

**MARYLAND BOARD OF PHYSICIANS  
BOARD  
OPEN MEETING MINUTES  
March 22, 2017**

The Maryland Board of Physicians (the Board) met Wednesday, March 22, 2017 at 9:06 a.m. with the following members present:

**Present in Board Room (Panel B)**

Damean W.E. Freas, D.O., Board Chair  
Jonathan A. Lerner, P.A., Secretary  
Edward J. Brody, Consumer Member  
Alexis J. Carras, M.D.  
Jacqueline Golden, Consumer Member  
Jacek L. Mostwin, M.D.  
Mark D. Olszyk, M.D.  
Beryl J. Rosenstein, M.D.  
Martha Schaerr, Consumer Member  
Ann Marie Stephenson, D.O. /M.B.A.  
Thomas M. Walsh, M.D.

**Present via Conference Call (Panel A)**

Arun Bhandari, Chair - Panel A  
Brenda G. Baker, Consumer Member  
Marie-Alberte Boursiquot, M.D.  
Lisa Burgess, M.D.  
Jon S. Frank, Consumer Member  
Gary J. Della'Zanna, D.O.  
Charles Gast, Consumer Member  
Dalila Harvey-Granger, M.D.  
Ira Kornbluth, M.D.  
Kevin Pereira, M.D.  
Robert P. Roca, M.D.

**ABSENT:** Christine Farrelly, Executive Director

**STAFF PRESENT:** Ellen Douglas Smith, Deputy Director; Stacey Darin, Assistant Attorney General; David Finkler, Assistant Attorney General; Noreen Rubin, Assistant Attorney General; David Wagner, Assistant Attorney General; Shelley Taylor-Barnes, Lead PA Analyst; Rhonda Deans, Allied Health Analyst Associate; Lisa Dorsey, Licensure Analyst; Andrea Doucet, Compliance Analyst; Angela Gaither, Management Associate; Troy Garland, Compliance Analyst; Michelle Harrison, Allied Health Analyst; Wynnee Hawk, Manager, Policy/Legislative; Cecilia Laurent, Allied Health Analyst; Linda Monroe, Allied Health; Doreen Noppinger, Compliance Supervisor; Colette Satterfield, Administrative Aide; Jennifer Saylor, Administrative Specialist; Nicholas Smith, IT Support; Felicia Wright, Allied Health Supervisor

**GUESTS:** Anthony Raneri, Chair, MBP Physician Assistant Advisory Committee (PAAC); Sharon Bloom, Executive Assistant, Office of Health Workforce, Department of Health and Mental Hygiene (DHMH)

**ACTION AGENDA**

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

The Physician Assistant Advisory Committee (PAAC) reviewed the following delegation agreement addendums. The PAAC determined that they met the criteria for advanced duties established in the statute and regulations, and voted to recommend them to the Board for approval.

**First Time Requested Procedures RECOMMENDED for APPROVAL:**

<b>Physician Assistant</b>	<b>Supervising Physician</b>	<b>Requested Procedure(s)</b>	<b>Practice Setting</b>	<b>Date of Approval of Core Duties DA</b>
Amy M. Fleming, PA-C	George O. Gavrilu, M.D.	1) Kybella Injections	Private Practice/Other	10/29/14

**Previously Board approved procedures RECOMMENDED for APPROVAL:**

<b>Physician Assistant</b>	<b>Supervising Physician</b>	<b>Requested Procedure(s)</b>	<b>Practice Setting</b>	<b>Date of Approval of Core Duties DA</b>
Collina Afriyie, PA-C	Rehan Waheed, M.D.	1) Joint Injections – Knee and Shoulder 2) Trigger Point Injections	Private Practice/Other	11/30/16
Bethany Kate Augustine, PA-C	Jaime Jude Barnes, D.O.	1) Central Line Insertions	Hospital	11/30/16
Roger DeShong, PA-C	Jaime Jude Barnes, D.O.	1) Endotracheal Intubation 2) Central Line Insertions 3) Arterial Line Insertions	Hospital	2/10/16
Benjamin Michael Farkas, PA-C	Jennifer Z. Cooper, M.D.	1) Dermal Fillers	Private Practice/Other	9/30/15
Abimbola Fasusi, PA-C	Sonia Rhoden – Salmon, M.D.	1) Nonfluoroscopic X-Ray procedures of the extremities, anterior, posterior & lateral, not including the head utilizing the Mini C-Arm	Private Practice/Other	1/25/17
Amy M. Fleming, PA-C	George O. Gavrilu, M.D.	1) Collagen Induction Therapy (CIT) via Microneedling 2) Bio-Identical Hormone Replacement Therapy (BHRT) – Subcutaneous Pellet Insertion	Private Practice/Other	10/29/14

