Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board

Occupational Therapy Section
November 14, 2019
9:30 a.m.

Members Present
Beth Ann Ball, OTR/L
Mary Beth Lavey, COTA/L
Melissa Van Allen, OTR/L, Secretary
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Members Absent
Trevor Vessels, Public Member

Legal Counsel
Emily Pelfrye, AAG

Staff
Jennifer Adams, Investigator
Melissa Anthony, Executive Director
Jeffrey Duvall, Enforcement Division Supervisor
Jan Hills, Executive Assistant
Jaklyn Shucofsky, Paralegal

Guests
Emily Groseclose, Ohio Common Sense Initiative
Caroline Durstock, Cincinnati VAMC

Call to Order
Mary Beth Lavey, Chair, called the meeting to order at 10:10 AM.

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 September 12, 2019 meeting be approved as amended. Mary Beth Lavey seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Executive Director Report
- The Executive Director reported slight increases in licensure statistics with number of active licenses in all programs regulated by the OTATPT Board at 34,347.
- The Executive Director reported on the Governor’s Working Group on the Medical Boards.
- Enforcement staff will go through trauma informed care training via CLEAR.
- Waiting on conclusion of biennial audit by Auditor of State.
- Executive Director reported that OTPTAT board was finishing up OTA and PT audits. PTA audits will begin in early February.
- The Executive Director gave the fiscal report for the July-October period.
- The Executive Director provided a brief legislative report.
- All board members must take Ethics, Sexual Harassment and Disability training prior to meeting in January 2020.

Laws and Rules
Beth Ann Ball moved, seconded by Mary Beth Lavey to submit 3D printing 4755-70-01 for review. Motion carried.
Ohio Occupational Therapy Association (OOTA) Report
No report.

Assistant Attorney General’s Report
Emily Pelfrey AAG had no formal report for the Section.

Correspondence
None.

Ohio Occupational Therapy Association (OOTA) Report
No report

Open Forum
Guest Caroline Durstock, from Cincinnati VAMC, expressed her gratitude for being warmly welcomed to observe the meeting and see how the process works.

Old Business
The Executive Director reported on attending a committee meeting in Washington DC to discuss an OT Compact and its feasibility in our state.

New Business
Board member training presentations
The Section discussed various topics, most of which had been previously covered at the Board retreat.

Ipad/tablet use at Board meetings
The Section would rather have the use of a tablet as opposed to an Ipad due to the ability to switch from various screens as topics arose.

Mandatory Domestic Violence and Disabilities Training
All Board members are required to take the training prior to the end of the year.

Scope of Care Recommendations for visual/perceptual dysfunction
The Executive Director will research the true intention of the document drafted by the Ohio Vision Professionals Board.

Texas Lone Star College Occupational therapy re-entry program
The Executive Director will attempt to connect with members of this program for further discussion by the Section regarding the viability of this program.

Mary Beth Lavey called for a 5-minute break at 11:20 am.

Meeting resumed at 11:25 pm.
Administrative Reports

Licensure Report

Action: Mary Beth Lacey 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 September 13, 2019 through November 14, 2019 taking into account those licenses subject to discipline, surrender, or non-renewal. Melissa Van Allen seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Occupational Therapist – Examination

Katelyn Ann Adams
Kristen Virginia Bach
Emily Barnard
Allison Marie Blatt
Rebecca Ellen Bode
Heath Bolden
Regina Louise Cassidy
Lauren Noelle Cornett
Alexandria Victoria Drossart
Lauren Dunaway
Caroline Ann Durstock
Derek Christopher Edwards
Nicole Marie Flask
Marissa Gains
Jacquelyn Marie Gearing
Hope Christina Gregg
Rachel Marie Guiser
Kasey Jane Hammond
Katelyn Nicole Harwood
Caitlyn Hemmer
Mallory Raye Hendershot
Kayla LeAnne Hirschfelder
Lana Hoffert
Emma Nicole Horning
Kelsey Nicole Jennings
Yichen Jiang
Kayla Kayatin
Melanie Klyop
Rebecca Suzanne Lawson
Carter Douglas Maples
Hannah Claire Meier
Chelsie Taylor Mollohan
Shannon Lee Montgomery
Caitlin Nicole Newman
Leah Nice
McKenna Marie Parker
Tulsi Patel
Morgan Petroff
Lea Nicole Pierson
Jessica Ann Prentis
Kimberly Renee Raymond
Courtney Redding
Joshua Thomas Reser
Lukas Matthew Roesch
Joy Lynne Smith
Lori Stewart
Mary Katherine Storey
Rachel Elizabeth Taylor
Chelsey Wade
Chelsea Weckbach
Lauren Marie Weimer

Occupational Therapist – Endorsement

Jennifer Nicole Arrington
Stephanie Baltes
Gabriella Marina Bartruff
Kristin Buff
Elizabeth Buffington
Bryanna Danene DeFazio
Carly Waxman Dolberg
Andrea Marie Giovinc
Ashley Kate Goyette
Alexis Elaine Ishman
Kendra Keller
Celeste Nicole Krawchuck
Rachael Christine Mack
Chad Eric Meyers
Kelly Neal
Jordan L Pfeifer
Kathryn Jean Preder
Melissa Santos
Chelsea Jean Scott
Marisa Leeanne Stoffel
Caitlin Marie Swartzwelder
Emily Webster
Emily Ann Williams

Occupational Therapy Assistant – Endorsement

Larissa Lee Bateman
Lauren Nicole Brown
Kelsey Renee Drake
Shanda Kemp
Emily Taylor Madden
Kimberly Mayberry
Kelsey Dante Rizzo
Megan Marie Taylor

Nicholas Thompson
**Occupational Therapy Assistant - Examination**

Morgan Adkins, Natasha Alexandra Furlong, Lauren Elizabeth Oldham
Megan Barnhart, Emily Rae Grow, Rebecca Ross
Timothy Dell Bartlett, Kearstin Renee Houghton, Felicity Amber Schaffner
Adrienne Catharine Bennett, Makala Gail Hunt, Stephanie E Spencer
Chelsea M'lyn Boone, Taylor Lynn Kerns, Vanessa Lynn Steigerwald
Katy Rose Bowsher, Holly Marie Kovacich, Jessica Lee Tybuszewski
Murrin Elizabeth Brads, Katherine Liesner, Heather Joy Warner
Catherine Brown, Hannah Littler, Megan Wavra
Kaitlyn Marie Brown, Kacie Lee Luklan, Lisa C Welch
Christian Michael Cavalier, Nina Lunn, Rachel Widman
Jamie Marie Coleman, Jaclyn Therese Maat, Andrew J Wingham
Abbey Nicole Ferrell, Tiffany Renee Malone
Michelle Marie Foster, Brittany Martin

Beth Ann Ball moved to grant the request for a limited license for Applicant credential file APP-000309204. Applicant would like to use the alternative option to meet out of practice requirements. Seconded by Melissa Van Allen. Motion passed.

Beth Ann Ball moved to approve the request for Applicant LR-003632470 to take the NBCOT exam to meet out of practice requirements and once all requirements have been met to issue the license. Seconded by Melissa Van Allen. Motion passed.

Beth Ann Ball recommended that the Section grant the application withdrawal request for OT/OTA examination/endorsement/reinstatement applications on file with the Board on November 14, 2019 based on the documentation provided. Moved by Beth Ann Ball, Seconded by Melissa Van Allen. Motion passed.

Melissa Van Allen moved that the Section approve 48 applications for contact hour approval and four applications be denied. Beth Ann Bell seconded the motion. The motion carried.

**Enforcement Division**

Beth Ann Ball informed the Board that Loretta Davidson, OTA has complied with all the terms and conditions and will be released from her Consent Agreement.

**Next Meeting Date**

The next regular meeting date of the Occupational Therapy Section is scheduled for Thursday, January 16, 2020.

**Action:** There being no further business and no objections, Mary Beth Lavey adjourned the meeting at 12:25 PM.
Respectfully submitted,

Jan Hills

Mary Beth Lavey, COTA/L, Chair
Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy,
and Athletic Trainers Board, OT Section

Missy Anthony, Executive Director
Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy,
and Athletic Trainers Board

Melissa Van Allen, OTR/L, Secretary
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