

BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

OPEN SESSION MINUTES

March 8, 2023

2:30 pm

HYBRID MEETING NOTICE

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Board will have a hybrid schedule of in-person and virtual meetings. In-person meetings will resume in FY 2023, meeting dates can be found on the Board's webpage.

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<p>OS-0323-01</p>	<p>CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL</p> <p>March 8, 2022, Open Session meeting was called to order at 2:35pm and a quorum was established.</p> <p>Board Members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Bernardine Evans Board Chairperson –Present • Dr. Tim Vidale -Present • Dr. Nicholas 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 	
<p>OS-0323-02</p>	<p>APPROVAL OF THE OPEN SESSION AGENDA</p> <p>Board Action:</p> <p>Consideration of the Open Session Agenda from the March 8, 2023, meeting.</p> <p>Motion: Motion made by Dr. Caylor to approve the March 8, 2023; open session agenda as written. Seconded by Dr. Vidale</p> <p>Vote: Dr. Vidale, Dr. Caylor and Dr. Evans, voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously</p>	
<p>OS-0323-03</p>	<p>EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S REPORT</p> <p>LaTrice Herndon reports:</p> <p>Operational Status</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Dr. Sharon Lewis, interim director of DC Health, and Arian Gibson, the interim senior deputy of health licensing regulations administration agency, attended the committee on health oversight hearing with new chairperson council member Christina Henderson. Board chairs of social work and Psychology also attended the meeting. Other Board chairs maybe require appear at the next meeting. <p>COVID-19 Vaccine Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ There are no longer any vaccine requirements for licensing. <p>Licensure Census</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Physical Therapist 1205 ○ Physical Therapist Assistant 76 <p>Compact Updates</p>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ DC Health and FSBPT (Federal of State Boards of Physical Therapy) are currently negotiating the terms of a data sharing agreement contract. <p>Legislative Updates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ No Update <p>Additional Updates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The DC Health Community Health Administration is currently seeking one or two licensed physical therapists to volunteer in a discussion for a potential grant to provide health awareness to the community. The physical therapist must be licensed in the district to participate. For additional information, please feel free to contact Ms. LaTrice Herndon at laTrice.herndon@dc.gov. 	
OS-0323-04	<p>BOARD ATTORNEY’S REPORT</p> <p>Joanne Drozdoski reports:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The final rulemaking of the revision of the Covid-19 vaccine rules was published in the DC register on February 24th, 2023. Individuals that are health care workers who have been hired by employed by and or contracted with, or granted privileges or credentials by a facility, regulated by DC health are subject to the vaccine requirement. 	
OS-0323-05	<p>CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT</p> <p>Dr. Evans reports:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Dr. Evans and Dr. Vidale attended the American Physical Therapy Association Combine Session Meeting conference in San Diego California on February 23, 2023. ○ Dr. Evans acknowledges National Women’s History month. National disability awareness, month, and National nutrition month. ○ Lastly, Dr. Evans reports the awareness of colon cancer. 	
OS-0323-06	<p>MINUTES</p> <p><u>Board Action:</u> Consideration of the Open Session Minutes from February 8, 2023.</p> <p>Motion: Motion made by Dr. Caylor to accept the February 8,2023 open session minutes as written. Seconded by Dr. Vidale.</p> <p>Vote: Dr. Vidale, Dr. Caylor and Dr. Evans, voted in favor of the</p>	

	<p>motion. The motion passed unanimously motion. The motion passed unanimously</p>	
OS-0323-07	<p>OPEN SESSION CONSENT AGENDA Board Action: 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. Vidale to amend the open session consent agenda. Seconded by Dr. Caylor.</p> <p>Vote: Dr. Vidale, Dr. Caylor and Dr. Evans, voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously</p>	
OS-0323-08	<p>CEU REVIEW- GRAY INSTITUTE Board Action: Review and determine whether to approve the online course Functional Golf System for 13 CEUs.</p> <p>Background: On February 8, 2023, the Board motioned to table the item for further review. This online course is designed to leverage your ability to appreciate movement, build on your existing skill sets, and make you the most important resource for their enjoyment of golf for all physical therapists, trainers, and movement professionals.</p> <p>Motion: Motion made by Dr. Vidale to approve Gray Institute online course Functional Golf System for 13 CEUs. Seconded by Dr. Caylor.</p> <p>Vote: Dr. Vidale, Dr. Caylor and Dr. Evans, voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously</p>	
OS-0323-09	<p>CEU REVIEW- OASIS-E TRAINING Board Action: Review and determine whether to approve the course Oasis-E Training for 5 CEUs.</p> <p>Background: On February 8, 2023, the Board motion OASIS-E guidance submit additional information. This training focuses on understanding the OASIS-E guidance for providing accurate assessments and conventions and the intent for each OASIS item, which is necessary for accurate completion of OASIS-E. The course has currently been approved by</p>	

	<p>the Maryland Board for 5 CEU hours for Physical therapists and performed by staff at Johns Hopkins Home Health in Maryland.</p> <p>Motion: Motion made by Dr. Caylor to move item OS-0323-09 CEU review- oasis-e training to executive session as item number ES-0323-07 for review. Seconded by Dr. Vidale.</p> <p>Vote: Dr. Vidale, Dr. Caylor and Dr. Evans, voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously</p>	
OS-0223-10	<p>CEU REVIEW- UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH MODEL CENTER ON SPINAL CORD INJURY</p> <p>Board Action: Review and determine whether to approve the Remote Wheelchair Skills Training for 4 CEUs.</p> <p>Background: On February 8, 2023, this item was table for the March 8, 2023, meeting. This online course will teach clinicians effective teaching methods for 15 intermediate and advanced wheelchair skills. Clinicians will review training videos of a diverse group of wheelchair users performing 15 skills.</p> <p>Motion: Motion made by Dr. Caylor to approve the University of Pittsburgh Remote Wheelchair Skills Training for 4 CEUs. Seconded by Dr. Vidale.</p> <p>Vote: Dr. Vidale, Dr. Caylor and Dr. Evans, voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously</p>	
OS-0323-11	<p>CEU REVIEW- Capital Hand Therapy Association</p> <p>Board Action: Review and determine whether to approve course Demonstrating our Professional Value: Perspectives on Practice and Research for 4 CEUs.</p> <p>Background: On February 8, 2023, this item was table for the March 8, 2023, meeting. This online course will teach clinicians effective teaching methods for 15 intermediate and advanced wheelchair skills. Clinicians will review training videos of a diverse group of wheelchair users performing 15 skills.</p> <p>No Motion Made</p>	

OS-0323-12	<p>CEU REVIEW- Aspire Orthopedic Manual Therapy Institute</p> <p>Board Action: Review and determine whether to approve course Comt-2: Cervical Gateway to Musculoskeletal Therapy for 21 CEUs.</p> <p>Background: This lab intensive course applies clinical reasoning and differential diagnosis through formulating illness scripts based upon a thorough subjective history and a hands-on musculoskeletal assessment of the cervical spine. This course is designed to equip the clinician with the proper subjective and objective evaluation skills to determine the appropriateness of physical therapy, recognize the need for a referral due to signs and symptoms of serious pathology and generate a provisional differential diagnosis of cervical spine dysfunction.</p> <p>Motion: Motion made by Dr. Caylor for Aspire Orthopedic Manual Therapy Institute to provide a break of hours for their online course. Seconded by Dr. Vidale.</p> <p>Vote: Dr. Vidale, Dr. Caylor and Dr. Evans, voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously</p>	
OS-0323-13	<p>MOTION TO CLOSE</p> <p>Board Action: To go into closed session to discuss confidential matters as permitted in DC Official Code § 2-575(b).</p> <p>Background: 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> <p>The Open Session Agenda continues the next page with 'Motion to Adjourn'. The next meeting is scheduled on April 12, 2023. (Hybrid)</p> <p>Motion: Motion made by Dr. Caylor to close the Open Session meeting on March 8, 2023 on 3:55pm. Seconded by Dr. Vidale.</p> <p>Vote: Dr. Vidale, Dr. Caylor and Dr. Evans, voted in favor of the motion. The motion passed unanimously</p>	
OS-0323-14	<p>MOTION TO ADJOURN</p> <p>Board Action:</p>	

	<p>To adjourn the meeting.</p> <p>Background: At the end of every meeting, a motion to adjourn must be made in open session to close out the business of the Board.</p>	
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