

STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY
COMPLAINTS COMMITTEE MEETING

Wednesday, July 13, 2011 - 1:00 p.m.
Dallas County Health & Human Services Bldg
2377 North Stemmons Freeway – Room: 627A
Dallas, Texas 75207

MINUTES

Members Present:

Tammy Camp, M.D., Physician Member
Vickie Dionne, Au.D., Professional Member
Leila Salmons, Professional Member
Kimberly Carlisle, Public Member

Staff Present:

Joyce Parsons
David Richards
Nerissa Andrews

Public Present:

Sterling Durrett
Cecilia Reyna
Beverly Graff
Tara Wheeler
Hill Flinn

Agenda item 1 was the call to order. The meeting was called to order at 1:05 p.m.

Agenda item 2 was the Introduction of members, staff, and guests.

Agenda item 3 was the Committee Chair Report concerning committee priorities. Dr. Camp addressed the priorities.

Agenda item 4 was the discussion and possible action concerning review and approval of the committee report of meetings held February 16, 2011. Ms. Carlisle made the motion to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded by Dr. Dionne and passed.

Agenda item 5 was the discussion and possible action regarding complaint numbers

1065-10-0054 – Dr. Dionne made a motion to propose an administrative penalty of \$500 and six (6) hours of continuing education in supervision and ethics to be completed by December 31, 2011. The motion was seconded by Kimberly and passed.

1065-11-0017- Ms. Carlisle made a motion to close the complaint with no violation. The motion was seconded by Dr. Dionne and passed.

1065-11-0023- Ms. Salmons made a motion to propose a letter of advisement on documentation of therapy treatment. The motion was seconded by Ms. Carlisle and passed.

1065-11-0024 – Ms. Carlisle made a motion to close the complaint with no violation. The motion was seconded by Dr. Dionne and passed.

1065-11-0025 – Ms. Salmons made a motion to close the complaint with no violation. The motion was seconded by Dr. Dionne and passed.

1065-11-0026 – Ms. Carlisle made a motion to close the complaint with no violation. The motion was seconded by Ms. Salmons and passed.

1065-11-0027- Ms. Salmons made a motion to close the complaint with no violation. The motion was seconded by Ms. Carlisle and passed.

1065-11-0028- Dr. Dionne made a motion to close the complaint with no violation. The motion was seconded by Ms. Carlisle and passed.

1065-11-0029 – Ms. Salmons made a motion to close the complaint with no violation. The motion was seconded by Ms. Carlisle and passed.

1065-11-0030- Ms. Carlisle made a motion to close the complaint with no violation. The motion was seconded by Ms. Salmons and passed.

1065-11-0031 – Ms. Carlisle made a motion to close the complaint with no violation. The motion was seconded by Dr. Dionne and passed.

1065-11-0033 – Dr. Dionne made a motion to propose a letter of advisement. The motion was seconded by Ms. Carlisle and passed.

The committee recessed at 2:30 pm. The committee reconvened at 2:38 pm.

1065-10-0027 – Dr. Dionne made a motion to propose a 2-year suspension with 1 year suspension, 1 year probated suspension ending January 2013, with quarterly supervision reports and six (6) additional continuing education (CE) hours in ethics and recordkeeping. The motion was seconded by Ms. Salmons and passed.

Agenda item 6 was the discussion and possible action regarding guidelines for supervision of licensee's on probated suspension. No action was taken.

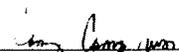
Agenda item 7 was the discussion and possible action concerning staff report of open complaints. Ms. Parsons gave the report. No action was taken.

Agenda item 8 was the discussion and possible action regarding rulemaking required by recent legislation. There was discussion of proposed fines. No action was taken.

Agenda item 9 was items for future consideration. No action was taken..

Agenda item 10 was the Announcements and comments not requiring committee action. No action was taken.

Agenda item 11 was the adjournment of the meeting. Ms. Carlisle made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Dr. Dionne and passed. The meeting was adjourned at 4:00 p.m.



Tammy Camp, M.D., Chair

18-19-11
Date

STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY
RULES COMMITTEE MEETING

Wednesday, July 13, 2011, 10:00 a.m.
The University of Texas at Dallas
Callier Center for Communication Disorders
1966 Inwood Road
Dallas, Texas 75235

MINUTES

Members Present:

Kimberly Carlisle, Chair, Public Member
Christopher Rourk, Public Member
Patricia Brannon, Professional Member
Vicki Dionne, Au.D., Professional Member

Staff Present:

Joyce Parsons
David Richards

Public Present:

Larry Higdon

Agenda item 1 was the call to order. The meeting was called to order at 10:10 a.m. by Ms. Carlisle.

