6.	Carrie Gamble, P.A. Christopher Kelly, M.D.	Approval of Supervised Practice Joint Injections and Arthrocentesis: Elbow (olecranon bursa), Knee, Shoulder, Greater Trochanteric Bursa	Approve
7.	Jennifer Grutzik, P.A. Charlie Ferguson, M.D.	Registration	Approve
8.	Matthew Guffey, P.A. Melissa Schroeder, M.D.	Registration	Approve
9.	Crystin Gulledge, P.A. Brian Persing, M.D.	Registration	Approve
10.	Karen Harness, P.A. Traci Hackett, M.D.	Registration	Approve
11.	Megan Harris, P.A. Alan Stanford, M.D.	Registration Methotrexate Non-biologic disease-modifying anti-rheumatic drugs (DMARDS) Biologic or Biosimilar DMARDS and Anti-tumor necrosis factor drugs (anti-TNF) Other biologics or biosimilars (excluding anti-TNF)	Approve with standard language
12.	Matthew Lentz, P.A. Frans van Wagenberg, M.D.	Registration	Approve
13.	Michael Liljegren, P.A. Zachary Stevenson, M.D.	Registration	Approve

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PA / Pl	nysician	Registration	Recommendation
14.	Julia Minopoli, P.A. Scariya Kumaramangalam, M.D.	Registration	Approve
15.	Katlyn Norris, P.A. Laura Lishman, M.D.	Registration Antineoplastic Agents Methotrexate Non-biologic disease-modifying anti-rheumatic drugs (DMARDS) Biologic or Biosimilar DMARDS and Anti-tumor necrosis factor drugs (anti-TNF) Other biologics or biosimilars (excluding anti-TNF)	Approve with standard language
16.	Lucy Perkins, P.A. Rachel Oser, M.D.	Request to Train Central Venous Line Insertion-Internal Jugular, Central Venous Line Insertion- Femoral	Approve with standard language
17.	James Perry, P.A. Viengxay Malavong, D.O.	Registration	Approve
18.	Andrea Peyton, P.A. Jeffrey Dobyns, D.O.	Registration	Approve
19.	Kathleen Pringle, P.A. Renee Llauget, D.O.	Registration	Approve
20.	Kendall Reed, P.A. Erik Hernandez, M.D.	Registration	Approve
21.	Danna Self, P.A. Charles Hoopes, M.D.	Registration	Approve
22.	Olivia Shumake, P.A. Adolfo Robledo, M.D.	Registration	Approve
23.	Madeleine Snidow, P.A. Mike Chen, M.D.	Registration	Approve
24.	Lynn Taggart, P.A. Milton George, II, D.O.	Registration	Approve
25.	Timothy Tisdale, P.A. Stephanie Bender, M.D.	Registration	Approve
26.	Angela Tortomase, P.A. Rachel Oser, M.D.	Modification of Core Duties and Scope of Practice Administering local anesthetic agents Chest tube/pleural cath removal EKG 12 Lead Interpretation with subsequent physician interpretation Foreign body removal Initial x-ray interpretation with subsequent physician interpretation Lumbar puncture for adult patients only	Approve with standard language

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		Suturing of superficial lacerations  Request to Train Central Venous Line Insertion- Internal Jugular, Central Venous Line Insertion- Femoral	
27.	Wesley Winebrenner, P.A. Thomas Alderson, M.D.	Registration	Approve

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## P.A. / A.A. Registration and Requests Outside Protocol

PA/P	Physician	Registration / Remote site / Formulary	Recommendation
1.	Bryan Harrell, P.A. Matthew McIntyre, M.D.	Request to Train Intracavernosal Injections Testopel Implantation	Intracavernosal Injections:  Approve to train with 10 supervised procedures fo training and 15 annual procedures to maintain competency  Notify Dr. McIntyre that the NP being trained for the same procedure will be required to annually complete 15 procedures to maintain competency following approval of supervised practice
			Testopel Implantation:  Approve implantation wit dosing determined and initiated by physician  Training requirement: 10 procedures  Annual Competency: 15 procedures  Future requests can be considered within protoco





