

MINUTES OF THE
BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

Hyatt House
Winston-Salem, North Carolina
August 12-15, 1982

The Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina met at the Hyatt House, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, August 12-15, 1982, for the purpose of interviewing applicants for license by endorsement of credentials and conducting other business.

Board members present were: Joyce H. Reynolds, M.D., President; Bruce B. Blackmon, M.D., Secretary; Thomas Edmunds Fitz, M.D.; Louis Todd Kermon, M.D.; Jack A. Koontz, M.D.; A. T. Pagter, Jr.; Frank Noble Sullivan, M.D., and Mrs. Martha K. Walston. Staff members present were: Bryant D. Paris, Jr., Executive Secretary; Mrs. Betty Joe Barick, Assistant Executive Secretary; Lee A. Denney and Don Pittman, Investigators; and Sibyl Lamoreaux, Secretary.

Thursday, August 12, 1982
3:00 p.m.

Sam Jones Crawley, Jr., M.D., Yadkinville, North Carolina

The Board adopted a motion that the proper procedures be instituted to prefer charges against Sam Jones Crawley, Jr., M.D., that he be so notified in writing, and that he be advised he will be given a hearing concerning the charges preferred against him.

Letters of Intent

The Board adopted a motion that, in the future, when physicians apply for licensure in this state without having definite plans to come to North Carolina to practice medicine, these applicants be issued letters of intent stating they are qualified for medical licensure. The Board adopted a further motion that these physicians be notified they will become eligible for medical licensure if and when they have North Carolina practice sites, provided there has been no change in their physical, emotional, and moral status and provided they have maintained the level of medical practice expected of all physicians who practice medicine in the state of North Carolina.

Edgardo Gonzalez, M.D., King, North Carolina

The Board adopted a motion that Dr. Gonzalez not be granted a resident's training license as he has not proved his academic education to be equivalent to the entrance requirements of the University of North Carolina.

Data Request from the Viguerie Company

The Board adopted a motion that this data request not be approved.

Data Request from the United States Department of Labor

The Board adopted a motion that this data request not be approved.

Hearing of July 28, 1982

Dr. Blackmon reported on this hearing held to amend regulations as follows:

1. amendment of wording of regulation regarding structure of the Board as being composed of seven physician members and one public member in accordance with statutory wording
2. increase of fee charged to applicants for the FLEX examination from \$150.00 to \$200.00
3. amendment of regulation to require applicants to submit only one certified photograph instead of two photographs



4. re-adoption, with no change in wording, of regulation regarding prescribing by physician assistants.

The Board adopted a motion that the proposed amendments be approved and that they be filed in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act.

October, 1982, Board Meeting

The Board adopted a motion that this meeting conclude by noon on Sunday, October 17, 1982.

Future Meetings of the Board of Medical Examiners

The Board adopted a motion that future meetings, beginning with the December, 1982, meeting and excluding the May meetings, be held in Raleigh.

ECFMG Newsletter

The Board reviewed a letter from the Editor of the ECFMG Newsletter addressed to the Secretary of State. The Board adopted a motion that this report be accepted as information.

Medical Society Resolution Regarding Physician Assistant Interim Approval

The Board adopted a motion that Mr. Bolles be written a letter indicating his proposal for interim physician assistant approval is not legally feasible. The Board adopted a further motion that this letter also state physician assistants should accept the results of their action to require a certifying examination or should rescind the previous action requiring physician assistants to pass a certifying examination. The Board also adopted a motion that Mr. Bolles be informed the Board of Medical Examiners is prepared to support either alternative.

Proposed Changes in the Approved Formulary

The Board adopted a motion that the Joint Subcommittee be informed in October that the Board of Medical Examiners has placed this item on its agenda to be discussed with the Board of Pharmacy. The Board also adopted a motion that the Board re-affirm its position of not allowing physician extenders to authorize refills. Dr. Pagter requested that he be reminded to inform the Joint Subcommittee in October that a physician extender may authorize refills on the order of a supervising physician.

Certified Nurse Midwives Dissenting Opinion

The Board adopted a motion that a dissenting opinion be expressed as follows:

1. There should be no midwifery other than that performed under the supervision of physicians licensed to practice medicine in the state of North Carolina.
2. All acts involved are considered by the Board of Medical Examiners to be medical acts and as such should be under its supervision as the Board has been charged with the responsibility of regulating medical acts in the state of North Carolina.

