

**MINNESOTA BOARD OF MEDICAL PRACTICE
BOARD MEETING
2829 UNIVERSITY AVE. SE
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55414-3246**

July 13, 2013

The Minnesota Board of Medical Practice met on July 13, 2013, at its offices in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

The following Board members were present for both Public and Executive Sessions, unless otherwise indicated: Keith Berge, M.D., Vice President; Sarah Evenson, J.D., MBA, Secretary; Debbie Boe; Mark A. Eggen, M.D.; V. John Ella, J.D.; Rebecca Hafner-Fogarty, M.D., MBA; Irshad H. Jafri, M.D., FACP; Kelli Johnson, MBA; and Gerald T. Kaplan, MA, LP; Charles Moldow, M.D., Maria Statton, M.D., Ph.D.;

PUBLIC SESSION

Agenda Item 1: Call to Order and Roll Call

The board meeting was called to order by Keith Berge, M.D., Board Vice President. Roll call was taken by board staff.

Agenda Item 2: Minutes of the May 11, 2013, Board Meeting

The minutes of the May 11, 2013, Board meeting were received and approved as circulated, with a request from Dr. Hafner-Fogarty that the record reflect that the reason she voted no on the Order for Nancy L. Moyer was because she felt the Stipulation and Order was not stringent enough. This will be noted in the July 13, 2013 board meeting minutes.

Agenda Item 3: Public Discipline: Physicians in the News 1883 – 1912

Debbie J. Boe, public board member and Professional Researcher through Minnesota Connections gave a presentation on physician complaints before the board that were reported in the newspapers between the years of 1883 through 1912. Dr. Berge thanked Ms. Boe for her interesting presentation and the Board gave Ms. Boe a round of applause.

Agenda Item 4: Licensure and Registration

On recommendation of the Licensure Committee, physician applicants 1 - 324 of the agenda were approved for licensure subject to the receipt of verification documents.

On recommendation of the Licensure Committee, physician applicants 325 - 329 of the agenda were approved for Emeritus registration.

On recommendation of the Acupuncture Advisory Council, acupuncturist applicants 330 - 340 of the agenda were approved for licensure subject to the receipt of verification documents.

On recommendation of the Athletic Trainers Advisory Council, athletic trainer applicants 341 - 356 of the agenda were approved for registration subject to the receipt of verification documents.

On recommendation of the Physician Assistant Advisory Council, physician assistant applicants 357 - 392 of the agenda were approved for licensure subject to the receipt of verification documents.

On recommendation of the Respiratory Therapist Advisory Council, respiratory therapist applicants 393 - 421 of the agenda were approved for licensure subject to the receipt of verification documents.

On recommendation of the Naturopathic Advisory Council, naturopathic doctor applicant 422 of the agenda was approved for registration subject to receipt of all verification documents.

On recommendation of the Midwifery Advisory Council, midwifery applicants 423 – 425 of the agenda were approved for licensure subject to receipt of all verification documents.

Agenda Item 5: Licensure Committee

- Agenda Item 5a: Minutes of the June 20, 2013, Licensure Committee
Rebecca Hafner-Fogarty, M.D., MBA, Chair of the Licensure Committee presented the minutes of the June 20, 2013, Licensure Committee Meeting. The minutes and actions of the June 20, 2013, meeting of the Licensure Committee were received and approved as circulated.
- Agenda Item 5b: Registered Naturopathic Doctor Advisory Council Appointments
Dr. Hafner-Fogarty presented the Licensure Committee's recommendations for appointments to the Naturopathic Doctor Advisory Council.

The board accepted the Licensure Committee's recommendations and a motion was made and passed unanimously to appoint the following members to the Naturopathic Doctor Advisory Council:

Physician with expertise in natural medicine:

- Michael Green, M.D.

Naturopathic Doctor:

- Lee Aberle, ND
- Amy Johnson-Grass, ND
- Dionne Reinhart, ND
- Helen Soley (Healy), ND
- Leslie Vilensky, ND

Public Member:

- Karen Thullner

Agenda Item 6: Draft Resolution from the Minnesota Medical Association (MMA Prescription Opioid Management Advisory Taskforce to the MMA)

Mark Eggen, M.D., presented a draft resolution from the MMA Prescription Opioid Management Advisory Taskforce to the Minnesota Medical Association (MMA) to work to advance efforts to allow for integration of the Minnesota Prescription Monitoring Program (PMP) with physician electronic health records systems.

