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**VIRTUAL/TELECONFERENCE  
MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD  
Virtual, 4822 Madison Yards Way, Madison  
Contact: Tom Ryan (608) 266-2112  
October 20, 2021**

*The following agenda describes the issues that the Board plans to consider at the meeting. At the time of the meeting, items may be removed from the agenda. Please consult the meeting minutes for a record of the actions of the Board.*

**AGENDA**

**8:00 A.M.**

**OPEN SESSION – CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL**

**A. Adoption of Agenda (1-5)**

**B. Approval of Minutes of September 15, 2021 (6-11)**

**C. Introductions, Announcements and Recognition**

**D. Reminders: Conflicts of Interest, Scheduling Concerns**

**E. Administrative Matters – Discussion and Consideration**

- 1) Board, Department and Staff Updates
- 2) Board Members – Term Expiration Dates
  - a. Bond, Jr., Milton – 7/1/2023
  - b. Chou, Clarence P. – 7/1/2023
  - c. Ferguson, Kris – 7/1/2025
  - d. Gerlach, Diane M. – 7/1/2024
  - e. Goel, Sumeet K. – 7/1/2023
  - f. Lerma, Carmen – 7/1/2024
  - g. Parish, Michael A. – 7/1/2023
  - h. Sattler, Rachel E. – 7/1/2024
  - i. Schmeling, Gregory J. – 7/1/2025
  - j. Siebert, Derrick R. – 7/1/2025
  - k. Wasserman, Sheldon A. – 7/1/2023
  - l. Yerby, Lemuel G. – 7/1/2024
  - m. Yu, Emily S. – 7/1/2024
- 3) Appointments, Reappointments, Confirmations, and Committee, Panel and Liaison Appointments
- 4) Assignment of Screening Panel and Examination Panel Liaisons
- 5) Wis. Stat. § 15.085 (3)(b) – Affiliated Credentialing Boards’ Biannual Meeting with the Medical Examining Board to Consider Matters of Joint Interest

**F. Legislative and Policy Matters – Discussion and Consideration**

- 1) LRB 21-4183, Relating to Qualification of International Medical Graduates to Practice Medicine and Surgery **(12-15)**
- 2) Senate Bill 309 Amendment (LRB 21-a0536), Relating to Telehealth **(16)**
- 3) Assembly Bill 296 Amendment (LRB 21-a0734), Relating to Telehealth **(17-18)**

**G. Administrative Rule Matters – Discussion and Consideration (19)**

- 1) Status Update: Cos 2, 3, 5, & 8
- 2) Preliminary Rule Draft: Med 10, Relating to Performance of Physical Examinations
- 3) Implemented Scope: Med 1, Relating to Licensure
- 4) Pending or Possible Rulemaking Projects

**H. Education and Examination Matters – Discussion and Consideration (20)**

- 1) Peter Schramm, Office of Education and Examinations – 2017-2019 Continuing Medical Education Audit Report

**I. Continuing Medical Education Update – Discussion and Consideration**

**J. COVID-19 – Discussion and Consideration**

**K. Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB) Matters – Discussion and Consideration**

**L. Speaking Engagements, Travel, or Public Relation Requests, and Reports (21)**

- 1) License Portability for Physician Assistants Stakeholder Meeting; November 18, 2021 – Washington D.C. or Virtual

**M. Controlled Substances Board Report**

**N. Interstate Medical Licensure Compact Commission (IMLCC) – Report from Wisconsin’s Commissioners – Discussion and Consideration**

**O. Newsletter Matters – Discussion and Consideration**

**P. MED-PA Collaboration Committee Report**

**Q. Screening Panel Report**

**R. Future Agenda Items**

**S. Discussion and Consideration of Items Added After Preparation of Agenda:**

- 1) Introductions, Announcements and Recognition
- 2) Elections, Appointments, Reappointments, Confirmations, and Committee, Panel and Liaison Appointments
- 3) Administrative Matters
- 4) Election of Officers
- 5) Appointment of Liaisons and Alternates
- 6) Delegation of Authorities
- 7) Education and Examination Matters
- 8) Credentialing Matters
- 9) Practice Matters
- 10) Legislative and Policy Matters
- 11) Administrative Rule Matters
- 12) Liaison Reports