<b>Physician Assistant</b>	<b>Supervising Physician</b>	<b>Requested Procedure (s)</b>	<b>Practice Setting</b>	<b>Date of Approval of Core Duties DA</b>
Katherine Lee Gaitan, PA-C	Howard N. Robinson, M.D.	1) Intense Pulse Light Laser 2) Hair Removal Laser 3) Skin Tightening Laser 4) Pixal Laser (Erbium-Yag Laser) 5) ED&C Malignant Neoplasm 6) Excision/Subcutaneous Repair 7) Narrow-Band UVB Light Treatment	Private Practice/Other	1/25/17
Aaron Galvin, PA-C	Stanford Coleman, M.D.	1) Nonfluoroscopic X-Ray procedures of the extremities, anterior, posterior & lateral, not including the head utilizing the Mini C-Arm	Private Practice/Other	1/25/17
Sarah Elizabeth Greenwood, PA-C	Jonathan L. Hansen, M.D.	1) Athrocentesis	Hospital	10/29/14
Jairus L. Johnson, PA-C	Christopher C. Kwon, M.D.	1) A-Line Insertion 2) Insertion of Chest Tubes 3) Replace Swan Ganz Catheters 4) Harvest & Prepare Saphenous Vein. Close leg Incision, Internal Mammary and Radial Artery 5) Insertion and Removal of IABP	Hospital	1/25/17
Regina M. Martin, PA-C	Jaime Jude Barnes, D.O.	1) Endotracheal Intubation	Hospital	5/13/15
Youna Raminfar, PA-C	Marc Weber, M.D.	1) Nonfluoroscopic X-Ray procedures of the extremities, anterior, posterior & lateral, not including the head utilizing the Mini C-Arm	Private Practice/Other	Scheduled to be on 4/26/17
Jennifer Reilly, PA-C	Michael Siegenthaler, M.D.	1) Endoscopic Vein Harvesting	Hospital	Scheduled to be on 4/26/17
Janette Marie Roderick, PA-C	George Gavrila, M.D.	1) Botox Injections 2) Dermal Filler Injections 3) Microneedling 4) Administration of Broad Band Light Procedure	Private Practice/Other	1/25/17
Jacqueline Schnell, PA-C	Jonathan Hansen, M.D.	1) IJ Central Venous Catheter Placement	Hospital	2/10/16

Physician Assistant	Supervising Physician	Requested Procedure (s)	Practice Setting	Date of Approval of Core Duties DA
Michael Shives, PA-C	Alvaro Cabezas, M.D.	1) Intra-Articular Injections – Hips, Knees, Shoulders 2) Aspirations/Arthrocentesis - Knees	Private Practice/Other	1/25/17
Paul D. Szczybor, PA-C	Jaime Jude Barnes, D.O.	1) Endotracheal Intubation	Hospital	10/29/14
Jenifer Tersakyan, PA-C	Robert Graw, Jr., M.D.	1) Nonfluoroscopic X-Ray procedures of the extremities, anterior, posterior & lateral, not including the head utilizing the Mini C-Arm	Private Practice/Other	1/25/17
Jamie Lynn Weiss, PA-C	Scott C. Faucett, M.D.	1) Joint Injections 2) Joint Aspirations 3) Closed Reduction of Dislocations 4) Closed Reduction of Fractures	Ambulatory Surgical Facility	1/25/17

