

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

MINUTES OF MEETING

Date: July 11, 2023

Time: 9:00 a.m.

In-Person Meeting Location: Queen Liliuokalani Conference Room
HRS King Kalakaua Building
335 Merchant Street, First Floor
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Present: Cynthia Tamayo, Physical Therapist ("PT"), Chairperson
Joanne Zazzera, PT, Vice Chairperson
Stacie Keliinoi, PT, Member
Michele Chee, PT, Member
Rochelle Araki, Executive Officer ("EO")
Christopher J.I. Leong, Deputy Attorney General ("DAG")
Marc Yoshimura, Secretary

Guests: Ruby Wang, ATG - CED

All Board members were present.

Call to Order: There being a quorum present, Chair Tamayo called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m.

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").

Approval of Board Meeting Minutes of February 14, 2023:

Chair Tamayo asked if there were any comments or concerns regarding the Board Meeting Minutes of the February 14, 2023, meeting. There were none.

There being no further discussion or amendments to the minutes, upon a motion by Ms. Keliinoi, seconded by Ms. Chee, it was voted on and unanimously carried to approve the Board meeting minutes of the February 14, 2023, as circulated.

2023 Legislative Session:

a. Senate Bill No. 668

The bill's last hearing was with the House Committee on Health and Homelessness on March 13, 2023. No further hearing was scheduled after.

Continuing
Competence (“CC”)
Course Approval
Requests:

a. Request from APTA Hawaii Chapter for the Board to recognize the Academies and Sections of the American Physical Therapy Association (APTA) as authorized providers of continuing competency for Physical Therapist licensee in Hawaii.

Vice Chair Zazzera stated that this is a good idea since APTA is focusing more on their sections and academies. She added that this would be good for all the different specialties in physical therapy.

Vice Chair Zazzera and all the other Board members expressed their support in approving the Academies and Sections of the APTA as authorized providers of continuing competency.

Upon Motion by Vice Chair Zazzera, seconded by Ms. Keliinoi, it was voted on and unanimously carried to approve the Academies and Sections of the American Physical Therapy Association (APTA) as an authorized providers for continuing competences for physical therapy licensees in Hawaii.

b. CC Courses Requests for Review

Ms. Chee asked if COMT-6 includes a video training component in addition to in person training. She added that COMT-3 was requesting for 7 hours of online training, but the request did not include the breakdown on the 7 hours.

Furthermore, the Board wants to know when the certificate of completion would be awarded to the licensee. Would it be given post test and after the online component is completed?

Upon motion by Chair Tamayo, seconded by Ms. Keliinoi it was voted and unanimously carried to approve the following courses for Professional Practice of Physical Therapy CCUs:

PROGRAM TITLE (SPONSOR)	UNITS
Upper Extremity Level 2 (Sponsor: Active Release Techniques)	22.5
Advanced Full Body Level 2 (Sponsor: Active Release Techniques)	7.5
An Eclectic Approach to Spinal Mobilization and Manipulation	16

Lymphatic Drainage Therapy Level 1, 2 and 3	24
RUNFIT Video Gait Analysis and Re-Training	15

Upon a motion by Chair Tamayo, seconded by Ms. Keliinoi, it was voted on and unanimously carried to defer the following course for Professional Practice of Physical Therapy CCUs, requesting for more information.

COMT-3: Upper Extremity Evaluation and Management	14
COMT-4: Cervico-Thoracic Evaluation and Management	21
COMT-6: Lower Quadrant Assessment and Management	21

Executive Session: At 9:30 a.m., it was moved by Chair Tamayo, seconded by Vice Chair Zazzera and unanimously carried to enter into executive session pursuant to HRS section 92-5(a)(1) to consider and evaluate personal information relating to individuals applying for professional or vocational licenses cited in HRS section 26-9, and to consult with Christopher Leong, Deputy Attorney General, on questions and issues pertaining to the Board’s powers, duties, privileges, immunities, and liabilities pursuant to HRS section 92-5(a)(4).