- 13) Board Liaison Training and Appointment of Mentors
- 14) Informational Items
- 15) Division of Legal Services and Compliance (DLSC) Matters
- 16) Presentations of Petitions for Summary Suspension
- 17) Petitions for Designation of Hearing Examiner
- 18) Presentation of Stipulations, Final Decisions and Orders
- 19) Presentation of Proposed Final Decisions and Orders
- 20) Presentation of Interim Orders
- 21) Petitions for Re-Hearing
- 22) Petitions for Assessments
- 23) Petitions to Vacate Orders
- 24) Requests for Disciplinary Proceeding Presentations
- 25) Motions
- 26) Petitions
- 27) Appearances from Requests Received or Renewed
- 28) Speaking Engagements, Travel, or Public Relation Requests, and Reports

T. Public Comments

**CONVENE TO CLOSED SESSION to deliberate on cases following hearing (s. 19.85(1)(a), Stats.); to consider licensure or certification of individuals (s. 19.85(1)(b), Stats.); to consider closing disciplinary investigations with administrative warnings (ss. 19.85(1)(b), and 448.02(8), Stats.); to consider individual histories or disciplinary data (s. 19.85(1)(f), Stats.); and to confer with legal counsel (s. 19.85(1)(g), Stats.).**

U. **Deliberation on DLSC Matters**

- 1) **Proposed Stipulations, Final Decisions and Orders**
  - a. 18 MED 453 – Cha Lee, MD **(22-27)**
  - b. 19 MED 491 – Timothy Conner, MD **(28-34)**
  - c. 20 MED 325 – Aharon A. Wolf, MD **(35-40)**
  - d. 21 MED 010 – Seydi V. Aksut, MD **(41-46)**
  - e. 21 MED 054 – Joseph A. Locke, DO **(47-53)**
  - f. 21 MED 192 – Katie J. Merideth, MD **(54-60)**
- 2) **Complaints**
  - a. 18 MED 161 – D.D.R. **(61-146)**
  - b. 18 MED 607 – M.J.K. **(147-179)**
- 3) **Stipulations and Interim Orders**
  - a. 21 MED 233 – Jonathan J. Brodie, MD **(180-185)**
- 4) **Administrative Warnings**
  - a. 20 MED 281 – S.L.P. **(186-188)**
  - b. 21 MED 117 – S.C.K. **(189-190)**
- 5) **Case Closings**
  - a. 19 MED 558 – M.C.V., M.G.F. **(191-200)**
  - b. 19 MED 577 – G.Z. **(201-230)**
  - c. 20 MED 044 – L.K.S. **(231-238)**
  - d. 20 MED 200 – K.M.B., K.C.A. **(239-254)**
  - e. 20 MED 218 – M.M.P., I.A.W., A.G.B. **(255-282)**
  - f. 20 MED 229 – P.C.G. **(283-290)**

- g. 21 MED 001 – G.L.I., J.S.J. **(291-302)**
- h. 21 MED 019 – M.S. **(303-318)**
- i. 21 MED 037 – W.M. **(319-322)**
- j. 21 MED 059 – A.K.N. **(323-335)**
- k. 21 MED 098 – G.M.C. **(336-339)**
- l. 21 MED 149 – A.M. **(340-347)**
- m. 21 MED 168 – T.J.B. **(348-353)**
- n. 21 MED 255 – N.A. **(354-362)**

**V. Deliberation on Proposed Final Decision and Orders**

- 1) Manuel J. Thomas, MD – DHA Case Number SPS-21-0030/DLSC Case Number 20 MED 440 **(363-375)**

**W. Deliberation on Matters Relating to Orders Fixing Costs**

- 1) Manuel J. Thomas, MD – DHA Case Number SPS-20-0016/DLSC Case Numbers 17 MED 338, 18 MED 053, 19 MED 016, 19 MED 142, 19 MED 212, 19 MED 533, 19 MED 552 **(376-421)**
- 2) Irene Gurvits, MD – DHA Case Number SPS-20-0034/DLSC Case Number 20 MED 216 **(422-442)**

