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MICHIGAN BOARD OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE AND SURGERY MEETING OF APRIL 28, 2010

APPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Podiatric Medicine and Surgery met in regular session on April 28, 2010 at the Ottawa Building, 611 W. Ottawa Street, Conference Room 4, Upper Level Conference Center, Lansing, Michigan.

CALL TO ORDER

Tara Scott, D.P.M., Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:07 a.m.

Members Present: Tara Scott, D.P.M., Chairperson
Scott Hughes, D.P.M.
Harry A. Kezelian, D.P.M.
Howard L. Lazar, D.P.M.
Raymond Mills, Public Member
Charles Morris, Public Member (arrived 9:12 a.m.)

Members Absent: Christine L. Blackledge, Public Member
Lily Gee, Public Member
Louis Geller, D.P.M., Vice-Chairperson

Staff Present: Bonnie Curtis, Secretary
Rae Ramsdell, Director, Health Regulatory Division
Amy Shell, Manager, Health Regulatory Division
Timothy Andrews, Manager, Health Regulatory Division
(left 9:21 a.m.)
Lidia McGee, Analyst, Enforcement Section

Others Present: Chris Kindsvatter – Kindsvatter & Associates
Robert Sher

INTRODUCTIONS

None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Mills, seconded by Lazar, to approve the minutes of the January 27, 2010 meeting as presented.

MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion by Kezelian, seconded by Mills, to approve the agenda as presented.

MOTION PREVAILED

CE REVIEW

Motion by Kezelian, seconded by Hughes, to approve the CE Programs as presented. (See Addendum #1)

MOTION PREVAILED

Hughes stated that all of the committee members (Hughes, Kezelian and Gee) need to receive the information on CE programs to be reviewed rather than only providing them to Hughes. Ramsdell stated that the Department can do that.

OLD BUSINESS

DISCUSSION ON PODIATRISTS PERFORMING PATIENT HISTORIES & PHYSICALS

Scott stated that there has been discussion at the previous two (2) meetings regarding development of a statement to address podiatrists performing patient histories and physical. Scott read the statement prepared by the Department and discussion followed. See Addendum #2.

Shell confirmed that the statement will be posted on the Department's website.

Motion by Morris, seconded by Lazar, to approve the statement.

MOTION PREVAILED

DISCUSSION ON USE OF HYPERBARIC OXYGEN THERAPY FOR LOWER EXTREMITIES

Tabled until the July meeting so that Dr. Geller can be present for the discussion as he has information on this topic.

NEW BUSINESS

DEPARTMENT UPDATE

Shell reported that board members will now be issued state ID badges so that they may enter the building without having to sign in with security.

REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

RICHARD M. SCHLAFF, D.P.M. – PETITION FOR REINSTATEMENT

Motion by Hughes, seconded by Mills, to grant reinstatement in the matter of Richard M. Schlaff, D.P.M.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Hughes, Kezelian, Lazar, Mills, Morris, and Scott

MOTION PREVAILED

Motion by Hughes, seconded by Lazar, to grant Petitioner a limited license for a period of one (1) year with the following terms and conditions:

- 1) Petitioner shall have six (6) months of direct, on-site supervision by a supervisor pre-approved by the board chairperson or designee followed by six (6) months of general supervision by a supervisor pre-approved by the board chairperson or designee.

Petitioner's license shall be automatically reclassified upon successful completion of the limited license period and probation.

Petitioner shall be placed on probation for a period of one (1) year with the following terms and conditions. The probationary period shall run concurrently with the limited license:

- 1) Petitioner shall complete five (5) hours of continuing education related to coding. These hours shall be pre-approved by the board chairperson or designee and shall not count toward license renewal.
- 2) Petitioner shall submit quarterly supervisor reports.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Hughes, Kezelian, Lazar, Mills, Morris and Scott

MOTION PREVAILED

PUBLIC COMMENT


None

ANNOUNCEMENTS


The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held July 28, 2010, at 9:00 a.m. at the Ottawa Building, 611 W. Ottawa, Conference Room 4, Upper Level Conference Center, Lansing, MI.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Mills, seconded by Hughes, to adjourn the meeting at 9:48 a.m.


Tara L. Scott, D.P.M., Chairperson

7-28-10
Date Minutes Approved


Bonnie Curtis, Secretary

7-28-10
Date Minutes Prepared

ADDENDUM #1

APPROVED PROGRAMS

AMERICAN COLLEGE OF LOWER EXTREMITY SURGEONS – Annual 40 Hour CME Program in Lower Extremity Medicine & Surgery held April 22nd – 25th, 2010 for 40 Category 1 hours in Livonia, MI.

RECOMMENDATION: 40 CATEGORY 1 HOURS WITH 5 HOURS IN PAIN & SYMPTOM MANAGEMENT

MICHIGAN CHAPTER OF ACFAS – Update Internal Fixation Devices held December 19, 2009 for 6.25 Category 2 hours in Sterling Hts., MI.

RECOMMENDATION: 6.25 CATEGORY 2 HOURS

GREGORY P. VOGT DPM – ABPS Board Certification (Board Prep January 1st – June 26th, 2009) for 30 Category 2 hours in Chicago, IL.

RECOMMENDATION: 30 CATEGORY 2 HOURS

MICHIGAN PODIATRIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION – Spring/Summer Seminar being held May 14th, 15th, 16th, 2010 for 20 Category 1 hours in Mt. Pleasant, MI.

RECOMMENDATION: 20 CATEGORY 1 HOURS WITH 2.5 HOURS IN PAIN & SYMPTOM MANAGEMENT

OHIO PODIATRIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION – 94th Annual APMA Region IV Mid Eastern CME Seminar being held June 3rd – 5th, 2010 for 24 Category 1 hours with .75 hours in pain & symptom management.

RECOMMENDATION: 22 CATEGORY 1 HOURS WITH .75 HOURS IN PAIN AND SYMPTOM MANAGEMENT

DENIED PROGRAMS

FLORIDA HEALTH SEMINARS – F H Seminars held March 30th – April 7th, 2010 for 16 Category 2 hours with 4 hours of pain & symptom management.

DENIED: The subject matter does not embrace knowledge or skills related to the practice of podiatry.

ADDENDUM #2

Question:

If a person is seeking treatment for podiatric services or is admitted to a hospital for podiatric services, can a podiatrist perform the entire patient history and physical?

Answer:

Yes, according to the standards of the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO). JCAHO standards require only that the patient history and physical be performed by a practitioner who has been granted privileges to do so.