Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board

Physical Therapy Section
March 22, 2018
9:30 a.m.

Members Present
Lynn Busdeker
Matthew Creed
Erin Hofmeyer, Secretary (left @ 1:05 pm)
Ronald Kleinman
James Lee (left @ 1:18 pm)
Paul McGhee
Timothy McIntire
Chad Miller, Chair
Timothy McIntire
Jennifer Wissinger

Staff
Jennifer Adams, Investigator
Diane Moore, Executive Assistant
Lisa Navarro, Enforcement Division Supervisor
Melissa Craddock, Executive Director

Guests
Victoria Gresh, OPTA
Tamara Daulton, OPP-CPED
Dianne Farabi, Ohio O & P Association

Legal Counsel
LaTawnda Moore, AAG

Call to Order
Chad Miller, Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:35 am.

Action: Timothy McIntire moved to adjourn the meeting due to power outage. Lynn Busdeker seconded the motion. The motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 10:08 am.

Chad Miller, Chair, called the meeting back to order at 12:29 am

Approval of Minutes
Action: Jennifer Wissinger moved that the minutes from the January 25, 2018 meeting be approved as amended. Ronald Kleinman seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Discussion of Law and Rule Changes
The Section discussed reviewed the draft language for the CE Volunteer rule. In addition, the Section discussed the wall certificate display requirement. The Section reviewed rule 4755-23-03 to changes related to implementing the FSBPT Alternate Approval Process for sitting for the national physical therapy examination.

Administrative Reports

Licensure Applications
Action: Ronald Kleinman moved that the Physical Therapy Section ratify, as submitted, the individuals approved by the Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board to sit for the National Physical Therapy Examination for physical therapists and physical therapist assistants from January 25, 2018 through March 22, 2018, taking into account those individuals subject to discipline, surrender, or non-renewal. Mr. Kleinman further moved that the following persons be licensed as physical therapists/physical therapist assistants pending passage of the National Physical Therapy Examination and Ohio Jurisprudence Examination. James Lee seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Physical Therapist – Examination
Christine Ann Adams
Gabriel Nicholas Alain
Christopher M Andreas
Ibrahim Awada
Kaitlin D Adler
Abigail Allen
Kathryn Andres
Brandi Kay Bahmer
Rachael Marie Ahler
Shelby Marie Ambrose
Alyssa Angle
Adam K Barcalow

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Renee Roberts
Megan Emilia Saunders
Cody Schellhaas
Alexi Scott
David Shepard
Rebekah A Slafka
Kyle C Smith
Caleb Statler
Morgan Reed Steinberg
Michelle Elizabeth Sweeney
Bradford Arden Thomas
Sarah Elizabeth Topp
Sara Truxton
Muthuraman Venkataraman
Megan Elizabeth Vogelsong
Katherine A Waggoner
Ryan Lee Warren
Curtis Evan Webster
Jennifer Westover
Benjamin Wilson
Pamela Mary Woods
Katherine Louise Yates
Meghan Lynn Zidonis

Jordan Leanne Rosenberger
Maria Alexander Savino
Sarah Elizabeth Schleich
Safiye Shalash
Pamela A Showman
Meredith Smith
Emily Ruth Snyder
Samuel Stratton
Amarra Taranto
Zachary Alexander Thompson
Stephanie Grace Trombley
Zachary Tura
Amanda Videmsek
Jessika Volz
John Wallace
Amanda Theresa Weatherbee
Katelyn Weisenberger
Gabrielle Josette Whisler
Leah Anne Wirfel
Ariel Rita Wynne
Adriana Nicole Zalar

Meghan Elizabeth Ryba
Shelby Lyne Schaeger
Patricia Schutter
Kari Shank
Logan Sillies
Alexis T Smith
Lauren Louise Solander
Jonathan M Steiger
Millie Sunderlin
Alyssa M Thomas
Charlotte Jean Thurnauer
Kristen Elizabeth Troyer
Ivona Velovic
Emily Shannon Vogel
Ryan M Vonderhaar
Erien R Wallach
Jamie R Weber
Aaron Wendel
Megan M White
Nicholas Wong
Zachary Yahi
Allison Jane Zeleznik

Physical Therapist Assistants – Examination
Jeremy Alexee
Brent Joseph Barnes
Steven Joseph Becka
Jacob Beverly
samantha J Bower
Lauren Bross
Courtney Jo Burkett
Sierra Carlson
Stacy Logan Clouse
Brian Aaron Collier
Jessica Cooper
Maucie Sue Dietz
Cassie Eve Edwards
Troy Thomas Frankel
Jodi C Grayson
Tyler G Hall
Creceyonna Dionyea Huff
Alex Kamphaus
Olivia Marie Kozel
Logan Les Leichtman
Todd A Madison
Cody B Meenach
Karen Elaine Mittendorf
Kendra Morgan
Cody Nathanial Pemberton
Jourdan Michele Priddy
Mikayla D Putnam
Samuel c Ramsier
Justin Kyle Robinson
Colleen Russell
Kelsea M Scott Briceno

Ciara Louise Allen
Abbigale Grace Batoki
Kiersten Shay Benford
Abby Ranac Bond
Gaige Wayne Braden
Faith Anne Brown
Tiffani Cappello
Alysse L Carratola
Evan Cochran
Christopher Shadd Collins
Katlyn Elizabeth Corsmeier
Dana DiFranco
Kelsie Lynn Farmer
Matthew Chaz Gaines
Jennifer Nicole Gutman
Morgan Marie Hicks
Nakea L Jackson
Ericka Kirian
Shenae L Kramer
Rachael Leigh Ann Lude
Whitney L Mason
Julia Mendez
Theresa Mizer
Samantha A Morrison
Cierra Mozelle Piatt
Sierra M Pugh
Carla Grace Raber
Gabrielle Yobe Rancourt
Brianne Rosengarten
Kiana Lynne Schatz
Brittany Rae Seiser

Kathleen Michelle Ardrey
Adrienne Elizabeth Beachy
Jeremy Scott Berry
Cassandra Leigh Boose
Bethany A Brenner
Shelby Brown
Madison E Caris
Bruno Anthony Casci
Valerie Brooke Cole
Jamie Lynn Coomer
Zachary James Craig
Benjamin John Dore
Mary Christina Fetsko
Bailey R Gompf
Maxwell Mooney Hackman
Caleb Higdon
Conner Allen Jones
Kristina Marie Kountouris
Travis Aaron Lane
Christian Lynn Macklin
Matthew David McQuirt
Timothy Meyer
Anthony Michael Monda
John C Parsons
Michael V Ponziani
David Pullem
Jessica Rose Raines
Shauna Reiner
Aaron Joseph Ruschau
Joshua Tyler Schrader
Nicholas J Skinner

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Nicholas James Skotynsky  Christopher E Skove  Kaitlyn Leanne Smith
Shane Allan Stansbery  Jonathan Michael Stilp  Katelyn P Thatcher
Bradley Michael Theiss  Mathew Donald Thomas  Brooke Tice
Kelly Tylicki  Nnenna Ugoez Ugwukah  Michelle Danielle Wagner
Austin Todd Walts  Kyle Sue Warner  Erin Melissa Wheatley
Mara Nicole Wlodyka  Ashley Wolfe  Taylor Rae Youngdahl
Kayla Zerrer

**Action:** Ronald Kleinman moved that the Physical Therapy Section ratify, as submitted, the physical therapist and physical therapist assistant licenses issued by endorsement and reinstatement by the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board from January 25, 2018 through March 22, 2018, taking into account those licenses subject to discipline, surrender, or non-renewal. Lynn Busdeker seconded the motion. The motion carried.

