

**NEVADA STATE BOARD OF**

**PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINERS**

**MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING JANUARY 24, 2012**

Item 1- Call to order / roll call to determine the presence of a quorum. After determining the presence of a quorum, the meeting was called to order at 9:29am by Chairman Sidener. Board members in attendance Kathy Sidener, PT, Chairman; Andrea Menicucci, MS, CCC-SLP; Louie Puentedura, PT, DPT, PhD, OCS, FAAOMPT; Secretary/Treasurer; Tina Baum, PT, ATC, CLT; Lisa Mukavitz, PT, MPT, MBA, appeared by phone. Non-members in attendance: Richard Dreitzer, legal counsel; Jackie Miklas, board inspector; Allison Tresca, executive director.

Item 2 - Pledge of Allegiance.

Item 3 – Public comment period.

Item 4- Licensee Grzegorz Ros requests to be released from probation having met all requirements imposed by the Board. Probation was required due to absence from the field.

Motion to enter closed session: Puentedura.

Second to motion: Baum.

Passes unanimously.

After returning to open session –

Motion to release from probation, having met all the requirements imposed by the Board: Puentedura.

Second to motion: Baum.

Passes unanimously.

Item 5- Licensee Charles L. Jackson, Jr. requests to be released from probation having met all requirements imposed by the Board. Probation was required due to absence from the field.

Motion to enter closed session: Puentedura.

Second to motion: Baum.

Passes unanimously.

After returning to open session –

Motion to release from probation, having met all the requirements imposed by the Board: Puentedura.

Second to motion: Sidener.

Passes unanimously.

Item 6- Licensee Trena Jean Ray requests to be released from probation having met all requirements imposed by the Board. Probation was required due to absence from the field.  
Motion to enter closed session: Puentedura.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Passes unanimously.

After returning to open session –  
Motion to release from probation, having met all the requirements imposed by the Board: Baum.  
Second to motion: Puentedura.  
Passes unanimously.

Item 7- Licensee Susan R. Pennington requests to be released from probation having met all requirements imposed by the Board. Probation was required due to absence from the field.

Motion to enter closed session: Sidener.  
Second to motion: Puentedura.  
Passes unanimously.

After returning to open session –  
Motion to release from probation, having met all the requirements imposed by the Board: Sidener.  
Second to motion: Puentedura.  
Passes with Puentedura, Sidener, Baum, Menicucci. Mukavitz abstains.

Item 8- Applicant Christina Rose Miller requests approval to take the National Physical Therapy Examination for physical therapist's assistants a fourth time in accordance with NRS 640.100(4). The executive director reported to the Board that the applicant called and had an emergency, and therefore would not appear.

Item 9- Applicant Anthony R. Soto requests approval to take the National Physical Therapy Examination for physical therapist's assistants a third time in accordance with NRS 640.100(4).

Motion to enter closed session: Sidener.  
Second to motion: Menicucci.  
Passes unanimously.

After returning to open session –  
Motion to grant permission to take NPTE on April 26, 2012; must register and pay to ensure testing on that date: Menicucci.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Passes unanimously.

Item 10- Applicant Valeska Naire Villagran Sosa requests approval to take the National Physical Therapy Examination for physical therapist's assistants a third time in accordance with NRS 640.100(4).  
Motion to enter closed session: Menicucci.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Passes unanimously.

After returning to open session –  
Motion to grant permission to take NPTE on April 26, 2012; must register and pay to ensure testing on that date: Menicucci.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Passes unanimously.

Item 11- Applicant Cherie Ann Gatbalite Yorro requests to be licensed as a physical therapist without meeting the requirement of demonstration of proficiency in the English language as cited in Nevada Administrative Code 640.070(1)(c).

Motion to enter closed session: Sidener.  
Second to motion: Puentedura.  
Passes unanimously.

After returning to open session –  
Motion to deny request to waive the requirement of demonstration of proficiency in the English language as cited in Nevada Administrative Code 640.070(1)(c): Puentedura.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Passes unanimously.

