



Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy,
and Athletic Trainers Board

Occupational Therapy Section
February 28, 2019
9:00 a.m.

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

Occupational Therapy Assistant – Examination

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

Occupational Therapist – Endorsement

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

Occupational Therapy Assistant – Endorsement

Shelley Rene Wilkin	Sidney Deana Savage	Erica Blair Mcadams
Emily Kathleen Kuck	Mathias Achanyi Kikam	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.

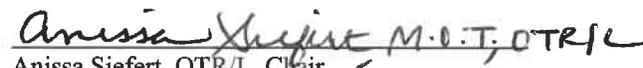
Next Meeting Date

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

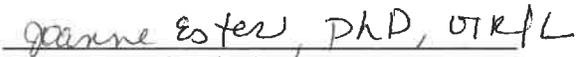
Action: There being no further business and no objections, Anissa Siefert adjourned the meeting at 2:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Missy Anthony



Anissa Siefert, OTR/L, Chair
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Joanne Estes, OTR/L, Secretary
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Missy Craddock, Executive Director
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