

**MARYLAND BOARD OF PHYSICIANS  
BOARD  
OPEN MEETING MINUTES  
4201 Patterson Avenue, Baltimore, MD  
Room 100  
August 23, 2023**

The Maryland Board of Physicians (the Board) met Wednesday, August 23, 2023 with the following members present:

**Panel B**

Richard T. Scholz, M.D., Acting Chair  
Ingrid Connerney, Consumer Member  
Tyler Cymet, D.O.  
Vinu Ganti, M.D.  
Natalie Orbach, PA-C  
Carol E. Ritter, M.D.  
Martha Schaerr, Consumer Member

**Panel A**

Mark D. Olszyk, M.D.  
Mark D. Baganz, M.D.  
Marie-Alberte Boursiquot, M.D.  
Jon S. Frank, Consumer Member  
Alvin L. Helfenbein, Jr., Consumer Member  
Ira Kornbluth, M.D.  
Chika Logie, M.D.  
Kevin Pereira, M.D.  
Judith Singletary, Consumer Member

**ABSENT:** Harbhajan Ajrawat, M.D., Board Chair; Julie Caffrey, D.O.; Maxine E. Turnipseed, Consumer Member; Scott J. Wiesenberger, M.D.; Ifeyinwa A. Stitt, M.D.

**OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL STAFF PRESENT:** Stacey Darin, Assistant Attorney General; David Finkler, Assistant Attorney General; Noreen Rubin, Assistant Attorney General; David Wagner, Assistant Attorney General

**STAFF PRESENT:** Christine Farrelly, Executive Director; Ellen Douglas Smith, Deputy Director; Doreen Noppinger, Compliance Manager; Zach Spivey, Probation Supervisor; Rhonda Deanes, Lead Allied Health Analyst, Madeline Delgreco, Health Policy Analyst; Michael EID, Compliance Analyst Associate; Margaret Ellis Jury, Allied Health, ND; Angela Gaither, Management Associate; Julie Gaskins, Health Policy Paralegal; Ally Jones, Compliance Analyst Associate; Marty Teramani, Network Supervisor; Felicia Wright, Allied Health Supervisor

**GUEST PRESENT VIA CONFERENCE CALL:** Kara Cossis, Chair, Physician Assistant Advisory Committee (PAAC)

**CALL TO ORDER**

Dr. Scholz, Acting Board Chair called the meeting to order at 9:03 a.m.

**HOUSEKEEPING RULES** - FYI for Board members

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Physician Assistants Delegation Agreement Addendum for Advanced Duties**

The Physician Assistant Advisory Committee (PAAC) determined that the physician assistants meet the criteria for advanced duties established in statute and regulations, and voted to recommend approval of the addendums to the Board.

*On a motion made by Dr. Cymet, and seconded by Ms. Orbach, the Board voted to unanimously **APPROVE** all addendum requests to perform the advanced duties in attachment 1.*

### **Athletic Trainers Evaluation and Treatment Protocols for Approval**

The Athletic Trainers Advisory Committee reviewed the Evaluation and Treatment Protocols, determined that the athletic trainers meet the criteria established in statute, and voted to recommend approval to the Board.

*On a motion made by Ms. Orbach, and seconded by Dr. Cymet, the Board voted to unanimously **APPROVE** the Athletic Trainers Evaluation and Treatment Protocols in attachment 2.*

### **Allied Health Committee Appointment for Approval**

#### **Physician Assistant Advisory Committee**

- Janaki Champa Kuruppu, M.D.

*On a motion made by Ms. Schaerr, and seconded by Dr. Ganti, the Board voted to unanimously **APPROVE** the appointment to the ATAC.*

### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- July 26, 2023

*On a motion made by Dr. Cymet, and seconded by Ms. Schaerr, the Board voted to unanimously **APPROVE** the full Board and Panel minutes.*

### **POLICY/LEGISLATION**

#### **Regulations**

- Proposed Regulations - Licensure of Radiation Therapists, Radiographers, Nuclear Medicine Technologists, and Radiologist Assistants

Board staff sought approval to post draft regulation amendments for COMAR 10.32.10 to the Board's website for public comment.

