

**PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINING BOARD
DECEMBER 5, 2013
MINUTES**

PRESENT: Shari Berry, PT; Lori Dominiczak, PT; Thomas Murphy; Jane Stroede, PTA;
Michele Thorman, PT

STAFF: Tom Ryan, Executive Director; Karen Rude-Evans, Bureau Assistant

CALL TO ORDER

Michele Thorman, Chair, called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. A quorum of five (5) members was present.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Amendments:

- Item G (open) – Credentialing Matters
 - 1) FSBPT Supervised Clinical Practice, insert additional materials after page 32
- Item I (open) –Legislation/Administrative Rules Matters
 - 1) Executive Order 50 – Review of Position Statements, insert additional materials after page 40
- Item P (closed) – Review of Administrative Warning, is removed from the agenda
- Item T1 (closed) – Is removed from the agenda. Item T remains on the agenda.

MOTION: Shari Berry moved, seconded by Lori Dominiczak, to adopt the agenda as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 26, 2013

MOTION: Thomas Murphy moved, seconded by Shari Berry, to approve the minutes of September 26, 2013 as written. Motion carried unanimously.

EDUCATION AND EXAMINATION MATTERS

Update on Oral Exam Item Review

MOTION: Shari Berry moved, seconded by Jane Stroede, to create a work group to review the oral examination question bank and to bring the categorized question recommendations to the next meeting. Michele Thorman and Shari Berry will be on the work group in collaboration with Aaron Knautz. Motion carried unanimously.

Update on Foreign Trained Education Evaluation Services

MOTION: Lori Dominiczak moved, seconded by Shari Berry, to direct the Office of Education and Examinations to request information from each of the four equivalency evaluation organizations to review for approval status and to bring the information to the next Board meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

CREDENTIALING MATTERS

FSBPT Supervised Clinical Practice as a Requirement for Licensure

MOTION: Lori Dominiczak moved, seconded by Shari Berry, to appoint Michele Thorman as the designee and Lori Dominiczak as the alternate, to present the issue of the FSBPT supervised clinical practice as a requirement for licensure at the WPTA Spring Conference Issues Forum and to bring comments back to the May 29, 2014 Board meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Lori Dominiczak moved, seconded by Shari Berry, to seek opinion regarding the applicability of PT 3.02 relative to foreign licensed applicants who have not practiced in the United States. Motion carried unanimously.

LEGISLATION/ADMINISTRATIVE RULES MATTERS

Executive Order 50 – Review of Position Statements

MOTION: Shari Berry moved, seconded by Jane Stroede, to remove the position statement **“MAY A PHYSICAL THERAPIST NOT LICENSED IN THE STATE OF WISCONSIN PERFORM A HOME EVALUATION?”** from the DSPS website. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Jane Stroede moved, seconded by Shari Berry, to remove the position statement **“CAN A WISCONSIN PHYSICAL THERAPIST OR PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT DO INR (INTERNATIONAL NORMALIZED RATIO) MONITORING?”** from the DSPS website. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Shari Berry moved, seconded by Lori Dominiczak, to remove the position Statement **“ARE WISCONSIN PHYSICAL THERAPISTS ALLOWED TO PROVIDE INJECTIONS AS BEING WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THEIR LICENSURE?”** from the DSPS website. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Lori Dominiczak moved, seconded by Jane Stroede, to revise the language of the position statement **“MAY A PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT LICENSED IN WISCONSIN PERFORM JOINT MOBILIZATION AND MUSCLE ENERGY TECHNIQUES UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF A LICENSED PHYSICAL THERAPIST?”** to the following:

As per Wis. Admin. Code s. PT 5.01(2)(g), a physical therapist may delegate appropriate portions of the treatment plan and program to the physical therapist assistant consistent with the physical therapist assistant’s education, training and experience. The physical therapist is responsible for managing all aspects of the physical therapy care of each patient under his or her care (Wis. Stat. s 448.56(4)).

Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Shari Berry moved, seconded by Thomas Murphy, to remove the position statement **“IN THE STATE OF WISCONSIN CAN A PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT SUPERVISE A PT AIDE?”** from the DSPS website. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Lori Dominiczak moved, seconded by Thomas Murphy, to remove the position statement **“IS REHABILITATIVE ULTRASOUND IMAGING (RUSI) CONSIDERED WITHIN THE SCOPE OF PRACTICE FOR PHYSICAL THERAPISTS LICENSED IN THE STATE OF WISCONSIN?”** from the DSPS website Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Shari Berry moved, seconded by Jane Stroede, to make no changes to the language of the position statement **WHO CAN SUPERVISE A PT /PTA WITH A TEMPORARY LICENSE?”** Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Shari Berry moved, seconded by Thomas Murphy, to remove the position statement **“CAN A PT/PTA WITH A TEMPORARY LICENSE HAVE MORE THAN ONE SUPERVISING PT?”** from the DSPS website. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Shari Berry moved, seconded by Thomas Murphy, to remove the position statement **“CAN A TEMPORARY LICENSED PT SUPERVISE A LICENSED PTA?”** from the DSPS website. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Lori Dominiczak moved, seconded by Shari Berry, to eliminate the last sentence in the position statement **“CAN A PHYSICAL THERAPIST PRACTICING IN A SCHOOL IN THE STATE OF WISCONSIN PROVIDE SERVICES AT A UNIVERSAL LEVEL (I.E. OFFER INTERVENTION STRATEGIES FOR STUDENTS NOT IDENTIFIED AS STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES OR PROVIDING SERVICES RELATED TO PREVENTION, FITNESS AND WELLNESS)?”** and to amend the language as follows:

Wis. Stat. s 448.50(4)(a)3 in part, defines physical therapy as “reducing risk of injury, impairment, functional limitation, or disability, including by promoting or maintaining fitness, health, or quality of life in all age populations.” Written referral for physical therapy services for children with disabilities in schools is not required as stated in Wis. Stat. s 448.56(1).

Motion carried unanimously.

CLOSED SESSION

MOTION: Michele Thorman moved seconded by Lori Dominiczak, to convene to closed session to deliberate on cases following hearing (Wis. Stat. s. 19.85(1)(a),); to consider licensure or certification of individuals (Wis. Stat s. 19.85(1)(b), Stats.; to consider closing disciplinary investigations with administrative warnings (Wis. Stat. s. 19.85 (1)(b), and 440.205,); to consider individual histories or disciplinary data (Wis. Stat. s. 19.85 (1)(f),); and to confer with legal counsel (Wis. Stat. s. 19.85(1)(g),). Michele Thorman read the language of the motion. The vote of each member was ascertained by voice vote. Roll Call Vote: Shari Berry-yes; Lori Dominiczak-yes; Thomas Murphy-yes; Jane Stroede-yes; and Michele Thorman-yes. Motion carried unanimously.

The Board convened into closed session at 11:34 a.m.

RECONVENE INTO OPEN SESSION

MOTION: Michele Thorman moved, seconded by Thomas Murphy, to reconvene into open session. Motion carried unanimously.

The Board reconvened into open session at 11:50 a.m.

VOTING ON ITEMS CONSIDERED OR DELIBERATED IN CLOSED SESSION

REAFFIRM ALL VOTES MADE IN CLOSED SESSION

MOTION: Lori Dominiczak moved, seconded by Jane Stroede, to reaffirm all votes made in closed session. Motion carried unanimously.

ORDER FIXING COSTS

MOTION: Shari Berry moved, seconded by Lori Dominiczak, to adopt the Order Fixing Cost in the matter of disciplinary proceedings against **Luke W. Hayes, PT, Order No. 2658 (DHA Case # SPS-12-0055, DLSC Case # 10 PHT 019)**. Motion carried unanimously.

CASE CLOSING(S)

MOTION: Jane Stroede moved, seconded by Thomas Murphy, to close case **13 PHT 012 (B.K.C.) for no violation.** Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Jane Stroede moved, seconded by Shari Berry, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 11:54 a.m.