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PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
Friday, September 13, 2024 at 2:00p.m. via WebEx

Public notice of this meeting was properly posted at the South Carolina Board of Medical Examiners Office, Synergy Business Park, Kingstree Building 110 Centerview Drive Columbia, SC 29211 and provided to all requesting persons, organizations, and news media in compliance with Section 30-4-80 of the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act. The meeting will be held via video.

Committee Members Present:

Stephen Gardner, M.D., Chair
Christopher Wright, M.D. Ex Officio
Angela Hampton, PA
Brown McCallum, M.D.
Cameron Moskos, PA
William O'Quinn, M.D.
Derek Roper, PA
Mary Lou Hill, Consumer Member

Staff Members Present:

Jessica Beise, Board Executive
Bob Horner, Esq., Office of Advice Counsel
Robynn Devine, Program Coordinator
Temeka Atkinson, Administrative Coordinator
Velvet Pridgen, Administrative Assistant

Present:

Public Attendee Sarah Stallings
Court Reporter, Tina Behles

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 2:02p.m. by Dr. Gardner.



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Review and Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Approval of January 12, 2024 Committee Meeting Minutes

Chair declared accepted by acclimation.

Administrator's Report

Fluoroscopy Update/Standard Scope for Radiology Review

Board Administrator Beise provided an update on fluoroscopy and the certification requirements from South Carolina Radiation Quality Standards Association (SCRQSA) and enforcement of regulations by the South Carolina Department of Public Health (DPH). Discussion followed.

Motion made that if a PA applies for a scope of practice that involves the PA doing fluoroscopy or performing a procedure that is done under fluoroscopy, the PA needs to obtain a limited certificate to do fluoroscopy from SCRQSA. PAs who already have a scope of practice involving fluoroscopy should be attempting to meet SCRQSA and DHEC timelines. Motion carried.

PA Committee Dates for 2025

Board Administrator Beise provided the proposed dates for 2025.

Committee Member Terms Expired/Expiring

Reviewed upcoming terms. Motion to reappoint Dr. O'Quinn and Mr. Roper. Second. Motion carried.

Chair Report

Processing Modified Scopes – Procedure Review: Discussed the components of a modified scope and what to look for in approval.

Adjournment:

Motion to adjourn at 3:56p.m. Second. Motion carried.