

BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

OPEN SESSION MINUTES

February 9, 2022

2:30pm to 3:30pm

Virtual Meeting Notice

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OS-0222-01	<p>CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL</p> <p>The February 09 , 2022, Open Session meeting was called to order at 2:44 pm and a quorum was established.</p> <p>Board Members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Bernardine Evans, Chairperson – Present • Dr. Tim Vidale-Present • Ana Quinones – Present • Dr. Nick Caylor - Present <p>Board Staff:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LaTrice Herndon – Executive Director • Tamika Wells – Health Licensing Specialist • Joanne Drozdoski – Board Attorney • Mark Donatelli – Board Investigator 	
OS-0222-02	<p>APPROVAL OF THE OPEN SESSION AGENDA</p> <p>Motion: Motion made by Dr. Vidale to accept the February 09, 2022 Open Session Agenda as presented. Seconded by Dr.Caylor.</p> <p>Vote: Dr. Caylor, Ms. Quinones, and Dr. Evans, Dr. Vidales voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously.</p>	
OS-0222-03	<p>EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S REPORT</p> <p>Executive Director Ms. LaTrice Herndon reports:</p> <p>Licensure Wavier:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Licensure wavier is still in effect and will expire August 2022 for applicants to receive a temporary licensure who hold an active licensure in another jurisdiction , have both vaccine shots and pass criminal back ground check. <p>Vaccine Booster Mandate:</p>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health Professionals and DC employees will need to have their booster vaccine by March 1, 2022. If an applicant plans to renew, reinstate or reactive their license in the district they must have their booster shot, unless their exemption was approved by DOH. 	
OS-0222-04	<p>BOARD ATTORNEY’S REPORT</p> <p>Board Attorney Joanne Drozdoski reports:</p> <p>Ms. Drozdoski concurs with what Madam executive director previously reported.</p>	
OS-0222-05	<p>CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT</p> <p>Board Chairperson Dr. Bernardine Evans reports:</p> <p>Dr. Evans asked Dr. Tim Vidale and Ms. Ana Quinones to report their attendance at the American Physical Therapy Association in San Antonio, Texas. At the end of Dr. Vidale and Ms. Quinones's report, Dr. Evans mentions the diversity in the profession of Physical Therapy of only having 4% of Hispanic therapists and 2 % of African American therapists practicing. Lastly, Dr. Evans mentions the Educational Leadership Conference, to be held in October 2022, in hopes of Board members choosing to attend, and the new location of the American Physical Therapy Association building in Virginia. Dr. Evans has been invited to tour the new facility with CEO and other diverse clinicians.</p> <p>Board Member Time Vidale reports:</p> <p>Dr. Vidale reports, due to the Pandemic an estimated 11,000 – 12,000 attendees attended the conference. The conference covered early moderate physical therapy professional level education with seminars and presentations. A PTA hosted a celebration of diversity, which the Education Leadership Conference previously held. Attendees were able to network with one another. Lastly, the New President of American Physical Therapy Association gave remarks to the attendee’s at the event. Overall, Dr, Vidale stated the conference was excellent and hopes Board members and Board staff will attend next year.</p> <p>Board Member Ana Quinones reports:</p>	

	Ms. Quinone’s reports obtaining further information regarding the utilization of Physical Therapists assistants (PTA’s) in different jurisdictions.	
OS-0222-06	<p>MINUTES</p> <p><u>Board Action:</u> Consideration of the Open Session Minutes from the January 12, 2022 meeting.</p> <p>Motion: Motion made by Dr. Caylor to remove his name (Nick Caylor) from January 12, 2022 and to reference Nick Taylor to be Nick Caylor and to accept the January 12, 2022 Open Session Minutes. Seconded by Dr. Vidale</p> <p>Vote: Dr.Vidale, Ms. Quinones, and Dr. Evans, Dr. Caylor voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously</p>	
OS-0222-07	<p>CEU REVIEWS</p> <p><u>Board Action:</u> Review and determine whether to approve the use of the CEUs by licensees.</p> <p><u>Background:</u> A motion was made to provide a specific number of requested hours for their material for credit hours. DSD PT Counseling, PLLC submitted requests to have the following CEU course approved for use by the Board’s licensees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pediatric Incontinence and Pelvic Floor Dysfunction <p>Motion: Motion made by Dr. Vidale to table this matter to allow Board staff to gather additional information from DSD PT Counseling, PLLC for the March 2022 Board meeting. Seconded by Dr. Caylor.</p> <p>Vote: Dr.Vidale, Ms. Quinones, Dr. Evans, and Dr. Caylor voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously</p>	

OS-0222-08	<p>CEU REVIEW – CCMI PRACTITIONER CERTIFICATION COURSE</p> <p><u>Board Action:</u> Review and determine whether to approve CCMI Concussion Training Course for Rehab Professionals for 32 CEU Hours.</p> <p><u>Background:</u> The Board decided to table this matter to allow Board staff to gather additional information from Complete Concussion Management (CCMI). The Board staff sent additional information from CCMI to Dr. Vidale for review. Lastly , the course was previously approved by Procort from 1/01/2020-12/31/2021</p> <p>Motion: Motion made by Dr. Caylor to table this matter to allow Board staff to gather additional information from DSD PT Counseling, PLLC for the March 2022 Board meeting. Seconded by Dr. Vidale.</p> <p>Vote: Dr.Vidale, Ms. Quinones, Dr. Evans, and Dr. Caylor voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously.</p>	
OS-0222-09	<p>OPEN SESSION CONSENT AGENDA</p> <p><u>Board Action:</u> Consideration of the applications approved for purposes of review and/or ratification of Board actions taken since the last Board meeting.</p> <p>Motion: Motion made by Dr.Caylor to accept the Consent Agenda. Seconded By Ms.Quinones.</p> <p>Vote: Ms. Quinones, Dr. Vidale, and Dr. Evans, Dr. Caylor voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously</p>	
OS-0222-10	<p>MOTION TO CLOSE</p> <p><u>Board Action:</u> To go into closed session to discuss confidential matters as permitted in DC Official Code § 2-575(b).</p>	

	<p>Motion:</p> <p>Motion made by Dr.Vidale to accept the Consent Agenda. Seconded By Dr. Vidale.</p> <p>Vote:</p> <p>Ms. Quinones, Dr. Vidale, Dr. Evans, and Dr. Caylor voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously</p> <p><u>Background:</u></p> <p>Upon conclusion of the open session meeting pursuant to the DC Official Code 2-575(b) and for the purposes set forth therein, the Board will move into the closed executive session portion of the meeting to consult with the Board attorney, discuss disciplinary matters and hear reports concerning violations of the law or regulations.</p>	
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The next open session meeting scheduled for March 9, 2022, at 2:30pm.

The Open Meetings Act governs this meeting. Please address any questions or complaints arising under this meeting to the Office of Open Government at opengovoffice@dc.gov.