**X. Deliberation of Items Added After Preparation of the Agenda**

- 1) Education and Examination Matters
- 2) Credentialing Matters
- 3) DLSC Matters
- 4) Monitoring Matters
- 5) Professional Assistance Procedure (PAP) Matters
- 6) Petitions for Summary Suspensions
- 7) Petitions for Designation of Hearing Examiner
- 8) Proposed Stipulations, Final Decisions and Order
- 9) Proposed Interim Orders
- 10) Administrative Warnings
- 11) Review of Administrative Warnings
- 12) Proposed Final Decisions and Orders
- 13) Matters Relating to Costs/Orders Fixing Costs
- 14) Complaints
- 15) Case Closings
- 16) Board Liaison Training
- 17) Petitions for Extension of Time
- 18) Petitions for Assessments and Evaluations
- 19) Petitions to Vacate Orders
- 20) Remedial Education Cases
- 21) Motions
- 22) Petitions for Re-Hearing
- 23) Appearances from Requests Received or Renewed

**Y. Open Cases**

**Z. Consulting with Legal Counsel**

**RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING CLOSED SESSION**

- AA. Vote on Items Considered or Deliberated Upon in Closed Session if Voting is Appropriate
- BB. Open Session Items Noticed Above Not Completed in the Initial Open Session
- CC. Delegation of Ratification of Examination Results and Ratification of Licenses and Certificates

**ADJOURNMENT**

**ORAL EXAMINATION OF CANDIDATES FOR LICENSURE**

**VIRTUAL/TELECONFERENCE**

**11:30 A.M. OR IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE FULL BOARD MEETING**

**CLOSED SESSION** – Reviewing Applications and Conducting Oral Examination of **one (1)** (at time of agenda publication) Candidates for Licensure – **Dr. Parish** and **Dr. Ferguson**

**NEXT MEETING: NOVEMBER 17, 2021**

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**VIRTUAL/TELECONFERENCE  
MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD  
MEETING MINUTES  
SEPTEMBER 15,2021**

**PRESENT:** Milton Bond, Jr. (*excused at 8:02 p.m.*), Clarence Chou, M.D.; Kris Ferguson, M.D.; Diane Gerlach, D.O.; Sumeet Goel, D.O.; Michael Parish, M.D. (*excused at 12:00 p.m.*); Rachel Sattler (*excused at 12:46 p.m.*); Gregory Schmeling, M.D.; Derrick Siebert, M.D.; Sheldon Wasserman, M.D.; Lemuel Yerby, M.D., Emily Yu, M.D. (*excused at 12:30 p.m.*)

**EXCUSED:** Carmen Lerma

**STAFF:** Valerie Payne, Executive Director; Jameson Whitney, Legal Counsel; Megan Glaeser, Bureau Assistant; and other Department staff

**CALL TO ORDER**

Sheldon Wasserman, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m. A quorum was confirmed with twelve (12) members present.

*(Milton Bond, Jr. was excused at 8:02 a.m.)*

**ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

**Amendment to the Agenda**

- Remove item “U. IMLCC Notice of Disciplinary Action; 1) Matthew Pappy, MD”

**MOTION:** Kris Ferguson moved, seconded by Diane Gerlach, to adopt the Agenda as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF AUGUST 18, 2021**

**Amendment to the Minutes**

- Under “Call to Order” fix “8:0 a.m.” to read “8:00 a.m.”

**MOTION:** Kris Ferguson moved, seconded by Michael Parish, to approve the Minutes of August 18, 2021 as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

**INTERSTATE MEDICAL LICENSURE COMPACT COMMISSION – REPORT FROM WISCONSIN’S COMMISSIONERS**

**MOTION:** Clarence Chou moved, seconded by Gregory Schmeling, to designate Sheldon Wasserman, as the Board’s delegate, to attend the IMLCC Annual Commission on November 15-16, 2021 in Denver, CO and to authorize travel. Motion carried unanimously.

**CLOSED SESSION**

**MOTION:** Kris Ferguson moved, seconded by Michael Parish, to convene to Closed Session to deliberate on cases following hearing (§ 19.85(1)(a), Stats.); to consider licensure or certification of individuals (§ 19.85(1)(b), Stats.); to consider closing disciplinary investigations with administrative warnings (§ 19.85(1)(b), Stats. and § 448.02(8), Stats.); to consider individual histories or disciplinary data (§ 19.85(1)(f), Stats.); and to confer with legal counsel (§ 19.85(1)(g), Stats.). Sheldon Wasserman, Chairperson, read the language of the motion aloud for the record. The vote of each member was ascertained by voice vote. Roll Call Vote: Clarence Chou-yes; Kris Ferguson-yes; Diane Gerlach-yes; Sumeet Goel-yes; Michael Parish-yes; Rachel Sattler-yes; Gregory Schmeling-yes; Derrick Siebert-yes; Sheldon Wasserman-yes; Lemuel Yerby-yes; and Emily Yu-yes. Motion carried unanimously.