Hearing Regarding FLEX Scores

The Board held a hearing regarding amending its regulations to require a minimum grade of 75 on each subject included in the FLEX examination. Richard Janeway, M.D., Dean, Boman-Gray School of Medicine, spoke against



this proposed amendment. The Board adopted a motion that the regulations be amended to require, in addition to a FLEX weighted average of at least 75 on a single three day examination, a score not less than 70 on Day I, a score not less than 75 on Day II, and a score not less than 75 on Day III. The Board adopted a further motion that this amendment be effective January 1, 1983. The Board voted unanimously to adopt these two motions.

Residents Holding DEA Registrations

The Executive Secretary reported to the Board concerning this matter. The Board adopted a motion that the Board rescind its directive of June 15, 1971, and prohibit residents holding residents' training licenses from obtaining DEA registrations.

Responding to Agencies Recruiting Physicians

The Board adopted a motion that agency representatives be told on the telephone that the Board of Medical Examiners considers these applications confidential and members of the Board, as well as members of the Board's staff, will discuss these applications only with the applicants and will discuss them with the applicants only when the applications are complete, in accordance with North Carolina statutes. The Board adopted a further motion that, if this action on the part of the Board does not solve the problem, itinerant applicants will be interviewed only by members of the Board at regularly scheduled Board meetings.

Herbert B. Henderson, M.D., Oakland, California

The Board reviewed a request from Dr. Henderson for the reinstatement of his license suspended for failure to register. The Board adopted a motion that the fee be returned to Dr. Henderson and that he be informed the Board will take no action on this request until after the hearing.

August, 1983, Meeting

The Board adopted a motion that this meeting be held in Raleigh.

Audit Report

The Board adopted a motion that this report be approved.

Biennial Registration Reinstatement of Licenses Suspended for Failure to Register

The Board adopted a motion that these requests for reinstatements be approved.

Catherine Herlihy Beyer	Joseph Grant Cramer	Daphne Rosenblitt
Edmundo Agapito Gutierrez	Andrew Maurice Moore, II	Nannette Bishopric
John Martin Kelsch, Jr.	Sriyalatha Nadaraja	Norman Marshall
George Horner Maxted	Michael Orr	Gregory Drake
McKay McKinnon	Norman B. Ratliff	James Oglesby
James Frederick McNeer	Lawrence X. Webb	Michael Ende
James Arthur Merchant	Sam L. Horton	Zun Sub Chung
Craig Albert Mills	David Alden Bass	Norbert Enzer
Narinder Singh Arora	Kenneth H. McGill	Donald Rosenblitt
Daniel Malloy Calhoun, Jr.	Thomas Jhee	Edwin Swann
Jay David Cook	Vijaya Varma	Paul James, Jr.
Jose Maria Cuenca	Lamar Adams	Roberta Williams
Robert Archie Farmer	Parham Fox	Carlos Rios
Ramon Urzua Florenzano	Bruce Dixon	Phillip Dorton
	Frederick McConnel	



Board Officers, 1982-1983

The Board adopted a motion that Dr. Kermon be President of the Board during 1982-1983, and that Dr. Sullivan be Secretary-Treasurer of the Board during this same period.

Emory University OB/Gyn Nurse Practitioner Program

Dr. Pagter informed the Board that the faculty of Emory University School of Nursing has requested a meeting with either the Joint Subcommittee or with the Joint Practice Committee. The Board adopted a motion that this request be referred to the Joint Practice Committee.

Rehabilitating Marginal Physicians

Dr. Blackmon reported to the Board that, out of a total of 128 medical schools contacted, sixty-one had replied to a questionnaire. Out of these sixty-one replies, fifty-two medical schools indicated there were no retraining programs. Dr. Blackmon also reported that, out of a total of fifty medical societies, thirteen replies to the questionnaire had been received. Out of the thirteen medical societies replying to the questionnaire, eleven reported no activity with regard to retraining physicians. Dr. Blackmon also told the Board that twenty-one medical boards had replied to the questionnaire and these replies indicated a small amount of activity with regard to retraining physicians. Dr. Blackmon stated that, if possible, Dr. Wood plans to obtain more information, and Dr. Blackmon indicated that \$10,000 is the amount of money committed to the initiation of a retraining program in North Carolina.

