

**THE LOUISIANA STATE
BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

**MINUTES
OF
MEETING**

**JUNE 18, 2007
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA**

A meeting of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners, pursuant to call of the President and lawful notice, was duly convened and called to order at 8:30 a.m., Monday, June 18 2007, by order of the President, at the offices of the Board, 630 Camp Street, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Board Members were present as follows:

Kweli J. Amusa, M.D., President
Linda Gage-White, M.D., Ph., Vice-President
Mark Henry Dawson, M.D., Secretary-Treasurer
Melvin G. Bourgeois, M.D.
Keith C. Ferdinand, M.D.
Kim Edward LeBlanc, M.D., Ph.D.

The following Board Member was absent as follows:

Tonya Hawkins Sheppard, M.D.

The following members of the Board's staff were present:

Robert L Marier, M.D., Executive Director
Cecilia Ann Mouton, M.D., Director of Investigations
Emily D, Eisenhauer, M.D., Assistant Director of Investigations
Christine Holder, Program Compliance Officer III
Kathie Pearce, Program Compliance Officer I
Merian Glasper, Director of Licensure
Rita L. Arceneaux, Confidential Executive Assistant

Legal counsel to the Board was present as follows:

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Judge Frederick S. Ellis
Philip O. Bergeron

1. **VX Systems, Inc.** VX Systems, Inc, gave a presentation on the IT infrastructure development of the website, investigation module and on-line renewal process. No further action was required or taken on this matter.
2. **Minutes of April 2007.** The Board reviewed the minutes of its meeting of April 16, 2007. Motion was made by Dr. Gage-White, seconded, and unanimously carried, to approve the minutes of the meetings together with the executive sessions conducted during such meeting with all necessary corrections.
3. **Confirmation of Interim Board Actions.** The Board reviewed the Interim Board Actions in the matters of Cynthia Lynn Diglis, M.D., Tara Odom Mercer, and Vinicio E. Madrigal, M.D., in which the Board voted to invoke the Sick Physician Statute in the matter of Cynthia Lynn Diglis, M.D., and invoke the Sick Physician Statute and summarily suspend the licenses of Tara Odom Mercer and Vinicio E. Madrigal, M.D. Following review and discussion, upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board affirmed the interim Board actions.
4. **Status Report on Action Items of Prior Board Meetings; Report on Assignments to Counsel.** The Board noted that all action items as assigned to staff and counsel from previous meetings had been completed.
5. **Rules and Regulations.**
 - a. Final Rules/Amendments: None published since the last meeting of the Board.
 - b. Rules/Amendments: Noticed for Intent: *Physicians and Surgeons; Collaborative Drug Therapy:* Act 627/SB 679 (2006 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature) amended the pharmacy law to provide that the Board and the Pharmacy Board shall publish *Notice of Intent* of rules dealing with collaborative drug therapy management within 120 days from the effective day of the amendment, *i.e.*, August 15, 2006 or by December 15, 2006 at the latest. (See SB679 for further details). A draft was prepared and circulated to the Executive Director of the Pharmacy Board for discussion. A draft of the rules was then provided to the Board at its meeting of September 18, 2006 for consideration and discussion. A special call meeting was held on October 13, 2006, to review further revisions to the proposed rules. Following discussion, the Board authorized publication of a *Notice of Intent* to adopt the rules in the November 2006 edition of the *Louisiana Register*. During the twenty-day period prescribed for a public hearing (ending December 11, 2006) no requests were received for a public hearing. Three written comments were received all dated December 21, 2006, the last day of the written comment period. Due to certain discrepancies between the rules noticed by the Board and the Pharmacy Board, discussions were held between representatives of both boards and modifications were proposed to each of the rules. The modifications resulted in both rules becoming duplicates of each other. These suggestions were considered and approved by the Board during its meeting of February 12, 2007, following which the Board determined to provide *Notice of Intent* in the *Louisiana Register* of substantive changes to the rules previously proposed, hold a hearing to receive comment with respect to the proposed changes. In accordance with such *Notice of Intent*, a joint public hearing of the Board and the Louisiana

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State Board of Pharmacy was held at the offices of the Board on April 20, 2007 to receive comments on the proposed substantive changes to the proposed rules. The transcript from the joint public hearing was considered at its meeting of June 18, 2007. Following review and discussion, upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board approved promulgation of the rules in the August edition of the *Louisiana Register* along with the final report to be submitted to the Legislative Committees. Physicians and Surgeons - Temporary Permits (Visiting Physician, Professor, Short-Term Residency/Preceptorship Permit)

- In view of difficulties experienced by applicants for certain short-term permits, staff proposed certain amendments to eliminate administrative burdens, delays and costs currently associated with the processing of restricted provisional temporary permits issued by the Board to visiting physicians who provide a service to the citizens of this state, to visiting professors who provide instruction or education to Louisiana physicians or graduate medical students, and to those physicians who rotate through a short-term residency program or serve a preceptorship in a medical school or accredited institution in this state for purposes of graduate medical education.

Proposed amendments were presented to the Board for consideration at its meeting of December 11, 2006 to address several items. First, the amendments would allow these applicants and the Board to forego submission, collection and processing of criminal history record information. That process typically takes ninety days and is impractical with respect to the restricted provisional nature of these temporary permits given that applicants are in the state but for a brief period of time. Often visiting physicians are in Louisiana as little as one day to attend to a single patient but in no event more than ninety days. In addition, all of these permittees will be vouched for and performing under the inviting Louisiana physician (visiting physician), or medical school or institution (visiting professor, short-term residency/preceptorship). Second, the proposed rule amendment will eliminate the need for a personal appearance (short-term residency and preceptorship permits), and facilitate the Board's use of electronic technology for processing forms, applications and conducting its own verification of licensure status in other states and for the other purposes specified in the proposed amendments. Finally, inasmuch as visiting physicians and professors provide a valuable service to the citizens of this state by attending to Louisiana patients and educating Louisiana physicians, the proposed rule amendments also allows the Board to waive the \$100 fee for the approximate 20-30 anticipated number of annual applicants for these categories of restricted temporary permits. Louisiana citizens who receive healthcare services from physicians issued restricted provisional temporary permits under the proposed rule amendments, and Louisiana physicians, graduate medical student who receive instruction and training (and in turn their current and future patients who are citizens of this state) will receive an unquantifiable benefit by virtue of the expertise of visiting physicians and/or professors. The Board authorized publication of a *Notice of Intent* to adopt the rules in the *Louisiana Register* which appeared in the February 20, 2007 edition. It is anticipated that the rules will become final upon promulgation in the July edition of the *Louisiana Register*.

