# ALABAMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

#### **PUBLIC MINUTES**

**Regular Meeting** 

848 Washington Avenue, Montgomery, AL

May 15, 2025

Meeting format: In-person

#### **Members Present**

William E. Admire, Jr., D.O.

Aruna T. Arora, M.D.

Gregory W. Ayers, M.D.

Tonya E. Bradley, M.D.

Hernando D. Carter, M.D., Vice-Chairman

Nina S. Ford Johnson, M.D.

Adam C. Harrison, D.O.

Marquisha M. Jarmon, M.D.

Beverly F. Jordan, M.D.

Mark H. LeQuire, M.D.

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

William J. Schneider, M.D.

William J. Suggs, M.D.

David R. Thrasher, M.D.

Jane A. Weida, M.D.

Amanda J. Williams, M.D.

# **Recording Secretary**

Amy T. Dorminey

#### Staff Present

Sam Aikens

Kimie Buley

**Mandy Ellis** 

Jason Green

Alicia Harrison

**Chris Hart** 

**Matt Hart** 

**Effie Hawthorne** 

Wilson Hunter

**Roland Johnson** 

Sandi Kirkland

Sally Knight

#### **Staff Present Continued**

William Perkins

Suzanne Powell

Leslie Roberts

**Tiffany Seamon** 

**Tonya Vice** 

# Staff Present Via Videoconference

Deana Bozeman

Chekaylah Bradley

Amy Bullen

**Kathy Burkett** 

O.V. Chavez

Julee Cranmore

**Anthony Crenshaw** 

Lynde Crowder

Rebecca Daniels

Randy Dixon

Jaime Friday

Melissa Frver

**Scott Johnson** 

Donna Jordan

Tammy Kelley

**Abby Knight** 

Carla Kruger

Stephen Lavender

**Christy Lawson** 

**Brooke Lewis** 

Brandi Madderra

Hannah Paulk

**Edwin Rogers** 

**Scott Sides** 

Karen Silas

Diane Smith

**Bob Steelman** 

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#### **Staff Present Via Videoconference**

Shemika Whetstone Devin Whittle

#### **Others Present**

Brandi Boone
Evans Brown
Kuntal Desai, M.D.
LaToya Hicks, D.O.
Nikolete Hurrinus
Mark Jackson
Meghan Martin
Christy Mumford

# Call to Order: 11:34 a.m.

With prior notice given in accordance with the Alabama Open Meetings Act, and with a quorum of the Board physically present, Board Chairman Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., convened the public portion of the meeting of the Alabama State Board of Medical Examiners.

Executive Director's Report Director Perkins asked William J. Suggs, M.D., to provide a report from the FSMB Annual Meeting held in April 2025. Director Perkins then shared that Jorge Alsip, M.D., Chairman of the Medical Licensure Commission, was elected to the FSMB Board of Directors for a three-year term, and that Craig Christopher, M.D., MLC member, received the FSMB Leadership Award at the FSMB Annual Meeting. Matt Hart provided a legislative update.

#### **MINUTES**

<u>Public Minutes of April 10, 2025</u> The Credentials Committee recommended the Public Minutes of April 10, 2025, be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

<u>Public Minutes of April 12, 2025</u> The Credentials Committee recommended that the Public Minutes of April 12, 2025, be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.



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### **CURRENT BUSINESS**

#### **Other**

Continuing Medical Education Requirements for Voluntary Practice The Credentials Committee recommended the request to modify the continuing medical education requirements for physicians who volunteer their services not be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

<u>Professional Boundaries Education</u> The Credentials Committee recommended that research be conducted to determine ways that the Board can work with Alabama medical schools and residency programs to develop training material to educate medical students and residents on key issues that negatively impact a physician's medical license. The motion was adopted without objection.

MLC Administrative Rule 545-X-1-.02, Officers of the Commission The Credentials Committee recommended that the proposed amendments to Medical Licensure Commission Administrative Rule 545-X-1-.02, Officers of the Commission, be received as information. By unanimous consent, the rule was received as information.

### **CME PLANNING COMMITTEE**

Report by William J. Suggs, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report by Dr. Suggs.

After consideration by the full Board of a report from the Continuing Medical Education Planning Committee meeting held April 10, 2025, presented by Dr. Suggs, by unanimous consent, the report was received as information. A copy of the report shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit A.



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Minutes of December 12, 2024 The Credentials Committee recommended the Continuing Medical Education (CME) Planning Committee Minutes of December 12, 2024, be received as information. By unanimous consent the Minutes were received as information. A copy of the Minutes shall be attached hereto as Exhibit B.

# ATHLETIC TRAINERS ADVISORY COUNCIL

Report by Beverly F. Jordan, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report from Beverly F. Jordan, M.D.

After consideration by the full Board of a report by Dr. Jordan of the Athletic Trainers Advisory Council meeting held May 13, 2025, by unanimous consent, the report was received as information. A copy of the report shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit C.

Athletic Trainers Advisory Council Minutes of December 4, 2024 The Credentials Committee recommended the Minutes of the Athletic Trainers Advisory Council meeting on December 4, 2024, be received as information. By unanimous consent, the Minutes were received as information. A copy of the Minutes shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit D.

#### Athletic Trainer Requests to Perform Dry Needling

	Supervising Physician	Athletic Trainer	Recommendation
1.	Emily B. Casey, M.D.	Anna Bolton	Approve
2.	Emily B. Casey, M.D.	Lauren Talton	Approve
3.	Eric Law, M.D.	Amber McNulty	Approve
4.	Eric Law, M.D.	Jeffrey Freiberg	Approve
5.	Jeffery C. Laubenthal, M.D.	Will Warrick	Approve

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of applicants one through five. The motion was adopted without objection.