PA / Physician		Registration / Remote site / Formulary	Recommendation
			Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., recused himself from discussion, deliberation, and determination
2.	Kimberly Mills, P.A. Todd Hold, M.D.	Registration Remote Site Antineoplastic Agents Methotrexate Biologic or Biosimilar DMARDS and Anti-tumor necrosis factor drugs Other Biologics or Biosimilars (excluding anti-TNF) Request to Transfer Training Electrodessication and Curettage Shave/Scissor Excisions	<ul> <li>Defer registration, remote site, and formulary and training requests until a physician who is readily available for direct medical intervention is added to the application for registration.</li> <li>Dr. Hold should be notified that any future application should include a covering physician who is capable of providing appropriate direct medical intervention for the procedures performed.</li> </ul>
3.	Margaret Shadix, P.A. Weifeng Song, M.D.	Request to Train Dobhoff Placement Using CORTRAK Guidance	Approve     Training requirement: 10 procedures     Annual Competency: 15 procedures

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### **ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSES**

## **Collaborative Practice Applicants**

Collaborative Practice Registration Applicants The Credentials Committee recommended approval of Collaborative Practice Registration Applicants one through one hundred sixty-seven.

Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., ABME, Public Minutes

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Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. The list of applicants shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit D.

Collaborative Practice Modification Applicants The Credentials Committee recommended approval of Collaborative Practice Modification Applicants one through fifty-two. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. The list of applicants shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit E.

Collaborative Practice Covering Physician Applicants The Credentials Committee recommended approval of Collaborative Practice Covering Physician Applicants one through one hundred twenty-seven. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. The list of applicants shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit F.

<u>Limited Protocol Applicants</u> The Credentials Committee recommended approval of Limited Protocol Applicants one through eleven. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William

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J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion. The list of applicants shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit G.

# **APN Miscellaneous Skills Requests Within Protocol**

	Physician CRNP	Request	Recommendation				
Req	Request to Train or Transfer: Critical Care Specialty Protocol						
1.	Puneet Aulakh, M.D. Jennifer Heim, CRNP	To train Critical Care Specialty Protocol: central venous line insertion, internal jugular and femoral; arterial line insertion, femoral	Approve to train/ standard language				
2.	Marcus Bell, M.D. Jessica Jones, CRNP	To transfer previously approved Critical Care Specialty Protocol including previously approved skills: central venous line insertion, internal jugular	Approve transfer				
3.	Sheetal Gondotra, M.D. Madison Cochie, CRNP	To train Critical Care Specialty Protocol: central venous line insertion, internal jugular and femoral; arterial line insertion, femoral	Approve to train/ standard language				
4.	Andrew Lenneman, M.D. Ashley Shepherd, CRNP	To train Critical Care Specialty Protocol: removal of pacing wires, mediastinal chest tubes, and pulmonary artery catheters	Approve to train/standard language				
5.	William A. McCrory, M.D. Chelsea Columbo, CRNP	To transfer previously approved Critical Care Specialty Protocol including previously approved skills: central venous line insertion, internal jugular	Approve transfer				
6.	Kyle Packer, D.O. Jessica Jones, CRNP	To transfer previously approved Critical Care Specialty Protocol including previously approved skills: central venous line insertion, internal jugular	Approve transfer				
7.	Darryl D. Prime, M.D. Jordan Teal, CRNP	To transfer previously approved Critical Care Specialty Protocol including previously approved skills: central venous line insertion, internal jugular	Approve transfer				
8.	Orlando Turner, M.D. Sherri Blackerby, CRNP	To train Critical Care Specialty Protocol: central venous line insertion, internal jugular and femoral using 13 French (CVL Team)	Approve to train/ standard language				
	uest to Approve Supervised Prac						
9.	Christopher Adams, M.D. Catherine Kohl, CRNP	Approval of supervised practice for trigger point injections below T-12; injections of the shoulder (subacromial bursa and acromioclavicular joint) greater trochanteric bursa and knee.	Defer for further consideration of standard language and for clarification of procedures				