c. Rules Under Development - Respiratory Therapy. The Advisory Committee for Respiratory Therapy had prepared a number of amendments to Chapter 25 (46XLV.2501-2569) of the respiratory therapy rules (Licensure). Dr. Ferdinand, the Board's liaison to the Committee and counsel reviewed the proposed amendments and worked with the Committee to develop a more comprehensive draft for the Board's consideration. In December 2005 a further draft, containing additional modifications not previously addressed, was received by the Board, along with suggested revisions to the Respiratory Therapy Practice Act. Following review and discussion, the Board determined to defer the rule-making effort pending outcome

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of legislative consideration of proposed amendments to the Act. In the interim, Dr. Ferdinand, counsel and staff met with representatives of the Advisory Committee to discuss and assist with revisions to the Respiratory Practice Act. A copy of the Committee's suggestions for revisions were considered by the Board at its meeting of February 12, 2007. HB 251 is making its way through the legislative process. Presuming the legislative effort is successful, Dr. Ferdinand will request the RTAC to review the current rules to ascertain what modifications may be needed to the rules in light of changes to the Act. Midwifery: The Midwifery Advisory Committee suggested a number of amendments to the Board's midwifery rules on licensing, 46XLV.2301-2373 and practice, 46X:V.5301-5363. Members of the Committee met with the Board during its January 2005 meeting to discuss their suggestions. The Board reviewed the proposed amendments at its meeting of February 15, 2005 and appointed a Subcommittee to study the issue and report their recommendations to the full Board. The Board's Subcommittee studied the Advisory Committee's suggestions and provided draft recommendations for their review and discussion. A reply to the Subcommittee's recommendations, dated June 26, 2006, was received, and the Subcommittee met during the July 2006 meeting and accepted some of the recommendations and rejected others. A revised draft was sent to the Advisory Committee on August 8, 2006 with the request that any final modifications be received in time to place a final draft on the September 2006 agenda for the Board's consideration. The Midwifery Advisory Committee and several individual midwives expressed concern over several areas of the proposed revisions and requested a meeting. A meeting was held between the Subcommittee and the Advisory Committee in November 2006 to discuss their concerns. A revised draft was forwarded to the Midwifery Advisory Committee in January 2007 and a reply was received accepting the changes in February 2007, but providing further recommendations on one section of the rules. A further draft to address this issue was sent to the Committee in March. Its reply was received June 4, 2007 and was disseminated to the Subcommittee for review and finalization. The Subcommittee accepted the suggested revisions contained in Kathy Acree's letter dated May 29, 2007. A draft of the proposed rules was considered by the Board at its meeting of June 18, 2007. Upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board authorized publication of a *Notice of Intent* to amend the rules in the *Louisiana Register*. Perfusion The Advisory Committee for Perfusionists submitted a rough draft of rules for the Board's consideration. Following review and discussion, the Board appointed Dr. Ferdinand and Board counsel to work with the advisory committee in the formulation of administrative rules relating to the licensure and practice of perfusion in this state. Dr. Ferdinand and counsel met with the Advisory Committee Chair to assist in developing a more comprehensive, focused draft of rules for the Board's consideration. As soon as the draft is received, reviewed and Dr. Ferdinand has had an opportunity to confer with the Advisory Committee and a draft of the proposed rules is finalized, it will be presented to the Board for consideration. Physicians and Surgeons: Registered Dispensing Physicians: Licensure and Practice: The Board is studying its existing rules governing registered dispensing physicians relative to controlled substances to determine if modification is in order. Physicians and Surgeons - Mid-Level Providers: The Board appointed a Committee to work on the development of rules relative to supervision, collaboration and consultation with mid-level providers. Physicians and Surgeons - Rural Physician Self-Referral. In 2006 the Louisiana legislature adopted Act 819, prohibiting Louisiana licensed physicians from making any referral for services to a healthcare facility located in the primary service area of a rule hospital, in which the referring physician or an immediate family member owns a direct or indirect ownership interest. The Act provides relevant exceptions and requires the Board to adopt rules and regulations providing that violation of the law provides cause for action against the physician's license. The draft rule was presented to the Board for consideration. Following review and discussion, upon motion

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made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board authorized publication of a *Notice of Intent* to adopt rules in the next issue of the *Louisiana Register*.

6. Rulings and Advisory Opinions; Respiratory Therapy; Wound Care Treatment. The Board reviewed correspondence received from C. David Belden, B.S., RRT, Director of Respiratory Therapy, MeadowsBrook Specialty Hospital, Lafayette asking whether wound care treatment is within the scope of practice for respiratory therapy.. Following review and discussion, it was the consensus of the Board to inform Mr. Belden that wound care treatment is not within the scope of practice for respiratory therapy.

7. General Administrative Matters; Personal Appearance; Jay Weiss, M.D., Medical Director, Palmetto Addiction Recovery Center. Jay Weiss, M.D., Medical Director Palmetto Addiction appeared before the Board to discuss the role of Palmetto Addiction Recovery Center in the recovery process for people suffering from substance abuse. Dr. Weiss gave a power point presentation, which showed the history and philosophy of PARC. No further action was required or taken on this matter.

8. Rulings and Advisory Opinions; Scope of Practice; Podiatry. The Board received correspondence from Vernon Garber, DPM, seeking an advisory opinion on whether noninvasive vascular testing of the lower extremity is within the scope of practice for podiatric physicians. Following review and discussion, upon motion made and passed by majority voice vote¹, the Board voted to inform Dr. Garber that it was the preliminary view of the Board that noninvasive vascular testing of the lower extremity was not within the scope of practice for podiatric physicians. However, the Board would seek the advice of its advisory committee, and if necessary consider the matter at a subsequent meeting.

9. General Administrative Matters; Financial Reports.

Financial Statement - The Board reviewed a statement on the revenue and expenses for the period ending April 30, 2007 and approved all expenditures as noted therein. The Board also reviewed the status of investments as of April 30, 2007. The Board also reviewed a balance sheet and income statement for Clinical Laboratory Personnel for the period ending April 30, 2007, and approved all expenditures as noted therein. The Board also reviewed the status of investments for Clinical Laboratory Personnel as of April 30, 2007.

10. General Administrative Matters; President-s Report. The Board received the report of the President on her activities since the last meeting of the Board. Dr. Amusa discussed meeting the Board-s staff at further meetings of the Board and legislative updates.

11. General Administrative Matters; Executive Director-s Report. The Board received the report of the Executive Director on his activities since the last meeting of the Board. Dr. Marier discussed the current legislative sessions, the Board Orientation online and the requirement of supervising physicians to submit to the criminal background check. Following review and discussion, upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board authorized the elimination of the criminal background check for physicians applying as supervising physicians of a physician assistant.

¹ Drs. Amusa and LeBlanc did not concur.

