MINUTES

THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
JULY 17 - JULY 20, 1991

MARRIOTT CRABTREE

RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA
CALL TO ORDER

F. M. Simmons Patterson, Jr., M.D., President of the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina, called the meeting to order on Wednesday, July 17, 1991, at 7:00 p.m., at the Marriott Crabtree, Raleigh, North Carolina.


Staff members present included: Bryant D. Paris, Jr., Executive Secretary; Donald R. Pittman; William H. Breeze, Jr.; Robert J. Broyles; L. D. Beaver; Edmund Kirby-Smith; Leslie Newton; Kathy Burke; Wanda Long; Joy Cooke; Julie Suggs; and Lisa Whitley.

LEUNG, Joseph, W.C., M.D. - wl

On July 19, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Patterson and seconded by Dr. Roufail that after going through the application process, Dr. Leung be issued a 5 year VIP registration with the requirement that he must take and pass FLEX. Also, the Board suggested that if Dr. Leung stays permanently at Duke or in North Carolina, that he apply for the Boards of Gastroenterology.

Rule 32B .0305 - Amendment - wl

On July 19, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Godwin and seconded by Dr. Henry that the Board file the amendments according to the Administrative Procedures Act as follows:

Rule 21 NCAC 32B .0101
Rule 21 NCAC 32B .0305
Rule 21 NCAC 32B .0314
Rule 21 NCAC 32B .0315

CHELATION THERAPY FOR ATHEROSCLEROTIC DISEASES - wl

On July 20, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Patterson and seconded by Dr. Daniel that the proposed position be presented at the next meeting of the Board for consideration.

SCHEDULE - JULY 1992 MEETING - wl


DATA REQUEST-Provident Life & Accident Insurance Co.- Charlotte, NC - wl

On July 19, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Patterson and seconded by Dr. Henry that the request for data be denied.
MEDICAL MUTUAL - PROCEDURES IN A DERMATOLOGY PRACTICE - w1

On July 19, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Roufail and seconded by Dr. Nance that the Board send Medical Mutual a copy of the Medical Practice Act indicating that only doctors, PAs and NPs may perform the medical acts listed in their letter.

KRONINGER, David, O.D. - w1

On July 19, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners after reviewing information regarding a public contact lens distributor unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Henry and seconded by Dr. Nance that the Board send a letter to Dr. Kroninger indicating that this is not in the Board’s jurisdiction but we are interested and to please keep us informed.

PEDIATRIC INTRAOSSEOUS INFUSIONS: NCEMS TRAINING PROGRAM - w1

On July 19, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners adopted a motion made by Dr. Nance and seconded by Dr. Henry (HG opposed)(NS, KW were not present) that the Board approve the activation of the training program for intraosseous infusion.

EMS CERTIFICATION PROCESS - w1

On July 19, 1991, during the EMS REPORT, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Nance and seconded by Dr. Stratas that the Board approve the process recommended by the Office of EMS.

NITROGLYCERINE INFUSIONS - w1

On July 19, 1991, during the EMS REPORT, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Henry and seconded by Dr. Godwin that the Board wants to review the protocol regarding this procedure.

POWELL, Eddie Nelson, M.D. - Roseboro, NC-w1

On July 18, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina held a public hearing for Dr. Eddie Powell regarding revocation of his license based on a felony conviction in the New Hanover County Superior Court. Dr. Powell was represented by Mr. Ernest E. Ratliff, Attorney at Law, Clinton, N.C.

On July 19, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners adopted a motion to postpone its decision pending the outcome of Dr. Powell’s criminal conviction.

COLES, Eugene John, M.D. - Durham, NC - w1

On July 20, 1991, the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Patterson and seconded by Dr. Roufail that the Board of Medical Examiners approve Dr. Coles for licensure on the condition that he enter into an agreement comparable to that in his Ohio file.
GALLUCCI, Richard Pat, M.D. - Taylor, MI-wl

On July 20, 1991, the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Roufail and seconded by Dr. Patterson that the Board of Medical Examiners approve Dr. Gallucci for licensure.

ELLIOTT, William Gavin, M.D. - Pittsburgh, PA-wl

On July 20, 1991, the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Patterson and seconded by Dr. Roufail that the Board of Medical Examiners approve Dr. Elliott for licensure.