Agenda item 2 was the Introduction of members, staff, and guests.

Agenda item 3 was the opportunity for public comment. No comments were given.

Agenda item 4 was the Committee Chair Report concerning committee priorities. Ms. Carlisle addressed the priorities.

Agenda item 5 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendment to 22 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 741.162 regarding defining continuing education credit for presenters of approved continuing education experiences. Dr. Dionne made the motion to allow continuing education credit for presenters of continuing education courses. Dr. Dionne amended her motion to state that the credit can only be earned once for the presentation. The motion was seconded by Mr. Rourk and passed.

Agenda item 6 was the discussion and possible action regarding guidelines for supervision of licensee's on probated suspension. Action was taken and determined that a further definition of the parameters of probated suspension are needed. Mr. Rourk made the motion to add a new subsection on probated suspension, suspension, and performance Improvement plans. The motion was seconded by Dr. Dionne and passed.

Agenda item 7 was the discussion and possible action regarding petition for rulemaking by Atheria Scott relating to licensure qualifications and the PRAXIS Exam. Dr. Wilson made a motion to deny petition. The motion was seconded by Dr. Dionne and passed.

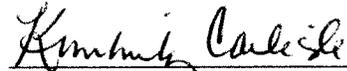
Agenda item 8 was the discussion and possible action regarding rulemaking required by recent legislation. Action was taken and determined that rule changes need to occur on basis of new legislation. Mr. Rourk made the motion to allow the board staff to draft proposed rules to be presented at rules committee meeting in

August. The motion was seconded by Ms. Brannon and passed.

Agenda item 9 was items for future consideration. No action was taken.

Agenda item 10 was announcements and comments not requiring committee action. No action was taken.

Agenda item 11 was the adjournment of the meeting. The meeting was adjourned by Ms. Carlisle at 11:28 a.m.



Kimberly Carlisle, Chair

10/21/11 _____
Date

STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY
SPEECH SCOPE OF PRACTICE COMMITTEE MEETING

Thursday, July 14, 2011 - 10:00 a.m.
The University of Texas at Dallas
Callier Center for Communication Disorders
1966 Inwood Road
Dallas, Texas 75235

MINUTES

Members Present:

Sonya Salinas, Chair, Professional Member
Leila Salmons, Professional Member
Patricia Brannon, Professional Member
Tammy Camp, M.D., Physician Member

Staff Present:

Joyce Parsons
David Richards
Nerissa Andrews

Public Present:

Donise Pearson

Agenda item 1 was the Call to order of the meeting. The meeting was called to order at 10:00 am by Ms. Salinas.

Agenda item 2 was the Introduction of members, staff, and guests.

Agenda item 3 was the opportunity for Public Comment. No comments were given.

Agenda item 4 was the discussion and possible action concerning review and approval of the minutes from the February 17, 2011 committee meeting. No action taken.

Agenda item 5 was the committee chair report concerning committee priorities. Ms. Salinas addressed the priorities.

Agenda item 6 was the discussion and possible action regarding rulemaking required by recent legislation. No action was taken.

Agenda item 7 was the discussion and possible action regarding license review of License Number 35955 – Dawn Brennan. Ms. Salmons made the motion that Ms. Brennan is eligible for assistants' license upon completing required clinical plan. The motion was seconded by Ms. Brannon and passed.

Agenda item 8 was the discussion and possible action regarding course analysis for individuals seeking an assistant in speech-language pathology License. Dr. Camp made the motion that board does not review course work until complete and shows on official transcript. The motion was seconded by Ms. Brannon and passed.

The committee recessed at 11:26 a.m. The committee reconvened at 11:36 a.m.

Agenda item 9 was the discussion and possible action regarding Assistant Certificate Program proposed by the University of Houston. Action was taken and determined that certificate program meets current license requirements.

Agenda item 10 was the discussion and possible action regarding a speech-language pathology supervisor signing notes for an assistant in speech-language pathology electronically. Action was taken and determined that electronic signatures are acceptable.

