

THE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY
Professional & Vocational Licensing Division
Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs
State of Hawaii

MINUTES OF MEETING

- Date: Tuesday, November 14, 2017
- Time: 9:00 a.m.
- Place: Queen Liliuokalani Conference Room
King Kalakaua Building
335 Merchant Street, First Floor
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813
- Present: Neil Shimabukuro, Physical Therapist (“PT”), Chair
Rachelle Iopa, PT, Vice Chair
Russell Chung, Public Member
Debra Kubota, PT
Michael Turner, PT
Jill Wakabayashi, Physical Therapist Assistant (“PTA”)
Alan Taniguchi, Executive Officer (“EO”)
Shari Wong, Deputy Attorney General (“DAG”)
Jennifer Fong, Secretary
- Guest: Herb Yee, Hawaii Chapter - American Physical Therapy Association (“HAPTA”)
- Agenda: The agenda for this meeting was filed with the Office of the Lieutenant Governor, as required by section 92-7(b), Hawaii Revised Statutes (“HRS”).
1. Call to Order: There being a quorum present, Chair Shimabukuro called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.
 2. Additional Distribution: None.
 3. Approval of Board Minutes of the September 12, 2017 Meeting: Chair Shimabukuro asked if there were any comments or concerns regarding the board meeting minutes of the September 12, 2017 meeting.
DAG Wong requested the following corrections to the minutes (underlined material added, while bracketed material is to be deleted):

On Page 3, under item 5.a., the header should read “Regulated Industries Complaints Office (“RICO”) Request for Review and Approval of the Physical Therapy Advisory Committee list and Addendum language for the 2018

term [cense Renewal – Continuing Competence (“CC”) Audit Update]”

On Page 4, the last sentence in the second paragraph should read “It could be a Hawaii PT providing services to a patient away from Hawaii or a PT licensed in another state that does not hold a Hawaii license providing services to a patient in Hawaii.”

Upon a motion by Ms. Kubota, seconded by Ms. Wakabayashi, it was voted on and unanimously carried to approve the minutes of the September 12, 2017 meeting as amended.

4. Executive Officer’s Report:

a. 2018 Board Meeting Schedule

The 2018 Board Meeting Schedule was distributed to the board members. EO Taniguchi reminded the Board to let staff know as soon as possible if they are unable to attend any meetings.

5. Continuing Competence (“CC”) Course Approval Requests:

a. Requests for Review

After some discussion, upon a motion by Vice Chair Iopa, seconded by Ms. Kubota, it was voted on and unanimously carried to ratify the following courses which were delegated to the EO for approval at the Board’s September 12, 2017 meeting and subsequently approved:

INDEX #	PROGRAM TITLE (SPONSOR)	UNITS
17-059	130 Ethics and Jurisprudence: A Practical Application - Hawaii (Sponsor: PTCourses.com)	2.0
17-060	Clinical Documentation for Rehab Services (Sponsor: Brighton Rehabilitation)	4.0
17-061	Evidence-based Selected Examination and Manual/Manipulative Interventions of the Lumbopelvic and Cervicothoracic Spines (Sponsor: EIM Institute of Health)	16.0

b. Requests for Review

After some discussion, upon a motion by Ms. Wakabayashi, seconded by Ms. Kubota, it was voted on and unanimously carried to approve the following courses for Professional Practice of Physical Therapy CCUs:

INDEX #	PROGRAM TITLE (SPONSOR)	UNITS
17-062	Therapeutic Yoga: New Tools For Broadening Your Treatment and Practice (<i>Sponsor: Occupational Therapy Association of Hawaii</i>)	6.0
18-004	Wheelchair Seating and Positioning: Assessment, Troubleshooting and Achieving the Perfect Fit! (<i>Sponsor: Performance Health Academy</i>)	6.0

7. Applications:

a. Ratifications

Upon a motion by Mr. Turner, seconded by Vice Chair Iopa, it was voted on and unanimously carried to ratify the following:

Approved for Physical Therapist License

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| PT 4457 KIMBERLY M SPANGLER | PT 4479 RACHAEL N JOBES |
| PT 4458 HEATHER A BITGOOD | PT 4480 LACY L DEXTER |
| PT 4459 ALLISON N DRAKE | PT 4481 LEA A SNYDER |
| PT 4460 LEDA S JELLUM | PT 4482 JEREMY B LEMON |
| PT 4461 AUSTIN D KOCCHI | PT 4483 EGIL A QUAM |
| PT 4462 SARA A SUDDER | PT 4484 ADAM M MONDAK |
| PT 4463 CHARLES W OHLY | PT 4485 JOHN W TAYLOR |
| PT 4464 ZACHARY J TALMANT | PT 4486 CARMEN H DELGADO |
| PT 4465 JOSEPH W USSERY | PT 4487 VICTORIA A GIFFEN |
| PT 4466 TEAGAN B FERGUSON | PT 4488 GINA M SENKOWSKI |
| PT 4467 LONNI R STANTON | PT 4489 GREGORY M KARNEY |
| PT 4468 MEGAN M WALLISER | PT 4490 KATHLEEN M FENNER |
| PT 4469 JUSTINE S HO | PT 4491 ISIDRO B SORIANO III |
| PT 4470 MICHAEL D HENSLEY | PT 4492 BRADLEY A FULLER |
| PT 4471 ALYSSA M FUSCO | PT 4493 BETH KIMBALL |
| PT 4472 GEMMA M ROSE | PT 4494 KRISTY C CHUN |
| PT 4473 BRIAN B SONG | PT 4495 ROBERT J RATCLIFFE |
| PT 4474 JUSTIN E STEIN | PT 4496 DANIELA N ROARK |
| PT 4475 DIONYSIOS ARIDAS | PT 4497 KAREN T BUDLONG |
| PT 4476 SUSAN M WATKINS | PT 4498 CHRIS Y BJORNBERG |
| PT 4477 TIMOTHY J CHARLESTON | PT 4499 DENISE WENTZEL |
| PT 4478 JAMES R MCMULLEN | PT 4500 MEGAN R ABRAHAM |

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PTA 377 HELGA WARTENA
PTA 378 KAYCEE L ERZFELD
PTA 379 BRANDON A PERSA
PTA 380 JESSICA L NENNEMAN
PTA 381 STEPHANIE M RYAN

PTA 382 HEIDI D KRENZKE
PTA 383 RAINA K CHANG
PTA 384 PATTI J TORCHIO
PTA 385 SHELLEY M DAILEY

7. Next Meeting: Tuesday, January 9, 2017
9:00 a.m.
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Mr. Turner requested that the next meeting include discussion on changing the Board's statutes to include dry needling and adding a continuing competence requirement for physical therapist assistants.

Ms. Kubota noted that changing the inquired about the timeframe for proposed legislation.

EO Taniguchi noted that the deadline for bills to be submitted as part of the Administration's package for the 2018 legislative session has passed so the earliest a bill could be submitted is the 2019 legislative session.

Ms. Wakabayashi requested that the Board discuss possible participation in the Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy ("FSBPT") licensure compact.

Vice Chair Iopa asked how many states currently participate in the FSBPT's licensure compact.

Ms. Wakabayashi said currently there are 14 states who participate in the compact. The number will possibly increase to 16 or 18 by April.

Chair Shimabukuro asked that the FSBPT 2017 Annual Meeting be placed on the next meeting's agenda also so the Board could discuss information presented at the FSBPT meeting on topics such as telehealth.

Mr. Yee stated that HAPTA would like the Board to change their rules to allow telehealth.

DAG Wong stated that she does not think that change can be accomplished by changing the rules.

Mr. Turner noted that in order for the issue to be addressed in the rules, it must be in the Board's statutes first.

8. Adjournment: With no further business to discuss, Chair Shimabukuro adjourned the meeting at 9:27 a.m.

Taken by:

/s/ Jennifer Fong

Jennifer Fong
Secretary

Reviewed by:

/s/ Alan Taniguchi

Alan Taniguchi
Executive Officer

11/30/17

[] Minutes approved as is.

[✓] Minutes approved with changes; see minutes of January 9, 2018.