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	Physician CRNP	Request	Recommendation
10.	Stephen Gould, M.D. Brent Mortensen, CRNP	Approval of supervised practice for joint injections of knee, greater trochanteric bursa	Defer for further consideration of standard language
11.	Amanda N. Hopkins, M.D. Jared Jones, CRNP	Approval of supervised practice for central venous line insertion, internal jugular and femoral; arterial line insertion, femoral	Approve
12.	Lowell Mason, M.D. Spencer McDonald, CRNP	Approval of supervised practice for joint injections of the shoulder, olecranon bursa and knee	Defer for further consideration of standard language
13.	Richard D. Rainey, M.D. Courtney DuBose, CRNP	Approval of supervised practice for joint injections of knee (25). Approval to perform at a remote site	Defer for further consideration of standard language
14.	Bradford Woodworth, M.D. Stephanie Hill, CRNP	Approval of supervised practice for flexible fiberoptic diagnostic laryngoscopy and diagnostic nasal endoscopy (flexible and rigid)	Approve

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## APN Miscellaneous Skills Requests Outside Protocol

	Physician CRNP	Specific Request	Recommendation
1.	Christopher Adams, M.D. Catherine Kohl, CRNP	Review joint injections submitted glenohumeral bursa (11).	Defer for clarification
		To train Glenohumeral joint aspiration and injection; injection of bicepial tendon; bicipital tendon; and biceps muscle	Do not approve
2.	Benjamin Niland, M.D. Jeremy Pfeil, CRNP	To train for trigger point injections of the abdominal wall	Do not approve
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	Physician CRNP	Specific Request	Recommendation
3.	William P. Saliski, D.O. Jodi Dixon, CRNP	Approve supervised practice completed on time but submitted after one-year time frame Grant approval to train for central venous line insertion, femoral	Approve Approve
Misce	llaneous Requests		
4.	Orthopedic Skills Request Form Changes	Approve	
5.	Orthopedic Specialty Protocol Revision	Refer to Joint Committee for recommendati requirements and annual competency requi	

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## APN and PA QACSC and LPSP

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### APN and PA QACSC Applicants Within Protocol

	Physician:	CRNP/ CNM/ P.A.:
1.	Douglas Adams, M.D.	Steffanie Richardson, CRNP
2.	Leona Graham, M.D.	Dallarie Jamison, CRNP
3.	James Hart, D.O.	Paul Murden, CRNP
4.	Jack Heath, M.D.	Daniel Nailor, CRNP
5.	Farrukh Jamil, M.D.	Terri Tebo, CRNP
6.	William McCrory, M.D.	Chelsea Colombo, CRNP
7.	Alexander McQueen, M.D.	Hannah Hale, CRNP
8.	Michael Sanford, M.D.	Stacey King, CRNP
9.	Eric Senn, D.O.	Sarah Faison, CRNP
10.	Charlie Ferguson, M.D.	Jennifer Grutzik, P.A.
11.	James Junkins, M.D.	James Lombardo, P.A.
12.	Robert Perkins, M.D.	Julie Lucas, P.A.

The Credentials Committee recommended approval applicants one through twelve. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D.,

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# APN and PA Limited Purpose Schedule II Permit Within Protocol

Phys	ician / APN / Specialty	Formulary Request	Recommendation	
		1 ormalary request	Approve	Not Approved
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1.	David Campbell, MD	ADHD Medications	ADHD Medications	
	Cheryl Hubbard, CRNP	Hydrocodone	Hydrocodone Combinations	
		Combinations	Hydrocodone Cough	
		Hydrocodone Cough Preps	Preps***	
		Morphine Sulfate IR	Morphine Sulfate IR	
1		Oxycodone IR	Oxycodone IR	
		Tapentadol	Tapentadol	
2.	Gregory Cummings, MD	ADHD Medications	ADHD Medications in adult	
	Valerie Wiggins, CRNP	1	patients only	
3.	Rajesh Gujjula, MD	ADHD Medications	ADHD Medications	
	Tanya Rowell, CRNP	Hydrocodone	Hydrocodone Combinations	
		Combinations	Hydrocodone Cough	
	İ	Hydrocodone Cough Preps	Preps***	
		Morphine Sulfate IR	Morphine Sulfate IR	
		Oxycodone IR	Oxycodone IR	
i	i	Tapentadol	Tapentadol	
4.	Richard Hammock, MD	ADHD Medications	ADHD Medications in adult	
	April Tate, CRNP	Hydrocodone	patients only	ŀ
		Combinations	Hydrocodone Combinations	l
		Hydrocodone Cough Preps	Hydrocodone Cough	
		Oxycodone IR	Preps***	
		Oxycodone iii	Oxycodone IR	
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5.	Jack Heath, MD	ADHD Medications	ADHD Medications	
-	Daniel Nailor, CRNP	Hydrocodone	Hydrocodone Combinations	
		Combinations	Hydrocodone Cough	
		Hydrocodone Cough Preps	Preps***	
		Oxycodone IR	Oxycodone IR	
6.	Sanjay Malhotra, MD	ADHD Medications	ADHD Medications for	
J	Robin Pack, CRNP	ADITO Medications		
	ROBINT BCK, CRIVE		ADD/ADHD only	
7.	George C. Smith, Jr., MD	ADHD Medications	ADHD Medications	
	Shellie Ray, CRNP	Hydrocodone	Hydrocodone Combinations	
		Combinations	Hydrocodone Cough	
		Hydrocodone Cough Preps	Preps***	
1		Morphine Sulfate IR	Morphine Sulfate IR	
		Oxycodone IR	Oxycodone IR	
1		Tapentadol	Tapentadol	[
1		ropentadoi	Approve the following with	
		Fentanyl I A Batch		
<u> </u>	l	Fentanyl LA Patch	standard long-acting	<u>                                     </u>

