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MICHIGAN BOARD OF MEDICINE

MAY 20, 2020 MEETING

APPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, the Michigan Board of Medicine met on May 20, 2020. The meeting was held via Zoom pursuant to Executive Order 2020-75.

CALL TO ORDER

Michael Chafty, MD, Chairperson called the meeting to order at 10:31 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Michael Chafty, MD, Chairperson
Paul Sophiea, Public Member, Vice Chairperson
Richard Bates, MD
Stacey Frankovich, Public Member
Holly Gilmer, MD
Renee Johnston, Public Member
Michael Lewis, MD
John McGinnity, MS, PA-C
Ali Moiin, MD
Cara Poland, MD
Venkat Rao, MD
Teresa Robinson, Public Member
Traci Ruiz, Public Member
James Sondheimer, MD
Shereen Tabrizi, PhD, Public Member
Terri Tahnoose, Public Member
Angela Trepanier, MS, CGC
Donald Tynes, MD

Members Absent: Bryan Little, MD

Staff Present: Weston MacIntosh, Senior Policy Analyst, Boards and Committees Section
Kiran Parag, Senior Analyst, Compliance Section
LeAnn Payne, Board Support, Boards and Committees Section
Michele Wagner-Gutkowski, Assistant Attorney General

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Moiin, seconded by Johnston, to approve the agenda, as presented.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas: Bates, Frankovich, Gilmer, Johnston, Lewis,
McGinnity, Moiin, Poland, Rao, Robinson, Ruiz,
Sondheimer, Tabrizi, Tahnoose, Trepanier, Tynes,
Sophia, Chafty

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION by Sophia, seconded by Tabrizi, to approve the January 15, 2020 meeting minutes as presented.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas: Bates, Frankovich, Gilmer, Johnston, Lewis,
McGinnity, Moiin, Poland, Rao, Robinson, Ruiz,
Sondheimer, Tabrizi, Tahnoose, Trepanier, Tynes,
Sophia, Chafty

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

Muhammed Kamran Ahsan, MD – Proposal for Decision

MOTION by Frankovich, seconded by Poland, to discuss.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas: Bates, Frankovich, Gilmer, Johnston, Lewis,
McGinnity, Moiin, Poland, Rao, Robinson, Ruiz,
Sondheimer, Tabrizi, Tahnoose, Trepanier, Tynes,
Sophia, Chafty

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by McGinnity, seconded by Rao, to accept the Proposal for Decision.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas: Bates, Gilmer, Johnston, Lewis,
McGinnity, Moiin, Rao, Robinson, Ruiz,
Sondheimer, Tabrizi, Tahnoose, Trepanier, Tynes,
Sophia, Chafty

Nays: Frankovich, Poland

MOTION PREVAILED

MOTION by Sophia, seconded by Tynes, to discuss.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas: Bates, Frankovich, Gilmer, Johnston, Lewis,
McGinnity, Moiin, Poland, Rao, Robinson, Ruiz,
Sondheimer, Tabrizi, Tahnoose, Trepanier, Tynes,
Sophia, Chafty

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Tynes, seconded by Gilmer, to limit the Petitioner's license for one year. Petitioner is precluded, during the limitation period, from performing any interventional pain management procedures unless performed under direct-on-site supervision of a board-approved supervising physician who shall provide four quarterly employer reports on Petitioner's work performance. Petitioner is required to petition for reclassification of the limited license. Petitioner is placed on probation for two years. During the first year of probation, Petitioner shall request approval of a proposed physician reviewer who shall review, quarterly, at least 25 randomly selected patient charts and provide four quarterly reports on Petitioner's controlled substance prescribing, practice, and records.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas: Bates, Gilmer, Johnston, Lewis,
McGinnity, Moiin, Rao, Robinson, Ruiz,
Sondheimer, Tabrizi, Tahnoose, Trepanier, Tynes,
Sophia, Chafty

Nays: Frankovich, Poland

MOTION PREVAILED

Fitzgerald Anthony Hudson, MD – Proposal for Decision

MOTION by Frankovich, seconded by McGinnity, to accept the Proposal for Decision and deny reinstatement.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas: Bates, Frankovich, Gilmer, Johnston, Lewis,
McGinnity, Moiin, Poland, Rao, Robinson, Ruiz,
Sondheimer, Tabrizi, Tahnoose, Trepanier, Tynes,
Sophia, Chafty

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Shamsul Haque, MD - Continuing Education Waiver Request

MOTION by McGinnity, seconded by Tahnoose, to deny the Continuing Education Waiver Request.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas: Bates, Frankovich, Gilmer, Johnston, Lewis, McGinnity, Moiin, Poland, Rao, Robinson, Ruiz, Sondheimer, Tabrizi, Tahnoose, Trepanier, Tynes, Sophia, Chafty
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Rules Update

MacIntosh informed the Board that the English language/TOEFL rule will be removed from the Board of Medicine rules. Department leadership has decided to put the English language rule in the Public Health Code-General Rules for all health care professions. The rules are continuing through the promulgation process.

Department Update

MacIntosh announced that the Department will provide another Board member training July 30, 2020. All members are welcome to attend.

Chairperson's Report

Conferee Assignment: 42
Quarterly Reports Approved: 16
CME/CPEP courses approved: 12
Conferee Conference: 3
Order of Summary Suspension Authorized: 3

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Investigations and Complaints

No Report

Disciplinary Subcommittee

Johnston informed the Board that the DSC reviewed 46 cases.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting is July 15, 2020, 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 Tynes, seconded by Johnston, to adjourn the meeting at 12:07 p.m.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on: July 15, 2020

Prepared by:
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