Members Present
Beth Ann Ball, OTR/L
Joanne Phillips Estes, OTR/L, Secretary
Mary Beth Lavey, COTA/L (arrived 9:40 AM, left 12:30 PM)
Anissa Siefert, OTR/L, Chair
Melissa Van Allen, OTR/L

Staff
Jennifer Adams, Investigator
Melissa Anthony, Executive Director

Guests
Jacquelyn Chamberlin, OOTA
Krysten Chadwick, S/OT

Legal Counsel
LaTawnda Moore, AAG

Call to Order
Anissa Siefert, Section Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:10 a.m.

The Section began the meeting by reading the vision statement.

The Occupational Therapy Section is committed to proactively:

- Provide Education to the Consumers of Occupational Therapy Services;
- Enforce Practice Standards for the Protection of the Consumer of Occupational Therapy Services;
- Regulate the Profession of Occupational Therapy in an Ever-Changing Environment;
- Regulate Ethical and Multicultural Competency in the Practice of Occupational Therapy;
- Regulate the Practice of Occupational Therapy in all Current and Emerging Areas of Service Delivery.

Approval of Minutes
Action: Beth Ann Ball moved that the minutes from the January 17, 2019 meeting be approved as amended. Melissa Van Allen seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Executive Director Report
The Executive Director informed the section that the changes to remove escrow have been finalized and the OT renewal questions have been updated.

The Executive Director gave an update on the state budget and pending legislation.

The Section discussed several upcoming presentations.

Discussion of Law and Rule Changes
The Section discussed CE credit for overseas volunteer opportunities. More research is needed before a change is made.

The Section discussed a need for a law change to accommodate CE approvals by the Ohio Occupational Therapy Association.

The Section discussed minimum age requirements for licensure. The Section decided to move forward with rules to implement a minimum age of 18 for licensure as an OT/OTA and to conduct fieldwork effective August 2021.

Administrative Reports
Licensure Report
Action: Melissa Van Allen moved that the Occupational Therapy Section ratify, as submitted, the occupational
therapist and occupational therapy assistant licenses issued by examination, endorsement, reinstatement, and restoration by the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board from January 18, 2019 through February 28, 2019 taking into account those licenses subject to discipline, surrender, or non-renewal. Beth Ann Ball seconded the motion. Joanne Estes abstained from voting on occupational therapist examination applications for Leeah Joyce Calderon, Alexandra Danielle Demboski, Kylie Enders, Megan Ferrell, Marisa Christine Grimes, Sophie Elisabeth Gucciardi, Kylie Hardin, Mary Landry, Allie Elizabeth Lawrence, Lauren Mueller, Sara Elizabeth Reilman, Megan Alicia Selhorst, Eliza Kathryn Stanford, and Maria Pauline Wade. The motion carried.

Occupational Therapist – Examination

Bailey Kochalko
Stephanie Ann Honigford
Mary Landry
Jennifer Kristin McClain
Ashley Koepeke
Alexis Overton
Erin Kristine Roberts
Amber Lynn Perpich
Allison Grace Gineman
Emily Finch
Emily Nicole Rinehart
Megan Olegario
Carrie Esther Solomon
Amber Lynn Grimes
Kylie Enders
Clintina Shu Nee Callender
Juliet Rose Corrigan
Meghan Katherine Ceneviva
Christopher Andrew Adams
Jimmy Clagg
Lori Michelle Shonkwiler
Allyson Marie Coyne
Megan Alicia Selhorst
Katelyn Ann Morris
Samantha Catherine Darner
Taylor D Foy
Samantha Maria Francis
Elise Ann Riner
Maria Pauline Wade
Amber Rose Petro
Paige Martin
Alexis Enis
Lindsay Ball
Lauren Mueller
Allyson Bates
Madelyn Long
Leelah Joyce Calderon
Christine M Fortuna
Jessica Lynne Dietz
Emma Rose Durante
Siana Danielle Vernot
Sara Elizabeth Reilman
Kylie Hardin
Meghan Rose Schrom
Bukurije Ukshini
Ashton Sue Daniel
Jacob Naumann
Shannon Elizabeth Drennan
Megan Ferrell
Melissa Ann Perretta
Megan Kayla Jesse
Eliza Ray Gunner
Marisa Christine Grimes
Mackenzie Leigh Vanderpool
Stacey Sponsler
Francesca Deann Force
Lee Montgomery Parrish
Alexandra Danielle Demboski
Allie Elizabeth Lawrence
Shaquille Bridges
Alison Seitz
Eliza Kathryn Stanford
Sophia Elisabeth Gucciardi
Lindsey Margaret Norris
Mary Porter
Dieuvil Varice
Jessica Ann Barth
Lauren Ann Musleve
Heather Price
Sarah Ann-Elizabeth Pyers
Tyler Douglas Bilinovic
Colleen Heather Welker
Krista Ann Schimmoeller