The Board convened into Closed Session at 10:11 a.m.

## **DELIBERATION ON DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES AND COMPLIANCE (DLSC) MATTERS**

### **Review of Administrative Warnings**

#### ***19 MED 177 – S.L.V.***

**MOTION:** Sumeet Goel moved, seconded by Kris Ferguson, to rescind the issuance of the administrative warning in the matter of S.L.V., DLSC Case Number 19 MED 177. Roll Call Vote: Clarence Chou-nay; Kris Ferguson-yay; Diane Gerlach-nay; Sumeet Goel-yay; Michael Parish-yay; Rachel Sattler-nay; Gregory Schmeling-nay; Derrick Siebert-nay; Sheldon Wasserman-nay; Lemuel Yerby-nay; and Emily Yu-nay. Motion failed.

**MOTION:** Derrick Siebert moved, seconded by Lemuel Yerby, to affirm the issuance of the administrative warning in the matter of S.L.V., DLSC Case Number 19 MED 177. Roll Call Vote: Clarence Chou-yay; Kris Ferguson-yay; Diane Gerlach-yay; Sumeet Goel-yay; Michael Parish-yay; Rachel Sattler-yay; Gregory Schmeling-yay; Derrick Siebert-yay; Sheldon Wasserman-yay; Lemuel Yerby-yay; and Emily Yu-yay. Motion carried unanimously.

## **CREDENTIALING MATTERS**

### **Full Board Oral Examination**

#### ***Lisa Kochanik, Medicine and Surgery Applicant***

**MOTION:** Sumeet Goel moved, seconded by Michael Parish, to find that Lisa Kochanik achieved a passing score on the Full Board Oral Examination pursuant to Wis. Admin Code § Med 1.06(4)(b). Roll Call Vote: Clarence Chou-yay; Kris Ferguson-yay; Diane Gerlach-yay; Sumeet Goel-yay; Michael Parish-yay; Rachel Sattler-yay; Gregory Schmeling-yay; Derrick

Siebert-yay; Lemuel Yerby-yay; and Emily Yu-yay. Motion carried unanimously.

*(Sheldon Wasserman recused himself and left the room for deliberation and voting in the matter concerning the Full Board Oral Examination of Lisa Kochanik.)*

*(Michael Parish was excused at 12:00 p.m.)*

### **Application Review**

#### ***Christopher Passidomo, Medicine and Surgery Applicant***

**MOTION:** Sumeet Goel moved, seconded by Lemuel Yerby, to deny the Medicine and Surgery application of Christopher Passidomo. Reason for Denial: s. 448.06(2) Unprofessional Conduct, Med 10.03(3)(c) and (i). Motion carried unanimously.

### **Waiver of 24 Months of ACGME/AOA Approved Post-Graduate Training**

#### ***Tareq Maraqa, MD***

**MOTION:** Sumeet Goel moved, seconded by Clarence Chou, to approve the waiver of 24 months of ACGME/AOA approved post-graduate training for Tareq Maraqa, MD. Motion carried unanimously.

### **DELIBERATION ON DIVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES AND COMPLIANCE (DLSC) MATTERS**

### **Stipulations, Final Decisions and Orders**

#### ***18 MED 523 – Victoria Mondloch, MD***

**MOTION:** Sumeet Goel moved, seconded by Rachel Sattler, to adopt the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order in the matter of disciplinary proceedings against Victoria Mondloch, MD, DLSC Case Number 18 MED 523. Motion carried unanimously.

#### ***19 MED 153 – Kathleen A. Baugrud, MD***

**MOTION:** Rachel Sattler moved, seconded by Lemuel Yerby, to adopt the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order in the matter of disciplinary proceedings against Kathleen A. Baugrud, MD, DLSC Case Number 19 MED 153. Motion carried unanimously.

#### ***19 MED 362 – Ronald C. Petcher, MD***

**MOTION:** Sumeet Goel moved, seconded by Emily Yu, to adopt the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order in the matter of disciplinary



proceedings against Ronald C. Petcher, MD, DLSC Case Number 19 MED 362. Motion carried unanimously.

