

**GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY
MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING
November 06, 2009**

A meeting of the Georgia State Board of Occupational Therapy was held November 06, 2009 at the Secretary of State Professional Licensing Boards Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia with the following members present:

Members Present:

Kendyl R. Brock, Chair
Kathleen Conyers, OTR/L, FAOTA, V.P
Donna J. Domyslawski, OTR/L
Jeff Etheridge, OTR/L
Rachele Branson, OTR/L
Mary Louise Austin, Consumer Member

Others Present:

Deborah Beard, Acting Executive Director
Serena Gadson, Licensing Supervisor
Tanya Marcus, Licensing Analyst
Amanda Allen, Board Support Specialist

Attorney General's Office

Wylencia Monroe, AAG (via conference call)

Ms. Brock, Chair established a quorum of the Board was present and called the Board meeting to order at 10:15 a.m.

Agenda:

Ms. Domyslawski moved, Mr. Etheridge seconded, and the Board voted to approve the agenda with late agenda items added.

Correspondence:

The Board discussed correspondence and a response was provided by the Board for the following individuals:

- Diane Nix
- Sheri Ozcomert
- Donald Walsh
- Home CEU Connection

Ms. Conyers moved, and Mr. Etheridge seconded, and the Board voted to respond back to the correspondent as directed. None opposed, motion carried.

Minutes:

Ms. Conyers moved, Ms. Domyslawski seconded, and the Board voted to approve the September 25, 2009 Board meeting minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Ms. Domyslawski moved, Mr. Etheridge seconded, and the Board voted to approve the October 15, 2009 Conference Call minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Executive Director’s Report:

- 1. Ms. Beard presented the Board with a copy of the requested revisions to Rule 671-3-.09 (c) 2 Restored License. Amended and Rule 671-3-.02 References for board review. After discussion, the board requested additional revisions be incorporated to the rules for further review.

Ms. Conyers moved, Ms. Austin seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Executive Director’s report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

Board Rules:

The Board began drafting revisions to Rule 671-3-.06 Limited License. Revisions will be presented to the Board during their next scheduled meeting.

Mr. Etheridge moved and Ms. Branson seconded, and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. §43-1-2(k) (1) (2), O.C. G.A. §43-1-2 (k) (4), O.C.G.A. §43-1-19 (h) (2) & (4) and O.C.G.A. §50-14-2(1) to deliberate on Applications, to receive the Attorney General’s, Enforcement and Cognizant Reports. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Board Members Brock, Conyers, Domyslawski, Austin, Etheridge and Branson.

Applications:

Licensure by Application

Mr. Etheridge moved, and Ms. Conyers seconded, and the Board voted to take the following action on Licensure by Application:

Hinchberger, Ila	Approved for Licensure
Mims, Amy	Approved for Licensure
Washington, Yassia	Approved for Licensure

Licensure by Restoration

Mr. Etheridge moved, and Ms. Conyers seconded, and the Board voted to take the following action on Licensure by Restoration:

E.B.	Pending the receipt of additional information
P.D.	Pending the receipt of additional information
Rink, Karen	Approved for Licensure
M.W.	Approved for 90-day Limited Permit

Certification in Physical Agent Modalities:

Occupational Therapy Assistants:

Mr. Etheridge moved, Ms. Conyers seconded, and the Board voted to take the following action on requests for certification of Physical Agent Modalities- OTA:

Finch, Jessica	Approved for certification
W.H.	Pending the receipt of additional information

Occupational Therapists:

Mr. Etheridge moved, Ms. Conyers seconded, and the Board voted to take the following action on requests for certification of Physical Agent Modalities- OT:

Archie, Trinity	Approved for certification
Beaty, Kate	Approved for certification

Cargile, Kathryn P.C.	Approved for certification Pending the receipt of additional information
M.K.F.	Pending the completion of additional hours
Fisher, Anne	Approved for certification
Fuller, Mary	Approved for certification
Krauseneck, Katie	Approved for certification
Lane, Christopher T.	Approved for certification
Lobianco, Nicole	Approved for certification
Minevich, Alexander	Approved for certification
Smith, Shawnda	Approved for certification

Correspondence:

Elizabeth Rummel- Correspondence regarding Order Granting in Part Petition For Variance/Waiver. Board reviewed and recommended rescind the issuance of the limited permit that was issued in error and have individual return the limited permit. The form regarding supervised clinical experience must be submitted and then limited permit will be issued for 90 days. Individual must complete the requirements as outlined in her Order. The individual may refer to Board Rule 671-3-.08 in response to question for definition of formal course work.

Ms. Domyslawski moved, Ms. Conyers seconded, and the Board voted to grant a partial waiver request, refer file to the Assistant Attorney General's Office, as well as, grant Ms. Beard, Acting Executive Director express permission to sign order in lieu of chair. None opposed, motion carried.

Approved Licensees:

Ms. Domyslawski moved, and Ms. Conyers seconded, and the Board voted to ratify the following applications approved between meetings determined to have met licensure requirements as follows:

Occupational Therapists

License No.	Licensee	Issue Date
OT004972	Leopold, Diane Marie	9/28/2009
OT004973	Kovanis, Courtney Alison	9/29/2009
OT004974	Wharton, Melissa A	9/29/2009
OT004975	Wilson, Krista Lynn	9/30/2009
OT004976	Smith, Erin Laree	9/30/2009
OT004977	Workman, Tamara Diane	9/30/2009
OT004978	Calafiore, Jessi Garcia	10/1/2009
OT004979	Jackson, Gayle Djenaba	10/1/2009
OT004980	Keeler, Lynn Therese	10/2/2009
OT004981	Blanchard, Laurie Cook	10/6/2009
OT004982	Fowler, Nancy Carol	10/6/2009
OT004983	Goode, Jill Ellen	10/6/2009
OT004984	Modesitt, Courtney Lee	10/6/2009
OT004985	Owens, Regina Marie	10/6/2009
OT004986	Muchnick, Natalie Patterson	10/6/2009
OT004987	Barbree, Amber Leigh	10/6/2009
OT004988	Schirmer, Jenna Marie	10/6/2009
OT004990	Upton, Stephanie Christine	10/6/2009
OT004991	Knight, Lori Roxanne	10/7/2009
OT004992	Perry, Celia Curtis	10/13/2009

OT004993	Russo, Amanda Melissa	10/13/2009
OT004994	Vallabh, Bhavika	10/13/2009
OT004995	Robinson, Ronald Brandon	10/13/2009
OT004996	Fortenberry, Erin Elizabeth	10/13/2009
OT004997	Gautam, Virender K	10/15/2009
OT004998	Lanier, Mallory Layne	10/19/2009
OT004999	Shah, Jimi	10/19/2009
OT005000	Knight, Meagin Elizabeth	10/19/2009
OT005001	Ready, Sherry Anne	10/19/2009
OT005002	Bullock, Rebecca Briane	10/19/2009
OT005003	Goldstein, Lauren Ashley	10/20/2009
OT005004	Conti, Alivia Rachael	10/20/2009
OT005005	Elrick, Cynthia Ann	10/20/2009
OT005006	Lloyd, Megan K	10/20/2009
OT005007	Means, Heather Suzanne	10/21/2009
OT005008	Kalmer, Shannon Michelle	10/21/2009
OT005009	Shew, Jason Michael	10/21/2009
OT005010	Carter, Chasity Shanna	10/21/2009
OT005011	Arnold, Melba J	10/22/2009
OT005012	Baly, Kate Brooke	10/26/2009
OT005013	Pruitt, Margaret Alice	10/28/2009
OT005014	Gamble, Haylee Shaye	11/3/2009
OT005015	McLead, Mariah Suzanne	11/3/2009

Occupational Therapy Assistants

License No.	Licensee	Issue Date
OTA001200	Robinson, Melissa Jane	9/28/2009
OTA001201	Thomas, Kimberli Peters	9/29/2009
OTA001202	Lovelace, Teneile Lyn	10/2/2009
OTA001203	Edge, Allison Hatfield	10/6/2009
OTA001204	Ruffin, Cynthia Robin Pruett	10/6/2009
OTA001205	Todd, Kristin Nicole	10/6/2009
OTA001206	Cannon, Kalyn Amanda	10/6/2009
OTA001207	Jones, Sara Elizabeth	10/6/2009
OTA001208	Harris, Stephanie Lynn	10/13/2009
OTA001209	Reeves, James Adam	10/19/2009
OTA001210	Kendrick, Angela Hollan	10/19/2009
OTA001211	Bethea, Leah Stanley	10/20/2009
OTA001212	Stoker, Teresa Denise	10/28/2009
OTA001213	Gray, Lauren Padgett	11/3/2009

Reinstatements

License No.	Licensee	Issue Date
OT003131	Rettammel, Heather Lynn Handley	10/2/2009
OT004499	Motes, Nancy Olivia	9/28/2009