Occupational Therapy Assistant – Examination

Melissa Marie Flynn
Aaron Keil
Sydney Nicole Conley
Michael James McClure
Tisha Brooke Grant
Sophia Christine Woods
Krista Lou Ferreira
Shawna Marie Hall
Ashley Michelle Evans
Shelby Lynn Rini
Laura Elizabeth Hughes
Sheaton Curtis morgan
Lydia Marie Siekkinen
Michaela Jade Ulmer
Laura Bradford
Shannon Lynn Wilson
Alexis Rae Stein
Miranda Waite
Megan McHugh
Lesley Ann Bishop
Megan Marie Wix

Occupational Therapist – Endorsement

Kara Lynn Bryner
Jennifer Hagan
Jordan Makayla Blackaby
Kristen Nicole Ngirimana
Kelly Cobalt Ruhlach
Noreen B Schlatmann
Brandy Lynn Britenbaugh
Carissa Dimaculangan Santell
Matthew Hill
Leah Volpenhein
Amanda June Rodenbuecher
Cindy L Lawson
Milan Marinkovich
Claire E Werner

Occupational Therapy Assistant – Endorsement

Shelley Rene Wilkin
Emily Kathleen Kuck
Sidney Deana Savage
Mathias Achanyi Kikam
Erica Blair Mcadams
Shannon Lynn Selak
Occupational Therapist – Reinstatement
David Allen Beck

Occupational Therapy Assistant – Reinstatement
None

Limited License Agreements
Anissa Siefert recommended that the Section deny an alternative plan for continuing education proposed by OT002648 for license restoration from escrow after being out of practice for five or more years and issue a limited license letter with traditional remedial steps to be taken for restoration with an extension until December 31, 2019 to retake the NBCOT exam. **Action:** Beth Ann Ball moved to deny an alternative plan for continuing education proposed by OT002648 for license restoration from escrow after being out of practice for five or more years and issue a limited license letter with traditional remedial steps to be taken for restoration with an extension until December 31, 2019 to retake the NBCOT exam. Joanne Estes seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Continuing Education Report
**Action:** Melissa Van Allen moved that the Section approve 49 applications for contact hour approval and three applications be denied. Beth Ann Ball seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Assistant Attorney General’s Report
LaTawnda Moore, AAG had no formal report for the Section.

Enforcement Report
Mary Beth Lavey reported that the Enforcement Division opened four cases and closed nineteen cases since the January 18, 2018, meeting. There are currently thirteen cases open. There are seven consent agreements and one adjudication order being monitored.

Enforcement Actions:
Mary Beth Lavey recommended that the Section issue a notice of opportunity for a hearing for case number OT FY19-015, for physical abuse of a client with IDD. **Action:** Melissa Van Allen moved that the Section issue a notice of opportunity for a hearing for case number OT FY19-015, for physical abuse of a client with IDD. Beth Ann Ball seconded the motion. Mary Beth Lavey abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Mary Beth Lavey recommended that the Section accept consent agreement OT FY19-011 in lieu of going to hearing. **Action:** Melissa Van Allen moved that the Section accept consent agreement OT FY19-011 in lieu of going to hearing. Beth Ann Ball seconded the motion. Mary Beth Lavey abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Correspondence
The Section reviewed the correspondence and provided feedback to the Correspondence Liaison.

Open Forum
None

Old Business
**OT Role in Low Vision Therapy**
The Section heard a presentation from Dr. Steven Curtis, O.D., on the role for occupational therapy in low vision therapy.

New Business
**MSP “Rules of the Road”**
The Section reviewed the MSP Rules of the Road document and had no comment.

**Mentorship programs**
The Section agreed to do additional research on the establishment of mentorship programs and how they may count for continuing education.
Ohio Occupational Therapy Association (OOTA) Report

No report.

Next Meeting Date
The next regular meeting date of the Occupational Therapy Section is scheduled for Thursday, May 23, 2018.

Action: There being no further business and no objections, Anissa Siefert adjourned the meeting at 2:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Missy Anthony

Anissa Siefert, OTR/L, Chair
Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board, OT Section

Joanne Estes, OTR/L, Secretary
Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board, OT Section

Missy Craddock, Executive Director
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