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12. Licensure and Certification; Other Licensure Matters; FCVS Licensure Process for GETP Applicants. At the request of Dr. Gage-White, the Board discussed the requirement of GETP applicants to complete the FCVS licensure process. Following review and discussion, it was the consensus of the Board that effective July 1, 2008, any IMG entering a secondary training program, who is otherwise qualified for a full license must apply for full licensure and thus complete the FCVS process.

[13.] Investigative Reports. On the motion of Dr. LeBlanc, the Board convened in executive session, to consider the investigative reports as matters relating to allegations of misconduct and the character and professional conduct of a licensee, La. Rev. Stat. ' 42:6.1 A(4). Following the review, the Board resumed in open session. Upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board approved the following:

Consent Orders: The following Consent Orders were accepted:

Alan Joseph Bowers, M.D., Docket No., 05-I-515
Ilyas Munshi, M.D., Docket No., 06-I-766

[14.] Investigative Reports; Personal Appearance; Alan Joseph Bowers, M.D. Continuing in executive session, Alan Joseph Bowers, M.D., appeared before the Board in connection with the acceptance of his Consent Order. Dr. Bowers acknowledged he understood the terms of the order and was aware it was a public record.

[15.] Investigative Reports; Personal Appearance; Ilyas Munshi, M.D. Continuing in executive session, Ilyas Munshi, M.D. appeared before the Board in connection with the acceptance of his Consent Order. Dr. Munshi acknowledged he understood the terms of the order and was aware it is a public record.

[16.] Investigative Reports. Continuing in executive session, the Board considered the investigative reports as matters relating to allegations of misconduct and the character and professional conduct of a licensee, La. Rev. Stat. ' 42:6.1 A(4). Following the review, the Board resumed in open session. Upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board approved the following:

Consent Orders: The following Consent Orders were accepted:

Timothy Carlton Istre, RRT, Docket No., 07-I-035
Kristy Ann Carnahan, OTT, Docket No., 05-I-487
Robert Dale Bernauer, M.D., Docket No., 05-I-018
Charles Raymond Genovese, Jr., Docket No., 05-I-392²
Mark Anthony Schneider, M.D., Docket No., 06-I-263
John Gibson Fasick II, DPM, Docket No., 07-I-148

[17.] Physicians Health Committee. On motion of Dr. Bourgeois, the Board convened in executive session to consider the report of Dr. Dawson on the meeting of the Physicians Health Committee held

² Dr. Bourgeois did not participate or vote in this matter.

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at 12:00 p.m., Monday, June 18, 2007, and as fully reported in the minutes thereof. Following the review, the Board resumed in open session. Upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by majority voice vote, the Board made the following decision:

Ross, Gerald Alan, M.D. - To approve acceptance of the Consent Order in the matter of Gerald Alan Ross, M.D.

[18.] Investigative Reports; Personal Appearance; Timothy Carlton Istre, RRT. Continuing in executive session, Timothy Carlton Istre, RRT, appeared before the Board in connection with the acceptance of his Consent Order. Mr. Istre acknowledged he understood the terms of the order and was aware it was a public record.

[19.] Investigative Reports; Personal Appearance; Kristy Ann Carnahan, OTT. Continuing in executive session, Kristy Ann Carnahan, OTT, appeared before the Board in connection with the acceptance of her Consent Order. Ms. Carnahan acknowledged she understood the terms of the order and was aware it is a public record.

[20.] Investigative Reports; Personal Appearance; Charles Raymond Genovese, Jr., M.D. Continuing in executive session, Charles Raymond Genovese, Jr., M.D., accompanied by his attorney, Chris Johnston, appeared before the Board in connection with the acceptance of his Consent Order. Dr. Genovese acknowledged he understood the terms of the order and was aware it is a public record.

[21.] Investigative Reports; Personal Appearance; Gerald Alan Ross, M.D. Continuing in executive session, Gerald Alan Ross, M.D. appeared before the Board in connection with the acceptance of his Consent Order. Dr. Ross acknowledged he understood the terms of the order and was aware it is a public record.

[22.] Investigative Reports; Personal Appearance; John Gibson Fasick II, DPM. Continuing in executive session, John Gibson Fasick II, DPM. appeared before the Board in connection with the acceptance of his Consent Order. Dr. Fasick acknowledged he understood the terms of the order and was aware it is a public record.

[23.] General Disciplinary Matters; Personal Appearance; Robert H. Jackson, M.D. Continuing in executive session, Robert H. Jackson, M.D., appeared before the Board in connection with his request to serve as a supervising physician for a physician assistant. Following his appearance, the Board resumed in open session and upon motion made and unanimously carried, denied the request of Dr. Jackson for an exception to the Board's rules for a supervising physician to have an unrestricted license.

[24.] Professional Liability Report. Continuing in executive session, the Board considered the report of Dr. Eisenhower on professional liability cases reviewed since the last meeting of the Board as matters relating to allegations of misconduct and the character and professional conduct of licensees, La. Rev. Stat. ' 42:6.1 A(4). No further action was required or taken on these matters.

[25.] Personal Appearances/Docket Calendar. Continuing in executive session, the Board reviewed the calendar of personal appearances and docketed hearings, as matters relating to allegations of misconduct and the character and professional conduct of licensees, La.Rev. Stat. ' 42:6.1 A(4).

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[26.] Report on Pending Litigation. Continuing in executive session, the Board received the report of legal counsel on pending litigation to which the Board was a party and the status of proceedings for judicial review of prior Board decisions, La. Rev. Stat. ' 42:6.1 A(2). No further action was required or taken on this matter.

[27.] General Disciplinary Matters. Continuing in executive session, the Board considered requests relating to the execution or modification of a Decision and/or Consent Order as a matter relating to the character and professional conduct of licensees, pursuant to La. Rev. Stat. ' 42:6.1. Following review and discussion, the Board resumed in open session and upon motion made and passed by unanimous voice vote, took the following actions:

- a. Probation Report - The Board noted the activity reports for the probation department submitted for this month.
- b. Site Visits - The Board reviewed the report of site visits for physician assistants and supervising physicians submitted for this month.
- c. Dispensing Physicians= Site Visits - The Board noted the report of the dispensing physicians=site visits submitted for this month.
- d. Vajnar, David, M.D. - To restrict the license of David Vajnar, M.D., to an institutional setting approved by the Board.
- e. Owen, Mark Allen, M.D. - To deny the request of Mark Allen Owen, M.D. to change the language on the website relative to action taken against his license.
- f. Juneau, Benji, PA - To approve reinstatement of the license of Benji Juneau, PA, to an unrestricted status, off probation.
- g. Auburn, Robert Mark, M.D. - To note the file of Robert Mark Auburn, M.D., relative to temporary privileges for proctoring only.
- h. Berthold, Kerry Jane, M.D. - To approve the request of Kerry Jane Berthold, M.D., for reinstatement of her prescribing privileges.
- i. DesOrmeaux, George Pierre, M.D. - To approve the request of George Pierre DesOrmeaux, M.D., for reinstatement of his license to an unrestricted status, off probation,
- j. Orsulak, Joseph Peter, M.D. - To approve the request of Joseph Peter Orsulak, M.D. for reinstatement of license on probation in accordance with the order of October 2004.
- k. Ear Stapling - To issue a Statement of Position relative to Ear Stapling stating the Board-s considers ear stapling the practice of acupuncture and as such can only be performed by a licensed physician or acupuncture assistant.

[28.] General Administrative Matters; Unclassified Employee; Merit Increase. Continuing in executive session, the Board considered the request for approval of the annual merit increase for Rita L. Arceneaux, Confidential Executive Assistant. Following review and discussion, upon motion made and unanimously carried, the Board approved a 5% merit increase for Ms. Arceneaux.

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29. Licensure and Certification; Other Licensure Matters; Board Orientation. The Board reviewed the evaluations submitted by attendees at the Board Orientation Program held in New Orleans, May 18, 2007. No further action was required or taken on this matter.

30. Licensure and Certification; Other Licensure Matters; Recognition of International Medical Schools. At the request of Dr. LeBlanc, the Board reviewed the issue of acceptance of international medical schools. It was noted that according to the Board's rules under ' 341, a medical school or college not located in any state or Canada shall, at a minimum, be recognized and officially listed by the World Health Organization and not affirmatively disapproved by the Board. Following review and discussion, upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, the Board voted to accept international medical schools listed by IMED or its equivalent and to change the rules to this effect as soon as feasibly possible.

31. Licensure and Certification; Clinical Laboratory Personnel. The Board reviewed and approved the applications submitted of clinical laboratory personnel processed for licensure and upon motion made, duly seconded and passed by unanimous voice vote, approved the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

Generalists

Anderson, Majorie Ann
Baird, Joyce
Bradley, Pamela
Cayon, Vera F.S.
Dixon, Latasha R.
Fennessey, Victoria L.

Gianfala, William J. II
Gonzalez, Maribel
Heisserer, Janet
Kansakar, Pragati
Perry, Elizabeth G.
Thibodaux, Blake M.

Generalist - Temporary Permit

Barrett, Kimberly S.F.
Brasiel, Sheena H.
Chiasson, Laurie S.

Delaneuville, Renee M.
Tuzzolino, Tracy J.
Vaughn, Kewana F.

Technicians

Aucoin, Tony J.
Bangert, Margaret K.
Banlaygas, Richard T.
Broussard, Glenda
Burke, Michael T. II
Dunn, Angela

Kevett, Christine
Krieger, Stephanie
Lastrapes, Tracey D.
Mullins, Katie L.
Plaza, Susan F.
Powell, Leah A.

Technician - Temporary Permit

Bell, Deidre A.
Cortez, Angelle G.
Garner, Philip
Nguyen, Wanda T. M.

Oliver, Steve J.
Pennywell, Shatoca D.
Vice, Courtney P.

Cytotechnologist

Patterson, John R. IV

Cytotechnologist - Temporary Permit

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Clement, George J., Jr.

Daigle, Jeanne B.

Laboratory Assistants

Actlis, Melissa M.
Antoine, Dedric S.
Belaire, Danielle R.
Berry, Jami M.
Clark, Daphne
Clark, Sheila R.
Hendrick, Anne M.
Horton, Melanie N.
Labbe, Ursula M.
Lee, Yalandra S.
LeGros, Julia M.
Lewis, Roxy S.
Maxie Shavon G.
Moore, Tanya L.
Noil, Lechelle
Poole, Karmen B.

Cottrell, Glenda C.
Cox, Tracy R.
Eaglin, Lois M.
Foster, Marilyn L.
Garcia, Summer N.
Harrison, Angelique D.
Robertson, Berta B.
Rushton, Kotina N.
Sartalamacchia, Alison A.
Sonnier, Janice L.
Stacy, Lisa C.
Thibodaux, Marie L.
Thigpen, Amber L.
Tyree, Pamela N.
Vance, Natasha M.
Winegar, Rebecca J.

Phlebotomists

James, Demeka S.

Johnson, Natril S.

Upgrade to Generalists

Brown, Heather L.
Harris, Brenda L.
Hood, Teresa M.

Miller, Julia K.
Ramsey, Kristina M.
Singletary, Stephanie L.

Upgrade to Technicians

Bordelon, Bok
Excobidal, Febie D.
Lee, Michelle D.

Rogers, Tina L.
Sellers, Kibibi C.

Upgrade to Phlebotomist

Williams, Frances T.

32. Licensure and Certification; Respiratory Therapy. The Board reviewed the applications submitted and upon motion made and unanimously carried, made the following decisions:

- a. Approved - To approve the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

Certified Respiratory Therapists

Anderson, Tina K.
Chelette, Dawn R.
Clatty, Terri L.
DeWitt, Kimberly N.
Edwards, Vondreal L.

Ford, Latoya E.
Guillory, Joey A.
Harrison, Tommie E. Hodnett
Hugdahl, Jessica A.
Jackson, Kenneth K.

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Mack, Faith L.
Owens, Maurey K.
Walker, Annie L.
Walters, Kevin L.
Williams, Shauna D.

Porter, Christopher H.
Sant, Jason E.
Williamson-Petty, Pamela J.
Woods, Kimberly M.
Zimmers, Teri W.

Registered Respiratory Therapists

Atchison, Sue A.
Anderson, Evelyn D.
Brown, Deondra J.
Dials, Richard T.
Fontenot, Dorota A.
Hopf, Kathleen C.
Langford, Jon A.
Meche, John H.

Monroe, Felicia R.
O'Briant, Alicia T.
Payne, Tammy M.
Pickett, Jennifer M.
Provost, Clyde D.
Roach, Julie K.
Smith, Heather Y.
Turner, Melissa B.

Certified Eligible Respiratory Therapists - 12 Month Temporary Permit

Burns, Ebony S.
Pauley, Tamra L.
Pilk, Misty A.
Pouncy, Myesha I.

Rachal, Hollie D.
Rico, Lacey N.
Smart, James C.
Tran, Van Hong

Registered Eligible Respiratory Therapists

Espy, Chasta M.
Helton, Sarah R.

Piker, James C.
Thimmesch, Amanda W.

b. Deferred - To defer action on the application of the following pending receipt of additional information:

Burke, Brandy S.

