

**LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS**  
**OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

**MEETING AGENDA**

Date: February 11, 2022

Time: 10:00 am

Place: ZOOM conference – see website, <http://www.lsbme.la.gov/committee/occupational-therapy-advisory-committee> for posting of Youtube link immediately prior to 10:00 am, 02/11/2022.

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**CALL TO ORDER**

Business Meeting, February 11, 2022, 10:00 a.m., via Live Streaming Video and Teleconference during the public session.

**1. INTRODUCTIONS**

Identification of participants and audibility per La. R.S. 42:17.1(C)(3).

**2. PUBLIC COMMENTS**, pursuant to La. R.S. 42:17(C)(1).

**3. OLD BUSINESS**

Minutes of the OTAC December 10, 2021 meeting.

**4. NEW BUSINESS**

Welcome new OTAC members.

Dry Needling Update – RA approved Motions

Laws and Rules Course and Exam update – Ingrid Franc

Rules and Regulations Review and Update

NBCOT request to attend the OTAC meeting April 8, 2022

**EXECUTIVE SESSION** Under La. R.S. 42:17A, “a public body may hold an executive session pursuant to R.S. 42:16 for one or more of the following reasons: (1) Discussion of the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of a person, provided that such person is notified in writing at least twenty-four hours, exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays, before the scheduled time contained in the notice of the meeting at which such executive session is to take place and that such person may require that such discussion be held at an open meeting.....In cases of extraordinary emergency, written notice to such person shall not be required; however, the public body shall give such notice as it deems appropriate and circumstances permit; (2) Strategy sessions or negotiations with respect to collective bargaining, prospective litigation after formal written demand, or litigation when an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body;....(4) Investigative proceedings regarding allegations of misconduct; (5) Cases of extraordinary emergency, which shall be limited to natural disaster, threat of epidemic, civil disturbances, suppression of insurrections, the repelling of invasions, or other matters of similar magnitude; and,....(10) Or any other matters now provided for or as may be provided for by the legislature.”

**NEW BUSINESS**

- 1. Attorney Advice** - under La. R.S. 42:17(A)(10), as needed, with regard to Louisiana and/or federal law and rules applicable to Occupational Therapy.