***20 MED 066 – Anthony J. Thompson, DO***

**MOTION:** Lemuel Yerby moved, seconded by Gregory Schmeling, to adopt the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order in the matter of disciplinary proceedings against Anthony J. Thompson, DO, DLSC Case Number 20 MED 066. Motion carried unanimously.

**Complaints**

***18 MED 453 – C.L.***

**MOTION:** Rachel Sattler moved, seconded by Diane Gerlach, to find probable cause in DLSC Case Number 18 MED 453, to believe that C.L. has committed unprofessional conduct, and therefore, to issue the Complaint and hold a hearing on such conduct pursuant to Wis. Stat§ 448.02(3)(b). Motion carried unanimously.

***19 MED 007, 19 MED 346 – J.D.W.***

**MOTION:** Gregory Schmeling moved, seconded by Rachel Sattler, to find probable cause in DLSC Case Numbers 19 MED 007 and 19 MED 346, to believe that J.D.W. has committed unprofessional conduct, and therefore, to issue the Complaint and hold a hearing on such conduct pursuant to Wis. Stat§ 448.02(3)(b). Motion carried unanimously.

**Administrative Warnings**

***18 MED 464 – N.M.***

**MOTION:** Emily Yu moved, seconded by Sumeet Goel, to issue an Administrative Warning in the matter of N.M., DLSC Case Number 18 MED 464. Motion carried unanimously.

***19 MED 468 – L.N.R.***

**MOTION:** Sumeet Goel moved, seconded by Diane Gerlach, to issue an Administrative Warning in the matter of L.N.R., DLSC Case Number 19 MED 468. Motion carried unanimously.

*(Gregory Schmeling was disconnected for voting in the matter of L.N.R, DLSC Case Number 19 MED 468.)*

***20 MED 360 – M.J.S.***

**MOTION:** Rachel Sattler moved, seconded by Lemuel Yerby, to issue an Administrative Warning in the matter of M.J.S., DLSC Case Number 20 MED 360. Motion carried unanimously.

*(Emily Yu was excused at 12:30 p.m.)*

### **Case Closings**

**MOTION:** Kris Ferguson moved, seconded by Sumeet Goel, to close the following DLSC Cases for the reasons outlined below:

1. 19 MED 474 – E.B., K.W. – No Violation
2. 20 MED 025 – H.A., M.N.M. – Insufficient Evidence
3. 20 MED 156 – R.G., P.W. – No Violation
4. 20 MED 213 – W.M.L. – No Violation
5. 20 MED 373 – H.C.M. – No Violation
6. 20 MED 429 – A.W.S. – No Violation
7. 21 MED 174 – K.Z. – No Violation
8. 21 MED 202 – R.L.S. – No Violation
9. 21 MED 222 – M.R.L. – Prosecutorial Discretion (P1)
10. 21 MED 224 – D.C.S. – No Violation
11. 21 MED 230 – K.D.T. – No Violation

Motion carried unanimously.

### **Monitoring Matters**

#### ***Jesse Van Bommel – Requesting Termination of Order 2362***

**MOTION:** Sumeet Goel moved, seconded by Rachel Sattler, to deny the request of Jesse Van Bommel for Termination of Order 2362. **Reason for Denial:** failure to demonstrate continuous and successful compliance with Order 2362. Motion carried unanimously.

*(Rachel Sattler was excused at 12:46 p.m.)*

### **RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION**

**MOTION:** Clarence Chou moved, seconded by Gregory Schmeling, to reconvene to Open Session. Motion carried unanimously.

The Board reconvened to Open Session at 12:47 p.m.

### **VOTE ON ITEMS CONSIDERED OR DELIBERATED UPON IN CLOSED SESSION**

**MOTION:** Diane Gerlach moved, seconded by Sumeet Goel, to affirm all motions made and votes taken in Closed Session. Motion carried unanimously.

*(Be advised that any recusals or abstentions reflected in the closed session motions stand for the purposes of the affirmation vote.)*

**DELEGATION OF RATIFICATION OF EXAMINATION RESULTS AND  
RATIFICATION OF LICENSES AND CERTIFICATES**

**MOTION:** Gregory Schmeling moved, seconded by Lemuel Yerby, to delegate ratification of examination results to DSPS staff and to ratify all licenses and certificates as issued. Motion carried unanimously.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**MOTION:** Diane Gerlach moved, seconded by Clarence Chou, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 12:49 p.m.

