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## **MICHIGAN BOARD OF PHARMACY February 8, 2017 MEETING**

### **APPROVED MINUTES**

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Pharmacy met on February 8, 2017, at the Ottawa Building, Conference Room 3, 611 West Ottawa Street, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

Nichole Cover, R.Ph. Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 10:02 a.m.

#### **ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:** Nichole Cover, R.Ph., Chairperson  
Kathleen Burgess, Public Member  
Dhafer Almaklani, R.Ph.  
Cynthia Boston, BHS, R.PhT. (arrived at 10:10 a.m.)  
Nabil Fakh, R.Ph.  
Patricia Keim, R.Ph.  
Suit Hing Moy-Sandusky, R.Ph.  
Jonathan Pignataro, Public Member  
Pamela Wyett, Public Member

**Members Absent:** David Hills, Public Member  
James Stevenson, PharmD

**Staff Present:** Nakisha Bayes, Board Support, Boards and Committees Section  
Karen Carpenter, Analyst, Boards and Committees Section  
Kiran Parag, Analyst, Compliance Section  
Michele Wagner-Gutkowski, Assistant Attorney General

#### **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

MOTION by Pignataro, seconded by Fakh, to amend the agenda. Adding an additional Department Update immediately following Item 4 as well as striking Item 6B and replacing it with NABP & MPJE Discussion.

A voice vote was taken.

**MOTION PREVAILED**

MOTION by Moy-Sandusky, seconded by Wyett, to approve the agenda as amended.

A voice vote was taken.

**MOTION PREVAILED**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

MOTION by Pignataro, seconded by Moy-Sandusky, to approve the minutes from December 7, 2016 as written.

A voice vote was taken.

**MOTION PREVAILED**

**DEPARTMENT UPDATE**

Gaedeke notified the Board that the first MAPS update email blasts from the State of Michigan will begin today at 11:00 a.m. The goal of the email blasts is to communicate with providers and potential users about important MAPS and Appriss dates. March 9, 2017 is when the registration period for the new system begins. If users are not registered by April 3, 2017, they will be re-routed to the registration page for the Appriss system via the MI Log-In page. The Department has decided that it is more efficient to have all users register with Appriss rather than converting the user information. A large volume of current MAPS users have created multiple user accounts for the same individuals due to lost passwords.

Gaedeke explained that the State of Michigan has established a partnership with NABP. The partnership will assist the Department in identifying and prioritizing which pharmacies are compounding.

Keim inquired how many inspectors there currently are for pharmacies.

Gaedeke explained there are currently four pharmacy inspectors. Two of the four specialize in compounding and complaints. There are also five retail inspectors who will be trained for pharmacy inspections.

Cover brought up the MPJE meeting happening this month, inquiring if Gaedeke would like her to see if the Board of Pharmacy may be able to set up a table to present the updates for MAPS and Appriss.

Gaedeke explained that she will be presenting at the meeting on February 25, 2017, to provide information and updates regarding MAPS and Appriss. Gaedeke along with



A roll call vote was taken.                   Yeas: Almaklani, Boston, Fakh, Keim,  
  Moy-Sandusky, Pignataro, Wyatt, Burgess,  
  Cover  
  Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

### **Trilogy Pharmacy – Proposal for Decision for Licensure**

MOTION by Moy-Sandusky, seconded by Pignataro, to discuss.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Moy-Sandusky, seconded by Burgess, to accept the Proposal for Decision. Within 120 days, Petitioner shall provide verification from a board-approved compound accrediting agency of compliance with U.S. Pharmacopeial Convention (USP) standards. Upon receipt of the aforementioned verification, Petitioner will be granted a limited license for two years. During the limitation period, Petitioner is precluded from compounding and filling narcotic prescriptions. Petitioner shall petition for reclassification of the limited license. If Petitioner fails to provide acceptable verification of compliance with USP standards within 120 days, Petitioner's license is denied.

A roll call vote was taken.                   Yeas: Almaklani, Boston, Fakh, Moy-Sandusky  
  Wyatt, Cover  
  Nays: Keim, Pignataro, Burgess

MOTION PREVAILED

### **OLD BUSINESS**

#### **Committee Assignments**

Cover announced the committee assignments as follows:

The Disciplinary Subcommittee will maintain Pignataro as the Chair. The committee will be Keim, Stevenson, Moy-Sandusky, and Boston. Fakh and Burgess will be alternates.

