

STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY
AUDIOLOGY SCOPE OF PRACTICE COMMITTEE MEETING
Friday, September 19, 2008, 9:00 a.m.
Texas Department of State Health Services
Exchange Building
8407 Wall Street, Room S-402
Austin, Texas 78754

MINUTES

Committee Members Present:

Kerry Ormson – chair
Lee Wilson
Vickie Dionne
Dick Caldwell
David Richards
Joyce Parsons

Guest Present:

Matt Lyon
Larry Higdon
Rose Minette, DARS

Agenda Item 1 was the call to order at 9:08 a.m. by Mr. Ormson, chair.

Agenda Item 2 was public comment. Ms. Minette explained to the committee the role that the Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services (DARS) plays in the promotion of services for hearing impaired public in the State of Texas.

Agenda Item 3 was the Committee chair report concerning committee priorities. No action taken.

Agenda Item 4 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.81 relating to the requirements for an audiology license. No action taken.

Agenda Item 5 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.82 relating to the requirements for an intern in audiology license. No action taken.

Agenda Item 6 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.83 relating to the requirements for an audiology license. No action taken.

Agenda Item 7 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.81 relating to the wavier of clinical and examination requirements for audiologists. No action taken.

Agenda Item 8 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.84 relating to the requirements for an assistant in audiology license. No action taken.

Agenda Item 9 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.85 relating to the requirements for a temporary certificate of registration in audiology. No action taken.

Agenda Item 10 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter

741.101 relating to the registration of audiologists and interns in audiology to fit and dispense hearing instruments. No action taken.

Agenda Item 11 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.102 relating to the general practice requirements of audiologists and interns in audiology who fit and dispense hearing instruments. No action taken.

Agenda Item 12 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.103 relating to the requirements of audiologists and interns in audiology conducting audiometric testing for the purpose of fitting and dispensing hearing instruments. No action taken.

Agenda Item 13 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.41 relating to the clarification of the professional responsibilities of license holders. No action taken.

Agenda Item 14 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.44 relating to the clarification the requirements, duties, and responsibilities of supervisors. No action taken.

Agenda Item 15 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741 relating to the clarification and monitoring of the supervision of Audiologist assistants, and Audiologist Interns; supervision audits and/or procedures; and forms. No action taken.

Agenda Item 16 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.31 relating to the clarification of communication screening. No action taken.

Agenda Item 17 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.32 relating to the clarification of hearing screening.

Agenda Item 18 was the discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments to 22 TAC, Chapter 741.33 relating to the clarification of newborn hearing screening. No action taken.

Agenda Item 19 was announcements and comments not requiring committee action. There were none.

Agenda Item 20 was the adjournment of the meeting. Mr. Caldwell made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously at 12:45 pm.

Kerry Ormson, Committee Chair

Date