

STATE OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY LICENSURE BOARD
Bureau of Occupational Licenses
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Board Meeting Minutes of 7/11/2014

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Corwin Sutherin - Chair
Kristin Guidry
Caren DeAngelis
Diann Davis-Martin
Michael Spero

BUREAU STAFF: Tana Cory, Bureau Chief
Lori Peel, Investigative Unit Manager
Maurie Ellsworth, Legal Counsel
Carrie Gilstrap, Technical Records Specialist II

OTHERS PRESENT: John Watts, Occupational Therapy Association

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 PM MDT by Corwin Sutherin.

LEGISLATIVE REPORT

Ms. Cory gave the legislative report.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Ms. Cory gave the financial report, which indicated that the Board has a cash balance of \$82,515.79 as of 6/30/2014. Ms. Cory also stated that the Board may want to look at proposing a fee decrease in the future.

INVESTIGATIVE REPORT

Ms. Peel gave the investigative report, which is linked above.

OLD BUSINESS

TO DO LIST

The Board reviewed its list. No action was taken.

PROPOSED LAW & RULE DISCUSSION

Following discussion, Ms. Guidry made a motion to authorize Bureau staff to submit an idea to the Governor's Office that would amend its law to eliminate confusion by striking professional development units and clarifying that

continuing education units are required for renewal of a license. It was seconded by Ms. Davis-Martin. Motion carried.

Mr. Watts requested that the Board get the proposed changes to him as soon as possible so that he is able to distribute the draft to association members.

The Board stated that the number of required continuing education hours will stay the same. This change is to simplify the requirement and make it easier for the therapists to understand.

Ms. Guidry made a motion to authorize the sub-committee to review and approve the drafted proposed law change and to send this draft to Mr. Watts. It was seconded by Mr. Spero. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

The Board reviewed correspondence regarding the use of modalities and its rules that require one hundred (160) hours of supervised training.

Ms. DeAngelis stated there is confusion with this requirement and she would like to change the number of hours required in Rule .012.

Following further discussion, the Board asked Ms. DeAngelis to research other state requirements and, from that data, propose a change that falls somewhere in the middle.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Ms. Davis-Martin made a motion that the Board go into executive session under Idaho Code § 67-2345(1)(d) to consider records that are exempt from disclosure under the Idaho Public Records Law. The purpose of the Executive Session was to consider license application materials. It was seconded by Ms. Guidry. The vote was: Mr. Sutherin, aye; Ms. Guidry, aye; Ms. DeAngelis, aye; Ms. Davis-Martin, aye; and Mr. Spero, aye. Motion carried.

Ms. Guidry made a motion to come out of executive session. It was seconded by Ms. Davis-Martin. The vote was: Mr. Sutherin, aye; Ms. Guidry, aye; Ms. DeAngelis, aye; Ms. Davis-Martin, aye; and Mr. Spero, aye. Motion carried.

The Board reviewed and approved the licensees' continuing education audits documents.

APPROVED CE COURSES

ACCELERATED CARE PLUS CORP

THERAPY TESTS & MEASURES (TTM-2 HR)
THERAPY TESTS & MEASURES (TTM- 1 HR)

LHC GROUP EDUCATION AND LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT
UNDERSTANDING BALANCE (ILT)

MEDICAL MINDS IN MOTION
KINESIOLOGY TAPING: INTEGRATING MOVEMENT ASSESSMENTS
& CORRECTIVE EXERCISE STRATEGIES

MOBILITY RESEARCH
GERIATRIC ORTHOPEDICS PART III: RE AND PRE-HABILITATING
THE AGING ATHLETE
USE OF ELECTRICAL STIMULATION TO IMPROVE FUNCTION IN THE
NEUROLOGICAL POPULATION

PROFESSIONAL THERAPIES NORTHWEST, LLC
KINESIO TAPE I & II
ENHANCING OUTCOMES IN VESTIBULAR REHAB
PARKINSONS AND MS UPDATE: PRACTICAL AND EVIDENCE-BASED
REHAB

ST LUKES - ELKS REHAB
WHEN PAIN DOESNT HURT: RECONCEPTUALIZING PAIN

ST LUKES- ELKS REHAB
THUMB MECHANICS- LINKING ANATOMY AND TREATMENT OF CMC
OA: PART 2

NEXT CONFERENCE CALL MEETING was scheduled for August 8, 2014 at
12:00 PM.

ELECTION OF CHAIR

Ms. Guidry made a motion to re-elect Mr. Sutherin as Chair. It was seconded by Mr. Spero. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Guidry made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 3:42 PM. It was seconded by Ms. Davis-Martin. Motion carried.

Corwin Sutherin, Chair

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