Item 12- Applicant Jennifer L. O'Donnell requests to be licensed as a physical therapist. This appearance is necessary to address the applicant's absence from the field.

Motion to enter closed session: Puentedura.  
Second to motion: Menicucci.  
Passes unanimously.

After returning to open session –  
Motion to grant 18 month probationary license upon receipt of primary and secondary supervisors; supervisors required must remain on-site and co-sign all notes; work at least 20 hours per week for the probation to toll; obtain 3.0 units of continuing education; units obtained will count towards the annual license renewal requirement; 1.5 units will apply to renewal period; must appear to be released from probation: Puentedura.  
Second to motion: Menicucci.  
Passes unanimously.

Item 13- Applicant Anna Marie G. Stack Rivas requests to be licensed as a physical therapist. This appearance is necessary to address the applicant's work history.

Motion to enter closed session: Baum.  
Second to motion: Menicucci.  
Passes unanimously.

After returning to open session -  
Motion to grant 6 month probationary license upon receipt of primary and secondary supervisors; supervisors required must remain on-site and co-sign all notes; work at least 40 hours per week for the probation to toll; must appear to be released from probation: Puentedura.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Passes unanimously.

Item 14- Applicant Matthew Victor Noake requests to be licensed as a physical therapist's assistant.

Motion to enter closed session: Menicucci.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Passes unanimously.

After returning to open session -  
Motion to grant licensure: Puentedura.  
Second to motion: Menicucci.  
Passes unanimously.

Item 15- Applicant Mindy Oxman Renfro requests to be licensed as a physical therapist. This appearance is necessary due to the disciplinary action taken by another licensing Board.

Motion to enter closed session: Puentedura.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Passes unanimously.

After returning to open session -  
Board member Puentedura stated that the applicant duly checked the box on the application regarding discipline by another Board.

Motion to license: Puentedura.  
Second to motion: Sidener.

Discussion: Board member Menicucci asked if the applicant can be licensed with the revocation of her license and the withdrawn reference letter. Board member Puentedura said the matter is with another licensing Board and the applicant had to be honest on her application and she was honest.

Board member Baum stated that the withdrawn reference letter is an issue, as well as the disciplinary action by the Massachusetts Board. Board member

Sidener stated that the applicant had time to pursue continuing education, certifications and schooling, but she did not put that time towards her Massachusetts case. Board member Puentedura commented that the applicant has moved on and there is no reason for the Board to not allow her to move on. Board member Baum stated that a pulled reference is a concern and the only way to know the reason behind the withdrawal is to ask Ms. Brown. It was discussed that Ms. Brown indicated she would appear before the Board only under the order of subpoena. Board member Baum stated that as it is a reference from her supervisor that was withdrawn, that is of concern. It was suggested that the item be placed on hold to allow legal counsel to attempt to contact Ms. Brown via phone.

Ms. Brown was not available.

Motion to table for a special meeting as appropriate; subpoena Ms. Brown to appear: Puentedura.

Second to motion: Menicucci.

Passes with Puentedura, Menicucci, Baum, Sidener. Board member Mukavitz did not vote as she did not hear the entire discussion.

- Item 16- Licensee Harvey Shapira requests reimbursement of the \$150 late fee paid for the reinstatement of his physical therapy license. The director advised the Board that the licensee did not renew on-line or via paper renewal and his license expired. The licensee subsequently reinstated his license, which included a late fee of \$150.

Motion to deny request for reimbursement of late fee: Sidener.

Second to motion: Menicucci.

Passes unanimously.

- Item 17- Complaint Hearings or Review and Approval of Consent Decrees. (Action). Possible closed session for the Board to discuss the character, professional competence alleged misconduct, or physical or mental health of the person as allowed under NRS 241.030.

Case #2011-27 – Anat Yehushua, PT.

Board member Menicucci recused herself from this item as she was the investigative board member.

Richard Dreitzer advised the Board that this case was for failure to change a residential address timely, and a consent decree was offered to settle. The licensee agreed to the terms of the consent decree, which includes a \$50 fine and legal costs.

Motion to approve the consent decree as submitted: Puentedura.