WARD, John Thomas, M.D. - Hillsboro, OH-wl

On July 20, 1991, the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Roufail and seconded by Dr. Patterson that the Board of Medical Examiners approve Dr. Ward for licensure upon receipt of the letter Dr. Ward’s attorney wrote him instructing him to answer certain questions on the application.

MEMULA, Narayana, M.D. - Germantown, TN-wl

On July 20, 1991, the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Patterson and seconded by Dr. Roufail that the Board of Medical Examiners not approve Dr. Memula for licensure until he passes FLEX II or SPEX.

DUNGAN, John Russell, M.D. - Marion, GA-wl

On July 20, 1991, the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Patterson and seconded by Dr. Godwin that the Board of Medical Examiners approve Dr. Dungan for licensure.

MOORE, Barry Allen, M.D. - Greenville, NC-wl

On July 20, 1991, the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Stratas and seconded by Dr. Roufail that the Board of Medical Examiners allow Dr. Moore to withdraw his application for licensure. Dr. Moore was encouraged to review the information presented to the Board with his therapist. He and his therapists should present to the Board a plan of action regarding his therapy. He may reapply at any time.

ROLLER, Paul Douglas, M.D. - Winston-Salem, NC-wl

On July 20, 1991, the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Patterson and seconded by Dr. Roufail (opposed NS, HH) that the Board of Medical Examiners approve Dr. Roller for a dated RTL until the November 1991 meeting of the Board limited to Bowman Gray; and that he must contact PHEP, get a psychiatrist, and agree not to drink while at Bowman Gray.

FERGUSON, Robert Lee, Jr., M.D. - Framingham, MA - js

On July 20, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion that the Board accept the recommendation of the subcommittee and approve this physician for licensure if and when he returns with a certified photograph.
PIERCE, Clovis H., M.D. - Aiken, SC - js

On July 20, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion that the Board accept the recommendation of the subcommittee and approve this physician for licensure if and when he passes SPEX or meets the other 10 year rule agreement.

GRANT, Vincent Lothario, M.D. - Durham, NC - js

On July 20, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion that the Board accept the recommendation of the subcommittee and approve this physician for licensure dated for 1 year.

CARRASCO, Noel John M., M.D. - Wilmington, NC - js

On July 20, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion that the Board accept the recommendation of the subcommittee and approve this physician for licensure with no restrictions.

NOOR, Farid, M.D. - Cleveland, OH - js

On July 20, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion that the Board accept the recommendation of the subcommittee and ask this physician to:

1. withdraw or defer his application;
2. get a letter from Ohio and New Jersey saying that he does have a full license with no actions against him; and
3. return for an informal interview, when and if the letters are received.

BROWN, Richard Bruce, M.D. - Longmeadow, MA - lw

On June 20, 1991 the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Nance and seconded by Dr. Godwin that the Board of Medical Examiners approve Dr. Brown for licensure.

SHANNON, Roger Hall, M.D. - Chapel Hill, NC - lw

On June 20, 1991 the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Godwin and seconded by Dr. Nance that the Board of Medical Examiners approve Dr. Shannon for licensure.

O'DONNELL, Gerard, M.D. - Sanford, NC - lw

On June 20, 1991, the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Nance and seconded by Dr. Godwin that the Board of Medical Examiners approve Dr. O'donnell for licensure.
FINCH, Charles Bryan, M.D. - Oxford, NC - wl

On June 20, 1991 Dr. Finch appeared for his licensure interview before On June 20, 1991, the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Patterson and seconded by Dr. Godwin that:

1. he be approved for a license dated thru the September meeting;
2. he surrender his DEA;
3. he take and pass SPEX in September 1991; and
4. the investigative department will get 20 random charts for review at the next meeting.

BLAKE, George, M.D. - Rockville Centre, NY - kb

On July 20, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion that the Board accept the following recommendation of the subcommittee:

1. that the Board offer Dr. Blake the opportunity to take FLEX I and II;
2. that he sign an informal agreement letter (see Boyd file) saying he clearly understands the application will be reconsidered upon receipt of the FLEX scores and that passing the FLEX is not an automatic licensure.

KNIGHT, Robert M., M.D. - Boca Raton, Florida - kb

On July 20, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion that the Board accept the recommendation of the subcommittee and approve this physician for licensure with the request that he notify the Board of the outcome of the complaint against him in Florida. He was told that because his license is based on Florida licensure, if that license has anything done to it, the North Carolina license status may follow suit.

TABRIZI, Katyoun, M.D. - Durham, NC - kb

On July 20, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion that the Board accept the recommendation of the subcommittee and approve this physician for licensure.

