

**Arkansas State Board of Chiropractic Examiners
Board Meeting Minutes
April 12, 2011**

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Thomas D. Taylor, D.C., President, at 10:00 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Board Members present:

Terry Barnett, D.C.
Beverly Foster, D.C.
Jack McCoy
Kent Moore, D.C.
Thomas D. Taylor, D.C.
Julie Traylor-Logan, D.C.

Board Members absent:

Weldon Roberts – excused

Staff Members present:

Arnold Jochums, Assistant Attorney General
Rebecca Wright, Executive Director

Guests Present:

Kendra Booth, Blue Cross Blue Shield
Chris Cathey, D.C.
T. Martin Davis, Attorney
Becky Sewell, Rehab Net of AR/ArPTA
Kendall Wilson, D.C.

Welcome to New Board Member

Dr. Taylor welcomed Julie Traylor-Logan, D.C., as the Board's newly appointed board member.

Kendall Wilson, D.C.

Dr. Taylor recognized Dr. Wilson. Dr. Wilson requested of the Board to reconsider the findings of the hearing that was held in September 2009. He stated that he did not fulfill his Consent Order due to financial distress. Dr. Foster moved that the issue of Dr. Wilson not fulfilling his Consent Order be referred to the Investigative Committee to be considered and make a recommendation to the full Board, and also that the Investigative Committee review the complaints that Dr. Wilson filed against Steven Bennett, D.C. Dr. Traylor-Logan seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

MINUTES

The January 20, 2011, minutes were presented to the Board. Dr. Barnett moved to accept the minutes. Dr. Moore seconded the motion. Dr. Foster voted no. The motion passed.

BUDGET REPORT

The budget report was presented to the Board. The report included the monthly report from the Office of Budget showing \$76,568.45 and the office register report showing \$80,688.83. Ms. Wright stated that the reports have not been reconciled at this time which is why there is a difference. The office register report of the money management trust fund shows \$98,792.57. Dr. Barnett moved to accept the budget report. Dr. Moore seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUESTS REPORT

The FOIA requests report was presented to the Board. The report shows that in FY2011 (July 2010-June 2011), 18 requests have been received to date.

CORRESPONDENCE/COMMUNICATIONS

Angela Moore, D.C.

Dr. Moore requested to be a preceptor although she has not been licensed a minimum of three (3) years. The Arkansas qualifications of a preceptor states that the chiropractor must be licensed a minimum of three (3) years. Dr. Foster moved that Dr. Moore must meet the three (3) year license requirement to be a preceptor. Mr. McCoy seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Ryan Johnston, D.C.

Dr. Johnston submitted information from his clinic about a wellness membership and if it would be acceptable to pursue. Discussion followed. Dr. Foster moved that the Board further study this issue and that at this time Dr. Johnston consult a private attorney about his advertising to ensure that it does comply with the Arkansas Chiropractic Rules and Regulations. Dr. Barnett seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Continuing Education Report

Ms. Wright stated that from January 1 to current, approximately 381 continuing applications have been processed.

Dr. Foster requested that a complaint regarding the continuing education process, filed by Dale Huntington, D.C., be discussed by the Board. Dr. Taylor stated that the correspondence was not received in time to be added to this day's agenda and would not be discussed at this time.

Dr. Moore presented a continuing education application from National University of Health Sciences, "IFM 18th International Symposium: Challenge of Emerging Infections in the 21st Century, The: Terrain, Tolerance & Susceptibility". Discussion followed. Dr. Barnett moved to approve the seminar. Dr. Traylor-Logan seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Dr. Barnett and Dr. Traylor-Logan voted yes. Dr. Foster, Mr. McCoy and Dr. Moore voted no. The motion did not carry. The seminar will not be approved.

Mr. McCoy moved that the existing Rules and Regulations be researched and any changes needed be recommended. Dr. Barnett seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Barnett asked if the Board members could earn continuing education for attending the national meetings and conferences. The Board discussed that the Federation of Chiropractic Licensing Board (FCLB) does not provide a continuing education application and does not monitor attendance. Dr. Traylor-Logan was not present during this discussion.

OLD BUSINESS

There was no old business.

NEW BUSINESS

Public Hearing

Dr. Taylor provided a handout of the American Chiropractic Registry of Radiological Technologists (ACRRT) program. The handout is a proposed public hearing for adding Regulation E(2)(d) outlining the requirements for the education qualifications and guidelines for the chiropractic aides/assistants in obtaining radiological certification. Mr. McCoy moved to have a public hearing. Dr. Barnett seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Temporary License Requests

Jonathan Jameson requested a temporary license. The application is incomplete due to not having graduated yet and not having a final transcript on file. Dr. Foster moved to deny the request at this time; when the application is complete, he can reapply for a temporary license. Dr. Moore seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Seth Wilson requested a supervised temporary license. The application is complete. A verification of the supervisor has not been performed. Dr. Barnett moved to grant a supervised temporary license pending the supervisor meets the criteria. Dr. Moore seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Ms. Wright requested that the Board reconsider the language of the Rules and Regulations regarding the application process and the temporary license application process.

INVESTIGATION REPORT

Recommendation	Complaint No.	Licensee	Complaint Description
Consent Agreement	406-12-16-10	Ryan D. Monson	Sexual Misconduct
Consent Agreement	408-1-4-11	Christopher E Dodson	Practicing without a license - previously licensed
Continue Investigating	387-5-28-10	Jason M. Collins	Working in a clinic that is not owned by a licensed chiropractor.
Continue Investigating	393-7-14-10	James Keith Currie	Series Treatments; billing
Continue Investigating	395-8-4-10	James Keith Currie	Series treatments. Billing.
Continue Investigating	403-9-22-10	James Keith Currie	Series treatments; billing
Continue Investigating	409-1-11-11	James Keith Currie	Series Treatments; billing
Continue Investigating	411-1-18-11	James Keith Currie	Series Treatments; Billing
Continue Investigating	381-4-20-10	Natalie Currie	Series Treatments; billing
Continue Investigating	400-9-20-10	Garritt Mason	Practicing Chiropractic without a License
Continue Investigating	394-7-29-10	Stephen Kudabeck	Practicing Chiropractic without a License
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Continue Investigating	388-6-8-10	Louis Tamez	Practicing Chiropractic without a License
Hearing	392-8-4-10	Alexander A. Rejistre, Sr.	Billing
Hearing	396-8-12-10	Alexander A. Rejistre, Sr.	Advertising
Letter of Caution	382-4-20-10	J. Michael Glover	Solicitation; Unprofessional
Letter of Caution	378-4-8-10	Traci A. Bishop	Series Treatments; billing
Letter of Caution	386-5-3-10	Traci A. Bishop	Series Treatments; billing

Dr. Foster moved to accept the investigation report. Mr. McCoy seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously. Dr. Foster moved to accept the recommendation of each complaint. Dr. Moore seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Ryan Monson, D.C. – Consent Agreement

Complaint 406-12-16-10 was filed against Dr. Monson, alleging sexual misconduct. Mr. Jochums stated that Dr. Monson through his attorney agreed to a consent order; therefore, a hearing will not be held. Dr. Moore moved that the consent order be accepted by the Board. Dr. Taylor-Logan seconded the motion. Dr. Foster voted no. The motion passed.

Chris Dodson, D.C. – Consent Agreement

Complaint 408-1-4-11 was filed against Dr. Dodson. Dr. Dodson admitted to practicing in 2010 without a license. He has previously been licensed by Arkansas. Mr. Jochums stated that Dr. Dodson through his attorney agreed to a consent order; therefore, a hearing will not be held. Dr. Moore moved that the consent order be accepted by the Board. Dr. Taylor-Logan seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Attorney General Investigation

Dr. Barnett stated that the board office received information regarding an investigation of a chiropractor by the Attorney General's office. Discussion followed. Dr. Foster moved that the correspondence be processed as a complaint. Mr. McCoy seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Adjourn

Dr. Barnett moved to adjourn. Mr. McCoy seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously. The Board adjourned at 12:13 p.m.

Board minutes approved: 4-12-2011