

South Carolina Board of Medical Examiners
Physician Assistant Committee

PA Committee Meeting Minutes: July 12, 2019
2:00 p.m., Room 202-02
Synergy Business Park, Kingstree Building, 110 Centerview Drive Columbia,
South Carolina 29210

Committee members present:

Committee Members	Attendance
Ms. Martha Green, PA. – Chair	Present
Dr. Stephen R. Gardner, MD	Present
Ms. Jessica Seel – Consumer Member	Present
Dr. Jeff A. Welsh, MD	Absent
Mr. Sean Irvin, PA. – Vice Chair	Present
Dr. Edward A. Neilsen, MD	Present
Mrs. Angela Hampton, PA	Absent (Excused)
Ms. Mary Lou Hill- Consumer Member	Absent (Excused)
Vacancy	Vacant

Staff present:

Desiray L. Brown, Administrative Assistant, Physician Assistant Licensure
Sheridon Spoon, Administrator, Board of Medical Examiners
Adam Russell, Advice Counsel for the Board of Medical Examiners

Court Reporter:

Travis McLeod, Creel Court Reporting, Inc.

The meeting was called to order at 2:21 p.m. A quorum was noted as present.

1. Meeting agenda reviewed and a motion was made to switch Agenda items 5 & 6. Motion seconded by Dr. Neilsen and all favored motion.
2. Minutes from the April 12, 2019 Committee meeting were approved.
3. Scope of Practice Guidelines:

The Committee approved 4 scopes reviewed by Ms. Green.
The Committee approved 33 scopes reviewed by Dr. Gardner.
The Committee approved 22 scopes reviewed by Mr. Irvin.
The Committee approved 0 scopes reviewed by Dr. Welsh.
The Committee approved 6 scopes reviewed by Mrs. Hampton
The Committee approved 6 scopes reviewed by Dr. Neilsen
The Committee approved 132 scopes reviewed by LLR Board-approved scopes.

4. Temporary to Permanent Applicants: The Committee officially recommended for approval 62 applicants for permanent licensure.

	<u>Name</u>	<u>Supervising Physician</u>	<u>Interviewing Bd. Member</u>
1.	Alexandra Taylor Shumway	Blessing, Walter Dale Jr.	Dr. Anne G. Cook
2.	Charlotte Helen Hanna	Edwards, Charles Louis	Dr. Richard Howell
3.	Isabel Marguerite Brodersen	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Richard Howell
4.	Jessica Michelle Johnson	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Anne G. Cook
5.	Jeffre Rogers McCutcheon	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Christopher C. Wright
6.	Jade Victoria Coppola	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Anne G. Cook
7.	Kathryn Allen Wilkie	Hall, Joshua Andrew	Dr. Jeff A. Welsh
8.	Emily Suzanne Mahar	Green, Donnielle Lynn	Dr. Anne G. Cook
9.	Steven Paul Lister	Crespo Soto, Hector Oreste	Dr. Jeff A. Welsh
10.	Heather Leigh Cullen	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Ronald Januchowski
11.	Kenya Laray Murdock-Talbert	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Richard Howell
12.	Erin Jeanette Miller	Stegemoller, Ralph Warren	Dr. Stephen I. Schabel
13.	Jill Nicole Biediger	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Christopher C. Wright
14.	Lisa Creswell Myrick	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Jim C. Chow
15.	Rachel Miles Kennedy	Sanchez, Anthony Andres	Dr. Jeff A. Welsh
16.	Brittany Shroul Wichers	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Ronald Januchowski
17.	Taylor Boyd Owens	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Stephen I. Schabel
18.	Alexandra Schery	Oweida, Sami Joseph	Dr. Christopher C. Wright
19.	Timothy Joseph Marshall	Kelemen, John Joseph III	Dr. George S. Dilts
20.	Gregg Allan Vigeant	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Richard Howell
21.	Norman Jarod Green	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Jim C. Chow
22.	Kristin Wike Huntley	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Anne G. Cook
23.	Sarah M Partin	Reeves, Jeremy Mark	Dr. Stephen I. Schabel
24.	Ashley Lauren Doerler	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Stephen I. Schabel
25.	Wilhelmenia Miesha Patterson	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Anne G. Cook
26.	John Alexander Semenoff	No Supervising Physician	Dr. George S. Dilts
27.	Tiffany Amber	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Christopher C.