At 9:48 a.m., it was moved by Chair Tamayo, seconded by Ms. Chee, and unanimously carried to move out of executive session and to reconvene to the Board’s regular order of business.

Applications: a. Clea Tucker

After due consideration of the information received, it was moved by Ms. Keliinoi, seconded by Vice Chair Zazzera to approve Clea Tucker’s Physical Therapist application. Chair Tamayo called for a roll call vote: Chair Tamayo voted yes, Vice Chair Zazzera voted yes, Ms. Keliinoi voted yes, Ms. Chee voted no. The motion failed to carry due to lack of majority vote: three votes in favor and one vote against.

The Board expressed concern and wanted to discuss Clea Tucker’s application further.

Executive Session: At 9:56 a.m., it was moved by Chair Tamayo, seconded by Ms. Chee and unanimously carried to enter into executive session pursuant to HRS section 92-5(a)(1) to consider and evaluate personal information relating to individuals applying for professional or vocational licenses cited in HRS section 26-9, and to consult with Christopher Leong, Deputy Attorney General, on questions and issues pertaining to the Board's powers, duties, privileges, immunities, and liabilities pursuant to HRS section 92-5(a)(4).

At 10:26 a.m., it was moved by Chair Tamayo, seconded by Ms. Chee, and unanimously carried to move out of executive session and to reconvene to the Board's regular order of business.

Applications: a. Clea Tucker

After further discussion, it was moved by Ms. Chee, seconded by Vice Chair Zazzera, and unanimously carried to defer Clea Tucker's application for physical therapy licensure requesting for further clarification.

b. Ratifications (list attached)

Upon a motion by Chair Tamayo, seconded by Vice Chairs Zazzera, it was voted on and unanimously carried to ratify the attached list of individuals for licensure.

Next Meeting: TBD
9:00 a.m.
TBD

Adjournment: With no further business to discuss, Chair Tamayo adjourned the meeting at 10:31 a.m.

Taken by:

/s/ Marc Yoshimura
Marc Yoshimura
Secretary

Reviewed by:

/s/ Rochelle Araki
Rochelle Araki
Executive Officer

8/7/2023

Minutes approved as is.

Minutes approved with changes; see minutes of _____.

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PHYSICAL THERAPIST LICENSE

PT-5643-0	Julianne Renee Genochio
PT-5644-0	Diana Renovell Romero
PT-5645-0	Rachel Maleka Christensen
PT-5646-0	Larry Frank Jr.
PT-5648-0	Nima Enayati
PT-5649-0	Dana Marie Trotta
PT-5650-0	Carlos Alberto Garcia
PT-5651-0	Brenden Richard Lewer
PT-5652-0	Arlyn Valencia Thobaben
PT-5653-0	Colleen Dowling
PT-5654-0	Cody Hilton Kenly
PT-5655-0	Kathryn A Enriquez
PT-5656-0	Carla Elizabeth Wyman
PT-5657-0	Patrick Rowland Harris
PT-5658-0	Emily Zint
PT-5659-0	James Samuel Ludington
PT-5660-0	Kelli Anne Robinson
PT-5661-0	Kathryn Denise Venard
PT-5662-0	Taylor Len Hills
PT-5663-0	Braden Lee Benson
PT-5664-0	ALICIA MIDORI TAYLOR
PT-5665-0	Hardeep Gill
PT-5666-0	AILEEN C P REGINALDO
PT-5667-0	Erin Ino
PT-5668-0	Allen Laguerre
PT-5669-0	Thomas Tardif
PT-5670-0	Taylor Allen Pechauer
PT-5671-0	Lanie Ann Kelsey Crews Pires
PT-5672-0	Jamie Nicole Hanskiewicz
PT-5673-0	Luke Patrick Makler
PT-5674-0	Savannah-Rae Molina Sherry
PT-5675-0	Ovidia Chacon Fierro
PT-5676-0	Andrea Lynn Oberlander
PT-5677-0	Alexis Scardasis Asencios
PT-5678-0	Erica Lynn Riston