**Physical Therapist – Endorsement**
- Katherine Loraine Amador  Kelly Baker  Garret Michael Biese
- Karolyn Anne Braum  Breanna Michelle Conover  Michelle Renee Dugan
- Eryn Frances Leffler  Mark Robert Lower  Patrick Lee McCarthy
- Margaret Anne McCool  Emily Rhea Mengers  Jessica Meyer
- Vana R Morgan  John Robert Murphy  Laura Brennan O’Lammerghty
- Allison L Owens  Benjamin White  Mathew M Zombek

**Physical Therapist Assistant – Endorsement**
- Kimberly Elisha Evans  William Arthur Kruger  Mia Nneka Serrano

**Physical Therapist Reinstatement**
- Karyn Ellen Carpenter  Melissa Ann Gilbert  Amy Marie Wolf

**Physical Therapist Assistant Reinstatement**
- Eugene Ilyich Baraz

Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section deny the application for license physical therapy endorsement file # APP-000121078, and concurs with the FCCPT Credential Evaluation report findings that the applicant’s education is not substantially equivalent to the first professional degree in physical therapy in the United States. **Action:** James Lee moved that the Section deny the application for license physical therapy endorsement file # APP-000121078, and concurs with the FCCPT Credential Evaluation report findings that the applicant’s education is not substantially equivalent to the first professional degree in physical therapy in the United States. Lynn Busdeker seconded the motion. The motion carried.

**Testing Accommodations Requests**
Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section grant a testing accommodation for additional time: double time for physical therapist examination file# APP-000135183 based on the documentation provided. **Action:** Timothy McIntire moved that the Section grant the testing accommodation for additional time: double time for physical therapist examination file# APP-000135183 based on the documentation provided. Matthew Creed seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section grant a testing accommodation for additional time: double time and separate room for physical therapist examination file# APP-000135470 based on the documentation provided. **Action:** Timothy McIntire moved that the Section grant the testing accommodation for additional time: double time and separate room for physical therapist examination file# APP-000135470. Lynn Busdeker seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section grant a testing accommodation for additional time: time and a half and separate room for physical therapist examination file# APP-000137200 based on the documentation provided. **Action:** Lynn Busdeker moved that the Section grant a testing accommodation for additional time: time and a half
and separate room for physical therapist examination file# APP-000137200 based on the documentation provided. Jennifer Wissinger seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section grant a testing accommodation for additional time: time and a half and separate room for physical therapist assistant examination file# APP-000136705 based on the documentation provided. Action: Jennifer Wissinger moved that the Section grant a testing accommodation for additional time: time and a half and separate room for physical therapist assistant examination file# APP-000136705 based on the documentation provided. Matthew Creed seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section grant a testing accommodation for additional time: time and a half for physical therapist examination file# APP-000139277 based on the documentation provided. Action: Timothy McIntire moved that the Section grant a testing accommodation for additional time: time and a half for physical therapist examination file# APP-000139277 based on the documentation provided. Matthew Creed seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. The motion carried.

TOEFL Waiver Requests
Ronald Kleinman informed the Section that the requests to waive the TOEFL requirement continue to grow each year. The Section reviewed the TOEFL requirements as stated in rule 4755-23-12 (G) of the Ohio Administrative Code. The Section discussed exploring a mechanism to measure granting a waiver of the TOEFL requirement.

Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section deny the request for waiver of the TOEFL exam for physical therapist endorsement file # APP-000062470 based on the documentation provided. Action: Timothy McIntire moved that the Section deny the request for waiver of the TOEFL exam for physical therapist endorsement file # APP-000062470 based on the documentation provided. Jennifer Wissinger seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section grant approval of the request for waiver of the TOEFL exam for physical therapist endorsement file # APP-000108329 based on the documentation provided. Action: Matthew Creed moved that the Section grant approval of the request for waiver of the TOEFL exam for physical therapist endorsement file # APP-000108329. James Lee seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. Erin Hofmeyer was absent for the vote. Vote was 8-0 against; motion failed.

Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section grant approval of the request for waiver of the TOEFL exam for physical therapist endorsement file # APP-000080363 based on the documentation provided. Action: Timothy McIntire moved that the Section grant approval of the request for waiver of the TOEFL exam for physical therapist endorsement file # APP-000080363. Jennifer Wissinger seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. Erin Hofmeyer and James Lee were absent for the vote. Vote was 7-0 against; motion failed. The Section instructed the applicant to forward the applicant’s prior TOEFL exam score.

Continuing Education Liaison Report
Ronald Kleinman recommended that the Section deny the continuing education waiver request (disability/illness and undue hardship) for physical therapist assistant credential file # 3503218 based on the documentation provided. Action: Lynn Busdeker moved that the Section deny the continuing education waiver request (disability/illness and undue hardship) for physical therapist assistant credential file # 3503218 based on the documentation provided. Timothy McIntire seconded the motion. Ronald Kleinman abstained from voting. The motion carried.

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

Case Review Liaison Report
Lynn Busdeker reported that the Enforcement Division closed six and opened six new cases since the January 25, 2018, meeting. There are twenty cases currently open. There are four disciplinary consent agreements and two adjudication orders being monitored.
Enforcement Actions
Lynn Busdeker recommended that the Section accept the consent agreement for case number PT-FY18-004 in lieu of going to hearing. **Action:** Timothy McIntire moved that the Section accept the consent agreement for case number PT-FY18-004 in lieu of going to hearing. Ronald Kleinman seconded the motion. James Lee and Lynn Busdeker abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Lynn Busdeker recommended that the Section accept the consent agreement for case number PT-FY18-006 in lieu of going to hearing. **Action:** Timothy McIntire moved that the Section accept the consent agreement for case number PT-FY18-006 in lieu of going to hearing. Ronald Kleinman seconded the motion. James Lee and Lynn Busdeker abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Lynn Busdeker recommended that the Section issue a notice of opportunity for hearing for case number PT-FY18-019 for practicing with an expired license. **Action:** Timothy McIntire moved that the Section issue a notice of opportunity for hearing for case number PT-FY18-019 for practicing with an expired license. Ronald Kleinman seconded the motion. James Lee and Lynn Busdeker abstained from voting. The motion carried.

James Lee recommended that the Section issue a notice of opportunity for hearing for case number PT-FY18-028 for inappropriate sexual contact with a patient during the course of treatment. **Action:** Ronald Kleinman moved that the Section issue a notice opportunity for hearing for case number PT-FY18-028 for inappropriate sexual contact with a patient during the course of treatment. Matthew Creed seconded the motion. James Lee and Lynn Busdeker abstained from voting. The motion carried.

Correspondence
The Section reviewed the correspondence and provided feedback to the PT Correspondence Liaisons.

Old Business
None

New Business
**J urisprudence Assessment Module (JAM)**
The Section requested that the JAM include ethics. The JAM will be composed of 75 multiple choice questions. The Section will review a proposed timetable to implement JAM at the May 2018 section meeting.

Retreat Planning
The Section discussed potential dates for the Section retreat. The Section will hold the retreat on May 17, 2018. The Section retreat topics are licensure compact, minors in physical therapist assistant programs (college plus programs), blood flow restriction, and foreign educated deficiencies. The Section will split into groups to review the FAQs, rules, standard responses and special projects.

NPTE Appeal Review Process
The Section discussed the NPTE appeal review process. When applicant submit a request for NPTE Appeal, the applicant must apply for a license in Ohio and must be a resident in the State of Ohio prior to reviewing the appeal. The Section discussed adding a rule to address the requirements.

Open Forum
The Section discussed whether foreign educated physical therapist applicants who do not meet the physical therapist education requirements should be allowed to sit for the physical therapist assistant examination. The Section does not support this concept. In accordance with rule 47555-23-02 (B) of the Ohio Administrative Code, to be eligible for examination or licensure as a physical therapist assistant, an applicant must complete a program for physical therapist assistants accredited by the commission on accreditation of physical therapy education.

Ohio Physical Therapy Association (OPTA) Report
Victoria Gresh, gave a brief report to the Section.

Federation of State Boards for Physical Therapy (FSBPT) Report
There was no formal report.
Items for Next Meeting
Standard Agenda Items
JAM Timeline

Retreat Topics
Standard Responses
FAQ's
Licensure Compact
Blood Flow Restriction
Foreign Educated Deficiencies
Minor in CAPTE PTA programs

Next Meeting Date
The next regular meeting date of the Physical Therapy Section is scheduled for Thursday, May 17, 2018.

Adjournment
There being no further business and no objections, Chad Miller adjourned the meeting at 2:39 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Diane Moore

Chad Miller, PT, MPT, AT, Chair
Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board, PT Section

Melissa A. Craddock, Executive Director
Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy and Athletic Trainers Board

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Erin Hofmeyer, PT, DPT, Secretary
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