Agenda item 11 was the discussion and possible action regarding clinical observation hours for a licensed assistant in speech-language pathology. No action was taken.

Agenda item 12 was the discussion and possible action regarding a licensed assistant in speech-language pathology and feeding therapy. No action was taken.

Agenda item 13 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendment to 22 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 741.64(g)(4) regarding minimum supervision of licensed assistant in speech-language pathology. No action was taken.

Agenda item 14 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendment to 22 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 741.44(a) regarding the exception request to supervise with less than three years of experience. The committee will add FAQ onto the board's website to clarify the three years experience refers to and be added to the applicant response letter.

Agenda item 15 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendment to 22 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 741.44(b)(4) regarding the exception request to supervise no more than a total of four interns/assistants. Dr. Camp made a motion to deny the petition. The motion was seconded by Ms. Brannon and passed.

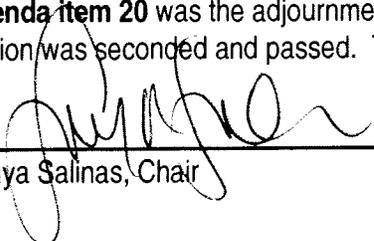
Agenda item 16 was the discussion and possible action regarding petition for rulemaking by Atheria Scott relating to licensure qualifications and the PRAXIS Exam. Dr. Camp made a motion to deny petition. The motion was seconded by Ms. Salmons and passed.

Agenda item 17 was the discussion and possible action regarding speech licensure forms. No action was taken

Agenda item 18 was items for future consideration. Include any rules committee recommendations. No action was taken.

Agenda item 19 was announcements and comments not requiring committee action. No action was taken.

Agenda item 20 was the adjournment of the meeting. Dr. Camp made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded and passed. The meeting adjourned at 12:10 p.m.



Sonya Salinas, Chair

10-20-11

Date

STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY
AUDIOLOGY SCOPE OF PRACTICE COMMITTEE MEETING

Thursday, July 14, 2011 - 1:30 p.m.
The University of Texas at Dallas
Callier Center for Communication Disorders
1966 Inwood Road
Dallas, Texas 75235

MINUTES

Members Present:

Phillip Lee Wilson, Au.D., Professional Member
Kerry Ormson, Au.D., Professional Member
Vickie Dionne, Au.D., Professional Member
Christopher Rourk, Public Member

Staff Present:

Joyce Parsons
David Richards
Nerissa Andrews

Public Present:

Larry Higdon
Donise Pearson

Agenda item 1 was the Call to order of the meeting. The meeting was called to order by Dr. Wilson at 1:30 p.m.

Agenda item 2 was the Introduction of members, staff, and guests

Agenda item 3 was the opportunity for Public Comment. No comments were given.

Agenda item 4 was the Discussion and possible action concerning review and approval of the minutes from the February 17, 2011 committee meeting. Dr. Ormson made the motion to approve minutes. The motion was seconded by Mr. Rourk and passed.

Agenda item 5 was the Committee chair report concerning committee priorities. Dr. Wilson addressed the priorities.

Agenda item 6 was the Discussion and possible action regarding rulemaking required by recent legislation. A report was given by Dr. Dionne. Rules Committee set a Rules Committee meeting for September 9th, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. at the Callier Center for Communication Disorders in Dallas, Texas.

Agenda item 7 was the Discussion and possible action regarding the expansion of the Texas Jurisprudence Exam into a two-hour continuing education course. Dr. Ormson made the motion not to expand the jurisprudence examination until after the rulemaking process for the sunset bills are completed. The motion was seconded by Dr. Dionne and passed.

Agenda item 8 was the discussion and possible action regarding Educational Testing Services' Audiology Praxis Exam standards. Dr. Dionne made the motion to approve the new passing score for the Educational

Testing Services' Audiology examination. The motion was seconded by Mr. Rourk and passed.

Agenda item 9 was the discussion and possible action regarding electronic signatures. Action was taken and determined electronic signatures were acceptable in patient and client records.

Agenda item 10 was the discussion and possible action regarding audiology position statements and audiology forms. Action was taken and Dr. Dionne will update position statement for review at next meeting.

Agenda item 11 was the discussion and possible action regarding additional audiology license application information to the Board website. Action was taken and Ms. Parsons update forms for review at next meeting.