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# **LICENSURE**

# Full License Applicants

	<u>Name</u>	Medical School	<u>Endorsement</u>
1.	Sam David Abdehou	LSU Medical Center in Shreveport	USMLE/LA
2.	Christopher Jordan Adams	Lincoln Memorial Univ Debusk College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
3.	Kamardeen Diekola Alabi	Ahmadu Bello University	USMLE/GA
4.	Maad M. Alhudairy	King Saud University, Riyadh	USMLE
5.	Sonia I. Alicea	Iberoamericana University	USMLE
6.	Saud Abdulelah O Alsaleh	King Saud University, Riyadh	USMLE/SC
7.	Fernando Alvarez, Jr.	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine Auburn	COMLEX
8.	Farah Anees	Sindh Medical College	USMLE/KY
9.	Alexis Preston Aranda	University of Medicine and Health Sciences St. Kitts	USMLE
10.	Subhan Ata	American University of the Caribbean	USMLE
11.	Victoria Badia	Wayne State University School of Medicine	USMLE
12.	Firas Baidoun	University of Aleppo	USMLE/FL
13.	Julianna Betbeze	University of South Florida	USMLE/VA
14.	Elyssa Blissenbach	SUNY at Buffalo School of Medicine & Biomedical Science	NBME/SC
15.	Melanie E Bourgeau	Western Michigan Univ Homer Stryker M.D. School of Medicine	USMLE/GA
16.	Duncan Lee Bralts	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/MO
17.	Michael Robert Brunner	University of Tennessee Memphis College of Medicine	USMLE/TN
18.	Ashley Cainion	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE
19.	Martha Christine Carlough	Sidney Kimmel Medical College at Thomas Jefferson University	NBME/NY
20.	Thomas Alexander Cato	William Carey University College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/OH
21.	Stephanie Cheifet	UCLA, David Geffen School of Medicine	USMLE/CA
22.	Jessica A Clark	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine Auburn	COMLEX
23.	Philip William Dockery	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE
24.	Rana Khan Fowlkes	Cornell University	USMLE
25.	Caroline Self Fulwyler	Louisiana State University	USMLE
26.	Donald William Furman	Lincoln Memorial Univ Debusk College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/IN
27.	Antonino Germana	Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences	USMLE/NC
28.	Gracie Sanders Gibbs	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine Auburn	COMLEX
29.	Alois Edwin Gross-Lesch	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine Auburn	COMLEX/MI
30.	Stephen Timothy Hantus	Augusta University	USMLE/OH
31.	Jonathan Leslie Harper	Indiana University School of Medicine Indianapolis	USMLE/KY
32.	Shawn Wesley Haynes	Ross University	USMLE/FL
33.	Brittany Nicole Hegde	University of Tennessee Memphis College of Medicine	USMLE/TX
34.	Jamie Michelle Hennigan	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE/OH
35.	Robert Hamilton Hermann	University of Texas Southwestern	USMLE/OR
36.	Stephen Todd Hollingsworth	American University of the Caribbean	USMLE
37.	Brittany Marie Huynh	Indiana University School of Medicine Indianapolis	USMLE/IN
38.	Victoria Dung Huynh	Texas A & M University	USMLE/CO
39.	Paul Louis Hyman	Harvard Medical School	USMLE/MA
10.	Zohaib Mohammad Ijaz	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE

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	<u>Name</u>	Medical School	<b>Endorsement</b>
41.	Alexandrea Cool Jager	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE
42.	Shaquana Clark James	Meharry Medical College	USMLE/VA
43.	Hannah Virginia Jarvis	Indiana University School of Medicine Indianapolis	USMLE/KY
44.	Jonathan Daniel Joiner	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/MI
45.	Scott David Robert Jossart	Medical College of Wisconsin	USMLE
46.	Jody Watson Joynt	University of Alabama School of Medicine Birmingham	USMLE/VA
47.	David Eric Kantrowitz	Columbia University	USMLE/DE
48.	Ebrahim Hasan Khan	Aga Khan Medical College, Aga Khan University	USMLE/MN
49.	Usman Ayub Khan	University of Peshawar Khyber Medical College	USMLE/TX
50.	Glorivel M Koury De Ramos	Santo Domingo Institute of Technology	USMLE/OH
51.	Justin Alan Kreuze	Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/MI
52.	Maria Emma Laughlin	Mayo Medical School	USMLE/TN
53.	Brandon Thomas Leding	University of Arkansas College of Medicine	USMLE/WI
54.	Sally Lee	Rutgers New Jersey Medical School	USMLE/NY
55.	Vikas Le-Kumar	St. Georges University	USMLE/MN
56.	Theresa Long	University of Texas Houston Medical School	USMLE/IN
57.	Joshua Nathan Maher	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine Auburn	COMLEX
58.	Meenakumari Manoharan	Volgograd Medical Academy	USMLE/GA
59.	Sully Mariel Marquez Flores	National Autonomous University of Honduras	USMLE
60.	Robert Ewing McAlister III	LSU School of Medicine New Orleans	USMLE/FL
61.	Matthew Coleman McCurdy	Alabama College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/KY
52.	Raynia Letitia McGee	Meharry Medical College	USMLE/SC
63.	Brian Young McLean	UCLA, David Geffen School of Medicine	NBME/CA
64.	Victoria I Moncada Castro	National Autonomous University of Honduras	USMLE
65.	Shirlene Tolbert Moten	Rutgers New Jersey Medical School	NBME/NJ
66.	Muhammad Munawar	Services Institute of Medical Sciences	USMLE/OH
67.	Lillian Tiana Murphy	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE/LA
68.	Michaela Renee Myers	University of South Carolina School of Medicine	USMLE
69.	Conner Alexander Patrick	University of Texas Houston Medical School	USMLE/OK
70.	Taylor Robert Payne	Augusta University	USMLE/GA
71.	Maha Raslan	Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX
72.	Rachel N Rendon	University of Central Florida College of Medicine	USMLE
73.	Jacob Richard Romm	University of Washington School of Medicine	USMLE
74.	Estefania Ruiz Perez	University of Puerto Rico School of Medicine	USMLE
75.	Matthew Saunders	Eastern Virginia Medical School	USMLE
76.	Tiffany Schwasinger-Schmidt	University of Kansas School of Medicine Wichita	USMLE/KS
77.	Joseph Steven Snooks, II	Mercer University School of Medicine	USMLE/SC
78.	Benjamin Joseph Sommer	New York College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/NY
79.	Corey Wayne Speers	Baylor College of Medicine	USMLE/MI
80.	Hugo St. Hilaire	Icahn Som at Mount Sinai	USMLE/LA
81.	Alexandra Nicole Stedke	University of North Texas Health Science Center	COMLEX
82.	Kyra Nikole Stepney	Ohio University Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine	COMLEX/GA
83.	William McKinley Steward	LSU School of Medicine New Orleans	USMLE/MS
84.	Zachary Taylor	Elson S. Floyd College of Medicine, Washington State University	USMLE

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	<u>Name</u>	Medical School	<b>Endorsement</b>
85.	Michael David Tenison	Oregon Health and Science University School of Medicine	USMLE/PA
86.	Gregory Lamar Thompson	University of Tennessee Memphis College of Medicine	NBME/TN
87.	Asra Toobaie	McGill University Faculty of Medicine	LMCC/CA
88.	Melissa Anne Trevelline	Ross University	USMLE/PA
89.	Madeline Marie Lear Tucker	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE
90.	Katherine Anne Turner	University of Colorado School of Medicine	USMLE/IL
91.	Blake Philip Van Court	LSU School of Medicine New Orleans	USMLE
92.	Rachel Anne Ward	Florida State University College of Medicine	USMLE/TN
93.	Amber T Watts	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine Auburn	COMLEX
94.	Mary Frances Weeks	University of Mississippi School of Medicine	USMLE
95.	Zachary R Wood	Edward Via College of Osteopathic Medicine Auburn	COMLEX
96.	Denise Marie Young Ajose	Howard University College of Medicine	USMLE/NJ

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of applicants one through ninety-six.

The motion was adopted without objection.

# **Limited License Applicants**

	<u>Name</u>	Medical School	<u>Endorsement</u>
1.	Sabah Ambreen	Jahurul Islam Medical College	LL/AL
2.	Juan E Borja Ceballos	Pontifical Catholic Univ of Ecuador	LL/AL
3.	Ryan S Sanchez Briones	Univ of East Ramon Magsaysay Memorial	LL/AL
4.	Maria A Chilo Bejarano	G.R. Moreno Autonomous University	LL/AL
5.	Herandenny Giraldo	Autonomous Univ of Guadalajara	LL/AL
6.	Yoseph Legesse Herpo	Hayat Medical College	LL/AL
7.	Shristi Joshi	Sun Yat-Sen University	LL/AL
8.	Kollin Travis Kahler	American University of the Caribbean	LL/AL
9.	Mehdi Khaleghi	Tehran University	LL/AL
10.	Xin Zhi Lim	National Univ of Malaysia	LL/AL
11.	Mahmoud A Mohamed	Ain-Shams University	LL/AL
12.	Maria J Moreno Leigue	Bolivian Catholic Univ San Pablo	LL/AL
13.	Khudija Nayab	Khyber Medical University	LL/AL
14.	Brian Hoang Nguyen	Poznan Univ of Medical Sciences	LL/AL
15.	Jayunkumar M. Shah	B.J. Medical College	LL/AL
16.	Persis Susan Soman	Basaveshward Medical College	LL/AL
17.	Chithra Sreenivasan	Government Med College Ernakulam	LL/AL
18.	Rupesh Timilsina	Kathmandu University	LL/AL
19.	Davies E Toluhi	Obafemi Awolowo University	LL/AL



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The Credentials Committee recommended approval of applicants one through nineteen.

The motion was adopted without objection.

# <u>Certificates of Qualification for Ratification</u>

	<u>Name</u>	Medical School	<b>Endorsement</b>
1.	Sara Emily Allen Clark	University of South Alabama College of Medicine	USMLE/MS
2.	Vladimir J Dinolov	Augusta University	NBME/FL
3.	Anwar R. Isabell	Howard University College of Medicine	USMLE/PA
4.	Aemad Komarizadeh	Nova Southeastern Univ, Patel College of Osteo Med	COMLEX/CA
5.	William Rifkin	New York University School of Medicine	USMLE

The Credentials Committee recommended the issuance of Certificates of Qualification to applicants one through five be ratified. The motion was adopted without objection.

### ADVANCED PRACTICE PROVIDERS

# P.A. License Applicants

	<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>NCCPA</u>
1.	Victoria Carter, P.A.	North Greenville University	1199909
2.	LaDawnna Linnear, P.A.	Morehouse School of Medicine	1200171
3.	Kara Pagels, P.A.	Albany Medical College	1116412
4.	Lauren Roux, P.A.	Jefferson College of Health Sciences	1131513
5.	Sarah Thorne, P.A.	Samford University	1228871
6.	Rachel Walker, P.A.	Lincoln Memorial University	1200924

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of applicants one through six. The motion was adopted without objection.

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

PA / Physician		Registration / Requests	Recommendation
1.	Valerie Ackman, P.A. Scott Mabry, M.D.	Registration	Approve
2.	Heather Alexander, P.A. Christine Fouty, M.D.	Additional Site Request: USA Health Providence 6801 Airport Blvd Mobile, AL	Approve
3.	Brian Anderson, P.A. Michael Martin, M.D.	Approval of Supervised Practice Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:  • Greater Trochanteric Bursa	Approve



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PA / Ph	nysician	Registration / Requests	Recommendation
4.	Jill Beam, P.A. Tamer Elsayed, M.D.	Registration	Approve
5.	Shelley Beaty, P.A. Thomas Holley, M.D.	Registration	Approve
6.	Lindsey Beville, P.A. Christopher Park, M.D.	Additional Site Request: The Park Clinic for Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery DBA Park and Rebowe Clinic for Plastic Surgery 3700 Dauphin Street Suite A Mobile, AL	Approve
7.	Jimmy Carrillo, P.A. David Brand, M.D.	Registration	Approve
8.	Sarah Causey, P.A. Vincent Bivins, M.D.	Registration	Approve
9.	Jensen Cheshire, P.A. Timothy Taylor, M.D.	Limited Protocol for Urgent Care	Approve
10.	Robert Cibiras, P.A. David Brand, M.D.	Registration	Approve
11.	Ryan Collins, P.A. John Irons, M.D.	Registration Remote Site	Approve
12.	Ashleigh Dubose, P.A. Vamshi Raman Revuri, M.D.	Registration	Approve
13.	Michelle Dumestre, P.A. Corey Hartsman, M.D.	Request to Train Dermatology Specialty Protocol:  Shave Biopsies/Shave Removals Punch Biopsies Cryotherapy Biologics and Biosimilar Prescriptions  Request to Train Intra-lesional Injections of Benign Neoplasms	Approve with standard language
14.	Kimberly Farris, P.A. Steven Johnson, M.D.	Registration	Approve
15.	Timothy Fowler, P.A. David Brand, M.D.	Registration	Approve
16.	Lindsay Fretts, P.A. Imran Khalil, M.D.	Registration	Approve
17.	Sydney Givens, P.A. Andrea Alexander, M.D.	Request to Train  • Electrodessication and Curettage	Approve with standard language

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PA / Physician		Registration / Requests	Recommendation
18.	Brooke Golden, P.A. Raj Patel, M.D.	Request to Train  Dermatology Specialty Protocol:  Shave Biopsies/Shave Removals  Punch Biopsies  Cryotherapy  Biologics and Biosimilar Prescriptions	Approve with standard language
19.	Mary Graves, P.A. Grace Lagasse, M.D.	Registration	Approve
20.	Laura Harris, P.A. Thomas Myers, M.D.	Registration Other Biologics or Biosimilars (excluding anti-TNF)	Approve with standard language
21.	Aubrey Harvell, P.A. Alan Babcock, M.D.	Registration	Approve
22.	Heather Higgins, P.A. Rodney Dennis, M.D.	Registration	Approve
23.	Addy Hoezee, P.A. Evan Bailey, M.D.	Request to Train  Dermatology Specialty Protocol:  Shave Biopsies/Shave Removals  Punch Biopsies  Cryotherapy  Biologics and Biosimilar Prescriptions	Approve with standard language
24.	Christopher Hubauer, P.A. Kavita Iyengar, M.D.	Request to Train Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:	Approve with standard language
25.	Derrick Johnson, P.A. Austin Worley, D.O.	Request to Train Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:	Approve with standard language
26.	Julia Klug, P.A. Scariya Kumaramangalam, M.D.	Remote Site: Huntsville Emotional Wellness Center 3315 Memorial Parkway SW Ste. 502 Huntsville, AL	Approve
27.	Lauren Littleton, P.A. Robert Record, M.D.	Registration Remote Site	Approve

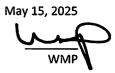
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PA / Physician		Registration / Requests	Recommendation
28.	Ragan Lowe, P.A. Christopher Harmon, M.D.	Remote Site: Surgical Dermatology Group – Oxford 1419 Hamric Drive Oxford, AL	Approve
29.	Jessica Marshman, P.A. Gayla Royer, M.D.	Registration Remote Site	Approve with standard language
		Request to Train Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:  • Acromioclavicular Joint	
		<ul> <li>Subacromial Bursa</li> <li>Greater Trochanteric Bursa</li> <li>Olecranon Bursa</li> </ul>	
		<ul><li>Knee Joint</li><li>Pes anserine Bursa</li><li>Ankle/Hindfoot</li></ul>	
		Request to Train  Trigger Point Injections below T-12	
30.	Abby Melton, P.A. Evans Bailey, M.D.	Request to Train Dermatology Specialty Protocol:	Approve with standard language
31.	Anna Moers, P.A.	Biologics and Biosimilar Prescriptions     Approval of Supervised Practice	Approve
	Daryl Dykes, M.D.	Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:  • Greater Trochanteric Bursa	
32.	Sarah Murphy, P.A. Brian Wood, M.D.	Approval of Supervised Practice Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  • Paracentesis (only under ultrasound guidance)	Approve
33.	Nancy Nicrosi, P.A. James Krell, 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
		Request to Train Dermatology Specialty Protocol:	
34.	Randall Nord, P.A. Steven Johnson, M.D.	Registration	Approve

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PA / Physician		Registration / Requests	Recommendation
35.	Crystal Pazder, P.A. Coleman Cowart, D.O.	Registration	Approve
36.	Jennifer Penuel, P.A. Paul Lavender, M.D.	Additional Site: University Medical Center - Northport 6205 Jemison Lane Northport, AL	Approve
37.	Jason Presley, P.A. Malaika Hakima, M.D.	Registration Remote Site	Approve
38.	Priya Patel, P.A. Scariya Kumaramangalam, M.D.	Remote Site: Huntsville Emotional Wellness Center 3315 Memorial Parkway SW Huntsville, AL	Approve
39.	Colin Richardson, P.A. Joshua Smith, M.D.	Modification of Core Duties and Scope of Practice  Approval of Supervised Practice  Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  • Central Venous Line Insertion- Internal Jugular- up to 9F	Approve
40.	Marilyn Roberts, P.A. Joshua Lane, M.D.	Approval of Supervised Practice Dermatology Specialty Protocol:	Approve
41.	Lauren Robinson, P.A. Elizabeth Martin, M.D.	Antineoplastic Agents	Approve with standard language
42.	Virginia Royer, P.A. Jefferson Sabatini, M.D.	Approval of Supervised Practice Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:	Approve
43.	Corrine Russo, P.A. Richard Dillion, M.D.	Registration Remote Site	Approve
44.	Jowell Seaborn, P.A. Jeremy Allen, D.O.	Registration Methotrexate	Approve with standard language
45.	Lillian Shaffer, P.A. Celia Fernandez, M.D.	Registration Antineoplastic Agents Methotrexate Oxytocics 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
46.	Maria Silva, P.A. Grant Bullock, D.O.	Registration Remote site	Approve





PA / PI	<u>hysician</u>	Registration / Requests	Recommendation
47.	Ellen Simmons, P.A. Holly Gunn, M.D.	Registration Antineoplastic Agents 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
48.	Emily Small, P.A. Charles Pitts, M.D.	Additional Site: Brookwood Baptist Medical Center 2010 Brookwood Medical Center Dr. Birmingham, AL	Approve
49.	Hannah Smith, P.A. Thomas Bender, M.D.	Approval of Supervised Practice Dermatology Specialty Protocol:	Approve
50.	Lauren Smith, P.A. Rachel Oser, M.D.	Registration Antineoplastic Agents  Request to Train  Fluoroscopy Protocol  Insertion of Central Venous Line, Tunneled	Approve with standard language
51.	Ashley Staton, P.A. Heather Licht, M.D.	Approval of Supervised Practice Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:  Wrist/Hand	Approve
52.	Katherine Storms, P.A. David Farrar, M.D.	Registration	Approve
53.	Lianna Templeton, P.A. David Helton, M.D.	Registration Remote Site	Approve
54.	Lauren Tucker, P.A. Samuel Galgano, M.D.	Approval of Supervised Practice Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  Thoracentesis	Approve
55.	Alexa Vanderhill, P.A. Mata Burke, M.D.	Registration	Approve
56.	Kyle Voss, P.A. Kerri Bally, M.D.	Registration Other Biologics or Biosimilars (excluding anti-TNF)	Approve with standard language
57.	Ailene Wade, P.A. Grant Bullock, D.O.	Registration Remote Site	Approve
58.	Jerry Warren, P.A. Stanton Davis, M.D.	Approval of Supervised Practice Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:  Subacromial Bursa Knee Joint	Approve
59.	Erin Wiley, P.A. Raphael Quansah, M.D.	Registration	Approve
60.	Eva Williams, P.A. John Thurber, M.D.	Registration	Approve

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P.	A / Ph	ysician	Registration / Requests	Recommendation
	61.	Jessica Williams, P.A. Richard Dillon, M.D.	Registration Remote Site	Approve

The recommendations of the Credentials Committee for items one through sixty-one were adopted without objection. Jane A. Weida, M.D., recused herself from discussion, deliberation, and determination.

P.A. / A.A. Registrations and Requests Outside of Protocol

	P.A. Physician	Request	Recommendation
1.	Rebecca Carter, P.A. Partick Louis, M.D.	Request to Train  Botox, Xeomin, and Dysport Injections for Temporomandibular Joint Disorders	Defer request to train to the June meeting
2.	Ashleigh DuBose, P.A. Vamshi Revuri, M.D.	Request to Train  • Pediatric Lumbar Puncture	Approve request to train  25 procedures required for training in patients 18 years of age or younger with a maximum of 5 simulation lab procedures to meet training requirement / 15 procedures required for annual maintenance
3.	Sarah Mabry, P.A. Robert Agee, M.D. Sports Medicine and	Request to Train Utilizing Platelet Rich Plasma Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:  • Subacromial Bursa • Knee Joint	Approve request to train  25 procedures required for training / 15 procedures required for annual maintenance
4.	Allison Pauly, P.A. John Roberts, M.D.	Request to Train  • Insertion of Hormone Pellets	Approve with standard language     Notify that hormone levels should be determined by independent lab, not pellet manufacturers, such as Biote     Provide HRT protocols

The recommendations of the Credentials Committee for items one through four were adopted without objection. Jane A. Weida, M.D., recused herself from discussion, deliberation, and determination.

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# APP Miscellaneous Skills Requests Outside Protocol

Amy Morris, M.D., and Dena Howell, M.D. / Sarah Elmore, CRNP, Rachel Fillingim, P.A., and Noel Zvonar, P.A. The Credentials Committee recommended the request for Sarah Elmore, CRNP, Rachel Fillingim, P.A., and Noel Zvonar, P.A., to initiate topical antineoplastics without physician approval not be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

# Collaborative Practice Applicants

<u>Collaborative Practice Applicants</u> The Credentials Committee recommended approval of applicants one through two-hundred and nineteen. The motion was adopted without objection.

The list of applicants shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit E.

<u>Collaborative Practice Modification Applicants</u> The Credentials Committee recommended approval of applicants one through fifty-nine. The motion was adopted without objection. 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 applicants one through twenty-eight. The motion was adopted without objection. 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	<u>Recommendation</u>
1.	Howard Alexander, M.D. Gary Lawson, CRNP	Approval to Transfer Supervised Practice Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:	Approve

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1	Physician CRNP	Request	Recommendation
2.	Kyle Eudailey, M.D. Makenzie Graves, CRNP	Request to Train Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  Removal of Pacing Wires	Approve with standard language
3.	Edward Ference, M.D. Jessica Gonzalvez, CRNP	Removal of Mediastinal Chest Tubes  Approval of Supervised Practice Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:     Subacromial Bursa     Greater Trochanteric Bursa     Knee Joint	Approve
4.	Kathleen Hesterman, M.D.	Approval of Supervised Practice  Trigger Point Injection Below T-12  Approval of Supervised Practice	Approve
4.	Lauren Foster, CRNP	Superficial Chemical Peels	Approve
5.	Bibi Jaumally, M.D. Meghan Burke, CRNP	Request to Train Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  Central Venous Line Insertion, Internal Jugular- up to 9F  Central Venous Line Insertion, Femoral-up to 9F	Approve with standard language
6.	Steven Johnson, M.D. John Webb, CRNP	Approval of Supervised Practice Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  Removal of Pacing Wires Removal of Mediastinal Chest Tube	Approve
7.	Cassidy Koonce, M.D. Lori Henry, CRNP	Request to Train  Wound Care with Sharps and Debridement	Approve with standard language
8.	Jose Leon, M.D. Linda Back, CRNP	Approval of Supervised Practice Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:  Subacromial Bursa Greater Trochanteric Bursa Knee Joint	Approve
9.	Philip Maddox, M.D. Deborah Light, CRNP	Approval of Supervised Practice Orthopedic Specialty Protocol:  • Subacromial Bursa • Wrist/Hand	Approve
10.	Philip McArdle, M.D. Chelsea Ramsey, CRNP	Request to Train  Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  • Central Venous Line Insertion, Internal Jugular- up to 9F	Approve with standard language
11.	Sarah McCormick, M.D. Faten Al-Khamis, CRNP	Approval of Supervised Practice Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  Removal of Pacing Wires Removal of Mediastinal Chest Tube	Approve
12.	Robert Moody, M.D. Jacey Redmond, CRNP	Approval of Supervised Practice  • Wound Care with Sharps and Debridement	Approve

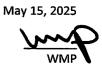




_		Physician CRNP	Request	Recommendation
	13.	Elizabeth Owings, M.D. Yisel Vicente, CRNP	Approval of Supervised Practice  Trigger Point Injections-Below T-12	Approve
	14.	Sasha Still, M.D. Katie King, CRNP	Request to Train Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  Removal of Pacing Wires Removal of Mediastinal Chest Tubes Removal of Left Atrial Catheters Removal of Pulmonary Artery Catheters (swan-ganz) Removal of Intra-aortic Balloon Pump	Approve with standard language
	15.	Sasha Still, M.D. Bailey Orr, CRNP	Request to Train Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  Removal of Intra-aortic Balloon Pump	Approve with standard language
	16.	Sasha Still, M.D. Lindsey Schafer, CRNP	Request to Train Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  Removal of Pacing Wires Removal of Mediastinal Chest Tubes Removal of Pulmonary Artery Catheters (swan-ganz) Removal of Intra-aortic Balloon Pump	Approve with standard language
	17.	Princess Thomas, M.D. Melanie Valdez, CRNP	Request to Train  • Ultrasound Guided Superficial Lymph Node Biopsies	Approve with standard language
	18.	Panayotis Vardas, M.D. Chad Norsworthy, CRNP	Approval of Supervised Practice Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  Removal of Pacing Wires Removal of Mediastinal Chest Tube	Approve
	19.	William Veale, M.D. Oluwagbenga Koriko, CRNP	Request to Train Critical Care Specialty Protocol:  Central Venous Line Insertion, Internal Jugular- up to 9F  Central Venous Line Insertion, Femoral- up to 9F	Approve with standard language
	20.	Edina Eva Von Rottenthaler, M.D. Michele Criner, CRNP	Request to Train  Trigger Point Injections Below T-12	Approve with standard language
	21.	Joshua Wharton, M.D. Amelia Frazier, CRNP	Approval of Supervised Practice  • Intralesional Steroid Injection of Benign Neoplasms	Approve

The recommendations of the Credentials Committee for items one through twenty-one were adopted without objection.





# **APN Miscellaneous Skills Requests Outside Protocol**

	Physician CRNP	Request	Recommendation
1.	David Fieno, M.D. Jennifer Daggett, CRNP	Request to Transfer Supervised Practice:  Independent Limited Phlebectomy	Defer for further information  - Request number of procedures completed for annual maintenance for the previous three years.
2.	Scott Parker, M.D. Joseph Bailey, CRNP	Request to Train  Non-Surgical and Surgical Debridement of Wounds Utilizing Placement of Skin Graft Substitute	Approve request to train
3.	Sonja Pettus, M.D. Brandi Carbonie, CRNP	Request to Train  Non-Surgical and Surgical Debridement of Wounds Utilizing Placement of Skin Graft Substitute	Approve request to train

The recommendations of the Credentials Committee for items one through three were adopted without objection.

# APN and PA QACSC Applicants Within Protocol

	Physician:	CRNP/ CNM/ PA:
1.	Jeffrey Anderson, M.D.	Dana Lawler, CRNP
2.	Muhammad Ata, M.D.	Kimberly Crow, CRNP
3.	Matthew Barber, M.D.	Christopher Stagner, CRNP
4.	Bradley Brooks, D.O.	Kimberly Parker, CRNP
5.	Charles Buckmaster, M.D.	Anice Brenner, CRNP
6.	Damon Fierro, M.D.	Susanna Dunlap, CRNP
7.	Sarah Kane, D.O.	Anna Anthony, CRNP
8.	Lisa King, M.D.	Natasha Andrews, CRNP
9.	Keith Kowal, M.D.	Hope Tindle, CRNP
10.	Sasank Peramesetty, M.D.	Sean Morris, CRNP
11.	Jeffery Price, M.D.	Laura Clark, CRNP
12.	Lee Schmitt, M.D.	Lisa Kuntz, CRNP
13.	Stuart Tieszen, M.D.	LaShaonda Richards, CRNP
14.	Gabruce Young, M.D.	Clifford Sloop, CRNP
<b>15</b> .	Sasank Peramesetty, M.D.	John Hartsell, P.A.
16.	Gayla Royer, M.D.	Jessica Marshman, P.A.

The Credentials Committee recommended approval of applicants one through sixteen.

The motion was adopted without objection.



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# APN and PA Limited Purpose Schedule II Permit Requests Within Protocol

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		Approve	Not Approved
1.	John Kasper, M.D.	Hydrocodone Combinations	
	Melaney Banks, CRNP	Morphine Sulfate IR	
		Oxycodone IR	
		Tapentadol	
2.	Lisa King, M.D.	ADHD Medications	
	Jada Turner-Mims, CRNP	Hydrocodone Combinations	
		Hydrocodone Cough Preps***	
		Morphine Sulfate IR	
		Oxycodone IR	
		Tapentadol	
3.	Lisa King, M.D.	Hydrocodone Cough Preps***	Fentanyl LA Patch
	Natasha Andrews, CRNP	Morphine Sulfate IR	Hydrocodone ER/LA
		Oxycodone IR	Hydromorphone
			Morphine Sulfate LA
			Oxycodone LA
			Oxymorphone LA
			Tapentadol ER
4.	Asmitha Sathiyakumar, M.D.	Hydrocodone Combinations	
	Candace Hiland, CRNP	Morphine Sulfate IR	
		Oxycodone IR	
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Tapentadol	
<b>₹</b> .	Jan Westerman, M.D.	ADHD Medications	ADHD Medications for
	Melody Smith, CRNP	For ADD/ADHD; narcolepsy	hypersomnolence, excessive
			daytime sleepiness
		Stimulants may be prescribed for the	
		treatment of narcolepsy only if the	Fentanyl LA Patch
		medications are FDA-approved for	Hydromorphone
		this condition, the patient has	Morphine Sulfate LA
		undergone a sleep study and received	Oxycodone LA
		a diagnosis of narcolepsy, and the	
		practice location has been approved	
		by the Board.	
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		Hydrocodone Combinations Hydrocodone Cough Preps***	
		Morphine Sulfate IR	
		Oxycodone IR	
		Tapentadol	
6.	Gavin Wilks, M.D.	Hydrocodone Combinations	
	Katelyn Pate, CRNP	Oxycodone IR	
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/.	Gabruce Young, M.D. Clifford Sloop, CRNP	ADHD Medications	
	Ciliford Sloop, CKINP	Hydrocodone Combinations	
		Hydrocodone Cough Preps***  Oxycodone IR	
8.	Jeffrey Cuomo, M.D.	Hydrocodone Combinations	
٥.	Peyton Jones, P.A.		
	reyton Jones, r.A.	Oxycodone IR	





Physician / APN / Specialty		Recommendation	
		Approve	Not Approved
9.	Thomas Sellers, M.D.	Hydrocodone Combinations	
	Jessie Hudson, P.A.	Oxycodone IR	

<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.

The recommendations of the Credentials Committee for items one through nine were adopted without objection.

# APN and PA Limited Purpose Schedule II Permit Requests Outside Protocol

Physician / APN / Specialty		Formulary Request	Recommendation
1.	Billy Davis, D.O. Ginger Lowman, CRNP	ADHD Medications	Defer for further information

The recommendation of the Credentials Committee for the request was adopted without objection.

# COSMETIC BOTULINUM TOXIN INJECTIONS FOR COSMETIC PURPOSES

Approved Training Courses The Credentials Committee recommended the AbbVie Botulinum Toxin Master Course and the Academy for Injection Anatomy (AIA) Advanced Cadaver Course be approved to meet the training requirement for the Cosmetic Botulinum Toxin Injections Protocol. The Credentials Committee recommended that the Method Foundational Neuromodulator Course not be approved to meet the training requirement.

The Committee further recommended that any courses for consideration should be physician led and that a request be made that the AbbVie Course be renamed to reflect the course subject matter so as not to be confused with the course of the same name targeted toward migraine treatment education. The motion was adopted without objection.





# **Cosmetic Botulinum Toxin Injection Protocol Requests**

	Physician CRNP	Request	Recommendation
1.	Erin Armstrong, P.A. Heather Haley, M.D.	Request to Train  Cosmetic Botulinum Toxin Injection Protocol	Approve with standard language
		AbbVie Botulinum Toxin Master Course	
2.	Lindsey Beville, P.A. Christopher Park, M.D.	Request to Train  • Cosmetic Botulinum Toxin Injection Protocol	Approve request to train with standard language
		Method Foundational Neuromodulator Course	Do not approve Method Foundational Neuromodulator Course for training requirement
3.	Sylvia Eldridge, P.A. Sarah Sawyer, M.D.	Request to Train  Cosmetic Botulinum Toxin Injection Protocol	Approve with standard language
		Aesthetic Medical Educators Training Course (AMET)	
4.	Rachael Franklin, P.A. Heather Haley, M.D.	Request to Train  Cosmetic Botulinum Toxin Injection Protocol	Approve with standard language
		AbbVie Botulinum Toxin Master Course	
5.	Allison Granger, P.A. Shelley Ray, M.D.	Request to Train  • Cosmetic Botulinum Toxin Injection Protocol	Approve with standard language
		AbbVie Botulinum Toxin Master Course	
6.	Kathryn Guilbeau, P.A. Kelsey Kennedy, M.D.	Request to Train  Cosmetic Botulinum Toxin Injection Protocol	Approve with standard language
		AbbVie Botulinum Toxin Master Course	
7.	Christin Rowe, P.A. Heather Haley, M.D.	Request to Train  Cosmetic Botulinum Toxin Injection Protocol	Approve with standard language
		AbbVie Botulinum Toxin Master Course	
8.	Mary Beth Templin, P.A. Maria Marks, M.D.	Request to Train  • Cosmetic Botulinum Toxin Injection Protocol	Approve with standard language
		AbbVie Botulinum Toxin Master Course	
9.	Marena Windle, P.A.	Request to Train	Approve with standard language
	Maria Marks, M.D.	Cosmetic Botulinum Toxin Injection Protocol	
		AbbVie Botulinum Toxin Master Course	

The recommendations of the Credentials Committee for items one through nine were adopted without objection.

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### **WAIVER REQUESTS**

<u>Brandon Honeywell, M.D.</u> The Credentials Committee recommended Dr. Honeywell's request for a waiver of qualifications of a supervising and collaborating physician be approved. The motion was adopted without objection.

### JOINT COMMITTEE FOR ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSES

Report by Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D. The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report from Dr. Rogers.

After consideration by the full Board of a report from the Joint Committee for Advanced Practice Nursing meeting held May 14, 2025, presented by Dr. Rogers, by unanimous consent, the report was received as information. The motion was adopted without objection. A copy of the report shall be attached hereto as Exhibit H.

Minutes of April 9, 2025 The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report from Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D.

After consideration by the full Board of a report presented by Dr. Rogers, by unanimous consent, the Minutes of the Joint Committee Meeting of April 9, 2025, were received as information. The motion was adopted without objection. A copy of the Minutes shall be attached hereto as Exhibit I.

#### Items Pending Joint Committee Review

<u>Matthew Vicinanzo, M.D. / Shelby Gerhardt, CRNP</u> The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report from the Joint Committee.

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After consideration of a recommendation from the Joint Committee that the collaborative practice application for Matthew Vicinanzo, M.D., with Shelby Gerhardt, CRNP, be deferred to a future meeting, the motion was adopted without objection.

ABN Standard Protocol The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report from the Joint Committee.

After consideration of a recommendation from the Joint Committee that the maximum allowable diameter of cryotherapy of non-pigmented superficial lesions and biopsies (skin) shave/punch be increased from 5mm to 6mm and the applicable standard protocols be amended, the motion was adopted without objection.

<u>Dermatology Specialty Protocol</u> The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report from the Joint Committee.

After consideration of a recommendation from the Joint Committee to approve the adoption of each respective Board's Dermatology Specialty Protocol, the motion was adopted without objection.

<u>Protocol for the Use of Fluoroscopy</u> The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report from the Joint Committee.

After consideration of a recommendation from the Joint Committee to approve the adoption of each respective Board's Protocol for the Use of Fluoroscopy, the motion was adopted without objection.

<u>Protocol for the Insertion of Tunneled Central Venous Lines</u> The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report from the Joint Committee.



May 15, 2025 WM After consideration of a recommendation from the Joint Committee to approve the adoption of each respective Board's Protocol for the Insertion of Tunneled Central Venous Lines, the motion was adopted without objection.

<u>Cosmetic Botulinum Toxin Injection Protocol</u> The Credentials Committee recommended deferring for a report from the Joint Committee.

After consideration of a report from the Joint Committee that this item is to be considered at the next meeting of the Alabama Board of Nursing, this item was received as information.

#### **HEARINGS**

ABME Hearing Schedule The Credentials Committee recommended the hearing schedule be received as information. By unanimous consent, the hearing schedule was received as information.

### Meeting Recessed: 12:08 p.m.

Board Chairman Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., recessed the public portion of the meeting to convene the confidential portion of the meeting. Dr. Rogers announced that the public portion of the meeting would reconvene at approximately 1:30 p.m.

### Meeting Reconvened: 1:44 p.m.

Board Chairman Charles M. A. Rogers, IV, M.D., reconvened the public portion of the meeting.

#### **HEARINGS**

Matthew D. Brown, P.A., Robertsdale, AL After consideration of testimony and exhibits presented before a hearing panel of the Board, an Order was entered granting renewal of Mr.



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Brown's physician assistant license subject to certain terms and conditions. A copy of the Order shall be made a part of these Minutes and shall be attached hereto as Exhibit J.

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# Meeting Adjourned: 2:44 p.m.

The Alabama Board of Medical Examiners will convene its next regularly scheduled public meeting June 12, 2025, 848 Washington Avenue, Montgomery, AL.

Amy T. Dorminey

Recording Secretary

**Approved** 

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

Chairman

**Approved** 

William M. Perkins Executive Director

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