June, 1982, FLEX Scores

The Board adopted a motion made by Dr. Koontz that the Board accept the report of the June, 1982, FLEX examination scores with the exception of the scores made by Walter Glenn Lewis, M.D., and Donald Ralph Coffman, M.D., which are dealt with in separate motions.

Letter from PSRO, Raleigh, North Carolina

The Executive Secretary reported that this group had requested a meeting with the Board of Medical Examiners. The Board adopted a motion that all PSRO's in North Carolina be contacted by the Raleigh PSRO to determine whether there are mutual problems these groups wish to discuss with the Board of Medical Examiners prior to scheduling a definite meeting time. The Board also adopted a motion that, at the time such a meeting is requested, the Board be furnished with a proposed agenda.

Emergency Medical ServicesEmergency Medical Services Applications Approved by the BoardEMT-I Applications Approved by the Board

Guilford: 9, Dare: 10, Wake: 18, Haywood: 2, Mecklenburg: 2, Stokes: 4, Cabarrus: 11.

EMT-P Applications Approved by the Board

Guilford: 3, Rockingham and Guilford: 8, Orange: 1

MICN Applications Approved by the Board

Wake: 1, Stokes: 1

Bee Sting Applications Approved by the Board

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Letter Received from EMS Concerning Proper Attire for EMS Personnel

Dr. Sullivan reported to the Board that he had brought to the attention of Thomas M. Harmelink the need for stressing to EMS personnel the importance of being properly attired when performing official duties. Dr. Sullivan stated that he had received a letter from Mr. Harmelink stating he will take appropriate measures to reinforce to EMS personnel the importance of proper attire. The Board adopted a motion that this report be accepted as information.



Question Concerning Mental Illness on License by Endorsement Application

The Board adopted a motion that the wording of this question be revised for the purpose of insuring clarity.

Hasan Mohamad Baagil, M.D., Gastonia, North Carolina

The Board adopted a motion that the proper procedures be instituted to prefer charges against Hasan Mohamad Baagil, M.D., that he be so notified in writing, and that he be further notified he will be given a hearing on the charges preferred against him.

Walter Glenn Lewis, M.D., Gibsonville, North Carolina

The Board adopted a motion that the Board obtain a copy of Dr. Lewis' FLEX examination questions and a copy of his answer sheet for the purpose of review and establishing a basis for further action.

Donald Ralph Coffman, Norlina, North Carolina

The Board adopted a motion that, as Dr. Coffman has passed the North Carolina examination for licensure, FLEX, he is eligible to practice medicine in this state; that Dr. Coffman be advised to maintain the standards of medical practice expected of a physician in North Carolina; and that Dr. Coffman be further advised that his medical practice will be monitored.

Harry Lee Hinson, M.D., Fayetteville, North Carolina

A continuation of a hearing concerning Harry Lee Hinson, M.D., was held at 1:55 p.m., Friday, August 13, 1982, at the Hyatt House, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, at which continuation hearing Dr. Hinson did appear and was represented by counsel.

Elmer R. Cano, M.D., Durham, North Carolina

The Board adopted a motion that Dr. Cano be informed the Board will extend his temporary license until January, 1983. The Board adopted a further motion that Dr. Cano also be informed, if he passes FLEX during the period of his temporary licensure, he will be eligible for full, unrestricted licensure in the state of North Carolina; but that, if he fails to pass this examination prior to the expiration of temporary license, the license will expire at the time the results of the December, 1982, FLEX examination are received by the North Carolina Board of Medical Examiners.

