North Carolina Medical Board Allied Health Committee – Agenda November 19, 2015 Conference Room D 10:00 p.m.

H. Diane Meelheim, FNP-BC, Chairperson, Barbara E. Walker, DO

OPEN SESSION

OLD BUSINESS

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS

1. Rules for Approval

The proposed rule changes for 21 NCAC 32S .0202 To change the required letters of recommendation for PA applicants from three to two have been published in the NC register and the Board's website. To date, no comments have been received. Public hearing is scheduled for November 16, 2015. If no comments are received prior to November 16th, the proposed rules will be sent to Rules Review with an expected effective date of January 1, 2016.

Recommendation: Approve rules unless comments have been received.

CLINICAL PHARMACIST PRACTITIONERS

2. Potential Rule Amendment – 21 NCAC 46 .3101 Clinical Pharmacist Practitioner

The Clinical Pharmacist Practitioner (CPP) Joint Subcommittee met in September to discuss amendments to the CPP rules. The joint subcommittee discussed and approved two categories of amendments to the CPP rules that pertain to creating a primary supervising physician model for CPPs similar to that for nurse practitioners and physician assistants and to move administration of processing applications and renewals from the Medical Board to the Pharmacy Board. Attached are the proposed rule changes.

Recommendation: Approve amendments to the rule.

NEW BUSINESS

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS

1. 2015 Physician Assistant Random Compliance Reviews

Recommendation: Accept as information

PERFUSIONISTS

Minutes of the September, 2015 PAC meeting

Recommendation: Accept the minutes of the September 2015 PAC meeting.

CLINICAL PHARMACIST PRACTITIONERS

No items for discussion.

NC EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

No items for discussion.

ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANTS

No items for discussion.

NURSE PRACTITIONERS

No items for discussion.

POLYSOMNOGRAPHIC TECHNOLOGISTS

No items for discussion.