



# State Medical Board of Ohio

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## AGENDA

### STATE MEDICAL BOARD OF OHIO ASSIGNED COMMITTEES

May 14, 2008

**Please Note: Items listed on Committee agendas may also be discussed during the “Reports of Assigned Committees” on the Board’s Agenda**

**ALSO**

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE – 9:30 a.m. – Conference Room # 336

- I. Minutes Review
- II. FSMB Annual Meeting Update
- III. Medical Board Committee Assignments
- IV. Director’s Report
- V. Fiscal Update

GROUP 1 – 10:30 a.m. – Conference Room #336

IMPAIRMENT COMMITTEE

- I. Review Group 1 Minutes
  - a.) Impairment Committee
  - b.) Legislative Liaison & Rules Review Committee
  - c.) Licensure Committee

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II. Outpatient Treatment for Limited Practitioners

III. Applications for Certificates of Good Standing as Treatment Providers

- a.) Resurrection Behavioral Health – Oak Park
- b.) Talbott Recovery Campus

LICENSURE COMMITTEE

I. Licensure Applications

- a.) Kenichi Tamama, M.D. (Request for Reconsideration)
- b.) Vidya Devarajan, M.D.
- c.) Romeo Enrique, M.D.
- d.) Joy Ann Kondash, M.D.
- e.) George Markakis, M.D.
- f.) Ruba W. Nijmeh, M.D.
- g.) Hadley E. Smith, M.D.
- h.) Nicole De La Cruz, M.T. Applicant
- i.) Perdesha Hudson, M.T. Applicant
- j.) Lucy Rush, M.T. Applicant

LEGISLATIVE LIAISON AND RULES COMMITTEE

- I. Review of Current Legislation or Proposed Draft Legislation, including Rules, that May Affect the Board

GROUP 2 – 10:30 a.m. – Conference Room #345

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT COMMITTEE

I. Review Group 2 Minutes

- a.) P.A. Committee
- b.) Scope of Practice Committee

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II. Review of Special Services Plans

- a.) Genito Urinary Surgeons (Appearance by George T. Ho, M.D.)
  - 1.) Microwave thermotherapy for benign prostatic hyperplasia
- b.) Advanced Dermatology & Dermatopathology, Inc.
  - 1.) Electrodesiccation and/or curettage of superficial lesions
  - 2.) Cryotherapy of very superficial, benign & precancerous Lesions
- c.) Tri - County Dermatology
  - 1.) Excisional biopsy/excision of skin lesions
- d.) Faith Medical Associates
  - 1.) Non - invasive cardiovascular studies

III. Model Policy Ad Hoc group - Discussion Only

IV. Applications for Provisional Certificates to Prescribe

- a.) Danny Hall, PA-C

SCOPE OF PRACTICE COMMITTEE

- I. Correspondence from C. Robert Valdiviez, President, Valdiviez Medical Diagnostics, Inc., concerning "Neurophysiologic Pain Profile"

LIMITED BRANCH & ALTERNATIVE MEDICINE COMMITTEE

- I. Report from Diann K. Thompson, Assistant Executive Director, re: Discussions with Council of Schools Concerning Criminal Records

MINIMAL STANDARDS COMMITTEE

- I. Inquiry from Anodyne Therapy concerning Rule 4731-18-02, Ohio Administrative Code

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## PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANT POLICY COMMITTEE

### AGENDA

James A. Rhodes State Office Tower  
30 East Broad Street, Room 336, 3rd floor  
Columbus, Ohio 43215  
May 13, 2008  
1:30 p.m.

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- I. Minutes Review – April 8, 2008
  - II. Review of Special Services Plans
    - a.) Advanced Dermatology & Dermatopathology, Inc.
      - 1.) Electrodessication and/or curettage of superficial lesions
      - 2.) Cryotherapy of very superficial, benign & precancerous Lesions
    - b.) Tri - County Dermatology
      - 1.) Excisional biopsy/excision of skin lesions
    - d.) Faith Medical Associates
      - 1.) Non - invasive cardiovascular studies
  - III. Discussion on Model Policy Ad Hoc group

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James A. Rhodes State Office Tower  
Administrative Hearing Room  
30 E. Broad St., Columbus, OH 43215, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
May 14, 2008  
1:00 p.m.

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- I. ROLL CALL
  - II. MINUTES REVIEW – April 9, 2008
  - III. EXECUTIVE SESSION
  - IV. REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS
    - a.) Leo D'Souza, M.D. (Cincinnati, OH)
    - b.) Kaliopé E. Varakis, M.D. (Greece)
    - c.) Nico Capurro, M.D. (Cincinnati, OH)
  - V. REMAND IN THE MATTER OF GERALD BRIAN APPLGATE, M.D. (Miami Beach, FL)
  - VI. PROPOSED FINDINGS & PROPOSED ORDERS
    - a.) Patricia Annette Fowler, M.T. (Corinth, KY)
  - VII. FINDINGS, ORDERS AND JOURNAL ENTRIES
    - a.) Susan R. Boyd-Lawhorn, M.D. (Wilder, KY)
    - b.) Nancy Rose Duke, M.T. (Pahoa, HI)
    - c.) Julie C. Kronenberger, M.T. (Columbus, OH)
    - d.) Robert M. Moore, M.T. (Alliance, OH)
    - e.) Robert Nelson Robison, M.D. (Lewis Center, OH)
    - f.) Fatima Eslami-Varzaneh, M.D. (Monroe, CT)

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VIII. CITATIONS, PROPOSED DENIALS, ORDERS OF SUMMARY  
SUSPENSION & NOTICES OF IMMEDIATE SUSPENSION

VIII. RATIFICATION OF SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS

a.) HB, III, M.T.

IX. PERSONAL APPEARANCES

Jeffrey A. Briggs, M.D. (Powell, OH)

Dr. Briggs is appearing before the Board pursuant to his request for release from the terms of his May 14, 2003 Step II Consent Agreement.

Robert L. Brandt, Jr., M.D. (Dayton, OH)

Dr. Brandt is making his initial appearance before the Board, pursuant to the terms of his February 13, 2008 Step II Consent Agreement.

Tracy A. Kotnik, M.D. (Canton, OH)

Dr. Kotnik is making her initial appearance before the Board, pursuant to the terms of her February 13, 2008 Consent Agreement.

Christopher T. Liederbach, M.D. (Barberton, OH)

Dr. Liederbach is making his initial appearance before the Board, pursuant to the terms of his February 13, 2008 Consent Agreement.

Imran Raza Naqvi, M.D. (Loveland, OH)

Dr. Naqvi is making his initial appearance before the Board, pursuant to the terms of his February 13, 2008 Step I Consent Agreement.

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IX. PERSONAL APPEARANCES (Continued)

William J. Platt, D.O. (Athens, OH)

Dr. Platt is making his initial appearance before the Board, pursuant to the terms of his February 13, 2008 Step I Consent Agreement.

Toby James Tippie, P.A. (Lima, OH)

Mr. Tippie is making his initial appearance before the Board, pursuant to the terms of his February 13, 2008 Step II Consent Agreement.

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JAMES A. RHODES STATE OFFICE TOWER  
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING ROOM  
30 E. BROAD ST., COLUMBUS, OH 43215, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
May 15, 2008  
8:00 a.m.