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**PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION**

1     **AN ACT** *to repeal* 448.05 (2) (b) 2.; *to amend* 448.05 (2) (b) 1., 448.05 (2) (b) 4.  
2             a., 448.05 (2) (b) 4. b. and 448.05 (2) (b) 5.; and *to create* 448.01 (4), 448.01 (9e)  
3             and 448.05 (2) (b) 4. c. of the statutes; **relating to:** qualification of international  
4             medical graduates to practice medicine and surgery.

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***Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau***

Under current law, an applicant for a license to practice as a physician in this state who is a graduate of a foreign medical college (“foreign applicant”) must provide evidence satisfactory to the Medical Examining Board (“Board”) of several facts in order to acquire a license to practice as a physician in this state. This bill makes several changes to the process that individuals who are graduates of foreign medical colleges may use to apply for and obtain a license to practice as a physician in this state by allowing an individual who is a foreign applicant to acquire a license if the individual satisfies all of the following conditions:

1. The individual is an “international medical graduate.” The bill defines “international medical graduate” as an individual who has been granted a degree of doctor of medicine or doctor of osteopathy or an equivalent degree by a “qualified international medical program,” is in good standing with the medical licensing or regulatory institution of their resident country, can speak fluently in the English language, and is lawfully admitted to work in this country. The bill defines “qualified international medical program” as any medical school, residency program, medical internship program, or other entity that is accredited by the World Federation for Medical Education or a successor organization and provides physicians with a

medical education or training outside the United States that satisfies Wisconsin medical safety, competence, and conduct standards.

2. The individual accomplishes one of the following:

a. The individual receives credit for 24 months of postgraduate training with an appropriate organization as set forth in the bill.

b. The individual is enrolled in a postgraduate training program with an appropriate organization as set forth in the bill and the applicant receives an unrestricted endorsement from the postgraduate training program director.

c. The individual provides evidence satisfactory to the Board that the individual has been continuously engaged in the practice of medicine and surgery outside this state for at least three years.

3. The individual satisfies any other requirements established by the Board by rule. The bill restricts the Board from establishing rules requiring the applicant to have an amount of experience that exceeds what is otherwise required under law, and from establishing rules requiring the applicant to have practice experience in specified locations beyond what is required under law.

Finally, the bill eliminates the requirement under current law that an individual who is a foreign applicant obtain certification from the Educational Council for Foreign Medical Graduates or its successor organization in order to acquire a license to practice as a physician in this state.

For further information see the state fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

1           **SECTION 1.** 448.01 (4) of the statutes is created to read:

2           448.01 (4) "International medical graduate" means an individual who satisfies  
3 all of the following criteria:

4           (a) The individual has been granted a degree of doctor of medicine, doctor of  
5 osteopathy, or an equivalent degree by a qualified international medical program.

6           (b) The individual is in good standing with the medical licensing or regulatory  
7 institution of his or her resident country.

8           (c) The individual can speak fluently in the English language.

9           (d) The individual is lawfully admitted to work in the United States.

10          **SECTION 2.** 448.01 (9e) of the statutes is created to read:

1           448.01 **(9e)** (a) “Qualified international medical program” means any medical  
2 school, residency program, medical internship program, or other entity or program  
3 that is accredited by the World Federation for Medical Education or a successor  
4 organization and provides physicians with medical education or training outside of  
5 the United States that satisfies standards for professional safety, competence, and  
6 conduct set by the board.

7           (b) “Qualified international medical program” includes all medical programs  
8 in the following countries:

9           1. Australia.

10          2. Canada.

11          3. Ireland.

12          4. Israel.

13          5. New Zealand.

14          6. Singapore.

15          7. South Africa.

16          8. Switzerland.

17          9. The United Kingdom.

18          **SECTION 3.** 448.05 (2) (b) 1. of the statutes is amended to read:

19           448.05 **(2)** (b) 1. That the applicant is ~~a graduate of and possesses a diploma~~  
20 ~~from a foreign medical college credentialed by an agency approved by the board an~~  
21 international medical graduate.

22          **SECTION 4.** 448.05 (2) (b) 2. of the statutes is repealed.