The Allegations Review Committee will consist of Cover, Keim and Stevenson. Fakh will be an alternate.

The Continuing Education Review Committee will remain as Moy-Sandusky.

The Rules Committee will consist of Cover, Keim, Fakih, Hills and Burgess.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **HB 5533 Discussion**

Carpenter explained the new law requires Physician's Assistants to be under a practice agreement in order to practice. Effective March 2017, Physician's Assistants need to obtain a controlled substance license in order to prescribe controlled substances.

### **NABP & MPJE Discussion**

Cover notified the Board that the MPJE law review is coming up on March 28, 2017. The meeting this year is remote, so the attendees will not have to travel. During the law review, those in attendance ensure that the exam questions are relevant to the current rules and that updates are made to keep the questions up to date on any rule changes.

Cover invited the Board to attend, she explained if anyone would like to be involved, they will need to contact Karen Carpenter or Cheryl Pezon.

Cover also notified the Board that the annual NABP meeting will be in Orlando, FL, this year. The meeting dates are May 20 through May 23, 2017. The meeting provides one travel grant to the Board. Keim and Cover will be attending separately. Cover would like to have another Board member attend the meeting as well.

### **Pharmacy Technician Programs**

MOTION by Moy-Sandusky, seconded by Fakih, to approve the pharmacy technician training program and exam for Tom's Family Market.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote was taken.                   Yeas: Almaklani, Boston, Fakih, Keim,  
  Moy-Sandusky, Pignataro, Wyett, Burgess,  
  Cover  
  Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

MOTION by Fakih, seconded by Moy-Sandusky, to approve the training programs for the proprietary schools: Penn Foster Career School and Charter Health Care Training Center.

A roll call vote was taken.                   Yeas: Almaklani, Boston, Fakih, Keim,

Moy-Sandusky, Pignataro, Wyett, Burgess,  
Cover  
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

## **Committee Reports**

### **Rules Committee**

Carpenter notified the Board that the Rules Committee will be meeting via teleconference and email prior to the April meeting. The rule revisions from 2014 have been pulled from ORR, the rules were not approved for the next stage of review.

Carpenter mentioned she is receiving communications from compounding pharmacies that are in the accreditation process but are concerned that the accreditation process will not be done by the Board's June 30, 2017 deadline. The Rules Committee will be making recommendations to the Board for a course of action for these pharmacies.

### **Continuing Education Review Committee**

Moy-Sandusky inquired if she is able to approve continuing education applications for pharmacy technicians. She feels that the rules are not clear.

Carpenter did clarify that the rules state that continuing education applications for pharmacy technicians can be reviewed as long as the application is submitted by the provider.

Moy-Sandusky and Carpenter requested that the Rules Committee look into adding a requirement in the rules for continuing education applications to include the course content.

Moy-Sandusky directed the Board to the list of continuing education programs for consideration and provided an overview. (See Addendum #1).

MOTION by Almaklani, seconded by Wyett, to approve the list of continuing education programs.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

## **Chair Report**

Cover thanked the Board for re-electing her as the Board Chair in the December 2016 meeting.

### **Department Update**

Carpenter explained that lame duck session has ended. The Osteopathic Medicine rules were filed on December 20, 2016 and the Medicine rules were filed on December 6, 2016. House Bill 5400 for Advanced Practice Registered Nurses will go into effect on April 9, 2017.

Two new boards are being put together, Midwifery and Behavioral Analysts. Midwifery differs from midwives that are covered under Nursing, Midwifery is covering midwives that do not require a nursing license.

DEA has emergency scheduled the drug U-47700 as a schedule 1 drug.

There have been some changes to staffing in the Department. Cheryl Pezon, the Board Manager, is now the Deputy Director of the Department. The Department is currently trying to fill the Board Manager position. Joe Campbell is now the Division Director for the Legal Affairs/Enforcement Division. Andrew Brisbo is working on a special project regarding the Medical Marijuana Dispensaries.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Greg Baran, of Baran Consulting, expressed his hope that the Department will issue a statement regarding HB 5877 regarding Automated Dispensing Devices. Baran was told that the Act supersedes the Administrative Rules. Baran is concerned because if this is true, the vague language in the Act will cause problems. Baran provided several examples. Will community pharmacies have to remove their automated dispensing devices? Per the Act, hospitals will have to use an affiliated entity to dispense medications. This bill will be effective April 9, 2017 and Baran hopes to see some clarification by that time.

