

MINUTES

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MEETING
Boise, Idaho
Friday, June 14, 2013

PARTICIPATING:

The meeting was called to order at 10:20 a.m. by Chairperson, Magen Schmidt, Coeur d'Alene. Participating were David Martin, PA, Pocatello and Paige Cline, PA, Boise. Also attending were Mary Leonard, Associate Director; Cynthia Michalik, Quality Assurance Specialist; Janet Whelan, Quality Assurance Specialist and Jodi Adcock, Allied Health Licensing Manager.

MINUTES:

The minutes of the Physician Assistant Advisory Committee's (PA Committee) February 15, 2013 meeting were approved. Unless otherwise noted, all actions were taken on motions duly made and adopted unanimously. (Motion– Martin; Affirmed-Unanimous)

ADMINISTRATION:

The PA Committee welcomed new member, Paige Cline, PA from Boise.

The PA Committee reviewed their Financial Status Report. (No Action Required)

The PA Committee members agreed that due to the increase in disciplinary cases, the PA Committee would meet four (4) times a year. The meetings will be scheduled three (3) weeks prior to each of the Board of Medicine's quarterly meetings. The next meeting is scheduled for November 8, 2013 at 10:15 a.m.

The PA Committee reviewed enacted Rule changes to add a temporary license for PA applicants whose application is complete pending results of their criminal background checks.

The PA Committee reviewed draft language for a Rule change to delete IDAPA 22.01.03.043, Delivery of Medication, and adding a paragraph to IDAPA 22.01.03.042 regarding dispensing prescriptions in accordance with the Board of Pharmacy's regulations regarding Prescriber Drug Outlets.

The PA Committee reviewed information regarding Freedom Healthcare and discussed supervision of a PA by an out-of-state physician who holds an Idaho license but does not see patients in Idaho. Paige Cline, PA agreed to assist the Board of Medicine in drafting a Board policy to address this issue.

LICENSURE:

The PA Committee Reviewed the Licensure Count as follows:

License Type Description	Current	Expired	Renewable
GRADUATE PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT	0	53	0
PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT	676	282	23
PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT - GRADUATE	2	18	2
PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT - INACTIVE	37	127	15
PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT TRAINEE	133	501	0
	1	1	0
TOTAL	849	996	40

The PA Committee reviewed licenses issued since last meeting. (Information, see attachment)

DISCIPLINE:

At 10:55 a.m., pursuant to Idaho Code §67-2345 (1) (b), (d) and (f), the Committee moved to go into Executive Session to consider pending matters. (Motion–Martin; Affirmed–Cline, Schmidt)

At 12:00 p.m., the Committee acted to leave Executive Session and go into Open Session. (Motion–Schmidt; Affirmed–Cline, Martin)

In Open Session, the PA Committee voted on the matters considered during Executive Session and made recommendations to the Board of Medicine as follows:

Upon consideration of Case No.7205, the Committee acted to recommend closure. (Motion – Schmidt; Affirmed – Unanimous)

Upon consideration of Case No. 7213, the Committee acted to recommend closure with a confidential letter of concern. (Motion–Martin; Affirmed–Unanimous)

Upon consideration of Case No.7214, the Committee acted to recommend closure. (Motion–Martin; Affirmed–Unanimous)

Upon consideration of Case No.7215, the Committee acted to recommend closure. (Motion–Martin; Affirmed– Cline; Waselchuk–recused)

Upon consideration of Case No.7222, the Committee acted to recommend closure. (Motion–Martin; Affirmed–Unanimous)

Upon consideration of Case No.7243, the Committee acted to recommend closure with a confidential letter of reprimand. (Motion–Cline; Affirmed-Unanimous)

Upon consideration of Case No.7248, the Committee acted to recommend closure. (Motion-Cline; Affirmed–Unanimous)

Upon consideration of Case No.7256, the Committee acted to recommend closure. (Motion-Martin; Affirmed–Unanimous)

The PA Committee was updated regarding Advanced Cases PAC-2012-608 and PAC-2013-620 and Monitor Case No. 172.

MISCELLANEOUS:

The PA Committee reviewed the NCCPA’s certification maintenance requirements changes for PAs.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:02 p.m.

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