	Hattendorf		Wright
28.	Erin Michele Stubblefield	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Jeff A. Welsh
29.	Kirsten Marie Schneider	Warrick, Kenneth Ray	Dr. Jim C. Chow
30.	Collin Warner Black	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Anne G. Cook
31.	Erica Lee Domogauer	Mason, Mary Jane	Dr. Stephen I. Schabel
32.	Sarah Katherine Livengood	Bernstein, Erik Daniel	Dr. Jim C. Chow
33.	Caitlin Altman Jordan	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Jeff A. Welsh
34.	Prima Dorothy Ray	King, Jonathan Douglas	Dr. Ronald Januchowski
35.	Blaine David Buchanan	Leyland, Steven Anthony	Dr. Richard Howell
36.	Arthur Duncan Wells Oliphant	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Christopher C. Wright
37.	Michael Andrew Winter	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Christopher C. Wright
38.	Mary Allison Voight	Omraju, Swapna	Dr. Stephen I. Schabel
39.	Emily Katherine DePue	Rovner, Eric Scott	Dr. Ronald Januchowski
40.	Nicole Lynn Pages	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Jeff A. Welsh
41.	Megan Mary Carl	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Jeff A. Welsh
42.	Kelly Hooton Miller	Grover, Daniel Austin	Dr. Stephen I. Schabel
43.	Katelyn M. Brooker	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Jim C. Chow
44.	Mckenzie Cox Seippel	Martin, John Ryan	Dr. Ronald Januchowski
45.	Tara Lynn Halpin	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Richard Howell
46.	Annette Katherine Bates	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Jeff A. Welsh
47.	Candice Sara Cerracchio	Yannucci, Jennifer	Dr. Ronald Januchowski
48.	Jason M. Kaylor	Bohan, Michael Nolan	(Reactivation)
49.	Mylena Ann Yee	Centilli, Lisa Rose	Dr. Jeff A. Welsh
50.	Victoria Nusheen Ghahhari	No Supervising Physician	Dr. Christopher C. Wright
51.	Ashley Marie Duncan	Brancati, David Scott	Dr. Ronald Januchowski
52.	Nicole Counts Keeter	Smith, Rebecca Lynn	Dr. Richard Howell
53.	Brian Gregory Riehl	Gerard, William Charles	Dr. Jim C. Chow
54.	Katherine Anne Smalley	Elston, Dirk Michael	Dr. Anne G. Cook
55.	Brandon Wayne Ballard	Ratz, Michael James	Dr. Richard Howell
56.	Chandler Elizabeth Brown	Mcclung Smith, Catherine Faith	Dr. George S. Dilts
57.	Sarai Hacker Graves	Reinholz, Christian Michael	Dr. George S. Dilts
58.	Corinne Michelle Adkins	Petrusick, Thomas William	Dr. Stephen I. Schabel
59.	Laura Devereaux Gardner	Rogers, Richard Curtis	Dr. Christopher C.

			Wright
60.	Melissa Diane Loo	Edwards, Nicole Yvonne	Dr. Ronald Januchowski
61.	Emily Sigmon Baker	McCoy, Thomas Hatton	Dr. Anne G. Cook
62.	Katherine Elizabeth McNeill	Smith, Peter Gaillard	Dr. George S. Dilts

5. Committee Recommendations for Vacancies (A-E)

Therin S. Hill, PA, Catherine A. Gillespie, PA, Derek T. Roper, PA and Gregory S. Mangione, PA, all were present to present and answer questions regarding their interest in filling Committee vacancy. After each presentation, Dr. Gardner went on record to make a suggestion to possibly come up with a standing/sub-committee for the Physician Assistant Committee for the other applicants who are not selected for the vacancy. Motion was made by Dr. Gardner to go into executive session to fill the Physician Assistant vacancy. Motion was seconded by Mr. Irvin. All in favored. Mr. Irvin proposed motion to come out of executive session. Dr. Gardner seconded. All favored. Dr. Gardner then presented a motion to have PA Catherine A. Gillespie’s name be forwarded to the Medical Examiners Board as the candidate chosen to fill the Physician Assistant position. Motion seconded by Mr. Irvin and all favored. Dr. Gardner moved that physician assistant vacancy nominations be closed. After further more in depth discussion, a motion was made by Dr. Gardner that the names of the other applicants (Therin S. Hill, PA, Derek T. Roper, PA and Gregory S. Mangione) be forwarded to the full board to take into consideration to offer them a standing open invitation to attend quarterly Physician Assistant Advisory Committee meetings for their input to be offered, based on their expertise and knowledge of the PA functions and new PA practice act. Seconded by Mr. Irvin. All favored.

6. Requests for Tele-Medicine

Madeline Wiechec, PA, and Dr. Diana Mullis, MD appeared via teleconference to request Tele-Psychiatry care outside of 60 mile radius to inmates with the South Carolina Department of Corrections. A motion was proposed by Dr. Gardner for approval of Tele-Psychiatry under supervision of Dr. Diana Mullis. Motion was seconded by Dr. Neilsen All favored the motion.

7. Legislative Update to the Physician Assistant Practice Act (A-C)

S132 Physician Assistant Practice Act Bill, Frequently Asked Questions Sheet and new Application Portal were all reviewed and discussed. The new Physician Assistant Practice Act will take into effect officially August 11, 2019. After further discussion about new practice act, Dr. Gardner presented a motion to get better interpretation from the full board on latest statutory language regarding Physician Assistants ability to “delegate the administration of medication to unlicensed assistive personnel.” Motion seconded by Dr. Neilsen. All in favor.

8. Chair Report and Administrator’s Report

Mr. Spoon informed the Physician Assistant license renewal begins on October 1, 2019 and ends December 31, 2019.

Ms. Green informed pending the board approval election results effective October 11, 2019, Mr. William S.

Irvin will become the new committee Chairman and PA Catherine Gillespie will be the new member of the Physician Assistant Advisory Committee meeting.

Ms. Green made a motion to adjourn at 4:41 p.m. Dr. Irvin seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

The next meeting is Friday, October 11, 2019 at 2:00 p.m., Room 202-02.

Respectfully submitted,

Desiray L. Brown
Physician Assistant Licensure