33. Licensure and Certification; Occupational Therapy. The Board considered the applications submitted and upon motion made and unanimously carried, approved the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

Occupational Therapist - Examination

Booker, Rashida Dontae

Occupational Therapist - Reciprocity

Mitchell, Susan Diane

Occupational Therapist Assistants- Reciprocity

Dembrosky, Karen Ellis

Occupational Therapy Assistants - Examination

Martin, Rebecca Ruth

Mathews, April Faith

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34. Licensure and Certification; Athletic Trainers. The Board reviewed the applications submitted and upon motion made and unanimously carried, approved the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

Examination

Campbell, Raymond G.
Guilliams, Mandy Rae

Trahan, Melinda Leigh

NATA Certified

Baurer, Laci Lynn

Smith, Jeffrey Scott

35. Licensure and Certification; Physician Assistants. The Board considered the items submitted and upon motion made, duly seconded, and carried by majority voice vote, made the following decisions:

a. Supervising Physicians - To approve the applications of the following, noting in accordance with the Board's rules, new supervising physicians for physician assistants were to be interviewed by a Board member:

Agnani, Sujata Tulsi, M.D.
Atwi, Jibran Elias, M.D.
Black, Destin Rene, M.D.
Bringaze, Walter L. III, M.D.
Craven, James E., IV, M.D.
Davis, Paul Michael, Jr., M.D.
Foreman, David Jon, M.D.
Gahan, William Patrick, M.D.
Gardner, Ian Ross, M.D.
Hayes, Chris Stevenson, M.D.
Hevia, Armando III, M.D.
Khalid-Abasi, Munir Akil, M.D.

McMullan, Paul Wilson, M.D.
Orejarena, Leonardo Augusto, M.D.
Sataluri, Sesha Kalyani, M.D.
Sipes, Richard Thomas, M.D.
Spence, David Lee, M.D.
Tatford, Brent Christopher, M.D.
Waguespack, Paul Joseph, M.D.
Williams, Michael D., M.D.
Wood, Henry Edward, Jr., M.D.
Wylen, Esther L., M.D.
Yongue, Marelle Mary, M.D.

b. Intent to Practice (Supervising Physician). To approve the supervising physician for the following previously approved physician assistants:

- 1) Chauvin, Bradley Paul, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Brent Tatford, 1978 Industrial Boulevard, Houma.
- 2) Cox, Georgia Ann, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Mark Shaw, Convenient Care, LLC, d/b/a Lake After Hours, 7777 Hennessy Boulevard, Suite 1004-154, Baton Rouge.
- 3) Deshotel, Lisa Rene, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Ian Ross Gardner, AHS Walk-In Clinic, 1602 W. Pinhook, #100, Lafayette.
- 4) Dufrechou, Nicole Julie, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Eric N. Tabor, 2780 Gause Boulevard, Suite A, Slidell; 393 Highway 21, Suite 550, Madisonville.
- 5) Fillman, Robert Louis, PAC - Supervising physician: Dr. Dominick Scimeca, Jr., Convenient Care, LLC, d/b/a Lake After Hours, 7777 Hennessy Boulevard, Suite 1004-154, Baton Rouge.

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- 6) Gordon, Stephanie Louise, PA - Supervising physicians: Drs. Sujata T. Agnani, Louis K. Scott and Syed Zaidi, LSUHSC, Department of Medicine, 1501 Kings Highway, Shreveport.
- 7) Hebert, Michael Joseph, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Larry D. Parker, Christus Cabrini Hospital, 3330 Masonic Drive, Alexandria.
- 8) Hill, Erin Fruge, PA - Supervising physicians: Drs. Chris S. Hayes and Marelle Yongue, University of Lafayette, Lafayette Student Health Services, 102 Boucher, Lafayette.
- 9) Muhovich, Vickie, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. John E. Nyboer, 10101 Park Rowe Avenue, Suite 200, Baton Rouge.
- 10) Niederhofer, Elizabeth Nicole, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Munir A. Khalid-Abas, Convenient Care, LLC, d/b/a Lake After Hours, 7777 Hennessy Boulevard, Suite 1004-154, Baton Rouge.
- 11) Pastor, Heather L., PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Kevin DiBenedetto, Convenient Care, LLC, d/b/a Lake After Hours, 7777 Hennessy Boulevard, Suite 1004-154, Baton Rouge.
- 12) Peneguy, Abigail Plaisance, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Paul Waguespack, The Neuro Medical Center, 10101 Park Rowe Avenue, Suite 200, Baton Rouge.
- 13) Sonnier, Frederick Raymond, PAB - Supervising physician: Dr. Kevin DiBenedetto, Convenient Care, LLC, d/b/a Lake After Hours, 7777 Hennessy Boulevard, Suite 1004-154, Baton Rouge.
- 14) Spikes, Paula Nicole, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Brian Willis, LSUHSC, Department of Neurosurgery, 1501 Kings Highway, Shreveport.
- 15) Stough, Cheryl Cline, PA - Supervising physicians: Drs. Sujata T. Agnani, Louis K. Scott and Syed Zaidi, LSUHSC, Department of Medicine, 1501 Kings Highway, Shreveport.
- 16) Vassanji, Rupal Bharat, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Janet Morehouse, 1233 Wayne Gilmore Drive, Suite 250B, Opelousas.
- 17) Vice, Courtney Lee, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Jibran E. Atwi, 520 N. Lewis Street, New Iberia.
- 18) Walker, Michael Alan, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. David Foreman, 1039 Camelia Boulevard, Lafayette.
- 19) Wright, Leon Bernard, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Munir A. Khalid-Abas, Convenient Care, LLC, d/b/a Lake After Hours, 7777 Hennessy Boulevard, Suite 1004-154, Baton Rouge.

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c. Transfer to New Supervising Physician - To approve the following transfer to new supervising physicians for the following:

- 1) Burns, Christopher Ryan, PA - Old supervising physician: Dr. David M. Philips. New supervising physician: Dr. R. Kyle Barnett, Gastrointestinal Specialists, 3217 Mabel Street, Shreveport.
- 2) Coleman, Matthew Tynes, PA - Old supervising physician: Dr. Arthur L. Poch. New supervising physician: Dr. Humberto I. Aguilar, Gastrointestinal Specialists, 3217 Mabel Street, Shreveport.
- 3) Dawkins, Adriene E., PA - Old supervising physician: Dr. Robert Bobet. New supervising physician: Dr. Max A. Luna-Jimenez, Ochsner Heart and Vascular Institute, 1000 Ochsner Boulevard, Covington.
- 4) Dessauer, Christine Marie, PA - Old supervising physician: Dr. Darren J. Duet. New supervising physician: Dr. Camille Pitre, Lady of the Sea Medical Clinic-Larose, 13030 Highway 308, Cut Off.
- 5) Duplantis, Brett Jude, PA - Old supervising physician: Dr. Darren J. Duet. New supervising physician: Dr. Gary Birdsall, Lady of the Sea Medical Clinic-Cut Off, 12 West 112th Street, Cut Off.
- 6) Ferrington, Lindsay Stafford, PA - Old supervising physicians: Drs. Ewell D. Bickham III, Johnny Kevin Ingram and Sarah Lee. New supervising physicians: Drs. Donald Elmajjan, Alexander Gomelsky, John A. Mata, W. Bruce Shingleton, and Dennis Venable, LSUHSC, Department of Urology, 1501 Kings Highway, Shreveport.
- 7) Honeycutt, Stephen Ryan, PA - Old supervising physician: Dr. Daniel James Gallagher. New supervising physicians: Drs. Peter B. Blessy, Matti N. Palo, and Timothy Devraj, Ochsner Health System-Northshore, 1000 Ochsner Boulevard, Covington.
- 8) Salter, Robert Matthew, PA - Old supervising physician: Dr. R. Kyle Barnett. New supervising physician: Dr. David M. Phillips, Gastrointestinal Specialists, 3217 Mabel Street, Shreveport.
- 9) Sanders, Terry Gay, PA - Old supervising physician: Dr. Rajat Bhushan. New supervising physician: Dr. Patrick Gahan, Lake Senior Care Center, 5339 Didesse, Baton Rouge.
- 10) Seely, Bryan, PA - Old supervising physician: Dr. Marcus Mason. New supervising physician: Dr. Janet Morehouse, Cutting Edge Healthcare, 1233 Wayne Gilmore Drive, Suite 250, Opelousas.
- 11) White, Kelly Grace, PA - Old supervising physician: Dr. Howard Wold. New supervising physician: Dr. David L. Spencer, Central Louisiana Women's Clinic, LLP, 2108 Texas Avenue, Suite 3064, Alexandria.

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d. Locum Tenens. To approve the locum tenens applications of the following provided all requirements had been met:

- 1) Berry, Buford E., M.D. - Supervising physician. Locum tenens: Dr. Paul Michael David, Jr., CVT Surgical Center, 7777 Hennessy Boulevard, Suite 1008, Bato Rouge.
- 2) Dowd, Gregory C., M.D. - Supervising physician. Locum tenens: Drs. Troy Michael Vaughn and Michael Lawrence Drerup, Alexandria Neurosurgical Clinic, 3704 North Boulevard, Suite C, Alexandria.
- 3) Drerup, Michael Lawrence, M.D. - Supervising physician. Locum tenens: Drs. Gregory Dowd and Troy M. Vaughn, Alexandria Neurosurgical Clinic, 3704 North Boulevard, Suite C, Alexandria.
- 4) Fenn, Paul E., M.D. - Supervising physician. Locum tenens: Drs. Jeffrey L. Garrison and David F. Pope, Orthopedics Sports Medicine Specialists, 224 Pecan Park Avenue, Alexandria.
- 5) Garrison, Jeffrey L., M.D. - Supervising physician. Locum tenens: Drs. Diego A. Miranda and David F. Pope, 224 Pacan Park, Alexandria.
- 6) Lu, James, M.D. - Supervising physician. Locum tenens: Dr. Ishak A. Mansi, Louie Keith Scott, Syed W. Zaidi and Sujata Tulsi Agnani, LSUHSC, 1501 Kings Highway, Shreveport.
- 7) Mansi, Ishak A., M.D. - Supervising physician. Locum tenens: Drs. Louie Keith Scott, James Lu, Daniel S. Strain, Syed W. Zaidi and Sugata Tulsi Agnani, LSUHSC, 1501 Kings Highway, Shreveport.
- 8) Pope, David F., M.D. - Supervising physician. Locum tenens: Drs. Paul R. Fenn and Diego A. Miranda, 224 Pecan Park Avenue, Alexandria.
- 9) Rigby, Carl Swayze, M.D. - Supervising physician. Locum tenens: Dr. James E. Craven IV, 7777 Hennessy Boulevard, Suite 1008, Baton Rouge.
- 10) Sheely, Carlton H. II, M.D. - Supervising physician. Locum tenens: Dr. Walter L. Bringaze III, 7777 Hennessy Boulevard, Suite 1008, Baton Rouge.
- 11) Vaughn, Troy M., M.D. - Supervising physician. Locum tenens: Drs. Gregory C. Dowd and Michael Lawrence Drerup, Alexandria Neurosurgical Clinic, 3704 North Boulevard, Suite C, Alexandria.

e. New Applicants - To approve the applications for the following whose supervising physician had not yet been determined:

Ferrebbbe, Lori Beth
Grant, Emilye Jessica

Nguyen, Lily Diep Ngoc

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O'Donnell, Julie Price

Pugao, Irish Faye

f. Prescriptive Authority. To approve the applicants for prescriptive authority in accordance with promulgated of the rules effective January 20, 2005 provided all requirements had been met:

- 1) Barrett, Jennifer E., PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Steve Venturantos, 1111 Medical Center Boulevard, Suite S-450, Marrero.
- 2) Becnel, Steven Michael, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Richard V. Milani, Ochsner Clinic Foundation, Department of Cardiology, 1514 Jefferson Highway, New Orleans.
- 3) Caldwell, Bernie Maurice, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Jeffrey Counts, P & S Surgery Center Scott McClelland, MD, 312 Grammont Street, Suite 200, Monroe.
- 4) Cutting, Evan June Matilda, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Olga E. Reavill, Pain Management Specialists, 2501 W. Pinhook Road, Lafayette.
- 5) Dawkins, Adriene E., PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Max A. Luna-Jimenez, Ochsner Heart and Vascular Institute, 1000 Ochsner Boulevard, Covington.
- 6) Dufrechou, Nicole Julie, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Eric N. Tabor, 2780 Gause Boulevard, Suite A, Slidell.
- 7) Ellis, Alencia Clayton, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Greta M. Monroe-Wikes, 3849 North Boulevard, Suite 100, Baton Rouge; 2335 Church Street, Zachary; 4867 W. Park Drive, Zachary.
- 8) Frick, Brad William, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Myriam Hutchinson, 104 Hospital Drive, Abbeville; 121 E. St. Victor Street, Abbeville.
- 9) Hebert, Mchael Joseph, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Larry D. Parker, Christus Cabrini Hospital, 3330 Masonic Drive, Alexandria.
- 10) Honeycutt, Stephen Ryan, PA - Supervising physicians: Drs. Peter B. Blessey, Matti N. Pallo and Timothy Devraj, Ochsner Health System-Northshore, Department of Orthopedics, 1000 Ochsner Boulevard, Covington.
- 11) Jenkins, Natalie Brooke, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Michael Crapanzano, 7777 Hennessy Boulevard, Suite 103, Baton Rouge.
- 12) Langley, Wendy Margaret, PAC - Supervising physician: Dr. Jeffrey Counts, 312 Grammont Street, #200, Monroe.
- 13) Muhovich, Vickie, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. John E. Nyboer, 10101 Park Rowe Avenue, Suite 200, Baton Rouge.
- 14) Ponthier, Dane C., PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Jonathan Forester, 2809 Donahue Ferry Road, Pineville.

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15) Sanders, Terry Gay, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Patrick Gahan, Lake Senior Care Center, 5339 Didesse, Baton Rouge.

16) Sherlock, Randy Charles, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. Paul Lessig, Ochsner Clinic Foundation, 1514 Jefferson Highway, New Orleans.

17) White, Kelly Grace, PA - Supervising physician: Dr. David L. Spencer, Central Louisiana Women's Clinic, LLP, 2108 Texas Avenue, Suite 3064, Alexandria.

g. Deferred - To defer action on the application of the following pending approval of her supervising physician:

Angelo, Jennifer Brown, PAC.

36. Licensure and Certification; Physicians & Surgeons; Foreign Medical Graduates. The Board reviewed the items regarding graduates of foreign medical schools and upon motion made, duly seconded and carried by unanimous voice vote, made the following decisions:

a. Non-Routine

1) Previgliano, Carlos H. M.D. - To grant the request of Carlos H. Previgliano, M.D., for a waiver of the licensure requirements in accordance with ' 315 of the Board's rules inasmuch as he has been appointed as an Associate Professor of Clinical Radiology at Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, Shreveport.

2) Rojas, Rafael, M.D. - To deny the request of Rafael Rojas, M.D., for a waiver of licensure requirements in order to practice teleradiology from Massachusetts inasmuch as the previous waiver was in association with his appointment as associate professor on the tenure track at Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, New Orleans.

3) Ustunsoz, Bahri, M.D. - To grant the request of Bahri Ustunsoz, M.D., for a waiver of the licensure requirements in accordance with ' 315 of the Board's rules inasmuch as he has been appointed as an Associate Professor of Clinical Radiology at Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, New Orleans.

4) Verin, Vitali, M.D. - To grant the request of Vitali Verin, M.D., for a waiver of the licensure requirements in accordance with ' 315 of the Board's rules inasmuch as he has been appointed as an Associate Professor of Medicine/Cardiology at Tulane University.

5) Yodzis, Shirley, M.D. - To grant the request of Shirley Yodzis, M.D., for a waiver of the licensure requirements in accordance with ' 315 of the Board's rules inasmuch as she has been appointed as an Associate Professor of Clinical Radiology at Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, New Orleans.

6) Non-Routine - To approve the applications of the following provided all requirements had been met:

Bhattarai, Yubaraja
Cho, Parina Gupta

Kanesan, Krishnakumari
Khan, Ameer Asif

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Martin, Brian Patrick

Rodrigue, Brad Blaine
Saran, Manish
Shenava, Rajesh Gopal
Yusufji, Ruchika Sonia

b. Routine - To approve the applications of the following provided all requirements had been met:

Agndia, Jude Atabong
Ailabouni, Wadad Fayez
Amin, Rohit Raajendra
Bedestain, Ahmet
Chryssos, Emanuel Demetrios
Davis, Amanda Michele
Davis, Tiffany Lyn
Ennis, Bruce Martin
Kandil, Emad
Karras, Nicole Amalia
Keshelave, George
Korab, Yamen Saade
Kumar, Suresh
Kurepa, Dalibor Nikola
Lafuente, Michael
Manocha, Meghna
Matta, Anil Srinivas
Mukerjee, Sanjoy
Nalla, Kavitha
Novak, Christopher
Olteanu, Alinda
Onwudiwe, Ifevinwa Patience

Freeman, James Carlton
George, Jody Robert
Gonzales, Ryan Antonio
Hauser, Andrea Ann
Hernandez, Lincoln Feliz
Hooker, Kevin James
Jehaimi, Cayce Taher
Kakkilaya, Venkatakricha
Palanchamy, Nanthin Devi
Patel, Nimesh K.
Pineda, Guillermo Orlando Padilla
Pulakurthi, Aravinda
Qureshi, Nauman
Rajaram, Venkataraman
Sheth, Ankur Rajendra
Solomon, Michael Teame
Stamato, Stephen Klaus
Suddala, Satheesa
Thatikonda, Narendra Reddy
Yildiz, Ilhan
Zamirpour, Payman
Zeibo, Mohammad Awni

37. Licensure and Certification; Physicians & Surgeons; U.S./Canadian Medical Graduates. The Board reviewed items submitted regarding graduates of U.S. or Canadian medical schools and upon motion made, duly seconded and carried by unanimous voice vote, made the following decisions:

a. Conner, Christopher W., M.D. - To defer action on the application of Christopher W. Conner, M.D., pending receipt of additional information.

b. Davis, Brandon L., M.D. - To defer action on the application of Brandon L. Davis, M.D., pending receipt of additional information.

c. Walter, Lisa M., M.D. - To defer action on the application of Lisa M. Walter, M.D., pending receipt of additional information.

d. Non-Routine - To approve the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

Barnett, Ross W.
Harris, Robert L.
Lawson, Michael R.
Lee, Richard Yuan-Chie

Odom, Patrick D.
Shan, Pulin A.
Sprintz, Michael P., DO

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- e. Routine - To approve the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

Arcement, Adam J.,
Balagani, Aurabind, DO
Balart, James, F.C.
Banerjee, Arindam M.
Bazan, Hernan A.
Bilello, Seth J.
Boudreaux, Jaime M.
Evans, William J.
Fiorillo, Annette, DO
Fuller, Jeffrey J.
Gahunia, Mona K., DO
Garcia-Serra, Allie M.
Gheen, Kenneth
Green, Adam
Griffin, Kellie M.
Higgins, Jason A.
Karlin, Fred R.
Kinback, Rita M.
King, Teresa L.
Kulaga, Andrew D.
Liu, Perry Hsien-Tsung
McCormick, Melissa M.
McCormick, Theron G.
McManus, William J.
Mong, David A.
Morad, Ammar
Omor, Sophia A.
Pachnanda, Alexander

Buffington, Mary A.
Cascio, Brett M.
Chen, Jeffrey Ming-Tze
Dean, Derrick O., DO
DeVries, James T.
Edelberg, Jay
Emerson, Noah A., DO
Paris, Christopher L.
Pinell, Michael C.
Popeney, Charles A. III, DO
Ramsey, Timothy Jr.
Rauch, Tracy M.
Rodriguez, Ramon F.
Rudd, James R., Jr.
Russo-Stringer, Elizabeth
Saulny, Christina M.
Shenava, Vinithia R.
Snow, Angela D.
Starr, Barry
Stewart, Laiandrea
Uhrich, Susan E.
Valentine, Jeremy
Vincent, Brad D.
Vincent, Emily D.
Waggenspack, Wame N., Jr.
Watson, Kevin M.
Wu, Ulysses S.

38. Licensure and Certification; Dispensing Registration. The Board reviewed the applications submitted and upon motion made, duly seconded and carried by unanimous voice vote approved the following for issuance of dispensation registration provided all requirements had been met:

- a. Approved.

- 1) Albert, Lianter W., M.D. 1124 Seventh Street, Morgan City; Fairview Treatment Center, 1101 Southeast Boulevard, Bayou Vista. Specialty: Internal Medicine. Medications to be dispensed. As list submitted.
- 2) Bellone, James Lawrence, M.D. - 13406 Airline Highway, Baton Rouge. Specialty: Emergency Medicine. Medications to be dispensed: As list submitted.
- 3) Braswell, John Joseph, M.D. - 5408 Flanders Drive, Baton Rouge. Specialty: Pain Management. Medications to be dispensed: As list submitted.

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- 4) Harrington, Laurie Harvey, M.D. - 20474 Old Scenic Highway, Zachary. Specialty: Dermatology. Medications to be dispensed: Non-narcotic dermatologic topical medications; hydroquinone; Retia A, and Trilama.
- 5) Kufoy, Ernesto Antonio, M.D. - 311 South Pine Street, DeRidder. Specialty: Internal Medicine. Medications to be dispensed: As list submitted.
- 6) Metoyer, Lana Aldridge, M.D. - The Medical Spa of Baton Rouge, 7425 Corporate Boulevard, Suite 530, Baton Rouge; Metoyer Family Medical Corporation, 204 W. North Street, Opelousas. Specialty: Family Medicine. Medications to be dispensed: Hydroquinone, loiquinone, Trehinion, Retinel.
- 7) Olivier, Charles Alexander, M.D. - Hamilton Medical Group, 4212 West Congress, Lafayette.
- 8) Shamlin, Tasha Chantoi, M.D. - The Medical Spa of Baton Rouge, 7425 Corporate Boulevard, Suite 530, Baton Rouge; Baton Rouge Family Medical Center, 8595 Picardy Avenue, Suite 100, Baton Rouge. Specialty: Dermatology, Pediatrics and Internal Medicine. Medications to be dispensed: Hydroquinone, loiquinone, Trehinion, Retinel.

b. Add/Delete/Change Dispensing Location - To approve changes to dispensing locations for the following:

Lockhart, Claude Vernon, Sr. M.D. - Add: 5253 Dijon Street, Suite B, Baton Rouge.

39. Licensure and Certification; Other Licensure Matters; Relicensure/Reinstatement.

The Board reviewed the applications submitted for reinstatement and upon motion made, duly seconded and unanimously carried, approved the following for reinstatement/relicensure provided all requirements had been met:

Physicians and Surgeons

Contiguglia, Joseph J.
Rideau, Alecia M.
Vander Heyden de Maulin, Anita

Wiggle, Richard Lee
Zimmer-Galler, Ingrid E.

Respiratory Therapists

Bond, Kim D. RRT
Cleveland, Valorie M., RRT
Ferrari, Pamela A., RRT
Jackson, Mona M., CRT
Jordan, Charlee K., RRT

Naranjo, Rita E., CRT
Nguyen, Tam N., RRT
Tetrick, Teresa D., CRT
Valentine, Leonard Jr., RRT
Williams, Christy M., CRT

Occupational Therapist

Amy, Deborah Faith

Barrilleaux, Rhonda Stein

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Crecelius, Leah Amy

Guidry, Regina Hewitt
Locklin, Deborah Colleen
Perkins, Donald Daniel, Jr.

Athletic Trainer
Branch, James Michael

Clinical Laboratory Personnel

Generalists

Brown, Heather
Bungard, Jessica

Ramsey, Kristina

Technician

Dawson, Kristi

Laboratory Assistants

Dake, Loma
Gasper, Monique

Lambert, Lyela

40. Licensure and Certification; Other Licensure Matters; Fingerprint Discrepancies Report. The Board reviewed the reports of Cecilia Ann Mouton, M.D., Investigating Officer, on the applicants for licensure with fingerprint discrepancies. Following review, on motion of Dr. Bourgeois, duly seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote, the Board accepted the report of Dr. Mouton and approved the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

Clinical Laboratory Personnel

Jones, Tainika Domiatrice

Physicians and Surgeons

Phillips, Joseph Alois, DO
Solderitch, Victoria Amber

Tullos, Vincent Ainsworth

Respiratory Therapists

Malbrough, Cindy M.

Wright, Jocelyn D.

41. Licensure and Certification; Intern Registration. The Board considered the applications submitted and upon motion made and unanimously carried made the following decisions:

a. Approved - To approve the following for intern registration provided all requirements had been met:

Bonneval, Patrick Lyons
Brenner, Seth Adam
Causey, Robert Andrew

Bourgeois, Danny Paul
Gibson, William Lee, Jr.
Johnson, Daniel Allen

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Segura, John Patrick

Shows, Joseph Ryan
Springer, Jeffrey Robert
Taylor, Todd Andrew
Urrego, Heather Henderson

b. Defer - To defer action on the application of the following pending receipt of additional information:

Walker, Patrick DeWayne

c. Approved - To approve extension of the intern registration permit for a period of six months for the following:

Wolf, Edward A.

42. Licensure and Certification; Podiatrist. The Board considered the application submitted and upon motion made and unanimously carried approved the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

Zhang, Yunhan

43. Licensure and Certification; Perfusionist. The Board considered the application submitted and upon motion made and unanimously carried approved the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

Jackson, William Goss

44. Licensure and Certification; Polysomnography. The Board considered the application submitted and upon motion made and unanimously carried approved the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

Salmon, Maniphanh

45. Licensure and Certification; Clinical Exercise Physiologist. The Board considered the request of Leah Roberts for approval of the program offered by the California College of Pennsylvania as meeting the requirement for licensure as a clinical exercise physiologist. Upon motion made and unanimously carried, it was the decision of the Board to deny the request of Ms. Roberts for approval of the program offered by the California College of Pennsylvania and inform her that in order to qualify for licensure, she must complete a program that is accredited by the American College of Sports Medicine.

46. Licensure and Certification; Acupuncturist. The Board considered the application submitted and upon motion made and unanimously carried made the following decisions:

a. Approved - To approve the following for licensure provided all requirements had been met:

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Benoit, Gerald Maurice, Jr., M.D.

- b. Denied - To deny the application of the following inasmuch as she did not possess the necessary qualifications:

Moore, Debbie

47. Next Meeting of Board. The President reminded members that the next meeting of the Board was scheduled for July 16, 17, 2007.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a full, true and correct account of the proceedings of the meeting of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners, save for executive session of the Board conducted therein, held on June 18, 2007, as approved by the Board on the 16th day of July 2007.

Witness my hand and seal of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners this 16th day of July 2007.

Mark Henry Dawson, M.D.
Secretary-Treasurer

Attest:

Kweli J. Amusa, M.D.
President