PT-5679-0	Winsthony Garcia
PT-5680-0	Michael Charles Braitsch
PT-5681-0	Hannah Beth Moverman
PT-5682-0	Barton Lee Schroeter
PT-5683-0	Eric Edward Ersson
PT-5684-0	Erica Nicole Sanchez
PT-5685-0	Cameron Leigh Zimmer
PT-5686-0	Gabrielle Lesnett
PT-5687-0	Rachel Wismeth-Johnston
PT-5688-0	Joshua Jaye Huffman
PT-5689-0	Sarah Kathleen Schumacher
PT-5690-0	Cole Mason Brown
PT-5691-0	Gurpreet Singh
PT-5692-0	Barry Lee Miller
PT-5693-0	Sripriya Madura Prince
PT-5694-0	Jessica Lynn Schmidt
PT-5695-0	Tanner James Crass
PT-5696-0	James P Sauser Denesia
PT-5697-0	Katelyn Allie McAtee
PT-5698-0	Paul A Giordano
PT-5699-0	VERONICA T CRASS
PT-5700-0	EILEEN S CRANE
PT-5701-0	Austin Terrance Stueve
PT-5702-0	Jordan Alexandra Shilling
PT-5704-0	GABRIEL J EISNER
PT-5705-0	JASMINE M BLOCKER
PT-5706-0	Melissa Bloomer
PT-5707-0	JONATHAN RAYMOND
PT-5708-0	Lydia Storms
PT-5709-0	Hiroya Son
PT-5710-0	Nicole Lynne Barnes
PT-5711-0	Sean Moran
PT-5712-0	ERICA M PANTALEO
PT-5713-0	TEZRA E DAMASO
PT-5714-0	Teyanni Jazlynn Alejandro Esaki
PT-5715-0	Bryan Nguyen
PT-5716-0	Eamon Kame Iha Campbell
PT-5717-0	Jayston Caleb Manuel Prudencio

PT-5718-0	Deanna Recupero
PT-5719-0	John Walz
PT-5720-0	JEFFREY H KINDIG
PT-5721-0	SHELBY E JOHNSON
PT-5722-0	Tiffany Patch
PT-5723-0	DAVID M DISHAUZI
PT-5724-0	Tiana Manrique
PT-5725-0	Geraldine Anne Casongsong Agag
PT-5726-0	FARID BOUALAM
PT-5727-0	LEE H DRESSLER
PT-5728-0	Lucas Trapeau
PT-5729-0	Sarah Dastice
PT-5730-0	JEREMY I MISSUK
PT-5731-0	ERIC LUO
PT-5732-0	Mitchell Thomas Ronzia
PT-5733-0	BRYSON R Y NAITO

PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT LICENSE

PTA-681-0	Kaitlyn Ku'u lei Juan
PTA-682-0	McKenna Genia Evans
PTA-683-0	BRYAN H MILLER
PTA-684-0	Elisha Carmona
PTA-685-0	REBECA MARIE MORRA
PTA-686-0	Michael Harvell
PTA-687-0	Shayla Elizabeth Habibi
PTA-688-0	JAMIE R ARONSON
PTA-689-0	TRAVIS J GROSS
PTA-690-0	Micah-Seth Mitsuo Michihara
PTA-691-0	Larsen Makana Jones
PTA-692-0	MAX A WELLEIN
PTA-693-0	Vanessa Wilkinson
PTA-694-0	Kevin Klein
PTA-695-0	SARAH LYNN PERREAULT
PTA-696-0	Noelle Faith Whitaker
PTA-697-0	HEATHER A RUNDENGAN
PTA-698-0	AISHA R CAMPBELL