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	Physi	cian / APN / Specialty	Formulary Request	Recommendation Approve	Not Approved
			Hydrocodone ER/LA Hydromorphone Morphine Sulfate LA Oxycodone LA Oxymorphone LA Tapentadol ER	language for Hospice/Palliative Care under Hospice/ Nursing home/ Oncology patients only: Fentanyl LA Patch Hydrocodone ER/LA Hydromorphone Morphine Sulfate LA Oxycodone LA Oxymorphone LA Tapentadol ER	
	8.	Tyler Stracener, MD Brooklyn Greenwood, CRNP	ADHD Medications Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps Morphine Sulfate IR Oxycodone IR  Fentanyl LA Patch Hydromorphone Morphine Sulfate LA Oxycodone LA	Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps*** Morphine Sulfate IR Oxycodone IR Approve the following with standard long-acting language for Hospice/Palliative Care under Hospice/ Nursing home/ Oncology patients only: Fentanyl LA Patch Hydromorphone Morphine sulfate LA	ADHD Medications
	9.	Marianne Saitz, DO John Hayes, CRNP	ADHD Medications	Oxycodone LA ADHD Medications	
	10.	Michael Sanford, MD Stacey King, CRNP	Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps	Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps***	
	11.	Eric Senn, DO Sarah Faison, CRNP	Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps Morphine Sulfate IR Oxycodone IR	Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps*** Morphine Sulfate IR Oxycodone IR	
	12.	James Tuck, MD Mary Ann Crow, CRNP	ADHD Medications Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps	ADHD Medications for ADD/ADHD only Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps***	

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Physician / APN / Specialty		Formulary Request	Recommendation Approve	Not Approved
13.	Osama Abdul-Rahim, MD Kendyl Burke, PA	Hydrocodone Combinations Oxycodone IR	Hydrocodone Combinations Oxycodone IR	
14.	Charlie Ferguson, MD Jennifer Grutzik, PA	Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps Oxycodone IR	Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps*** Oxycodone IR	
15.	William Gibson, MD Carly Bramel, PA	ADHD Medications Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps Oxycodone IR	ADHD Medications Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps*** Oxycodone IR	
16.	Jason Junkins, MD James Lombardo, PA	Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps	Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps***	

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Approve with the following standard language: Cough preparations containing opiates should be avoided in patients who are currently taking opioid medications and ALL patients under the age of 18 years.

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#### JOINT COMMITTEE FOR ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSING

Joint Committee for Advanced Practice Nursing Meeting – Tuesday, February 16, 2021

The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report to be given by John S.

Meigs, Jr., M.D.

After consideration by the full Board of a report presented by Dr. Meigs, a motion was made by John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., that was seconded by Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., that the report be received as information. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung,

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A motion was made by John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., that was seconded by Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., to receive as information the Minutes of the January 19, 2021, meeting of the Joint Committee. The motion was adopted without objection. A copy of the Minutes shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit I.