Rose Baran, of Baran Consulting, would like to see some clarification in regard to HB 5400 regarding the prescriptions that can be written by the Advanced Practice Registered Nurses. Can they only write one prescription of a certain medication made to an individual or can multiple day supplies be written of the medication? The example she presented was whether a 30-day supply of the medication must be prescribed or can a 15-day supply be prescribed then another 15-day be prescribed after that.

Carpenter requested both meet with her after the Board meeting concludes and they can discuss some of the concerns expressed.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held April 12, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 3, Lansing, Michigan.

**ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION by Moy-Sandusky, seconded by Fakh, to adjourn the meeting at 11:19 a.m.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on: April 12, 2017

Nakisha Bayes, Board Support  
Bureau of Professional Licensing

February 9, 2017



Addendum #1

PHARMACY CONTINUING EDUCATION REVIEW  
**February 8, 2017**

**APPROVED PROGRAMS**

**ST JOHN HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL CENTER, DEPARTMENT OF INPATIENT SERVICES –**

**Pharmacy to Dose Anticoagulation** held January 10, 2017 in Detroit, MI for 1 hour.

**RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

**BORGESS MEDICAL CENTER DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACY – Acute Management of Ischemic and Hemorrhagic Stroke** held January 23, 2017 and January 24, 2017 in Kalamazoo, MI for 1 hour.

**RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

**BORGESS MEDICAL CENTER – INPATIENT PHARMACY – Bleeding Disorders: Factor Deficiencies** held January 17 & 18, 2017 in Kalamazoo, MI for 1 hour. **(FOR RPH)**

**RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

**BORGESS MEDICAL CENTER – INPATIENT PHARMACY – Bleeding Disorders: Factor Deficiencies** held January 17 & 18, 2017 in Kalamazoo, MI for 1 hour. **(FOR TECHS)**

**RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

**ST JOHN HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL CENTER, DEPARTMENT OF INPATIENT SERVICES –**

**Sugar, Sugar, Sugar. You Give Me a Rush** held February 28, 2017 in Detroit, MI for 1 hour.

**RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

**SPECTRUM HEALTH – Winter 2017 Pharmacy Resident CE Program** held February 3, 10, and 17, 2017 in Grand Rapids, MI for 5 hours.

**RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

**ST JOHN HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL CENTER, DEPARTMENT OF INPATIENT SERVICES –**

**The More You Pneu(monia)** held February 14, 2017 in Detroit, MI for 1 hour.

**RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

**HENRY FORD MACOMB HOSPITAL – Human Trafficking** held October 21, 2016 in Clinton Township, MI for 1 hour.

**RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

**ST JOHN RETAIL PHARMACIES – Modern Human Trafficking – What Health Care Providers Need to Know** held February 15, 2017 in Warren, MI for 1 hour.

**RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

**BRONSON BATTLE CREEK – Pharmacist’s Role in Management of Pain in Community Hospital** held May 25, 2017 in Battle Creek, MI for 1 hour in pain management. **(FOR RPH) RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

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**BRONSON BATTLE CREEK – Take the Shot: Adult Vaccines** held May 24, 2017 in Battle Creek, MI for 1 hour. **(FOR RPH) RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

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**ST JOHN HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL CENTER, DEPARTMENT OF INPATIENT SERVICES – Management of Alcohol Withdrawal Syndrome** held January 24, 2017 in Detroit, MI for 1 hour.  
**RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

**ST JOHN HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL CENTER, DEPARTMENT OF INPATIENT SERVICES – Management of Congestive Heart Failure: A Change of Heart** held September 13, 2016 in Detroit, MI for 1 hour.  
**RECOMMENDATION PROVIDED BY M. SANDUSKY**

**“If you wish to see a CE Course Approval application, please contact the Licensing Division prior to the day of the Board meeting. The information will be sent to you electronically by Licensing staff. You may contact Bilal Allateef ([allateefb@michigan.gov](mailto:allateefb@michigan.gov)) to make this request. Thank you.”**