23          **SECTION 5.** 448.05 (2) (b) 4. a. of the statutes is amended to read:

24           448.05 **(2)** (b) 4. a. The applicant has successfully completed and received credit  
25 for 24 months of postgraduate training in one or more qualified international

1 medical programs or in one or more programs accredited by the Accreditation  
2 Council for Graduate Medical Education, the American Osteopathic Association, or  
3 a successor organization.

4 **SECTION 6.** 448.05 (2) (b) 4. b. of the statutes is amended to read:

5 448.05 (2) (b) 4. b. The applicant is currently enrolled in a qualified  
6 international medical program or in a postgraduate training program accredited by  
7 the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education, the American  
8 Osteopathic Association, or a successor organization; the applicant has successfully  
9 completed and received credit for 12 consecutive months of postgraduate training in  
10 that program; and the applicant has received an unrestricted endorsement from the  
11 postgraduate training program director that includes confirmation that the  
12 applicant is expected to continue in the program and complete at least 24 months of  
13 postgraduate training.

14 **SECTION 7.** 448.05 (2) (b) 4. c. of the statutes is created to read:

15 448.05 (2) (b) 4. c. The applicant has been continuously engaged in the practice  
16 of medicine and surgery outside this state for at least 3 years.

17 **SECTION 8.** 448.05 (2) (b) 5. of the statutes is amended to read:

18 448.05 (2) (b) 5. That the applicant satisfies any other requirement established  
19 by the board by rule for issuing the license. The board may not require any greater  
20 length of training or experience than described in this subsection, and the board may  
21 not require an applicant to prove that he or she gained practice experience in a  
22 particular location beyond what is required under this subsection.

23 (END)



**PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION**  
**SENATE AMENDMENT ,**  
**TO SENATE BILL 309**

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 **1.** Page 4, line 5: after “**Telehealth.**” insert “**(1)**”.

3 **2.** Page 4, line 8: after that line insert:

4 “**(2)** No department, examining board, or affiliated credentialing board may  
5 promulgate any rule or take any other action that requires an individual to receive  
6 a credential or reciprocal credential solely because the individual performs a service  
7 that is delivered through telehealth.”

8 (END)





**PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION  
ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT ,  
TO ASSEMBLY BILL 296**

1           At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2           **1.** Page 4, line 5: after “**Telehealth.**” insert “(1)”.

3           **2.** Page 4, line 8: after that line insert:

4           “(2) The department and any examining board or affiliated credentialing board  
5           may not promulgate any rule or take any other action that requires an individual to  
6           meet additional requirements solely because the individual performs a service that  
7           is delivered through telehealth, except that the department, an examining board, or  
8           an affiliated credentialing board may promulgate and enforce rules that require that  
9           the transmission of information through interactive telehealth be of sufficient  
10          quality to be functionally equivalent to face-to-face contact.

11          **(3)** The department and any examining board or affiliated credentialing board  
12          may not promulgate any rule or take any other action that requires an individual to

1 perform an action in person or on site if the action can be performed remotely through  
2 telehealth and the information transmitted is functionally equivalent to information  
3 transmitted if performed via face-to-face contact.

4 (4) An individual providing a telehealth service to a patient located in the state  
5 shall have a credential or other authorization to practice in the state.

6 (5) The department, any examining board, and any affiliated credentialing  
7 board may apply and enforce any requirement that is applicable to a service provided  
8 in person to any service provided via telehealth.”

9 (END)