## <u>Items Pending Joint Committee</u>

Administrative Rules 540-X-8, Advanced Practice Nurses:

540-X-8-.01, Definitions

540-X-8-.03, Qualifications for Approval to Practice as a Certified Registered Nurse Practitioner

540-X-8-.04, Qualifications for Physicians in Collaborative Practice with Certified Registered Nurse Practitioners

540-X-8-.05.1, Reinstatement of Lapsed Approval for Practice as a Certified Registered Nurse Practitioner

540-X-8-.06, Authorization for Practice as a Certified Registered Nurse Practitioner

540-X-8-.07, Temporary Approval to Practice as a Certified Registered Nurse Practitioner

540-X-8-.08, Requirements for Collaborative Practice by Physicians and Certified Registered Nurse Practitioners

540-X-8-.12, Limitations upon Utilization of Certified Registered Nurse Practitioners

540-X-8-.15, Grounds for Termination of Approval of a Collaborative Practice -

**Physicians and Certified Registered Nurse Practitioners** 

540-X-8-.17, Qualifications for Approval as a Certified Nurse Midwife

540-X-8-.18, Qualifications for Physicians in Collaborative Practice with Certified Nurse Midwives

540-X-8-.19.1, Reinstatement of Lapsed Approval for Practice as a Certified Nurse Midwife

540-X-8-.20, Authorization for Practice as a Certified Nurse Midwife

540-X-8-.21, Temporary Approval as a Certified Nurse Midwife

540-X-8-.22, Requirements for Collaborative Practice by Physicians and Certified Nurse Midwives

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540-X-8-.26, Limitations upon Utilization of Certified Nurse Midwives 540-X-8-.29, Grounds for Termination of Approval of a Collaborative Practice – Physicians and Certified Nurse Midwives

The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report from the Joint committee.

After consideration by the full Board of a report from the Joint Committee, a motion was made by John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., that was seconded by Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., to approve Administrative Rules 540-X-8-.01; .03; .04; .05.1; .06; .07; .08; .12; .15; .17; .18; .19.1; .20; .21; .22; .26; .29 for publication for public comment in the *Alabama Administrative Monthly*. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion.

Administrative Rules 540-X-8-.11 and .25, Prescriptions and Medication Orders by

Certified Registered NPs and CNMs The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report from the Joint committee.

After consideration by the full Board of a report from the Joint Committee, a motion was made by John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., that seconded by Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., to approve Administrative Rules 540-X-8-.11 and .25, *Prescriptions and Medication Orders by Certified Registered NPs and CNMs*, for publication for public comment in the *Alabama Administrative Monthly*. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr.,

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M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion.

#### **PERSONNEL**

Jason Green – Investigator The Credentials Committee recommended that the employment of Jason Green be ratified. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion.

#### **HEARINGS**

ABME Hearing Schedule The Credentials Committee recommended that the hearing schedule be received as information. Aruna T. Arora, M.D., Gregory W. Ayers, M.D., Eli L. Brown, M.D., Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Michael T. Flanagan, M.D., Beverly F. Jordan, M.D., Gary F. Leung, M.D., John S. Meigs, Jr., M.D., Patrick J. O'Neill, M.D., Dick Owens, M.D., William J. Suggs, M.D., Jefferson Underwood, III, M.D., Jane A. Weida, M.D., and Amanda J. Williams, M.D., voted in favor of the motion.

## Meeting Recessed: 11:28 a.m.

Board Chairman Mark H. LeQuire, M.D., recessed the public portion of the meeting to convene the confidential portion of the meeting. Dr. LeQuire announced that the public portion of the meeting would reconvene at approximately 1:00 p.m.

## Meeting Reconvened: 1:02 p.m.

Mark H. LeQuire, M.D., reconvened the public portion of the meeting.



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# **HEARINGS**

Bruce Wayne Russell, M.D., Sumiton, AL After consideration of testimony and exhibits presented before a hearing panel of the Board, an Order was entered revoking Dr. Russell's Alabama Controlled Substances Certificate. A copy of the Order shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit J.



## Meeting Adjourned: 2:54 p.m.

The Alabama State Board of Medical Examiners will convene its next regularly scheduled public meeting March 17, 2021, 848 Washington Avenue, Montgomery, AL.

Amy T. Dorminey
Recording Secretary

Approved

Mark H. LeQuire, M.D.

Chairman

Approved

William M. Perkins Executive Director

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