MARYLAND BOARD OF PHYSICIANS

Physician Assistant Advisory Committee 4201 Patterson Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21215 Wednesday, November 5, 2025 MBP Board Room, Room 100

OPEN AGENDA MEETING MINUTES

PRESENT VIA

ZOOM:

Kara R. Cossis, PA-C, Chair, John Klune, M.D., MBA, FACS, Deborah Dunn, MBA, PA-C, Wendy Riekers, PA-C, Theresa Lewis, Consumer Member

STAFF PRESENT

VIA ZOOM:

Felicia Wright, Allied Health Manager, David Finkler, Esq., Board Counsel, Michael Tran, Health Policy Analyst, Rhonda Deanes, Allied Health Lead PA Licensure Analyst, John (Jack) Shock, Allied Health Licensure Analyst, Breana Ragin, Allied Health Licensure Analyst Associate, Shawneka Freeman, Allied Health Licensure Analyst Associate, Margaret Jury, Lead Allied Health Licensure Analyst

STAFF ABSENT:

Christine Farrelly, Executive Director, Ellen Douglas Smith, Deputy Director

COMMITTEE MEMBER(S)

ABSENT:

Robert Roca, M.D., Janaki Champa Kuruppu, M.D.

CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Cossis called the meeting to order at 4:01 p.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

On a motion made by Ms. Riekers and seconded by Ms. Dunn, the Committee unanimously approved the September 3, 2025, Open Meeting Minutes.

LEGISLATION, REGULATIONS, AND POLICY UPDATES

Mr. Tran informed the Committee that the Board's General Revisions bill took effect on October 1, 2025. As of that date, certain requirements and provisions relating to PA practice have been updated, including:

- 1. The removal of the requirement for a PA to inform the Board of every patient care team physician listed on a collaboration agreement at the time of execution;
- 2. The requirement to inform the Board of the addition or removal of a patient care team physician(s) from the collaboration agreement; and
- 3. The change from 10 days to 30 days to inform the Board of any change in name or address.

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BOARD COUNSEL

Nothing to report

COMMITTEE CHAIR REPORT

Ms. Cossis informed the Committee that at its meeting on September 24, 2025, the Board accepted all of the recommendations that the Committee made at its September 3, 2025, meeting concerning addendums for advanced duties.

NEW BUSINESS

Addendums for Advanced Duties

Sarah Allison Donley, PA-C/Suzanne Kohout Eschenbach, M.D., request to perform:

- Psychiatric Diagnostic Evaluation
- Supportive Psychotherapy
- Advanced Psychopharmacologic Treatments

On a motion made by Dr. Klune and seconded by Ms. Dunn, the Committee unanimously voted to recommend its approval of this addendum to the Board.

Courtney Janet Green, PA-C/ Chesahna Kindred-Weaver, M.D., request to perform:

- Non-Ablative Laser Surgery
- Intralesional Injections

On a motion made by Ms. Dunn, and seconded by Ms. Riekers, the Committee unanimously voted to recommend its approval of this addendum to the Board.

Lauren Sukri, PA-C/ Mark Jaffe, M.D., request to perform:

- Chemical Peel
- Skin Excisions
- Excision and Repair of Malignant Lesions
- Intralesional Injections

On a motion made by Ms. Riekers and seconded by Dr. Klune, the Committee unanimously voted to recommend its approval of this addendum to the Board with the specification that the "Skin Excisions" and "Excision and Repair of Malignant Lesions" be limited to 2.5 cm or less above the neck.

WALK-IN ADDENDUMS

Inkyung Ji, PA-C/Levan Atanelov, M.D., request to perform;

• Intra-Articular Corticosteroid Injection

On a motion made by Dr. Klune and seconded by Ms. Riekers, the Committee unanimously voted to recommend its approval of this addendum to the Board.

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Ashley Chou-Izong Kum, PA-C/ Levan Atanelov, M.D., request to perform:

- Benign Skin Excisions
- Intralesional Kenalog Injections (ILK)

On a motion made by Dr. Riekers and seconded by Ms. Dunn, the Committee unanimously voted to recommend its approval of this addendum to the Board with the specification that the "Benign Skin Lesions" be limited to 2.5 cm or less above the neck.

Glen Neal Lilly, II, PA-C/Amish Shah, M.D., request to perform:

• Stress Tests (Pharmacologic and Exercise)

On a motion made by Ms. Riekers and seconded by Ms. Dunn, the Committee unanimously voted to recommend its approval of this addendum to the Board.

Alejandria Renee Meadows, PA-C/ Chikoti Mibenge Wheat, M.D., request to perform:

• Skin Excisions

On a motion made by Ms. Dunn and seconded by Dr. Klune, the Committee unanimously voted to recommend its approval of this addendum to the Board, with the specification that the "Skin Excisions" be limited to 2.5 cm or less above the neck.

ADJOURNMENT

On a motion made by Dr. Klune and seconded by Ms. Riekers, the Committee unanimously voted to adjourn its meeting at 4:16 p.m.

Submitted by:	
Signature on File	
Rhonda Deanes.	Allied Health Unit