

**Georgia State Board of Chiropractic Examiners  
Open Session Board Meeting Minutes  
Professional Licensing Boards  
Friday, August 7 2020 – 9:00 a.m.**

The State Board of Chiropractic Examiners met on **Friday, August 7 2020**, via Zoom for the purpose of conducting Board business.

**Present Board Members:**

Dr. Andrew Krantz, D.C., Chairman  
Dr. Robert Alpert, D.C., Vice Chairman  
Dr. Mary Watkins, D.C.  
Dr. David Wren, D.C.  
Dr. Joe Krzemien, D.C.

**Absent Board Members:**

Emily Campbell Marsh, Consumer Member

**Staff present:**

Ashley Foust, Licensure Analyst  
Logan Malcom, Board Support Specialist  
Darren Mickler, Executive Director

**Attorney General Representative present:**

Byron Thernes, Assistant Attorney General

**Guests:**

Georgia Chiropractic Association  
Dr. Michael Vaughn  
Steve  
Kaleb Scroggins  
Aubrey Villines

**Call to Order**

At 9:01 a.m., Chairman Dr. Andrew Krantz established that a quorum was present and called the meeting to order.

Dr. Michael Vaughn briefly spoke about the patient and chiropractor 1 on 1 vender participation and the pros & cons of having all online courses.

Guest Aubrey Villines spoke on the Emergency rule and when it would go to the Governor for approval.

Vice Chairman Dr. Robert Alpert made a motion for the Board to post Emergency Rule 100-5-.01-.02. Dr. Joe Krzeimen seconded, and the motion carried unanimously.

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Due to the COVID -19 pandemic and the associated concerns for the public and healthcare providers of our state, all Board approved Continuing Education may be obtained in person or by online, live webinar or other distance learning for the 2020 renewal period only. All of the current continuing education guidelines, including 15 hours of clinical, 4 hours of ethics/boundaries and 1 hour of Georgia law are still required.

The Rule does not have any negative economic impact on licensees.

**Executive Session**

At 9:19 a.m., Vice Chairman Dr. Robert Alpert motioned to enter into Executive Session, in accordance with O.C.G.A. 43-1-2(k) and 43-1-19(h). Dr. David Wren seconded. Voting in favor of the motion were those members present: Chairman Dr. Andrew Krantz, Dr. Mary Watkins and Dr. Joe Krzeimen.

The next meeting of the Board will be held on September 18, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.

With no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 9:41 a.m.

Minutes recorded by: Logan K. Malcom, Board Support Specialist

Minutes reviewed and edited by: Darren Mickler, Executive Director

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Dr. Andrew Krantz, Chairman

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Darren Mickler, Executive Director

Minutes Approved On: September 18, 2020