Second to motion: Baum.

Passes with Puentedura, Baum and Sidener. Menicucci abstained as the investigative board member.

Case #2010-15 – Alicia D. Thomas, PT. Richard Dreitzer advised the Board members that the licensee was not served the notice of complaint and hearing as her address on file was not correct. The matter will be set for the next Las Vegas agenda.

Case #2011-04 – Mark R. Brandt, PTA.  
Board member Sidener recused herself from this item as she was the investigative board member.

Richard Dreitzer advised the Board that this case pertains to a licensee who did not take the required continuing education and had misrepresented his continuing education courses on his renewal application. A consent decree was offered to settle the case and the licensee accepted the terms, including a fine of \$750 and legal costs. The licensee will also take .9 units of board approved education to meet the deficiency and take an ethics course.

Motion to approve: Puentedura.

Second to motion: Baum.

Passes with Puentedura, Baum and Menicucci. Sidener abstained as the investigative board member,

Case #2010-24- Gary C. Amick, PT.

Richard Dreitzer advised the Board that he is negotiations with the licensee's attorney.

Item 18- Review and approval of minutes for Board meeting of November 7, 2011.

Motion to approve: Menicucci.

Second to motion: Sidener.

Passes unanimously.

Item 19- Review and approval of executive session minutes for Board meeting of November 7, 2011.

Motion to approve: Sidener.

Second to motion: Baum.

Passes unanimously.

Item 20- Review and approval of minutes for Board meeting of November 30, 2011.

Board member Puentedura requested the director to listen to the taped minutes to verify a vote. The item will be tabled until the next meeting.

Item 21- Review and approval of executive session minutes for Board meeting of November 30, 2011. The board did not enter closed session at the meeting, and therefore no executive session minutes were taken.

- Item 22- Review and approval of Treasurer's Report for period ending October 2011.  
Motion to approve: Sidener.  
Second to motion: Menicucci.  
Passes unanimously.
- Item 23- Review and approval of Profit and Loss Report for period ending October 2011.  
Motion to approve: Sidener.  
Second to motion: Menicucci.  
Passes unanimously.
- Item 24- Review and approval of Balance Sheet as of October 2011.  
Motion to approve: Puentedura.  
Second to motion: Menicucci.  
Passes unanimously.
- Item 25- Review and approval of Treasurer's Report for period ending November 2011.  
Motion to approve: Menicucci.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Passes unanimously.
- Item 26- Review and approval of Profit and Loss Report for period ending November 2011.  
Motion to approve: Sidener.  
Second to motion: Puentedura.  
Passes unanimously.
- Item 27- Review and approval of Balance Sheet as of November 2011.  
Motion to approve: Baum.  
Second to motion: Menicucci.  
Passes unanimously.
- Item 28- Review and approval of Treasurer's Report for period ending December 2011.  
Motion to approve: Menicucci.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Passes unanimously.
- Item 29- Review and approval of Profit and Loss Report for period ending December 2011.  
Motion to approve: Menicucci.  
Second to motion: Puentedura.  
Passes unanimously.
- Item 30- Review and approval of Balance Sheet as of December 2011.  
Motion to approve: Sidener.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Passes unanimously.

