



Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy,
and Athletic Trainers Board

Athletic Trainers Section

July 28, 2020

9:00 AM

Virtual meeting held via Microsoft Teams

Members Present

Trevor Bates, Chair
Benjamin Burkam MD, Secretary
Hollie Kozak
Gary Lake
Jeff Szczpanski

Members Absent

None

Legal Counsel

Emily Pelfrey, AAG

Staff Present

Melissa Anthony, Executive Director
Jeffery Duvall, Supervisor Enforcement Division
Jan Hills, Executive Assistant
Jaklyn Shucofsky, Paralegal
Debbie Fulk, Licensure

Guests

Gerald Rishel, OATA

Call to Order

Trevor Bates, Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:04 AM.

Gary Lake made a motion, second by Hollie Kozak to approve the May 15, 2020 minutes as submitted. Motion passed.

Executive Director's Report

- eLicense- several tickets pending
 - Duty to report
 - Minimum age requirement
 - Wall certificate printing delay
 - Renewal application indicates in person CE hours. That rule is gone and update will be made to eLicense.
- Personnel, Budget and Office
 - Hiring freeze
 - Finishing AT & PTA audit
 - OT audit on pause for fall
 - Good fiscal shape
 - Budget is due September 15
 - No return to office date set.
 - OTPTAT has invested in additional technology for staff.
- Board member training
 - Ethics
 - Domestic violence
 - Disability awareness

Discussion of Law and Rule Changes

Military licensure changes

- Waiting on word from CSI to final file.

2020 Five-year rule review

- Notice will be sent to license holders.

Education rule

- Notice will be sent to license holders.

Concussion rule

- No need to make changes. Will monitor Medical Board, Chiropractic Board and Nursing Board for any changes to rules.
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License Information

Gary Lake made a motion, second by Jeff Sczpanski that the Section approve two applications for contact hour approval. Motion passed.

Licensure Applications

Gary Lake moved that the Athletic Trainers Section ratify, as submitted, the athletic training licenses issued by examination, endorsement, and reinstatement by the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board from May 16, 2020 through July 28, 2020, taking into account those licenses subject to discipline, surrender, or non-renewal. Second by Hollie Kozak. Motion passed.

Athletic Trainer by Endorsement- 23

Jason Miguel Aguirre
Patrick Andrew Barton
Brittany Michelle Bingham
Joseph Leon Bitonti
Jordyn McKenzie Blood
Elyse Louise Bryson
Sarah Christensen
Tori Elana Dalessandro

Alexandra Nicole Daniel
Christopher Jacob Devlin
Julia Marie Edmonds
Stephen Reed Fink
Summer Jones
Lauryn Jo Lanzer
Leigh-Ann Elizabeth Liberto
Haley Potters

Margaret Mae Rowell
Justin Lee Rush
Shirley Ann Tomten
Jessica Renee Westmaas
Samantha Jo Whiteman
Megan Wieloch
Allison Lee Roark Witzgall

Athletic Trainer by Examination- 50

Mitchell Lee Anderson
Raven Melissa Bachand
Lucas Bockbrader
Megan Casale
Christopher Cleverly
Andrew Cradler
Seth Carter Davis
Emily Marie Eckman
Sean Steven Ennis
Lucia R Eroshevich
Amy Marie Federle
Courtney Ann Fernandes
Kyle Dalton Flora
Brandon James Gallimore
Morgan Elizabeth Garris
Alex Hunter Gazdik
Mariah Lucille Goecker

Autumn Paige Hammel
Jena Heck
Briana Lynn Houle
Kelsey Howell
Chasitie Keefer
Matthew Krill
Jane Kubala
Saralynn Marie Kusner
Megan Elizabeth Kusner
Michael Anthony Lammers
Nathan Michael Lienhart
Rebecca Marszalek
Maeve Leonia McFeely
Erin Mikhayla Miller
Kaitlyn Virginia Moore
Jamie Mushrush
Emma Nicholson

Sarah Mason O'Connor
Nora Margaret Oliver
Zachary Patton
Erin Marie Pavick
Stephanie Petery
Lucia Marie Picciano
Ariel Pinkney
Nathan Philip Rickey
William Stephen Siemer
Grant Slovin
Elizabeth Sue Smith
Jessica Caroline Steger
Samantha Nicole Twining
Alex Weaver
James Sawyer Williamson
Benjamin Joseph Wimmer

Gary Lake moved that the Athletic Trainers Section approve the education credentials of **AT006164** for the purposes of licensure as an Athletic Trainer in the state of Ohio. Jeff Sczpanski seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Gary Lake moved that the section grant the application withdrawal requests for AT examination/endorsement/reinstatement applications on file with the Board on May 15, 2020 based on the documentation provided. Second by Jeff Sczpanski. Motion passed.

AT Withdrawals- 2

Tori Dalessandro APP-000364787
William Siemer AT006171

Enforcement Report

“New” cases opened since the last meeting: 4
Cases closed at the last meeting: 2
Cases “currently open”: 9
Active consent agreements: 1
Adjudication order being monitored: 1

Notice of Opportunity for Hearing (NOH)

Hollie Kozak recommended that a motion be made to issue a notice of opportunity for hearing for **case # AT-20-053** for failure to respond to CE Audit. Jeff Sczpanski made a motion, second by Gary Lake. Motion passed. Hollie Kozak abstained.

Hollie Kozak recommended that a motion be made to issue a notice of opportunity for hearing for **case # AT-20-050** for failure to respond to CE Audit. Gary Lake made a motion, second by Jeff Sczpanski. Motion passed. Hollie Kozak abstained

AAG Report

None

OATA

No report

Open Forum

- Missy Anthony has been asked to put the AT standard response to telehealth on the FAQ AT web page.
- Need clarification on the renewal deadline for AT is December 1, yet deadline for continuing education is September 30. Continuing education obtained on or after October 1st will be counted in next two-year reporting cycle. Notice will be included on social media.

Old Business

None

Correspondence

None

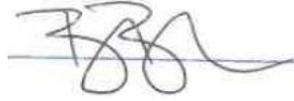
Adjournment

Motion to adjourn meeting by Hollie Kozak, second by Gary Lake. There being no further business and no objections, Trevor Bates adjourned the meeting at 9:57 AM.

Respectfully submitted,
Jan Hills



Trevor Bates, AT, Chair
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Dr. Benjamin Burkam, MD, Secretary
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Missy Anthony, Executive Director
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