*On a motion made by Ms. Schaerr, and seconded by Dr. Ganti, the Board voted to unanimously **APPROVE** posting these proposed regulations to the Board's website for public review and comments.*

- Proposed Regulations - Continuing Medical Education

Mr. Tran requested Board approval to repost proposed amendments for COMAR 10.32.01.10 to the Board's website for public comment. Board members suggested some modifications.

*On a motion made by Ms. Schaerr, and seconded by Dr. Ganti, the Board voted to unanimously **APPROVE** reposting these proposed regulations to the Board's website for public review and comments after the modifications have been made.*

- Proposed Regulations - Prehearing Proceedings

After no public comment, Mr. Tran requested Board approval to submit proposed amendments to COMAR 10.32.02.03 to the Maryland Department of Health - Office of Regulation and Policy Coordination to continue in the next steps of the promulgation process.

*On a motion made by Dr. Cymet, and seconded by Ms. Connerney, the Board voted to unanimously **APPROVE** the amendments and to continue with the promulgation process.*

- Proposed Regulations - Athletic Trainers – Dry Needling Public

There were no comments received during the public posting period, therefore, Board staff sought approval to send the proposed regulations to the Maryland Department of Health - Office of Regulation and Policy Coordination to continue in the next steps of the promulgation process.

*On a motion made by Dr. Cymet, and seconded by Dr. Ganti, the Board voted to unanimously **APPROVE** the amendments and to continue with the promulgation process.*

- Proposed Regulations - Genetic Counselors

Board staff sought approval to post draft regulations for COMAR 10.32.24 (Genetic Counselors) to the Board's website for public comment.

*On a motion made by Dr. Ritter, and seconded by Ms. Schaerr, the Board voted to unanimously **APPROVE** posting these proposed regulations to the Board's website for public review and comments.*

#### **OTHER BUSINESS – FYI ONLY**

- Physician Assistant Advisory Committee Open and Closed Meeting Minutes – July 5, 2023
- Athletic Trainer Advisory Committee Open Meeting Minutes – July 11, 2023
- Genetic Counseling Advisory Committee Open Meeting Minutes – July 18, 2023
- Radiation Therapy, Radiography, Nuclear Medicine Technology and Radiologist Assistance Advisory Committee Open and Closed Meeting Minutes – November 16, 2022

**ADJOURNMENT (The Board will adjourn to exercise its quasi-judicial and administrative functions.)**

Submitted by,

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Richard Scholz, M.D.  
Acting Board Chair



## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Wes Moore, Governor · Aruna Miller, Lt. Governor · Laura Herrera Scott, M.D., M.P.H., Secretary

TO: The Board  
 FROM: Rhonda Deanes, Allied Health Lead Analyst  
 DATE: August 23, 2023  
 SUBJECT: Physician Assistant Delegation Agreement Addendums for Advanced Duties

This is to confirm that the Physician Assistant Advisory Committee (PAAC) has reviewed the attached delegation agreement addendums and is recommending the following actions.

The Committee determined that the following physician assistants meet the criteria for advanced duties established in Health Occupations Article, §15-302, COMAR 10.32.03.06 Delegation Agreements – Approval, COMAR 10.32.09 Delegation of Cosmetic Procedures, and other criteria established by the Board.

### Previously Board Approved Procedures RECOMMENDED for APPROVAL:

	Physician Assistant	Supervising Physician	Requested Procedure(s)	Practice Setting	Date of Approval of Core Duties DA
1.	Alexzandra Briedis, PA-C	Elizabeth Kimmitt, M.D.	1. Laser/Light Therapy Procedures for Treatment of Pigmentation, Anti-Aging, Hair Reduction	Private Practice/Other	Acknowledged Receipt on 01/24/2022
2.	Kirstin B. Donnelly, PA-C	Philip R. Neubauer, M.D.	1. Joint Injection and Aspiration (Knee, Greater Trochanteric Bursal)	Private Practice/Other	Approved on 04/30/2014
3.	Julia A. Enea, PA-C	Marc W. Hungerford, M.D.	1. Administer Joint Injections 2. Joint Aspirations	Hospital	Approved on 10/09/2014