After board discussion, a motion was made and passed unanimously to support the draft resolution from the MMA Prescription Opioid Management Advisory Taskforce to the Minnesota Medical Association (see below).

Draft Resolution from the MMA Prescription Opioid Management Advisory Taskforce to the MMA:

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Minnesota Prescription Monitoring Program (MN PMP) is to promote public health and welfare by detecting

- diversion, abuse, and misuse for the prescription medications classified as controlled substances in Minnesota statute; and
- WHEREAS, input from physicians attending the Minnesota Medical Association's prescription opioid policy forums indicated that the MN PMP was not as easy to use as it could be; and
- WHEREAS, one way to facilitate increased utilization, as well as improve functionality and ease of use of the MN PMP is to integrate the system with Electronic Health Records (EHR); and
- WHEREAS, allowing the MN PMP to link electronically to EHR will provide physicians with access to patient data within their clinical workflow; and
- WHEREAS, Minnesota law should be changed to explicitly allow the MN PMP to connect to a national communications exchange platform that facilitates the transmission of PMP data, both within the state and to other state PMPs; and
- WHEREAS, support and attention is needed to accelerate EHR development of an interface that would allow for connectivity; and
- WHEREAS, Minnesota law should be changed to explicitly allow physicians to access PMP data at any point during the care and treatment of a patient; therefore be it
- RESOLVED, that the Minnesota Medical Association work to advance efforts to allow for integration of the MN PMP with physician electronic health records systems.

Agenda Item 7: Corrective Action Agreement

The Corrective Action Agreement included in the agenda is for information only.

Additional Agenda Item: Federation of State Medical Boards' Publication: *Medical Regulation and Discipline in America: A History of the Federation of State Medical Boards*

Mr. Leach purchased ten copies of *Medical Regulation and Discipline in America: A History of the Federation of State Medical Boards*, written by David A. Johnson, MA, Senior Vice President of Assessment Services at the FSMB and Humayun J. Chaudhry, DO, MS, MACP, FACOI, FSMB President/CEO, for board member use. Mr. Leach requests that board members return the books to him after they've read it.

Additional Agenda Item: Dr. Auld's Retirement

Mr. Leach announced that Dr. Auld, Assistant Executive Director will be retiring effective October 1, 2013, and that a search for his replacement will begin shortly. Mr. Leach thanked Dr. Auld for all his board service. The board gave Dr. Auld a round of applause.

End of public session.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

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JOHN S. GAY, M.D.

On recommendation of the Complaint Review Committee, the Stipulation and Order for reprimand, conditioned and restricted license signed by Dr. Gay was approved.

WILFRED E. GOULD, M.D.

On recommendation of the Complaint Review Committee, the Stipulation and Order for reprimand and conditioned license signed by Dr. Gould was approved.

PAUL E. HUEPENBECKER, M.D.

On recommendation of the Complaint Review Committee, the Order for unconditional license signed by Dr. Huepenbecker was approved.

THOMAS A. LOHSTRETER, M.D.

On recommendation of the Complaint Review Committee, the Stipulation and Order for reprimand, conditioned and restricted license signed by Dr. Lohstreter was approved.

ARTHUR NIETO, JR., M.D.

On recommendation of the Complaint Review Committee, the Stipulation and Order for voluntary surrender of license signed by Dr. Nieto was approved.

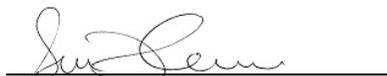
TODD A. SMITH, M.D.

On recommendation of the Complaint Review Committee, the Order for unconditional license signed by Dr. Smith was approved.

MARK. A. URBAN, M.D.

On recommendation of the Complaint Review Committee, the Order for unconditional license signed by Dr. Urban was approved.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.



Sarah Evenson, J.D., MBA
Secretary
MN Board of Medical Practice

August 23, 2013
Date