Physician Assistant ApplicationsPhysician Assistant Applications Approved by the Board

Robert A. Blackburn, M.D., Fayetteville, NC - Nancy Ivansek Baur, PA
 William J. Mattox, M.D., Wilmington, NC - Freda Verlinden Brewbaker, PA
 Ron D. Smith, M.D., Whiteville, NC - Billy D. Harber, PA
 V. R. Sriraman, M.D., Goldsboro, NC - Earl Vester Echard, PA
 Anne McLaurin, M.D., Raleigh, NC - Rivka Gordon, PA
 Gustavo Montana, M.D., Chapel Hill, NC - Charles Edward Kober, PA
 Meritt W. Stark, M.D., Goldsboro, NC - Glenn R. Looney, PA
 Joseph A. Kisslo, M.D., Durham, NC - James A. Porter, III, PA
 Sigmund I. Tannenbaum, M.D., Greensboro, NC - Daniel Thomas Vetrosky, PA
 John R. Feussner, M.D., Durham, NC - Douglas John Watson, PA
 R. V. Sriraman, M.D., Goldsboro, NC - Craig Norman Estes, PA

Physician Assistant Applications Approved by the Board if and when
Certain Credentials are Submitted or Certain Conditions are Met

Eugene W. Linfors, M.D., Durham, NC - Lovest Theodore Alexander, Jr., PA
 Eddie N. Powell, M.D., Roseboro, NC - Harvey Gene Colley, PA
 Ray Dawkins, M.D., Fairmont, NC - Karen Diane Donald, PA
 Inad B. Atassi, M.D., Fayetteville, NC - Donald Ray Eads, PA
 Otto F. Rogers, M.D., Fayetteville, NC - Robert Lee Hollingsworth, PA
 Theodore C. Rozema, M.D., Columbus, NC - Barry Raymond Strohman, PA
 Lee Franklin Murray, PA
 Jerome E. Jennings, M.D., Winston-Salem, NC - Randal Alexander Parks, PA

Physician Assistant Applications with Action Pending by the Board

George Tyson, M.D., Chapel Hill, NC - Patricia Derry, PA
 David F. Slawek, M.D., Hendersonville, NC - Virginia Kay Wall, PA
 Robert H. McConville, Jr., M.D., Sanford, NC - Gwendolyn Lee Woods, PA

Physician Assistant Applications not Approved by the Board

Charles E. Llewellyn, Jr., M.D., Durham, NC - Percy Elmer Golson, PA

Physician Assistant Requests for Changes in Primary Supervising Physicians
Approved by the Board

Stephen E. Erlandson, M.D. - Thomas Sloane Guy, III, PA
 Leslie Schofferman, M.D. - Karen Priest Ritter, PA
 James C. A. Fuchs, M.D. - Mary C. Peoples, PA
 Joyce Copeland, M.D. - William T. Vaughan, Jr., PA
 Charles R. Loehr, M.D. - John J. Triplett, Jr., PA
 Melvin Berlin, M.D. - James Michael Schmidt, PA
 W. J. Collins, M.D. - Dianne Sanders Clyde, PA
 Arnett Coleman, M.D. - Joyce C. Nichols, PA
 Russell P. Harris, M.D. - Raymond F. Stone, Jr., PA
 John L. Watters, M.D. - Robin C. Hall, PA
 John W. Lee, M.D. - Karl Blankenship, PA
 Arnett Coleman, M.D. - Percy Elmer Golson, PA
 John David Ruiz, M.D. - Thomas McLaughlin, PA
 John David Ruiz, M.D. - Rebecca F. Rakestraw, PA

Nurse Practitioner Applications with Changes which the Board Approved
for Annual Renewal

James H. M. Thorp, M.D. - Margaret S. Bass, NP
 James M. Keeley, M.D. - Juanita Butterworth, NP
 Will L. Nash, M.D. - Bessie A. Herring, NP
 Benjamin E. Morgan, M.D. - Irene H. Hinton, NP
 Frederick Wiegand, M.D. - Faye G. Hoffman, NP
 Linny Baker, M.D. - Mary K. Lackey, NP
 Linny Baker, M.D. - Edith P. Messer, NP
 Benjamin Morgan, M.D. - Deborah L. Perry, NP
 James L. Michener, M.D. - Patricia Pressley, NP
 William Wassink, M.D. - Earline Jones, NP
 Roy T. Parker, M.D. - Sharon Lynn Rupp, NP

Nurse Practitioner Applications with Changes which the Board Approved
for Annual Renewal if and when Certain Credentials are Submitted or
Certain Conditions are Met

