

**MARYLAND BOARD OF PHYSICIANS**  
**Radiation Therapy, Radiography, Nuclear Medicine Technology**  
**And Radiologist Assistance Advisory Committee**  
**Wednesday, November 20, 2019**  
**4201 Patterson Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland Room 100**

**OPEN MEETING MINUTES**

**PRESENT:** Michael R. Vogel, BS, CNMT, RT(N), (CT), Chair,  
Kamau Nkenge, RRA, RT (R) (CT), Geoffrey Neuner, M.D., Amy  
Taylor, RRA (RT), Theresa Lewis, Consumer Member, Lynn  
Harris-McCorkle, M.D, Philipose Mulugeta, M.D.

**ABSENT:** Ryan Carroll, R.T. (T), Ellen Douglas Smith, Deputy Director,  
Mark Woodard, Health Policy Analyst

**STAFF PRESENT:** Felicia Wright, Allied Health Supervisor, Cecilia Laurent, Allied  
Heath Analyst, Noreen Rubin, Board Counsel, Sandi Van Horn,  
Health Policy Analyst, Margaret Jury, Allied Health Analyst

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mr. Vogel called the meeting to order at 4:07 pm.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

On a motion made by Ms. Taylor and seconded by Ms. Lewis, the Committee unanimously approved the following list of Open & Closed meeting minutes:

1. Open Meeting Minutes from July 17, 2019
2. Closed Meeting Minutes from July 17, 2019
3. Open Meeting Minutes from August 1, 2019
4. Open Meeting Minutes from September 18, 2019

**LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS, AND POLICY UPDATES** - Sandi Van Horn, Health Policy Analyst

Ms. Van Horn stated that the RCIS regulations are going through the promulgation process and that the nuclear medicine regulations, proposed changes for Code of Maryland Regulations 10.32.10, were published in the October 25, 2019 edition of the Maryland Register for a 30 day public comment period. Mr. Vogel asked about when the nuclear medicine regulations would be effective, and Ms. Van Horn stated it would depend on whether there were any public comments. Ms. Van Horn also stated that the Board is working on an electronic newsletter which would be coming out soon via email.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Application for Approval - Radiologist Assistant Advanced Procedures Request**

- Amy Taylor, Radiologist Assistant (K0002)

(At this juncture Ms. Taylor recused herself from the meeting because the application in question was for her practice.) The Committee reviewed the application and discussed the submission. On a motion made by Mr. Vogel the Committee unanimously voted to approve the application pending an updated approval letter and attestation stating both types of supervision provided by the supervising radiologist.

### **Review/Revision of the Radiologist Assistant Advanced Procedure Request Application**

The committee reviewed the Radiologist Assistant Advanced Procedure Request Application. The committee agreed that the application should be revised to reflect current regulations but the regulations need revisions as well. Ms. Van Horn will prepare a draft of the revised form, as well as prepare suggestions for regulatory changes for the January 2020 meeting.

*CLOSED SESSION: Pursuant to Maryland General Provision Article §3-305(b)(1), on a motion made by Dr. Harris-McCorkle and seconded by Dr. Neuner, the committee unanimously voted to go into Closed Session at 5:43 p.m.*

#### **SUMMARY OF CLOSED SESSION:**

The Committee went into closed session to discuss personnel matters.

The Committee reviewed the applicant's curriculum vitae and recommended that the applicant be appointed by the Board to fill the current Radiologist Assistant vacancy.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 5:47 pm.

*The next committee meeting is scheduled for January 15, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. in Room 100.*

Submitted by:

Signature on File @ the Board  
Cecilia Laurent  
Allied Health Analyst