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT COMMITTEE - kb

PA Applications Approved - 20

ROBIN KEITH BAILEY, PA  R. MICHAEL KENNERLY, M.D.
DANIEL EUGENE BOYES, PA  RILEY MOORE JORDAN, M.D.
STEPHANIE A. BRUNS, PA  LUCAS J. MARTINEZ, M.D.
ALETA LYNN BRIDGE, PA  RONALD J. REIDA, M.D.
BETH ANN BURKEY, PA  CORNELIUS F. CATHCART, M.D.
PABLA ELIZABETH CONAWAY, PA  WILLIAM P. BURGESS, M.D.
DEBRA COPELAND DALGLEISH, PA  PATRICK L. LILLARD, M.D.
JERRY DONALD DAY, JR., PA  LEWIS H. STOCKS, III, M.D.
FRANCIS M. EDWARDS, PA  DANIEL J. MILLER, M.D.
CHRISTINE B. FINLEY, PA  PAULA Y. SMITH, M.D.
STEPHEN G. GILES, PA  CHARLES R. SHIELDS, M.D.
MINDY A. GOLDBERG, MPH, PA
JOHN O. GRAYBEAL, PA
ERNEST S. HODGES, PA
DAVID C. NEWBROUGH, PA
TERESA A. OVERCASH, PA
PANAGIOTIS "PETE" POLYZOS, PA
TAMARA R. STOWERS, PA
SHANNON M. WHITAKER, PA
SIDNEY LAWERENCE WILSON, PA
ADAORA E. ADIMORA, M.D.
CONSTANCE L. CLINTON, M.D.
PATRICK L. LILLARD, M.D.
DENNIS O. STUART, M.D.
ROBERT LESLIE, M.D.
MASOUD AH DIEH, M.D.
EDWARD N. HANLEY, JR., M.D.
DENNIS O. STUART, M.D.
PHILLIP GREENE, M.D.

PA Applications Approved for Change of Primary Physicians - 2

NANCY M. JOYCE, PA
JOHN JAY TRIPPLETT, JR., PA
MICHAEL T. MC NAMARA, M.D.
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PA Applications for Approval of Back-Up Physician - 1

DANNY LEE CAMPBELL, PA
ROBERT D. STEWART, M.D.

On July 17, 1991, the Board indicated that the application for Jon Grossman, M.D., as back-up physician be approved upon receipt of a copy of the Board's public documents signed by Mr. Campbell and Dr. Stewart indicating that they are both aware of these Board actions.

HARRY RANDY FLORKE, PA
ROBERT E. CLAYTON, M.D.

On July 17, 1991, the Board indicated that the application for Mr. Florke be held in abeyance until an investigator talks with Dr. Collier (previous primary supervising physician) regarding the job evaluation letter received by the Board.

NURSE PRACTITIONER COMMITTEE REPORT - kb

On July 17, 1991, the Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Godwin and seconded by Dr. Nance that the following recommendations of the NP Committee be accepted and implemented.

NP Applications Approved - 12

PATRICIA KAY BACHMAN
MICHELLE EDWARDS BARBIER
MARTHA KIMBERLY BYRD
MELINDA CAROL DAVES
MARIE E. HILL
CRYSTAL LEE KELLY-RHYNE
CRYSTAL LEE KELLY-RHYNE
PEGGY ANNE MCCracken
MELANIE E. PAYNE
NORMA JEAN QUINN
CARLA SHAWN SAUNDERS
FELICIA SOZA
PNP
FNP
OGNP
OGNP
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AZMI S. JARRAH, M.D.
CYRIL ALLEN, M.D.
RAY LYMAN GREEN, M.D.
PAUL V. CAPOROSSI, M.D.
DAVID A. RINEHART, M.D.
DAVID G. KOGUT, M.D.
STEPHEN M. COARSEY, M.D.
ALAN D. STILES, M.D.
J. LAURENCE RANSOM, M.D.
BRITTON E. TAYLOR, M.D.
L. LAURENCE RANSOM, M.D.
J. LAURENCE RANSOM, M.D.

NP Application Approved for Change of Primary Physician - 1

BARBARA ANN DAVIS
FNP
RONALD L. VEREEN, M.D.
NP Approval Held in Abeyance for More Information - 2

WILLIAM H. REDDING  NP  JOHN ROSS PURVIS, M.D.