*On a motion made by Mr. Brody, and seconded by Ms. Schaerr, the Board voted unanimously to **TABLE** the addendum requests for Ms. Gaitan, PA-C/Dr. Robinson, for ED & C Malignant Neoplasm, and Ms. Fleming, PA-C/Dr. Gavrilu for Kybella Injections to gather further information.*

*On a motion made by Mr. Brody, and seconded by Ms. Schaerr the Board voted unanimously to **APPROVE** all addendum requests to perform the aforementioned advanced duties following the recommendation of the Physician Assistant Advisory Committee, with the exception of Ms. Gaitan, PA-C/Dr. Robinson and Ms. Fleming, PA-C/Dr. Gavrilu.*

### **Allied Health Committees Appointment and Reappointments**

#### **Polysomnography Professional Standards Committee Appointments and Reappointments**

The Board tabled the appointments and reappointments until the full Board meeting on April 26, 2017.

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

- Natalie Orbach, P.A.-C.
- George Sobieralski, MS, P.A.-C.

#### **Respiratory Care Professional Standards Committee Reappointment**

- Thomas French, BS, RRT, RCP

*On a motion made by Dr. Olszyk, and seconded by Mr. Brody, the Board voted unanimously to **APPROVE** the Allied Health Committees appointment and reappointments, except for the appointments and reappointments on the Polysomnography Professional Standards Committee.*

### **License Renewal of Physicians Licensed by Conceded Eminence**

- Luigi D. Notarangelo, M.D.
- Ismail B. Turkbey, M.D.

*On a motion made by Dr. Rosenstein, and seconded by Dr. Carras, the Board voted unanimously to **APPROVE** the license renewal of the the physicians licensed by conceded eminence.*

### **Policy**

#### **Selection of Chair for the Naturopathic Doctors Formulary Council**

*On a motion made by Dr. Della'Zanna, and seconded by Dr. Carras, the Board voted to **APPROVE** Christina Marrongelli, OTA, BScPH, PharmD for Chair of the Naturopathic Doctors Formulary Council.*

### **Open Meeting Minutes**

- Board Meeting Minutes - February 22, 2017

*On a motion made by Mr. Brody, and seconded by Ms. Golden, the Board voted unanimously to **APPROVE** the February 22, 2017 open meeting minutes with corrections.*

### **Additional Open Meeting Minutes – FYI**

- Physician Assistant Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes – February 1, 2017

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**CLOSED SESSION:** *“Pursuant to Maryland General Provisions Article §3-305(b)(13)., on a motion made by Mr. Brody, and seconded by Ms. Golden, the Board unanimously voted to close its meeting on March 22, 2017 at 9:38 a.m., in room 100 for the purpose of complying with the Maryland Medical Practice Act that prevents public disclosures about particular proceedings or matters. Pursuant to Md. Hth. Occ. Ann. 14-411 (a) and (b), the Board is prohibited from disclosing any information contained in a proceeding record or file of the Board”*

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### **Policy – House Bill 1432 Health Care Providers – Prescription Opioids – Limits on Prescribing Update**

Wynee Hawk, Manager, Policy and Legislation, stated that Board Counsel provided advice in the closed session on the implications of HB 1432. Ms. Hawk stated that currently the Bill is in

committee status but has some challenges before passing through the legislative process.

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***CLOSED SESSION: “Pursuant to Maryland General Provisions Article §3-305(b)(13)., on a motion made by Dr. Olszyk, and seconded by Mr. Brody, the Board unanimously voted to close its meeting on March 22, 2017 at 10:16 a.m., in room 100 for the purpose of complying with the Maryland Medical Practice Act that prevents public disclosures about particular proceedings or matters. Pursuant to Md. Hth. Occ. Ann. 14-411 (a) and (b), the Board is prohibited from disclosing any information contained in a proceeding record or file of the Board”***

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**SUMMARY OF CLOSED SESSION:**

The Board approved the February 22, 2017 closed meeting minutes.

Submitted by,

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Damean W.E. Freas, D.O.  
Board Chair

Date