Robert McQueen, Jr., M.D. - Patricia W. Clapp, NP
 Russell Harris, Jr., M.D. - Jane W. Gulden, NP
 David Denekas, M.D. - Paula Joan Sumner, NP

Nurse Practitioner Application Approved by the Board if and when Certain
Credentials are Submitted or Certain Conditions are Met

Karen L. Miles, NP



Interviews for License by Endorsement of Credentials

The following physicians applied for license by endorsement of credentials, were interviewed individually by the Board, a Board member, or the Executive Secretary, and were approved for licensure on August 14, 1982:

Richard Abriss	Karen Hamilton	Richard Orlowski
Robert Allingham	Ronald Hamilton	Jonathan Orwitz
John Alves	James Hannasch	Peter Owens
James Anchors	Richard Harrell	Francis Ozim
Mark Andrews	Robert Harrell, III	Douglas Packer
Victor Anglin, Jr.	Carl Hassel	Henry Parfitt, Jr.
Thomas Bailey	Douglas Henricks	David Pasek
Kamal Bakri	Edward Hill, Jr.	George Payne, II
Larry Barnes	William Hinshaw, Jr.	Ronald Peeler
Robert Barnes	Richard Hobbs, III	Robert Peinert, Jr.
John Barr	Richard Holland	Neil Peterson
Michael Barri, Jr.	William Hollins, II	Alfonso Petti
John Basile	Michael Hopping	Theodore Pitts
Mary Beatty	Donald Horner	Robert Plass
Charles Bellingham	Mark Ivanick	Richard Polisson
Joseph Bergeron, Jr.	Scott Jaben	Jay Prenskey
Edward Berretta	George Jackson	Chandroth Purushothaman
Charles Bird	Robert Jackson, Jr.	Leigh Quarles, Jr.
David Bishop	Robert Jeffers	David Ramsey, III
Thomas Boat	Peter Johns	Robert Rauch, II
Kim Boekelheide	Mark Johnson	John Ready
George Bowen	Robert Johnson	Rupa Redding-Lallinger
Martha Bradley	Thomas Johnson	Michael Rey
Mark Brantly	James Jones, II	Joel Edward Richter
Charles Bregier, Jr.	Mary Jones	Marsha Milburn Rohrer
Michael Brennan	Jeffrey Kelly	William Roundtree
Stephen Brewbaker	William Kelly	William Russell
Marc Browning	Cheryl Kennedy	Steven Schiff
James Bumgartner	William Kilby	Louis Schroeder
William Bunn, III	Gary Kilgo	Deborah Schuhmann
John Bussa	Constance Kincius	Donald Schwab
Stanley Bylciw	Lawrence Klein	James Shearer
Robert Califf	Robert Koehler	John Shelton
Mark Carlson	Vinod Kohli	Balkunje Shenoy
Jonathan Christenbury	Mangaraju Lolluru	James Smith, III
Herbert Clegg, II	Karl Konrad	Leroy Smith
Barbara Cler	Elliot Kopp	Gary Sobelson
Richard Cochrane	Alan Droll	John Soper
Alan Cohen	Harry Lambert	Selwyn Spangenthal
Paul Colavita	Kip Larson	Patricia Sparks
Richard Cole	Kurt Lauenstein	Howard Stansberry
Joseph Continguglia	David Lefkowitz	Eugene St. Clair
Janice Coverdale	Margaret Leigh	John Steinbaugh
Richard Curtis	Diborah Lenahan	Charles Stevenson
Christopher Davis	David Ling	Robert Stinger
Jennings Dawkins, Jr.	Willard Litzenberger, Jr.	Daniel Stroup
Sherry Dickstein	John Lydon	Laura Svetkey
Robert Dittus	Charles Eliot Lyon	Ovidiu Tanase
Jane Donat	William Maddox, Jr.	David Tapper
Sigsbee Duck	Donald Maier	Louise Tashjian
Sari Eapen	Venk Mani	Robert Terry
Thomas Edgerton	Carmi Margolis	Samuel Thielman
James Edwards, Jr.	Daniel Mark	Shelton Thomas
Nurettin Eryilmaz	Robin Markle	Michael Thompson
Jessica Fewkes	John Martin	Edward Toby
Robert Fitch	Jose Martin	George Toledo
Robert Fletcher	Joseph Martinez	David Turner
Robert Forsythe	Samuel Massey	Michael Ugino
Robert Fraker	Karen Matthews	Christopher Ullrich
Raymond Franklin, Jr.	William Maule	Paul Valenstein
Donald Freeman, Jr.	Joseph Mayus	Robert Valley
William Fricke	John McCord	Charles Van Der Horst
Daniel Fults, III	William McGough, Jr.	Cheryl Viglione
Karen Furey-Liebert	James McKie, Jr.	Rita Vileisis
		Lawrence Vincent
		Davor Vugrin
		Stephen Wallenhaupt
		Kenneth Weesner
		Ann Weinrich
		Charles Wells, Jr.
		Mark Welsh
		Laura West