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Closed Reduction of Dislocations</li> <li>4. Closed Reduction of Fractures</li> <li>5. Removal of External and Percutaneous Fixation Devices</li> </ul>		
4.	Julia A. Enea, PA-C	Marc W. Hungerford, M.D.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Knee Injections</li> <li>2. Knee Aspirations</li> </ul>	Private Practice/ Other	Approved on 01/28/2015
5.	Emily C. Genovese, PA-C,	Marc W. Hungerford, M.D.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Administer Joint Injections</li> <li>2. Joint Aspirations</li> <li>3. Closed Reduction of Dislocations</li> <li>4. Closed Reduction of Fractures</li> <li>5. Myofascial Injections/Trigger Point Injections</li> <li>6. Removal of External and Percutaneous Fixation Devices</li> </ul>	Hospital	Approved on 10/17/2018
6.	Brett Andrew Getlan, PA-C	Brian Shiu, M.D.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Aspirations and/or Injection of the Joint and Bursae</li> <li>2. Closed Reduction of Fractures and Dislocations</li> </ul>	Ambulatory Surgical Facility	Acknowledged Receipt on 05/17/2023
7.	Brett Andrew Getlan, PA-C	Brian Shiu, M.D.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Arthrocentesis and Joint Injections</li> </ul>	Hospital	Acknowledged Receipt on 05/17/2023

			2. Dislocation Reduction 3. Fracture Reduction		
8.	Brian Edward Lee, PA-C	John M. Thompson, M.D.	1. Subacromial Shoulder Injections 2. Knee Injections	Private Practice/Other	Acknowledged Receipt on 04/26/2022
9.	Marie A. Lockard, PA-C	Marc W. Hungerford, M.D.	1. Administer Joint Injections 2. Joint Aspirations 3. Closed Reduction of Dislocations 4. Closed Reduction of Fractures 5. Removal of External and Percutaneous Fixation Devices	Hospital	Approved on 11/20/2019
10.	Elizabeth F. Matesa, PA-C	Marc W. Hungerford, M.D.	1. Administer Joint Injections 2. Joint Aspirations 3. Closed Reduction of Dislocation	Hospital	Approved on 01/28/2015
11.	Kerri L. McDonald, PA-C	Benjamin D. Bernstein, M.D.	IPL (Intense Pulsed Light) Therapy	Private Practice/Other	Approved on 07/28/2021
12.	Stephanie M. Pevarnik, PA-C	Marc W. Hungerford, PA-C	1. Administer Joint Injections 2. Joint Aspirations 3. Closed Reduction of Dislocations 4. Closed Reduction of Fractures	Hospital	Approved on 05/23/2018

			5. Myofascial Injections/Trigger Point Injections 6. Removal of External and Percutaneous Fixation Devices		
13.	Shavontay T. Tate, PA-C	Brian P. Swehla, M.D.	1. Thoracentesis 2. Paracentesis 3. Tunneled Central Line Insertion 4. Tunneled Central Line Removal 5. Bone Marrow Biopsy 6. Non-Tunneled Central Line Insertion 7. Non-Tunneled Central Line Removal 8. Lumbar Puncture	Hospital	Acknowledged Receipt on 02/08/2022
14.	Shavontay T. Tate, PA-C	Brian P. Swehla, M.D.	1. Thoracentesis 2. Paracentesis 3. Tunneled Central Line Insertion 4. Tunneled Central Line Removal 5. Bone Marrow Biopsy 6. Non-Tunneled Central Line Insertion 7. Non-Tunneled Central Line Removal 8. Lumbar Puncture	Hospital	Acknowledged Receipt on 02/08/2022

15.	Morgan K. Tuomey, PA-C	Marc W. Hungerford, M.D.	1. Administer Joint Injections 2. Joint Aspirations 3. Closed Reduction of Dislocations 4. Closed Reduction of Fractures	Hospital	Approved on 06/23/2021
16.	Kevin A. Woodward, PA-C	Savyasachi Thakkar, M.D.	1. Intra-Bursal Greater Trochanteric Injections	Private Practice/Other	Acknowledged Receipt on 02/18/2022





# Board of Physicians

Wes Moore, Governor · Aruna Miller, Lt. Governor · Damean W.E. Freas, D.O., Chair

TO: The Board  
FROM: Board Staff  
DATE: August 23, 2023  
SUBJECT: Evaluation and Treatment Protocols

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This is to confirm that Board Staff has reviewed the attached Evaluation and Treatment Protocols and determined that the following athletic trainers meet the criteria for Evaluation and Treatment Protocols established in Health Occupations Article, §14-5D-11 Supervision; Evaluation and Treatment Protocols and COMAR 10.32.08.06 Evaluation and Treatment Protocols.

Specialized tasks are not included in these protocols. Board staff is therefore recommending approval of the Evaluation and Treatment Protocols for the following athletic trainers:

Attachments: Evaluation and Treatment Protocols for the following athletic trainers:

<b>Athletic Trainer</b>	<b>Supervising Physician</b>
Taylor Beam, ATC	Andrew John Cosgarea, M.D.
Kelsey Ayne Boulier, ATC	Mark Slabaugh, M.D.
Rebecca M. Cover, ATC	Wiemi Abell Douoguih, M.D.
Jessica Marie D'Apice, ATC	Daniel Edward Redziniak, M.D.
Gabrielle Isabel DeBolt, ATC	Kenneth B. Tepper, M.D.
Andrew D. Fitzgerald, ATC	Taylor Wiley, M.D.
Keri Lyn Foreman, ATC	Wiemi Abell Douoguih, M.D.
Courtney Nichole Friese, ATC	Wiemi Abell Douoguih, M.D.
Kinsey Leigh Gunn, ATC	Wiemi Abell Douoguih, M.D.
Sarah Renae Jefferson, ATC	Robert A. Waltz, M.D.
Morgan Ilene Keimig, ATC	Andrew John Cosgarea, M.D.
Kelsey Lynn Langham, ATC	Wiemi Abell Douoguih, M.D.
Tyler S. Maxwell, ATC	Louis Edward Kovacs, M.D.
Jennifer C. Maybry, ATC	Wiemi Abell Douoguih, M.D.
Lauren Maria McMillon, ATC	Wiemi Abell Douoguih, M.D.
Frances M. Mejia, ATC	Wiemi Abell Douoguih, M.D.
Lillian Mary Morrison, ATC	Peter Johnston, M.D.
Jeremiah Richard Musser, ATC	Wiemi Abell Douoguih, M.D.
Stephanie Anne Naylor, ATC	Wiemi Abell Douoguih, M.D.
Noah Clark Patrick, ATC	Teri M. McCambridge, M.D.
Julie Madison Rosenthal, ATC	Mark V. Clough, M.D.
Anthony Michael Rossi, ATC	Richard Y. Hinton, M.D.
Devon Serrano, ATC	Richard Y. Hinton, M.D.
Abigail Dyer Smith, ATC	Mark V. Clough, M.D.

<b>Athletic Trainer</b>	<b>Supervising Physician</b>
Michael Francis Stant, ATC	Lawrence J. Goren, M.D.
Rachel Alexandra St. Pierre, ATC	Robert A. Waltz, M.D.
Gillian Michaela Streit, ATC	Robert A. Waltz, M.D.
Amber M. Stuart, ATC	Peter Johnston, M.D.
Kendall Mackenzie Stull, ATC	Robert A. Waltz, M.D.
Kevin Kar-Fai Tam, ATC	Mark V. Clough, M.D.
Rebecca Lynne Taylor, ATC	Wiemi Abell Douoguih, M.D.
Madison Jayne Tomasic, ATC	Richard Y. Hinton, M.D.
Stephanie A. Vigezzi, ATC	Matthew James Jepson, M.D.
Meghan L. Wilkinson, ATC	Wiemi Abell Douoguih, M.D.
Madison Maria Withers, ATC	Robert A. Waltz, M.D.