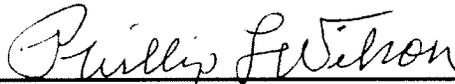
Agenda item 12 was the discussion and possible action regarding addition of FAQs about license audiology application. Action was taken and Mr. Wilson will update information and submit for review at next meeting. Ms. Parsons will obtain questions from applicants to determine appropriate questions.

Agenda item 13 was the discussion and possible action regarding Intern's upgrading to full licensure. No action was taken.

Agenda item 14 was Items for future consideration. Dr. Dionne made recommendations to consider to changing the scope of practice. No Action was taken.

Agenda item 15 was Announcements and comments not requiring committee action. No action was taken.

Agenda item 16 was the adjournment of the meeting. ^{MS} ~~Mr~~ Rourk made motion to adjournment. The motion was seconded by Dr. Dionne and passed. The meeting was adjourned at 3:05 p.m.



Phillip Lee Wilson, Au.D., Chair

10-20-2011
Date

STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY
FULL BOARD MEETING

Friday, July 15, 2011 - 9:00 a.m.
The University of Texas at Dallas
Callier Center for Communication Disorders
1966 Inwood Road
Dallas, Texas 75235

MINUTES

Members Present:

Vickie Dionne, Au.D., Professional Member
Tammy Camp, M.D., Physician Member
Leila Salmons, Professional Member
Kimberly Carlisle, Public Member
Kerry Ormson, Au.D., Professional Member
Christopher Rourk, Public Member
Patricia Brannon, Professional Member
Phillip Lee Wilson, Au.D., Professional Member
Sonya Salinas, Professional Member

Staff Present:

Joyce Parsons
David Richards
Nerissa Andrews
Cindy Bourland (via conference call)

Public Present:

Larry Higdon
Donise Pearson

Agenda item 1 was to call the meeting to order. The meeting was called to order by Dr. Dionne at 9:05 a.m.

Agenda item 2 was the introduction of members, staff, and guests.

Agenda item 3 was the opportunity for public comment. No comments were given.

Agenda item 4 was the committee chair report concerning committee priorities. Dr. Dionne addressed the priorities.

Agenda item 5 was the discussion and possible action concerning review and approval of the minutes from the February 17, 2011 committee meeting. Dr. Camp made a motion to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded by Mr. Rourk and passed.

Agenda item 6 was the discussion and possible action concerning committee reports:

Complaints Committee – Dr. Camp made a motion to ratify her report. The motion was seconded by Ms. Salinas and passed. Dr. Ormson made a motion for chair of complaints committee to administratively close complaints. The motion was seconded by Ms. Salinas and passed.

Speech-Language Pathology Scope of Practice Committee – Ms. Salinas made a motion to ratify her report. The motion was seconded by Ms. Brannon and passed.

Audiology Scope of Practice Committee – Dr. Wilson made a motion to ratify his report. The motion was seconded by Ms. Salinas and passed.

Rules Committee – Ms. Carlisle made motion to ratify her report. The motion was seconded by Ms. Brannon and passed.

Report of activity from board designees:

Continuing Education – Dr. Ormson provided his report. No action was taken

Supervision – Ms. Brannon provided her report. No action was taken.

Transcript – Ms. Salinas provided her report. No action was taken.

Website – Ms. Salmon provided her report. No action was taken.

Agenda item 7 was the Discussion and possible action regarding final disciplinary action on

1065-10-0055 – Dr. Camp made a motion to approve the signed agreed order. The motion was seconded by Ms. Carlisle and passed.

1065-10-0064 – Mr. Rourk made a motion to approve the signed agreed order. The motion was seconded by Dr. Camp and passed.

1065-11-000 2 – Ms. Carlisle made a motion to approve the signed agreed order. The motion was seconded by Ms. Salinas and passed.

Agenda item 8 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendment to 22 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 741.162 regarding defining continuing education credit for presenters of approved continuing education experiences. No action was taken.

Agenda item 9 was the discussion and possible action regarding petition for rulemaking by Atheria Scott relating to licensure qualifications and the PRAXIS Exam. Mr. Rourk made a motion to deny petition. The motion was seconded by Ms. Salinas and passed.

Agenda item 10 was the discussion and possible action regarding rulemaking required by recent legislation. No action was taken.

Agenda item 11 was the discussion and possible action regarding license review of License Number 35955 Dawn Brennan. No action was taken.