Brian Garber	Lesly Mega	George Weston
Maria Garcia-Moore	Richard Mega	Thomas White
Linda Geer	Howard Merritt	Clinton Wilburn
Kim Geisinger	Raul Moas	Walter Wilfong
Richard Gentry	Mark Moeller	Virgil Willard, II
Gregory Gillette	George Moore, Jr.	Shirley Williamson
Ted Glass	Michael Moore	Charles Wilson, Jr.
Jay Gold	David Morton	James Wilson, Jr.
Gary Greenberg	James Mozzillo	Bradford Winegar
William Greenberg	Eliot Munthali	Bradley Wolf
Jeffrey Greenwood	Nial Murray	Jack Woodside, Jr.
David Grierson	Howard Nash	Elizabeth Yoffe
William Griffith	Donald Nisbett	Mark Yoffe
Eugene Griner, Jr.	Robert Nolan, Jr.	Ruthann Zern
Terry Groff	Robin Nuskind	Carol Zimmerman
Nanette Haft	James O'Neill, Jr.	

Temporary Licenses

Henry Lytle Wilson, Jr., M.D., applied for license by endorsement of credentials and was issued a temporary license.

Letters of Intent

The following physicians appeared before the Board applying for license by endorsement of credentials and, pending notification of North Carolina practice sites may be issued licenses:

Alberto Bonasera	Robert Newell, Jr.	Victor Suvillaga
Robert Egan	Marshall Purdy	Charles White
Roger Jinkins	Richard Quisling	Laura Yelinek
Ahmed Khan	Curtis Sauer	Enrique Zarate

The Board adopted a motion that all applicants applying for license by endorsement of credentials who were interviewed by a Board member or by the Executive Secretary be approved by the full Board.

Applicants for License by Examination

The following physicians were licensed to practice medicine upon submission of required credentials and successfully passing the North Carolina Examination for Licensure (FLEX):

Martha Anderson	William Herndon, Jr.	Ann Peterson
Paul Andrews	Billy Hunter	Michael Poole
Deirdre Batch	Weldon Jordan, Jr.	Camille Porto
Ben Battle, Jr.	Thomas Kaluzynski	Richard Reavis
Randall Best	Young Kim	Nancy Reiersen
David Burchfield	Garland King	John Sanders, III
Michael Burnette	Brenda Kluttz	Jimmie Shuler
David Cowherd	Robert Littleton	Herman Spilker
Carol Cox	Jane Lysko	Jane Sprague
David Crews	Allen Mask, Jr.	Samuel Stagg, III
Susan Crittenden	Henry Mason, Jr.	Elwood Stone, Jr.
Claudette Dalton	Dorothy Mebane	Gregory Tesluk
Steven Dennis	Stephen Moore, III	Daniel Veazey
Elizabeth Eagle	Helena Narvarte	Sherri Wall
Willie Edwards, Jr.	Victor Nava	Patricia Weavil
Hattie Faison	Charles Nemeroff	Wendell Wells
Paul Faucher	William Newman	Martha Wheeley
Terry Gordon	John Newton	James Whinna
Mitchell Hardison	John O'Donnell	Roy Whitaker, Jr.
Melvin Hendersoñ	William Olds	Phillip Williford
		Tommy Wood



Adjournment

There being no further business to be conducted by the Board, the meeting adjourned at 2:10 p.m., August 15, 1982.


Bruce B. Blackmon, M.D., Secretary-Treasurer
BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA