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**AGENDA REQUEST FORM**

<b>1) Name and Title of Person Submitting the Request:</b>  <b>Jameson Whitney, Board Counsel</b>		<b>2) Date When Request Submitted:</b> <b>10/8/21</b> <small>Items will be considered late if submitted after 12:00 p.m. on the deadline date which is 8 business days before the meeting</small>	
<b>3) Name of Board, Committee, Council, Sections:</b> Medical Examining Board			
<b>4) Meeting Date:</b> <b>10/20/21</b>	<b>5) Attachments:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<b>6) How should the item be titled on the agenda page?</b>  Administrative Rule Matters – Discussion and Consideration -Cos 2, 3, 5, 8 – status update -Med 10, Physical Examinations – preliminary draft -Med 1, Licensure- implemented scope	
<b>7) Place Item in:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Open Session <input type="checkbox"/> Closed Session	<b>8) Is an appearance before the Board being scheduled?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes ( <u>Fill out Board Appearance Request</u> ) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<b>9) Name of Case Advisor(s), if required:</b>	
<b>10) Describe the issue and action that should be addressed:</b> <b>Cos 2, 3, 5, 8:</b> Status update, no action is required.  <b>Med 10, Med 1:</b> The Board should review, take necessary action, and give drafting instructions regarding the referenced administrative rule projects.			
<b>11) Signature of person making this request</b> Jameson Whitney		<b>Authorization</b>	<b>Date 10/8/21</b>
<b>Supervisor (if required)</b>		<b>Date</b>	
<b>Executive Director signature (indicates approval to add post agenda deadline item to agenda)</b>		<b>Date</b>	
<b>Directions for including supporting documents:</b> 1. This form should be attached to any documents submitted to the agenda. 2. Post Agenda Deadline items must be authorized by a Supervisor and the Policy Development Executive Director. 3. If necessary, provide original documents needing Board Chairperson signature to the Bureau Assistant prior to the start of a meeting.			

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<b>1) Name and title of person submitting the request:</b> Pete Schramm, Licensing Examination Specialist		<b>2) Date when request submitted:</b> 10/7/2021 Items will be considered late if submitted after 12:00 p.m. on the deadline date which is 8 business days before the meeting	
<b>3) Name of Board, Committee, Council, Sections:</b> Medical Examining Board			
<b>4) Meeting Date:</b> 10/20/2021	<b>5) Attachments:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<b>6) How should the item be titled on the agenda page?</b> 2017-2019 CME Audit Report	
<b>7) Place Item in:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Open Session <input type="checkbox"/> Closed Session	<b>8) Is an appearance before the Board being scheduled?</b> <i>(If yes, please complete <a href="#">Appearance Request</a> for Non-DSPS Staff)</i>  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<b>9) Name of Case Advisor(s), if required:</b>	
<b>10) Describe the issue and action that should be addressed:</b>  Presentation of the final report of the required random audit of the 2019 renewal per Med 13.06 and motion to send non-compliant audit files to DLSC for further action			
<b>11) Authorization</b>			
Peter Schramm		10/7/2021	
<b>Signature of person making this request</b>		<b>Date</b>	
Supervisor (if required)		Date	
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**AGENDA REQUEST FORM**

1) Name and title of person submitting the request: Tom Ryan on behalf of Dr. Wasserman		2) Date when request submitted: 10/14/2021 <small>Items will be considered late if submitted after 12:00 p.m. on the deadline date which is 8 business days before the meeting</small>	
3) Name of Board, Committee, Council, Sections: Medical Examining Board			
4) Meeting Date: 10/20/2021	5) Attachments: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6) How should the item be titled on the agenda page? Travel Request: License Portability for Physician Assistants Stakeholder Meeting, 11/18/2021 – Washington DC/remote	
7) Place Item in: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Open Session <input type="checkbox"/> Closed Session		8) Is an appearance before the Board being scheduled? <i>(If yes, please complete <a href="#">Appearance Request</a> for Non-DSPS Staff)</i>  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	9) Name of Case Advisor(s), if required:
10) Describe the issue and action that should be addressed:  <p>The Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB) received a grant from the Health Resources and Services Administration, Office for the Advancement of Telehealth, License Portability Grant Program, in part, to support license portability for physician assistants (PAs). The first stakeholder meeting, on November 21, 2019, medical and PA boards sent representatives, in addition to a representative from the HRSA grant that is funding this project and representatives from other compacts (nursing, PT, psychology, EMS). Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the associated travel restrictions and disruptions of operations, the planned meeting for Spring 2020 was postponed indefinitely. However, work on this project continued and, with the American Academy of Physician Assistants, the Council of State Governments – National Center for Interstate Compacts (CSG-NCIC), the National Commission for the Certification of Physician Assistants, and others, model legislation has been drafted based on the discussions at the 2019 meeting and revised based on feedback received from distribution to state medical and PA boards and others.</p> <p>The November 18, 2021 meeting is called to review the draft, identify anticipated barriers, challenges, and engagement strategies. The CSG-NCIC has offered meeting space at the Hall of States in Washington, DC, with an option to attend virtually if in person attendance is not possible.</p> <p>The Board should decide whether to participate in this meeting, and if it chooses to participate, who its representative should be and whether attendance will be in person or remote.</p>			
11) <b>Authorization</b>			
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