Agenda item 12 was the discussion and possible action regarding elections for the National Council of State Boards of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology (NCSB). No action was taken.

Agenda item 13 was the discussion and possible action regarding course analysis for individuals seeking an assistant in speech-language pathology license. No action was taken.

Agenda item 14 was the discussion and possible action regarding Assistant Certificate Program proposed by the University of Houston. No action was taken.

Agenda item 15 was the discussion and possible action regarding a speech-language pathology supervisor

signing an assistant in speech-language pathology notes electronically. No action was taken.

Agenda item 16 was the discussion and possible action regarding clinical observation/experience hours for an assistant in speech-language pathology. No action was taken.

Agenda item 17 was the discussion and possible action regarding a licensed assistant in speech-language pathology and feeding therapy. No action was taken.

Agenda item 18 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendment to 22 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 741.64(g)(4) regarding minimum supervision of licensed assistant in speech-language pathology. No action was taken.

Agenda item 19 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendment to 22 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 741.44(a) regarding the exception request to supervise with less than three years of experience. No action was taken.

Agenda item 20 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendment to 22 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 741.44(b)(4) regarding the exception request to supervise no more than a total of four interns/assistants. No action was taken.

Agenda item 21 was the discussion and possible action regarding petition for rulemaking by Atheria Scott relating to licensure qualifications and the PRAXIS Exam. No action was taken.

Agenda item 22 was the discussion and possible action regarding speech licensure forms. No action was taken.

Agenda item 23 was the discussion and possible action regarding the expansion of the Texas Jurisprudence Exam into a two-hour continuing education course. No action was taken.

Agenda item 24 was the discussion and possible action regarding the Educational Testing Services' (ETS) Audiology Praxis Exam standards. No action was taken.

Agenda item 25 was the discussion and possible action regarding electronic signatures. Ms. Salmons made the motion to add the requirement to the rules. The motion was seconded by Ms. Brannon and passed.

Agenda item 26 was the discussion and possible action regarding audiology position statements. No action was taken.

Agenda item 27 was the discussion and possible action regarding additional audiology license application information to the Board's website. No action was taken.

Agenda item 28 was the discussion and possible action regarding addition of FAQs about license Audiology application. No action was taken.

Agenda item 29 was the discussion and possible action regarding Intern's upgrading to full licensure. No action was taken.

Agenda item 30 was the discussion and possible action regarding guidelines for supervision of licensee's on probated suspension. No action was taken.

Agenda item 31 was the Presiding Officer's Report and Update concerning current challenges and accomplishments; interaction with stakeholders, state officials, and staff; committee appointments and functions; workload of board members; and general information regarding the routine functioning of the board.

The report was given by Dr. Dionne.

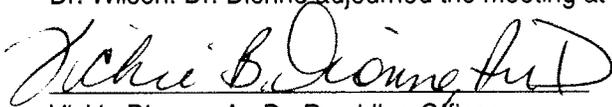
Agenda item 32 was the Executive Director's Report and Update concerning program operations; customer service accomplishments, inquires, and challenges; current and/or historical licensee statistics; media, legislative, and stakeholder contacts and concerns; workload processing issues; special projects assigned to executive director; and general information regarding the routine functioning of the licensure program. The report was given by Ms. Parsons.

Agenda item 33 was the Management Report and Update from the Professional Licensing and Certification Unit, Department of State Health Services, including unit organization and staffing; program costs and revenue; current operational initiatives; customer service accomplishments and challenges; workload processing and statistical information; status of rulemaking within the unit; legislative and media contacts and tracking; and general information regarding the routine functioning of the unit. The report was given by Ms. Bourland.

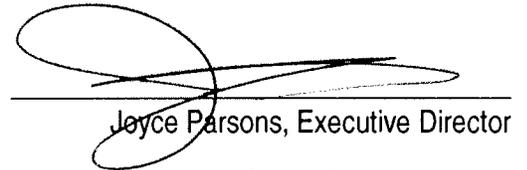
Agenda item 34 was items for future consideration. No action was taken.

Agenda item 35 was Announcements and comments not requiring board action. No action was taken.

Agenda item 36 was the adjournment. Dr. Ormson made the motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Dr. Wilson. Dr. Dionne adjourned the meeting at 11:45 a.m.


Vickie Dionne, Au.D., Presiding Officer

10-21-11
Date


Joyce Parsons, Executive Director

10-21-11
Date