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### I. ROLL CALL

## CONSENT AGENDA

### II. PROBATIONARY REPORTS

- a.) Mark L. Allen, M.D. (Parma, OH)
- b.) Mark E. Blair, M.D. (Columbus, OH)
- c.) Robert R. Brightwell, D.O. (Hilliard, OH)
- d.) John D. Brownlee, M.D. (Richmond Hts., OH)
- e.) Richard G. Day, M.D. (Senecaville, OH)
- f.) Richard J. DeFranco, M.D. (Cleveland Hts., OH)
- g.) Patrick R. Dennison, D.O. (Hilliard, OH)
- h.) Janice Electa Green Douglas, M.D. (Bratenahl, OH)
- i.) Paul E. Duncan, M.D. (Dayton, OH)
- j.) Dann William Ganzhorn, M.D. (Cleveland, OH)
- k.) Jonathan L. Haines, M.D. (Cleveland Hts., OH)
- l.) Ryan P. Hanson, M.D. (Columbus, OH)
- m.) Ronald C. Hetman, D.P.M. (Centerville, OH)
- n.) Byron C. Leak, M.D. (Cleveland, OH)
- o.) Florence B. Matyas, M.D. (Sylvania, OH)
- p.) Bruce Jeffrey Merkin, M.D. (Warren, OH)
- q.) Francine R. Mosley, M.D. (Cincinnati, OH)
- r.) Nykolai Vasil Pidhorodeckyj, M.D. (Copley, OH)
- s.) Robert S. Reeves, Jr., M.D. (Norwalk, OH)
- t.) Jon P. Ryan, D.O. (Dayton, OH)
- u.) Scott Thomas Stewart, P.A. (Gahanna, OH)

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### II. PROBATIONARY REPORTS (Continued)

- v.) Susan Gail Sweda, M.D. (Newark, OH)
- w.) Scott R. Welden, M.D. (Cincinnati, OH)
- x.) Jeffrey W. Winholt, M.D. (Daufuskie Island, SC)
- y.) Bruce S. Worrell, D.O. (Loveland, OH)

### III. PROBATIONARY REQUESTS (\* recommendation differs from request)

- a.) Joseph Claude Carver, M.D. (Washington Court House, OH)
- b.) Robert S. Coleman, Jr., M.D. (Chardon, OH)
- c.) Arlan Marcus Gustilo-Ashby, M.D. (Shaker Heights, OH)
- \* d.) George V. Hassink, M.D. (Van Buren, OH)
- e.) Paul F. Heyse, M.D. (Dayton, OH)
- f.) Alla Mikhli, D.P.M. (Beachwood, OH)
- g.) Michael J. O'Brien, D.O. (Shadyville, OH)
- h.) Ujwala Pagedar, M.D. (Westerville, OH)
- i.) David A. Rath, M.D. (Sunbury, OH)
- \* j.) Mark Allen Renz, M.D. (Columbus, OH)
- k.) Joseph Aloysius Ridgeway, IV., M.D. (Columbus, OH)
- l.) Kent Robinson, M.D. (Cincinnati, OH)
- m.) Kimberly M. (Telmanik) Scherry, P.A. (Elyria, OH)
- n.) John W. Shaw, M.D. (Defiance, OH)
- o.) Gary W. Waltz, M.D. (Lyndhurst, OH)
- p.) Richard Allan Zinni, D.O. (Kirtland, OH)

### IV. LICENSURE

- a.) Physician Applicants for Licensure
- b.) P.A. Applicants
- c.) P.A. Special Services Plans
- d.) Limited Practitioners
- e.) Acupuncturists
- f.) Anesthesiologist Assistants

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### NON-CONSENT AGENDA

V. PROBATIONARY REQUESTS

VI. REINSTATEMENT REQUESTS

- a.) Lovsho Phen, M.D. (Portola, CA)

VII. LICENSURE

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b.) P.A. Applicants  
c.) P.A. Special Services Plans  
d.) Limited Practitioners  
e.) Acupuncturists  
f.) Anesthesiologist Assistants

VIII. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

IX. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

X. REPORTS BY ASSIGNED COMMITTEES

Executive Committee

**Group 1**

Impairment Committee

- Approval Of Treatment Provider Facilities
  - a.) Resurrection Behavioral Health – Oak Park
  - b.) Talbott Recovery Campus

Legislative Liaison & Rules Committee

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### Group 2

### Limited Branch & Alternative Medicine Committee

- Report from Diann K. Thompson, Assistant Executive Director, re: Discussions with Council of Schools Concerning Criminal Records

### P.A. Committee

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### Minimal Standards Committee

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## XI. REPORT ON MIDWEST REGIONAL BOARDS MEETING