- Item 31- Review and approval of current Fiscal Year Budget Report.  
Motion to approve: Baum.  
Second to motion: Menicucci.  
Passes unanimously.
- Item 32- Review and approval of Executive Director's Report as of January 13, 2012.  
Motion to approve: Baum.  
Second: Puentedura.  
Passes unanimously.
- Item 33- Review and consideration of matters presented by the Nevada Chapter of the American Physical Therapy Association. Sue Schuerman appeared for the NPTA and thanked the board for agreeing to the complaint process against staff members. She stated that the NPTA wants all Board members to review all complaints. She stated that the NPTA had forwarded a complaint to the Board and the licensee reported that only one person spoke to him and his complaint was not resolved. Chairman Sidener stated that the NPTA forwarded a complaint to her 3 weeks after having received it. She personally called the licensee and the issue was resolved with a phone call. She noted that she offered the licensee the opportunity to file a formal complaint and the licensee declined as the matter was resolved to his satisfaction. Ms. Schuerman stated that they want a way to file anonymous complaints. Chairman Sidener stated that in order to investigate any complaint, whether against a licensee, staff or Board member, a formal complaint with details and signature must be received. The Board cannot investigate when there are no details. A licensee, staff member or board member cannot respond to a complaint without specifics. Chairman Sidener reminded the NPTA that a complaint process was in place for over a decade and the process was recently reviewed by the NPTA and their legal counsel, and was fully agreed to in May 2011. She advised that the Board members are calling every new licensee and if there is a process or staff issue, it will be fresh in their minds. Chairman Sidener noted that there is public comment at the beginning and end of each agenda and therefore the NPTA may address the Board at those times. She noted that if there was a specific item the NPTA wanted action on, they should a request to the Board office so the item can be noticed for the public to be aware. She noted that the Board cannot grant specific appearance times as has been requested by the NPTA. Board member Puentedura asked if the complaint policy needs to be changed as the current language is "written complaint" and does not mention a signature is required for investigation. Richard Dreitzer stated that there is a vehicle for complaints to come to the Chairman in many ways. Ms. Schuerman stated they hear process problems and people are fearful to complain. Richard Dreitzer stated that there may be a fear or concern, but if someone is concerned they have to step up and give specifics to get it looked into. He noted that complaints against licensees are required to be signed as the licensees must be afforded the opportunity to address the allegations, and the same is necessary for complaints against staff or Board members. Richard

Dreitzer stated that the language in the complaint policy was agreed to by the NPTA and their legal counsel and does not want to change it unless the NPTA makes a request to do so.

Item 34- The APTA requests that the Board change the administrative code pertaining to continuing education to allow credit for clinical mentors. Board member Puentedura stated that this does not pertain to clinical instructors, but a clinical mentor in a fellowship program. He noted that the placement is not for a student, but a licensee. Sue Schuerman stated that person taking on a mentor would have to give a lot of their time and effort and must be on top of their game to do this. The executive director said a change to the administrative code would be in order and referenced NAC 640.420, NAC 640.450 and NAC 640.460. Board member Sidener stated the Board should gather information as to what other jurisdictions are doing in awarding continuing education units.

Motion to the director to poll the other licensing jurisdictions as to what they are doing in regards to recognizing and awarding units and to add the item to the NAC review list: Sidener.

Second to motion: Puentedura.

Passes unanimously.

Item 35- Consideration of courses recommended by the Advisory Committee on Continuing Education at their meeting of December 8, 2011.

Motion to approve through July 31, 2013: Puentedura.

Second to motion: Menicucci.

Passes unanimously.

Recommended for approval:

Provider	Course	Type	CE Units for renewal purposes	CE Units for all other purposes	Unit Type
APTA	2011 State Policy & Payment Forum-Legislative Track	On-Site	0.8	1.75	Non-Clinical
APTA	2011 State Policy & Payment Forum-Reimbursement Plus Track	On-Site	0.8	2.15	Non-Clinical
APTA	2011 State Policy & Payment Forum-Reimbursement Track	On-Site	0.8	1.75	Non-Clinical
APTA	A To Z Conducting Clinical Research	On-Site	0.4	0.4	Non-Clinical
APTA	Airway Clearance Techniques Training	On-Site	0.9	0.9	Clinical
APTA	Barefoot Running: So Easy a Caveman Did it!	Internet	0.25	0.25	Clinical

APTA	Care of the Infant & Toddler with Cystic Fibrosis	On-Site	0.4	0.4	Clinical
APTA	Cystic Fibrosis Nutrition 101: Introduction to Cystic Fibrosis Nutrition	On-Site	0.4	0.4	Clinical
APTA	Cystic Fibrosis Related Diabetes 11: Pushing to the Next level	On-Site	0.4	0.4	Clinical
APTA	ELI: Module 1 - Personal Leadership and Management	Internet	0.8	4.1	Non-Clinical
APTA	ELI: Module 2 - Higher Education, Health Care Systems, and Society	Internet	0.8	4	Non-Clinical
APTA	Gastroenterology for the Non-gastroenterologist	On-Site	0.4	0.4	Clinical
APTA	Hospital Based Direct Access	Audio Conference	0.2	0.2	Non-Clinical
APTA	JOSPT - Appropriate Use of Diagnostic Imaging in Low Back Pain: A Reminder that Unnecessary Imaging may do as Much Harm as Good	Internet	0.2	0.2	Clinical
APTA	JOSPT-Reliability and Diagnostic Accuracy of the Lachman Test Performed in a Prone Position	Internet	0.2	0.2	Clinical
APTA	Leading the Team: A Practical Guide to Working with PTA's	Internet	0.2	0.2	Non-Clinical
APTA	Medicare Audits and Physical Therapy: Mitigate Your Risk	Audio Conference	0.2	0.2	Non-Clinical
APTA	Mental Health and Aging: The ART in Successful Aging	Internet	0.3	0.3	Clinical
APTA	Multiple Sclerosis: Improving Physical Therapy Outcomes by Minimizing Neurogenic Fatigue and Maximizing Neuroplasticity	Internet	0.2	0.2	Clinical
APTA	Neurologic Practice Essentials: An Outcome Measures Toolbox-Internet	Internet	0.3	0.3	Clinical
APTA	Overuse Foot Disorders: Current Concepts in Biomechanics, Examination & Selected Interventions	On-Site	1.5	1.6	Clinical
APTA	Physical Therapy and PQRS in 2012: 0.5% Bonus Payment	Audio Conference	0.2	0.2	Non-Clinical
APTA	Professionalism Module 8: Evidence-Based Practice in the Real World	Internet	0.2	0.2	Clinical
APTA	Professionalism Module 9: Social Responsibility, Advocacy & Public Policy	Internet	0.25	0.25	Non-Clinical

APTA	Raising the Bar: Tips to Measure and Improve the Quality for PT Practices	Audio Conference	0.2	0.2	Non-Clinical
APTA	Rehab Essentials: Management of the Out-Patients	Internet	0.6	0.6	Clinical
APTA	Risky Business: What you Need to Know About Adolescent & Young Adults CF-specific Reproductive Health Communication & Sexuality	On-Site	0.4	0.4	Clinical
APTA	Structuring Clinical Interventions to Maximize Motor Recovery after Stroke and Spinal Cord Injury: The Importance of Amount, Intensity and Type of Practice	Internet	0.3	0.3	Clinical
APTA	Successful Transition Programs Across the Lifespan	On-Site	0.4	0.4	Clinical
APTA	The Basics of Comprehensive Care for Adults with Cystic Fibrosis	On-Site	0.4	0.4	Clinical
APTA	The International Classification of Functioning, Disability & Health	Internet	0.25	0.25	Non-Clinical
APTA	Walking and Talking: Implications of Dual Task Balance and Walking Research for Physical Therapy Practice	Internet	0.25	0.25	Clinical
APTA	Winning with Cystic Fibrosis: Strategies for a Successful Transition	On-Site	0.8	0.8	Clinical
APTA	Yoga & Pilates Techniques for Individuals with Cystic Fibrosis Across the Lifespan	On-Site	0.4	0.4	Clinical
APTA	Biomechanical Factors Underlying Running Injuries: Proximal and Distal Factors	Internet	1.5	1.5	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Are You Boomer Ready?- Joint Replacement Rehabilitation-Internet	Internet	0.6	0.6	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Effective Neurological Management of Sensory Processing Disorders	On-Site	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Evaluating and Writing an Effective Home Modification Evaluation Report: The Do's and Don'ts-Module 1	Online Module-Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Evaluating and Writing an Effective Home Modification Evaluation Report: The Do's and Don'ts-Module 2	Online Module-Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical

Cross Country Education	Evaluating and Writing an Effective Home Modification Evaluation Report: The Do's and Don'ts-Module 3	Online Module-Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Evaluating and Writing an Effective Home Modification Evaluation Report: The Do's and Don'ts-Module 4	Online Module-Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Evaluating and Writing an Effective Home Modification Evaluation Report: The Do's and Don'ts-Module 5	Online Module-Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Evaluating and Writing an Effective Home Modification Evaluation Report: The Do's and Don'ts-Module 6	Online Module-Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Facilitation and Training Techniques for Core Stability	On-Site	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Getting the PIQ-ture Assessing and Treating Common Pediatric Patients-Internet	Internet	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Management of the Dizzy Patient - Rebroadcast	Rebroadcast (Internet)	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Pharmacology Landmines in Rehabilitation-Internet	Internet	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Relearning Kinesia Treatment for Parkinson's Disease	On-Site	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Rotator Cuff Syndrome: From Impingement to Post-Operative Rehab-Internet	Internet	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Sports-Related Injuries in the Young Athlete: Evidence-Based Treatment & Prevention	On-Site	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Stroke Rehab Impairment-Based Interventions for all Stages of Recovery - Rebroadcast	Rebroadcast (Internet)	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Suspected Apraxia and Early Intervention-Internet	Internet	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Cross Country Education	Vestibular Rehabilitation: Evaluation and Management-Internet	Internet	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Gannett Education	A Complementary and Integrative Practices Potpourri	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	Body Fat Shapes Patients' Health	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	Calming the Cognitively Impaired	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	Can You Answer Patients' Questions about Clinical Trials?	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical

Gannett Education	Cardio Tests: Noninvasive Procedures Aid Diagnosis of Cardiovascular Disease	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	Cystic Fibrosis: No Cure yet, but Treatment Advances Continue	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	Decades Later - Post - Polio Syndrome	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	Posterior Shoulder Tightness: Implications for the Physical Therapist	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	Rheumatoid Arthritis - Living with a Chronic Disease	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	Sarcopenia Robs Older Adults of Strength	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	Sports - Related Concussions: Tracking a Growing Trend	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	The Two Sides of Stroke	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	Understanding and Knowing How to Treat Amyotrophic	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	Up-To-Date on Asthma in Adults: The Newest Guideline	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Gannett Education	How to Recognize and Describe Dementia	Internet	0.1		Clinical
Gannett Education	Parental Reactions to Having a Child with Special Healthcare Needs	Internet	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Great Lakes Seminars	Mobilization of the Cervical & Thoracic Spine & Ribs	On-Site	1.5	1.55	Clinical
Health ED	Understanding Older Minds	On Site	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Health Educators of America	Patello-Femoral Pain	Home Study	1	1	Clinical
Health Educators of America	Saco Iliac Joint: A Complex Joint Made Simple	Home Study/ DVD	1	1	Clinical
Health.edu	Young Speed and Agility Program # 13811	Internet/ Home Study / Video/ DVD	0.1	0.1	Clinical.
Institute for Natural Resources	Conquering Pain	On-Site Live Seminar	0.775	0.775	Clinical
Institute for Natural Resources	Sleep Deprivation, Autism & ADHD	On-Site Live Seminar	0.7	0.7	Clinical
International Clinical Educators	Facilitating Movement and Improving Function in Adult Hemiplegia	On-Site	1.5	1.65	Clinical
Maitland Australian Physiotherapy Seminars	Maitland Symposium: " The Maitland Approach: Truly Evidence Based Clinical Practice "	On-Site	1.5	2.2	Clinical

Mobility Research	Partial Weight Bearing Gait Training Inservice	On-Site	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Monica Diamond	NDT/BoBath Certificate Course in the Management and Treatment of Adults with Hemiplegia	On-Site	0.77	0.77	Clinical
Motivations, Inc.	Interventions to Improve Geriatric Mobility #9136	Home-Study	0.8	0.8	Clinical
Motivations, Inc.	Wheelchair Description #9418	Home-Study	0.8	0.8	Clinical
Physiotherapy Associates	2012 Professional Baseball Medicine Conference	On-Site	1.5	1.6	Clinical
The McKenzie Institute USA	Part A - Mechanical Diagnosis and Therapy: The Lumbar Spine	Home Study w/ On-Site	1.5	2.6	Clinical
The McKenzie Institute USA	Part B - Mechanical Diagnosis and Therapy: The Cervical & Thoracic Spine	Home Study w/ On-Site	1.5	2.6	Clinical
URSA Foundation	Assessment of the Walk Cycle for the Manual Therapist	On-Site	1.5	2	Clinical

Recommended for denial:

Motion to deny: Puentedura.

Second to motion: Sidener.

Passes unanimously.

Provider	Course	Type	Reason
APTA	Joint Commission: What Physical Therapist Practices Need to Know	Audio Conference	Not enough content to award units

Item 36- Activities of the Board office.

- a) Update of the activity of the Legislative Sunset Subcommittee. The Board was not selected for the first round of reviews. The process is beginning to take place as the Committee establishes criteria for the review.
- b) Request for guidelines for the upcoming annual inspections. It was discussed that inspections usually occur beginning August or September, however with the hiring of a new inspector, it has been delayed.  
Motion for routine inspections to be conducted; perform 15% of all facilities, excluding home health, rural areas, and educational institutions: Menicucci.  
Second: Puentedura.  
Passes unanimously.

Item 37- Report from legal counsel regarding pending cases.

It was reported that all cases submitted to legal counsel have been prepared.

- Item 38- Report from Board member Mukavitz regarding the new licensee surveys. Chairman Sidener reported as member Mukavitz had left the meeting. She stated that some people are frustrated with the licensure process, but that happens and cannot be avoided. She noted that the feedback is important but not all licensees respond, despite multiple attempts to reach them. She noted that some licensees had questions as to why the Board required undergraduate transcripts and a few said it took too long to get member signatures. She noted that the survey revealed most licensees reported they received friendly service, and a few licensees said they received somewhat friendly service. Board member Menicucci stated that she contacted 6 licensees and received only 2 responses. Board member Puentedura stated the licensees were glad he contacted them.
- Item 39- Items for future agendas. Board member Puentedura requests an agenda item on dry needling for the March agenda. The executive director advised that the item was already set for that meeting per the request of a license. Board member Puentedura requested that the Board consider evening or Saturday meetings and would like that discussed when scheduling the next board meeting.
- Item 40- Public comment period.
- Item 41- Review of files/ratification for licensure.  
 Motion to approve: Sidener.  
 Second to motion. Menicucci.  
 Passes unanimously.

FILES FOR REVIEW/RATIFICATION:  
Physical Therapists

LAST	FIRST	LICENSE
Briguez	Bryan	2610
Tolentino	Michelle Cherry	2611
Twohy	Lucy	2612
Slaninka	Christine	2613
Kegler	Christopher	2614
Walter	Justina	2615
Williams	Kimiko Oneika	2616
Brigino	Lee	2617
Moeller	Katharine	2618
DeFrancesco	Danielle	2619
Johnson	Christopher Steven	2620
Warner	Tiffany	2621
Shrier	Heidi	2622
Seifert	Ryan Thomas	2623
Flippin	Brandon Leimakani	2624
Bidkar	Pauravi	2625

Peurifoy	Laura Katherine	2626
Huss	Jessica	2627
Fleming	Rodney	2628
Munson	Michele	2629
Nobis	Donald	2630
Olsen	Jerald	2631
Mullenix	Shauna	2632
Diabo	Tienahosa	2633
Hawley	Nicolas	2634
Schulze	Andrew	2635

*Physical Therapist's Assistants*

LAST	FIRST	LICENSE
Garcia	Cassandra	A-0584
Crenshaw	Caroline Nicole	A-0585
Topacio	Brian	A-0586
Nichols	David	A-0587
Larivee	Andre	A-0588
Okada	Nicole	A-0589
Hogue	Randy	A-0590
Price	Samantha	A-0591

- Item 42- Confirm schedule of future Board meetings and their locations. Board member Puentedura requested the March 22 meeting in Reno be changed to March 20. The meeting was changed. The next Las Vegas meeting will be held on May 22, 2012.
- Item 43- Adjournment of the Board meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 2:52pm by Chairman Sidener.