On July 17, 1991, the Board indicated that more details are needed regarding the specific supervision arrangements for Mr. Redding at Columbia Medical Center by physicians at ECU, Greenville. The Board indicated it is anxious for this community to have medical care but is concerned about the long-distance supervision.

AUDRA JOY WISE, NP  MARK DENNIS COYNE, M.D.

On July 17, 1991, the Board indicated that the application not be approved at this time; that Ms. Wise be encouraged to submit paperwork for another physician to serve as primary supervising physician; and that Dr. Coyne be invited to meet with the Board for an informal interview at the September 1991 meeting.

NP Educational Programs Approved - 3

Neonatal Nurse Practitioner Certificate Program
Roanoke Memorial Hospitals, Roanoke, Virginia

Neonatal Nurse Practitioner Masters Program
University of Texas, San Antonio, Texas

OB/GYN Nurse Practitioner Masters Program
Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan

LICENSURE APPLICANTS INTERVIEWED:

On July 20, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners adopted a motion that it approve applicants interviewed by the Executive Secretary and Board Members for licensure by endorsement and for licensure applicants who have passed FLEX and completed PGT.

TIM EUGENE ADAMSON
RICHARD F. AFABLE
ALAN BRENDAN AKER
WILLIAM JAMES ALEXANDER
RICHARD DAVID ALMEROOTH
AYMAN ABDUL-HAMEED ALSHAMI
GEORGE JOSEPH ALTER
DAVID JAMES MEARNS ANDERSON
ERNEST ASHMORE ANDREE
MARK ANTHONY ARMENI
MARIELLE LINETTE ARRIEH
WILLIAM SHECUT ASHE, JR.
CONSTANTINE AUDEH
ROBERT LOGAN AVERY
DAVID SCOTT BACON
WILLIAM EDWARDS BALLINGER, JR.
KEITH HUGH BARATZ
HOLLY LOUISE BARBOUR
ROBERT ALLEN BAREFOOT, JR.
RONNIE JAY BARRIER
CLAUDE MURRAY BARTLEY
ROBERT D'ANGELO
WENDY ZAROFF DAVIS
ELLEN DE FLORA
ALADEE RENEE DELAHOUSSAYE
DEAN ALLEN DELMASTRO
RAYE-ANN ODEGAARD DE REGNIER
JEFFERY JOSEPH DOROCIACK
JOHN RUSSELL DUNGAN
ALEXANDER MELLON EATON
JOHN BREWER EBERLY
SUSAN LOUISE EDER
ROBERT RICHARD EHINGER
WILLIAM GAVIN ELLIOTT
MADHU ENGINEER
JUDSON HOLT EVANS, II
BRIAN ANDREW FARAH
LUBICA FEDOR
ROBERT LEE FERGUSON, JR.
LACTANCIO DA NEIVA FERNANDES
ARTHUR JOHN FLORACK
CHRISTOPHER KEVIN FOLEY
KIMBERLEY KRISTEN FOX
DAVID JOSHUA FRID
DAVID RALPH FULP
IVONNE ELIZABETH GALARZA
DOUGLAS SCOTT GALLOWAY
RICHARD PAT GALLUCCI
JOSEPH LEE GARVEY, JR.
JUDSON ROY GASH
LINDA SWINSON GEORGES
STANLEY BRENNER GETZ, JR.
JOHN MARTIN GIBLIN
RODNEY BRADLEY GILBERT
ROBERT LOUIS GLANZMAN
GARY ALAN GOFORTH
DANIEL AUDLEY GOLD, III
HELEN LAURA GOLDBERG
JOSEPH ALAN GOVERT
GARY BRUCE GRANDLE
GREGORY ALAN GREENBAUM
JAMA BLAND GREENE
KATHERINE PARKER GRICHI
KEITH EVANS GRIFFIN
STEPHANIE DEAL GRIFFIN
VIVIAN LOIS GRIFFIN
MICHAEL PAUL GRUBER
KAREN SUE GUICE
DALE EUGENE GUNDERSON
JAYNE THERESA GUNZA
JOSEPH EDWARD HAAS
NANCY REBECCA HALEY
RUSSELL DAVID HALL
JOHN ALBERT HAMJIAN
WALTER DOUGLAS HARRISON
On July 20, 1991, the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina adopted a motion made by Dr. Henry and seconded by Dr. Godwin that the July 1991 meeting of the Board by adjourned.

Nicholas Emanuel Stratas, M.D., Secretary
BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS OF THE
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA