

**SOUTH CAROLINA BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
BOARD MEETING MINUTES
110 CENTERVIEW DRIVE, ROOM 108, COLUMBIA, SC
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2006, 9:00 A.M.**

MEMBERS PRESENT: Dr. Norman E. Ouzts, Jr., Chair, Dr. Farrel I. Grossman, Vice Chair, Dr. Evan M. Cohen, Dr. Michael L. Coon, Dr. M. Beth Ehlich, Dr. Mark G. Kimble, Dr. Dean Banks, Mr. E. J. Mercer

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

OTHERS PRESENT: Mr. Donald W. Hayden, Administrator, Sharon Dantzler, Esq., Board Legal Advisor, Rick Wilson, Esq., Roni Ledford, Administrative Specialist, Sheridan Spoon, Esq., LLR Office of General Council, Frank Shehean, Louis Rosen, Mike Kelly, Esq., Dr. Hishon, DC, Joeley Hishon, Dr. Faulk, DC, Jerry Wigger, Esq.

Public Notice of this meeting was properly posted at the Board office and provided to any requesting persons, organizations, or news media in compliance with Section 30-4-80 of the S. C. Freedom of Information Act.

The chairman called the meeting to order and noted that a quorum was present to conduct Board business.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes for the August 11, 2005 meeting were approved.

RECOVERING PROFESSIONALS PROGRAM (RPP) –

Frank Shehean, program director, appeared to discuss the RPP with Board Members. He brought statistical information for the Board to review.

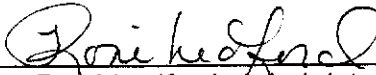
IPL THERAPY –

The Board discussed IPL Therapy and voted that IPL Therapy (cold laser and intense pulse light therapy) is approved under the practice act. The use of these procedures requires interpretation and may not be delegated to staff and must be performed only by the trained licensed chiropractor. The licensed chiropractor must have passed the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners physiotherapy examination administered by the NBCE.

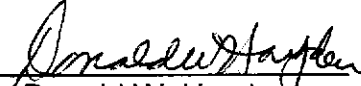
ONLINE CE FOR RULES & REGULATIONS:

The Board discussed the standing of online Rules & Regulations continuing education course. The Board voted to administer a \$50 administrative fee and if not accepted by LLR, then the online course will be dropped.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned at 12:45 p.m.

Minutes prepared by 
Roni Ledford, Administrative Specialist

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Date


Donald W. Hayden
Administrator

BOARD CERTIFICATION –

The Board discussed certification. The Board does not “certify” licensees to practice chiropractic; therefore, licensees may not use the term “Board Certified.” Practitioners may not advertise or hold themselves out as a specialist or specializing in any activity other than those for which they have received certification for that specialty from a specialty council approved by the APA or ICA or a specialty taught by a chiropractic college accredited by the CCE or its equivalent specialty board or council on specialty approved by the Board,

BLOOD ANALYSIS –

The Board discussed blood analysis. The Board voted that obtaining and analyzing blood from a patient does not violate the practice act. All OSHA blood guidelines must be complied with if blood is drawn in the chiropractic office.

CASE FEES –

The Board discussed case fees. Dr. Ehlich will bring a draft of information back to the Board for further discussion, to determine how this is ethical for the practitioner and patient.

PACE –

The Board discussed information received from the FCLB regarding their PACE program. The Board voted that they may accept PACE approved continuing education courses, as long as they are within the scope of practice in South Carolina.

COCCYX ADJUSTMENT –

The Board discussed coccyx adjustment. The Board voted that Internal (rectal) coccyx adjustment/manipulation does not violate the practice act and therefore would be considered within the chiropractic scope of practice.

The Board entered executive session to hear complaints and receive legal advice. After leaving executive session the Board voted in open session.

Complaints -

2004-54 – Dismiss – a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2005-24 – Dismiss – a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2005-32 – Dismiss – a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2004-9 – Dismiss – a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2004-14 – Dismiss – a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

Complaints -

2005-3 – Dismiss – a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2004-49 – Dismiss – a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2005-36 – Letter of Caution – a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2004-19 – Letter of Caution – a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2005-9 – Letter of Caution – a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2005-37 – Letter of Caution – a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2004-18 – Formal Complaint - a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2004-15 – Formal Complaint - a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2005-8 – Formal Complaint - a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2004-10 – Formal Complaint - a motion was made with a second, that the Board accepts the IRC recommendations and the motion passed.

2004-02 – Memorandum of Agreement – The doctor appeared before the Board, with his legal counsel. The Board voted to accept the Memorandum of Agreement and issued a Private Reprimand.

2003-17 – Consent Order – Dr. Faulk appeared before the Board, with his legal counsel. The Board voted to accept the Consent Order.

Luke F. MacKinnon, DC – The Board reviewed a letter from Dr. MacKinnon requesting review of his Agreement from 2002. The Board voted that Dr. MacKinnon had completed the requirements of the Agreement and to remove the condition of probation from his license.

INFORMATION TOPICS:

BOARD MEMBER FORUM – Information announcing the Annual Board Meeting Forum – to welcome and thank new and departing Board members.

ACBN – The Board discussed obtaining more information about the NCCA before discussing the ACBN further at the next Board meeting.

FCLB – The Board discussed the upcoming FCLB meeting in Portland Oregon in May and working on the Part IV exam for the FCLB. Dr. Ouzts and Dr. Grossman were designated Board representatives at the meeting.