

## NEVADA STATE BOARD OF

### PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINERS

#### BOARD MEETING MINUTES JANUARY 14, 2016

- 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 by Chairman Baum at 11:04 am. Members present Tina Baum, PT, DPT, WCS, ATC, CLT, Chairman; James McKivigan, DC, PT, MPA, MA, Secretary/Treasurer; Sherise R. Smith, PT, MSPT, CBIS, Vice Chairman; Andrea Menicucci, MS, CCC-SLP, Public member. Non-members present Richard Dreitzer, legal counsel; Allison Tresca, executive director; Paula Berkley, lobbyist. For all others in attendance, refer to the sign-in sheet.
- Item 2- Update of Board member appointments. The Director advised the Board that she received an email from the Governor's Office earlier this morning, which advised a new member had been appointed on December 14. The director noted that the Governor's Office representative apologized for not notifying the Board of this sooner. The director reported the new member is from Reno, and his name is Brian Fearnley. The director also noted that she contacted the new member by phone once she learned of his appointment, and she asked him for his availability for a March meeting. She advised the Board that Mr. Fearnley stated he would send an email with his availability.
- Item 3- Pledge of Allegiance.
- Item 4- Public comment period. There was no public comment.
- Item 5- Applicant Diane Gamit requests to take the National Physical Therapy Examination for Physical Therapist's Assistants a fourth time in accordance with NRS 640.140.

Motion to enter closed session: Smith.

Second to motion: Menicucci.

Motion passes unanimously.

After returning to open session:

Rebecca Cheema, PT, program director from Pima, advised the Board that the applicant had been recently attending supervised study sessions at the school, and in her opinion, the applicant was not at the threshold to test at this time. Ms. Cheema stated that the applicant might be ready to test in April, depending on the progress she makes including the results of practice examinations.

Motion to table the request to test to the meeting in February and the applicant will submit an updated study plan and a letter from her program as to the applicant's readiness to test: Smith.

Second to motion: McKivigan.

Motion passes unanimously.

- Item 6- Applicant Emily Luke requests to take the National Physical Therapy Examination for Physical Therapist's Assistants a fourth time in accordance with NRS 640.140.

Motion to enter closed session: Baum.

Second to motion: McKivigan.

Motion passes unanimously.

After returning to open session:

Rebecca Cheema, PT, program director from Pima, advised the Board that the applicant had been recently attending supervised study sessions at the school, and in her opinion, the applicant was not at the threshold to test at this time. Ms. Cheema stated that the applicant might be ready to test in April, depending on the progress she makes including the results of practice examinations.

Motion to table the request to test to the meeting in February and the applicant will submit an updated study plan and a letter from her program as to the applicant's readiness to test: Baum.

Second to motion: Smith.

Motion passes unanimously.

- Item 7- Applicant Eric Raba requests to take the National Physical Therapy Examination for Physical Therapist's Assistants a third time in accordance with NRS 640.140.

Motion to enter closed session: Baum.

Second to motion: McKivigan.

Passes unanimously

After returning to open session:

Motion to grant approval to test in either April or July 2016: Smith.

Second to motion: Baum.

Passes with Baum, Smith, and Menicucci. Opposed: McKivigan.

- Item 8- Applicant Yanet Jackelin Echart requests to take the National Physical Therapy Examination for Physical Therapists a third time in accordance with NRS 640.140.

Motion to enter closed session: Baum.

Second to motion: McKivigan.

Passes unanimously

After returning to open session:

Motion to grant approval to test in either April or July 2016: Smith.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Motion passes unanimously.

- Item 9- Applicant Iman Khowailed is requesting a license as a physical therapist. This appearance is necessary to address the applicant's work experiences.

Motion to enter closed session: Menicucci.  
Second to motion: McKivigan.  
Motion passes unanimously.

After returning to open session:

Motion to offer one probationary license, with primary and secondary Board-approved supervisors; must work at least 20 hours per week; must appear to seek release from probation; offer valid for six months from the date of appearance: Smith.  
Second to motion: Baum.  
Passes with Baum, Menicucci, Smith. Member McKivigan abstained from voting.

- Item 10- Licensee Nicholas Hernandez requests an early release from probation, which was imposed due to his absence from the field and work experiences.

Motion to enter closed session: Baum.  
Second to motion: McKivigan.  
Motion passes unanimously.

After returning to open session:

Motion to release Nicholas Hernandez, from probation, having met the terms imposed: Menicucci.  
Second to motion: McKivigan.  
Motion passes with Baum, McKivigan, Menicucci. Member Smith opposed.

- Item 11- Applicant James Troy Boone requests to be licensed. This appearance is necessary due to the results of the applicant's fingerprinting.

Motion to enter closed session: McKivigan.  
Second to motion: Smith.  
Motion passes unanimously.

After returning to open session:

Motion to license the applicant: Smith.  
Second to motion: McKivigan.

Motion passes unanimously.

Item 12- Review and approval of minutes for Board meeting of November 5, 2015.

Motion to approve with changes: Baum.

Second: McKivigan.

Motion passes unanimously.

Item 13- Review and approval of executive session minutes for Board meeting of November 5, 2015. There were no closed session minutes as the Board did not enter closed session.

Item 14- Review and approval of minutes for Board meeting of November 6, 2015.

Chairman Baum stated she needed to review the taped minutes on this item to ensure accuracy. The Board tabled the item.

Item 15- Review and approval of executive session minutes for Board meeting of November 6, 2015.

Motion to approve with changes: Baum.

Second: McKivigan.

Motion passes unanimously.

Item 16- Review and approval of minutes for Board meeting of December 14, 2015.

Motion to approve the minutes: Menicucci.

Second to motion: Smith.

Motion passes unanimously.

Item 17- Review and approval of executive session minutes for Board meeting of December 14, 2015.

Chairman Baum requested to review the taped minutes on this item. The Board tabled the item.

Item 18- Review and approval of Treasurer's Report for the period ending October 2015.

Motion to approve Smith.

Second: Baum.

Motion passes unanimously.

Item 19- Review and approval of Profit and Loss Report for the period ending October 2015.

Motion to approve Smith.

Second: Baum.

Passes unanimously

Item 20- Review and Approval of Balance Sheet as of October 2015.

The director was asked to check with the bookkeeper if the health insurance is posted in the correct category or needs to be moved to be connected to salary.

Motion to approve Smith.

Second: Baum.

Passes unanimously

Item 21- Review and approval of Treasurer's Report for the period ending November 2015.

Motion to approve Smith.

Second: Baum.

Passes unanimously

Item 22- Review and approval of Profit and Loss Report for the period ending November 2015.

Motion to approve Smith.

Second: Baum.

Passes unanimously

Item 23- Review and Approval of Balance Sheet as of November 2015.

Motion to approve Smith.

Second: Baum.

Passes unanimously

Item 24- Review and approval of Director's Report ending December 31, 2015.

Motion to approve: Baum.

Second to motion: McKivigan.

Motion passes unanimously.

Item 25 - Request from Stacy Fisher, PT, as to whether or not it is within the scope of practice for physical therapists to perform glucose skin tests to assess patients.

Ms. Fisher addressed the Board - She stated that "part of what we do as physical therapists is the need to know the status of our patients." She noted they treat a variety of patients; access vital signs and this would be one more piece of the clinical picture. She stated the therapist needs to know if the patient is at their optimal level for therapy. She stated she would like to have this information when determining the care, and before an increase in heart rate or blood pressure occurred.

Chairman Baum noted that when looking through the information submitted, the term "finger stick" is used, and it was not something she did a lot of in her

practice. Public Member Menicucci noted that the new devices are much more efficient as a result is available with a smaller blood sample. Vice Chairman Smith noted that the devices are personal in nature and something done by the patient.

Dr. Laymon, PT, DSc, OCS - Stated that someone who has diabetes might not know they levels are off. He noted that the Mayo Clinic suggests taking glucose levels before, during and after exercise. He stated the Board has a policy which allows for dry needling, and this is less invasive. He noted that patients would most often do this themselves, but if there is a problem or concern, the licensee may need to step in to do it. He stated that this for patient safety and standard of care. He noted that not all patients know they have diabetes as they have not been diagnosed, and are therefore unaware of the symptoms.

Chairman Baum stated the current law does not say licensees cannot perform this function.

Stacy Fisher reminded the Board they allowed for licensees to administer Epi-Pens. The Board reminded Ms. Fisher that the Board determined that the regulation was limited to those in a school setting, and pertained to certain trained staff, and was not a licensing matter of this Board.

Paula Berkley states that from a legislative point of view, it is the statutes that say what you can do, and noted that this test is not a mechanism for the therapists to diagnose diabetes. Vice Chairman Smith noted that was correct, just as taking other vitals is not to diagnose, but to refer patients to their physicians when warranted. Richard Dreitzer noted it was used for the care of patients to determine safety and plan of care.

**Motion to direct legal counsel Richard Dreitzer to draft policy that permits blood glucose monitoring; he will check with other Boards as to their regulations/policies; use the APTA Guide to Physical therapy practices as a reference; and include language that this is not for diagnostic purposes:**

**Baum.**

**Second to motion: Smith.**

Motion passes unanimously.

Item 26 – Update of activities of the Board office. (Discussion only).

1) Review and Consideration of Executive Director’s performance evaluation form to be used, and determination of goals for 2016.

Motion to enter closed session: Baum.

Second: McKivigan.

Motion passes unanimously.

After returning to open session:

Motion to approve the form as is; table to set goals to the next meeting: Baum.

Second to motion: Menicucci.  
 Motion passes unanimously.

- 2) Update on moving towards a live website and going paperless. The director noted that she was moving forward and gathering information to get a new vendor to handle the Board's website. She is also gathering information for the Board to secure a vendor to move the Board to a paperless system wherein the licensees will handle everything pertaining to their license, renewals, updates, etc. via a live system.
- 3) Review and approval of the budget for fiscal year 2015/16 and 2016/17. Vice Chairman Smith asked if it was appropriate for the Board to consider a budget when in the middle of the timeframe of the budget. The director noted that money from renewals has to be moved, which takes place after the starting period for the budget. She also noted she was waiting to secure costs for the new live system to place in the budget. The director noted that the process to create a budget was provided in the previous desktop version of Quickbooks, and was an easy process to follow. The director noted that the live version of Quickbooks does not include budget tools and the cost to add that was \$499, which was purchased. The director noted that when she looked at the new version, it was quite different than the previous version and it was going to take a bit longer to prepare the budget as she needed to learn to navigate the new version.

Motion to table the budget: Baum.  
 Second to motion: McKivigan.  
 Motion passes unanimously.

Item 27- Review and ratification of licenses.  
 Motion to ratify the licenses: Menicucci.  
 Second to motion: McKivigan.  
 Motion passes unanimously.

Physical Therapists -

LAST	FIRST	LICENSE #	ISSUED	METHOD	APPLIED	DAYS
Coninx	Kimberly	3239	11/3 /2015	Ends	10/20/2015	14
Pyfer	Jason Harley	3240	11/3 /2015	Ends	10/1 /2015	33
Stewart	Andrew	3241	11/6 /2015	Ends	8 /6 /2015	92
Rossmann	Matthew	3242	11/6 /2015	Ends	7 /31/2015	98
Dotson	Terry	3243	11/6 /2015	Exam	3 /23/2015	228
Smith	Andrea Bankowski	3244	11/17/2015	Exam	6 /11/2015	159
Gierczak	Sterling	3245	11/17/2015	Ends	10/29/2015	19
Cu	Jerickson	3246	11/17/2015	Ends	10/22/2015	26
Gray	Elena	3247	11/17/2015	Ends	10/12/2015	36
Ono-Moore	Colin	3248	11/24/2015	Ends	11/2 /2015	22
Hartley	Todd	3249	11/24/2015	Ends	10/14/2015	41
Mavropoulos	Konstantinos	3250	11/24/2015	Ends	10/25/2015	30

Salinas	Rey Christian	3251	11/24/2015	Ends	12/2 /2014	357
Amato	Casey	3252	12/7 /2015	Ends	10/17/2015	51
Riley	Julia	3253	12/7 /2015	Ends	11/9 /2015	28
Devlin	Patrick	3254	12/14/2015	Ends	11/2 /2015	42
Mannino	Amy	3255	12/14/2015	Ends	11/9 /2015	35
Ho	Kai-Yu	3256	12/16/2015	Ends	7 /30/2015	139
Williams	Robert	3257	12/16/2015	Exam	6 /25/2015	174
Walker	David	3258	12/31/2015	Ends	11/18/2015	43
Lapierre	Brianne	3259	12/31/2015	Ends	11/13/2015	48
Buckman	Amy	3260	12/31/2015	Ends	12/10/2015	21
Laird	Trenton	3261	12/31/2015	Ends	12/3 /2015	28
Patel	Rutva	3262	12/31/2015	Ends	7 /6 /2015	178

### Physical Therapist's Assistants

LAST	FIRST	LICENSE #	ISSUED	METHOD	APPLIED	DAYS
Hicks	Cassandra	A-0859	11/3 /2015	Ends	10/17/2015	17
Tanner	Gerald	A-0860	11/17/2015	Ends	10/17/2015	31
Doney	Jennifer	A-0861	11/17/2015	Ends	10/16/2015	32
Leonard	Julie	A-0862	11/17/2015	Ends	4 /20/2015	211
Codispoti	Benjamin Anthony	A-0863	12/31/2015	Ends	12/10/2015	21

Item 28 - Consideration of courses recommended by the Advisory Committee on Continuing Education at their meetings of November 10 and December 3, 2015, for the units listed through July 31, 2017.

Chairman Baum noted that during the performance evaluation of Muriel Morin-Mendes, licensing coordinator, the director advised that there had been a dramatic increase in course submissions. Chairman Baum stated she asked the director for the actual number of courses from 2014 to 2015, and there was a 156% increase of course submissions, which generated more work for staff, and more meetings held by the Advisory Committee on Continuing Education.

Motion to approve the courses as recommended: Menicucci.

Second to motion: Baum.

Motion passes unanimously.

Provider	Course	Type	CE Units for renewal purposes	CE Units for all other purposes	Unit Type
Allied Health Education	Achieving Structural Balance: Biomechanics, Neurophysiology and Joint Function in Yoga Posture Prescription (Modules 6 & 7) Recorded	Recorded Webinar	0.25	0.25	Clinical

Allied Health Education	Multiple Sclerosis: Treatment Strategies for the Allied Health Professional-Live Webinar	Internet	0.2	0.2	Clinical
Allied Health Education	Multiple Sclerosis: Treatment Strategies for the Allied Health Professional-On-Demand Webinar	Internet	0.2	0.2	Clinical
Allied Health Education	Rotator Cuff Dysfunction-Part 2: Surgical Intervention and Postoperative Rehab (Live Webinar)	Internet (Live Webinar)	0.2	0.2	Clinical
Allied Health Education	Rotator Cuff Dysfunction-Part 2: Surgical Intervention and Postoperative Rehab (On-Demand)	Internet (On-Demand)	0.2	0.2	Clinical
APTA	Management of the Out-Patient with Musculoskeletal Disorders	Internet	0.6	0.6	Clinical
APTA	2016 Combined Sections Meeting of the American Physical Therapy Association	On-Site	1.5	1.9	Clinical
APTA	Advanced Strength and Conditioning and Nutrition for Athletes	On-Site	0.95	0.95	Clinical
APTA	APTA Insurance Forum 2015	On-Site	0.8	0.8	Nom-Clinical
APTA	Central Sensitization: A Neurodynamics and Neuroscience Approach	On-Site	0.95	0.95	Clinical
APTA	Clinical Decision Making in Therapeutic Exercise Prescription	On-Site	1.5	1.7	Clinical
APTA	Creative Use of Mobility Equipment to Improve Outcomes in Function and Safety	On-Site	0.85	0.85	Clinical
APTA	Critical Appraisal of Literature for Preparing Evidence Based Documents: Hands -On Training	On-Site	0.83	0.83	Clinical
APTA	Dynamic Neuromuscular Stabilization: Assessment and Management of Performing Artists	On-Site	0.9	0.9	Clinical
APTA	Electrotherapy: From Parameter Settings to Treatment Uses and Device Selection	On-Site	1.28	1.28	Clinical
APTA	Evidence-Based Assessment and Management of Sport-Related Concussion	On-Site	0.95	0.95	Clinical
APTA	Evidence-Based Rehabilitation of Patients with Parkinson Disease	On-Site	1.5	1.7	Clinical
APTA	Exercise for Osteoporosis Though Bone Fit Training	On-Site	1.5	1.75	Clinical

APTA	From Peewee to Pro: Early Sports Specialization in the Young Athlete	On-Site	0.95	0.95	Clinical
APTA	Get a Kick out of Gait Analysis: Implications for the Foot and Ankle	On-Site	0.85	0.85	Clinical
APTA	Intersection of the Triple Aim, Data, and Clinical Practice	On-Site	0.8	0.8	Non-Clinical
APTA	Maintenance Therapy in Postacute Settings	On-Site	0.8	0.8	Non-Clinical
APTA	Management of Advanced Breast Cancer: Implications for Rehabilitation	On-Site	0.71	0.71	Clinical
APTA	Management of Infants and Young Children with Congenital Muscular Torticollis	On-Site	0.95	0.95	Clinical
APTA	Management of Patients with Lower Extremity Vessel Disorders	On-Site	0.9	0.9	Clinical
APTA	Managing Balance Impairments and Fall Risk for Adult Cancer Survivors	On-Site	0.92	0.92	Clinical
APTA	mTBI in Athletics: The University of Cincinnati Program	On-Site	1	1	Clinical
APTA	NCS Breakfast: What the World Needs Now are Practice Leaders	On-Site	0.15	0.15	Clinical
APTA	New Advances in Management of Male Continence	On-Site	0.8	0.8	Clinical
APTA	Pediatric Pelvic Floor Function and Dysfunction	On-Site	1.5	1.7	Clinical
APTA	Physical Therapy and PQRS in 2016: How to Report Successfully	On-Site	0.2	0.2	Non-Clinical
APTA	Practical Application of Telehealth	Internet	0.2	0.2	Non-Clinical
APTA	Preparing to Become a Board Certified Sports Physical Therapist: A Board Exam Study Course	On-Site	1.5	1.7	Clinical
APTA	Productivity or Value: What is the Difference and How Should PTs be Judged on Performance?	Internet	0.2	0.02	Non-Clinical
APTA	Rancho Observational Gait Analysis: Maximizing Outcomes for Individuals with Neurologic Impairment	On-Site	1.5	1.55	Clinical
APTA	Sports Medicine Secrets for the Advanced Orthopedic Clinician	On-Site	0.8	0.8	Clinical
APTA	Symmetry with Limb Loss: Maximizing Function After Amputation	On-Site	0.95	0.95	Clinical

APTA	Technopalooza: Focus on Wearable Technology in Physical Therapy	On-Site	0.9	0.9	Clinical
APTA	Walking the Walk: Translating Research Evidence into Clinical Practice	On-Site	0.9	0.9	Non-Clinical
APTA	What's New for Medicare Payment in 2016: Post-Acute Care Providers	Internet	0.2	0.2	Clinical
APTA	Wound Care Pearls: Tips and Tricks to Take Back to Your Clinic or Bedside	On-Site	0.95	0.95	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Ankle Anatomy & Biomechanics	Home Study	0.2	0.2	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Athletic and Sports Issues in Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation: Module 1	Home Study	0.8	0.8	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Athletic and Sports Issues in Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation: Module 2	Home Study	0.8	0.8	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Athletic and Sports Issues in Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation: Module 3	Home Study	0.8	0.8	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Athletic and Sports Issues in Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation: Module 4	Home Study	0.8	0.8	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Athletic and Sports Issues in Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation: Module 5	Home Study	0.8	0.8	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Athletic and Sports Issues in Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation: Module 6	Home Study	0.8	0.8	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Athletic and Sports Issues in Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation: Module 7	Home Study	0.8	0.8	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Athletic and Sports Issues in Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation: Module 8	Home Study	0.8	0.8	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Current & Popular Concepts in the Evaluation & Non-Operative Treatment of the Lumbar Spine: Part 2: Common Pathologies of the Lumbar Spine	Home Study	0.3	0.3	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Current & Popular Concepts in the Evaluation & Non-Operative Treatment of the Lumbar Spine: Part 3: Improving Lumbar Neuromuscular Efficiency: Objectives of Treatment Plans	Home Study	0.3	0.3	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Hip Anatomy & Biomechanics	Home Study	0.2	0.2	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Knee Anatomy & Biomechanics	Home Study	0.2	0.2	Clinical

At Home Seminars, LLC	Shoulder Anatomy & Biomechanics	Home Study	0.3	0.3	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Shoulder Pathologies: The Rotator Cuff	Home Study	0.15	0.15	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Athletic Taping and Bracing, 3rd Edition	Home Study	1	1	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Cardiovascular Nutrition and Fitness	Home Study	1	1	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Diet, Exercise & Fitness	Home Study	1	1	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Fallproof!, 2nd Edition	Home Study	1.23	1.23	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Geriatric Physical Therapy: Module 1	Home Study	1.5	1.97	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Geriatric Physical Therapy: Module 2	Home Study	1.5	3.23	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Geriatric Physical Therapy: Module 3	Home Study	1.5	2.86	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Geriatric Physical Therapy: Module 4	Home Study	1.5	2.08	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Geriatric Physical Therapy: Module 5	Home Study	1.5	2.72	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Muscle Energy Techniques	Home Study	1		1.0
At Home Seminars, LLC	Nutrition for the Elderly	Home Study	1	1	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Nutrition for Young Athletes	Home Study	1	1	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Osteoporosis Prevention & Treatment	Home Study	1	1	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Rehabilitation for the Postsurgical Orthopedic Patient, 3rd Edition: Module 1	Home Study	1.33	1.33	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Rehabilitation for the Postsurgical Orthopedic Patient, 3rd Edition: Module 2	Home Study	1.12	1.12	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Rehabilitation for the Postsurgical Orthopedic Patient, 3rd Edition: Module 3	Home Study	1.34	1.34	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Rehabilitation for the Postsurgical Orthopedic Patient, 3rd Edition: Module 4	Home Study	1.18	1.18	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Rehabilitation for the Postsurgical Orthopedic Patient, 3rd Edition: Module 5	Home Study	1.18	1.18	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Rehabilitation for the Postsurgical Orthopedic Patient, 3rd Edition: Module 6	Home Study	1.18	1.18	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Rehabilitation for the Postsurgical Orthopedic Patient, 3rd Edition: Module 7	Home Study	1.24	1.24	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Stroke Rehab: Guidelines for Exercise & Training to Optimize Motor Skill: Module 3	Home Study	0.8	0.8	Clinical

At Home Seminars, LLC	Stroke Rehab: Guidelines for Exercise and Training to Optimize Motor Skill: Module 2	Home Study	0.82	0.82	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Stroke Rehabilitation: A Function-Based Approach: Module 1	Home Study	1.18	1.18	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Stroke Rehabilitation: A Function-Based Approach: Module 2	Home Study	1.12	1.12	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Stroke Rehabilitation: A Function-Based Approach: Module 4	Home Study	1.33	1.33	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Stroke Rehabilitation: A Function-Based Approach: Module 5	Home Study	1.24	1.24	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Stroke Rehabilitation: A Function-Based Approach: Module 6	Home Study	1.39	1.39	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Stroke Rehabilitation: A Function-Based Approach: Module 7	Home Study	1.21	1.21	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Stroke Rehabilitation: A Function-Based Approach: Module 8	Home Study	1.2	1.2	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Stroke Rehabilitation: A Function-Based Approach: Module 9	Home Study	1.21	1.21	Clinical
At Home Seminars, LLC	Stroke Rehabilitation: A Function-Based Approach: Module 3	Home Study	1.06	1.06	Clinical
Brian K. Werner	Evaluation and Treatment of Balance and Vestibular Disorders	On-Site	1.5	1.65	Clinical
Canadian Foundation for Trauma Research & Education, Inc.	Self Regulation Therapy Foundation Level Practitioner Training	On-Site	1.5	10.4	Clinical
CIAO Seminars	STAR Program Certification	Internet	1.5	3	Clinical
ContinuingEducation.com	Clearing the Confusion of Electric Muscle Stimulation	Internet	0.1	0.1	Non-Clinical
ContinuingEducation.com	Management of Diabetic Neuropathy and Associated Disorders	Internet	0.1	0.1	Non-Clinical
ContinuingEducation.com	Motivational Interviewing: Helping Patients Make Lifestyle Changes	Internet	0.1	0.1	Non-Clinical
Cross Country Education	A Total Approach for Treating Neck & Scapular Disorders-On-Demand	On-Demand / DVD	0.6	0.6	Clinical
Cross Country Education	HIPAA and Medical Records Law: Meeting the Privacy and Security Regulations-On-Site	On-Site	0.65	0.65	Non-Clinical
Education Resources, Inc.	The SOFFI Method: Supporting Oral Feeding in Fragile Infants	On-Site	1.45	1.45	Clinical
Flex Therapist CEUS	Alzheimer's Disease	Internet	0.8	0.8	Clinical

Flex Therapist CEUS	Cervical Spine Injury Medical Treatment Guidelines	Internet	1	1	Clinical
Get In Touch EDU	Sphere Therapeutix Sports Performance & Medical Therapy	On-Site	1.5	1.6	Clinical
Great Lakes Seminars	Comprehensive Treatment of the Foot & Ankle	On-Site	1.5	1.65	Clinical
Great Lakes Seminars	Myofascial Release: Functional Integration	On-Site	1.5	1.65	Clinical
Great Lakes Seminars	Treatment of the Lumbar Complex	On-Site	1.5	1.65	Clinical
ImPACT Applications, Inc.	ImPACT Training Workshop at APTA	On-Site	0.8	0.8	Clinical
Institute for Natural Resources	On Loss and Grief	Home-Study	0.3	0.3	Clinical
International Society of Lymphology	25th World Congress of Lymphology: Past, Present, and Future	On-Site	1.5	3.4	Clinical
Jones Institute	Strain Counterstrain II for the Extremities (SCS II)	On-Site	1.5	2.15	Clinical
Lippincott Williams & Wilkins/Wolters Kluwer Health	2014 Risk Advisor for Physical Therapist: Protect Yourself from Legal Action	OnLine / Home Study	0.3	0.3	Non-Clinical
Maxine Haller	Rhythmic Movement Training: Level, Level Two & Applying RMT in Therapeutic Practice	On-Site	1.5	3.4	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Concussion Functional Interview	Internet/Home Study	0.1	0.1	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Concussion Symptoms and Evaluation	Internet/Home Study	0.15	0.15	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Dementia and Capacity for Learning in Rehabilitation Sciences	Internet/Home Study	0.2	0.2	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Dementia: Improving Activities of Living	Internet/Home Study	0.3	0.3	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Dementia: Improving Physical Performance and Functional Mobility	Internet/Home Study	0.15	0.15	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Dementia: Therapist's Guide to Behavioral Management	Internet/Home Study	0.25	0.25	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Dementia: Using Assistive Technology to Improve Functional Performance	Internet/Home Study	0.2	0.2	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Geriatric Rehabilitation: Physical Therapy vs. Occupational Therapy	Internet, Home Study	0.23	0.23	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Hip Fracture Part A: Overview, Classification, and Evidence	Internet, Home Study	0.1	0.1	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Hip Fracture Part B: The Surgical Approach	Internet, Home Study	0.1	0.1	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Hip Fracture Part C: Acute Care Management	Internet, Home Study	0.1	0.1	Clinical

MedBridge, Inc.	Hip Fracture Part E: Home Care Management	Internet, Home Study	0.14	0.14	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Imaging for Lower Quarter Sports Injuries	Internet/Home Study	0.13	0.13	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Mastering Functional Reporting	Internet, Home Study	0.1	0.1	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Protective Equipment in Sports	Internet/Home Study	0.23	0.23	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Stepping up to Stop Falls and Fear of Falling	Internet/Home Study	0.15	0.15	Clinical
MedBridge, Inc.	Vision Loss and Older Adults	Internet/Home Study	0.15	0.15	Clinical
Mid-Atlantic Manual Therapy Consultants	High-Velocity Low Amplitude Mobilization of the Cervical/Thoracic Spine and Ribs	On-Site	1.33	1.33	Clinical
Mobility Research	Individualizing the Balance Prescription: How Much is Enough? Too Much?	Internet	0.15	0.15	Clinical
Mobility Research	Instrumented Gait Analysis	Internet	0.15	0.15	Clinical
Monica Diamond	NDTA (Bobath) Certificate Course in the Management of Adults with Stroke and Brain Injury	On-Site	1.5	10.9	Clinical
Nevada Physical Therapy Association	Build Your Referral Source and CV by Screening and Educating the Community on Fall Risk	On-Site	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Nevada Physical Therapy Association	Selecting and Interpreting Standardized Tests and Measures for Pediatric Physical Therapy Practice	On-Site	0.1	0.1	Clinical
Nevada Physical Therapy Association	Be Ready! ICD-10 and Everything You Need to Know	On-Site	0.1	0.1	Non-Clinical
North American Center for Continuing Medical Education	Wound Certification Prep Course	On-Site	1.5	1.8	Clinical
North American Seminars	Geriatric Posture and Performance	Live On-Site	1.5	1.7	Clinical
North American Seminars	Spinal Cord Rehab the Next Step	Live/Online Combo	0.95	0.95	Clinical
Northeast Seminars	Mulligan Concept The Upper Quadrant	On-Site	0.14	0.14	Clinical
Performance Dynamics, Inc.	ASTYM Treatment for the Lower Extremity, Pelvis & Lumbar Spine	On-Site	0.9	0.9	Clinical
Performance Dynamics, Inc.	ASTYM Treatment for the Upper Extremity & Shoulder Girdle	On-Site	1.5	1.65	Clinical
PESI, Inc.	Challenging Geriatric Behaviors	On-Site	0.7	0.7	Clinical
PESI, Inc.	Spanish: A Crash Course for Healthcare Providers	On-Site	0.63	0.63	Non-Clinical
PhysicalTherapy.com	Alphabet Soup: Digesting the ETR and IEP	Internet	0.25	0.25	Clinical

PhysicalTherapy.com	Medicare Documentation Update: Describing Skill Related to Discharge Planning and Maintenance Programming	Internet	0.2	0.2	Clinical
PhysicalTherapy.com	Medicare Part A Basics for the Skilled Nursing Facility Setting	Internet	0.2	0.2	Clinical
PhysicalTherapy.com	Physical Therapy Interventions for People Living with HIV/AIDS	Internet	0.2	0.2	Non-Clinical
PhysicalTherapy.com	Power to Function	Internet	0.2	0.2	Clinical
Physiotherapy Associates	2015 Professional Baseball Medicine Conference	On-Site	1.4	1.4	Clinical
PTWebucation.com	Scapular Dyskinesia	Online	0.2	0.2	Clinical
Section on Pediatrics-APTA	2015 Annual Conference	On-Site	1.5	1.8	Clinical
Section on Pediatrics-APTA	APTA- Advanced Clinical Instructor Credentialing	On-Site	0.8	1.68	Non-Clinical
Section on Pediatrics-APTA	Fabrication of Temporary Foot Supports	On-Site	0.33	0.33	Clinical
Section on Pediatrics-APTA	Splinting the High-Risk Infant in the NICU	On-Site	0.8	0.8	Clinical
Section on Pediatrics-APTA	Therapeutic Taping	On-Site	1.5	1.5	Clinical
Select Medical	Management of Hand Tendon Injuries	On-Site	1.28	1.28	Clinical
SFMA, LLC	SFMA Level 1 Online Prerequisite	Internet	0.58	0.58	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Autism Spectrum, Sensory and ADHD (Webcast)	Internet	0.6	0.6	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Effective Early Interventions (Webcast)	Internet	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Effective Geriatric Rehab (Webcast)	Internet/Home-Study	0.6	0.6	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Effective Sensory Diets (Webcast)	Internet	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Functional Testing and Assessment for Older Adults (Webcast)	Internet	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Manual Therapy for Shoulder Disorders (Webcast)	Internet	0.68	0.68	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Therapeutic Exercise and Manual Therapy	On-Site	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Early Childhood Interventions & Autism Spectrum Disorder (Webcast)	Internet, Home Study	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Geriatric Rehab (Webcast)	Internet/Home Study	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Home Health Rehabilitation	On-Site	0.65	0.65	Non-Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Kinesiology Taping and Manual Therapy for the Upper Extremity (3.0)	Internet	0.32	0.32	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Kinesiology Taping for Geriatrics (Webcast)	Internet/Home Study	0.63	0.63	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Manual Therapy and Self-Care Techniques (Webcast)	Internet, Home Study	0.65	0.65	Clinical

Summit Professional Education	Mindfulness-Based Interventions (Treating Depression, Anxiety, and Trauma) (Webcast)	Internet, Home Study	0.2	0.2	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Pediatric Neurodevelopmental Disorders (Webcast)	Internet, Home Study	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Play Therapy	On-Site	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Stroke Recovery (Miller-Webcast)	Internet/Home Study	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Treating Torticollis (Webcast)	Internet, Home Study	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Summit Professional Education	Vestibular Rehab & Balance Training (Webcast)	Internet/Home Study	0.65	0.65	Clinical
Therapeutic Movement Seminars	Optimal Movement Strategies for Seniors Linking Functional Exercise & Dynamic Integration for Improved Outcomes	On-Site	1.5	1.6	Clinical
TMR Seminars	TMR TOTS Level-1 Homestudy	Home Study	1.5	1.7	Clinical
TMR Seminars	TMR TOTS Level-2 Homestudy	Home Study	1.5	1.7	Clinical
TMR Seminars	TMR TOTS Level-3 Homestudy	Home Study	1.5	1.7	Clinical
TMR Seminars	TMR TOTS Level-3 Live	On-Site	1.5	1.7	Clinical
TMR Seminars	TMR TOTS-Level II-Live	On-Site	1.5	1.7	Clinical
TMR Seminars	TMR TOTS-Level I-Live	On-Site	1.5	1.7	Clinical
TMR Seminars	TMR-Level III-Live	On-Site	1.5	1.6	Clinical
Vestibular Seminars	Vestibular Rehabilitation: Practical Management of the Patient with Dizziness	On-Site	1.5	1.68	Clinical

Motion to deny for the reasons listed: Menicucci.

Second to motion: Baum.

Motion passes unanimously.

Provider	Course	Reason for Denial
Allied Health Education	Complementary & Integrative Medicine Tools for Improving Patient Outcomes & Practitioner Well-Being: Using Music and Sound	outside the scope of practice
Allied Health Education	Energy Anatomy in Medicine	outside the scope of practice
APTA	Anatomy of a Group Practice	outside the scope of practice
APTA	Developing a Flipped Active Learning Classroom	outside the scope of practice
APTA	Developing Human Patient Simulation Scenarios for Physical Therapy Curricula	outside the scope of practice
APTA	Diversifying and Increasing Your Revenue Stream: Occupational Health and Wellness	outside the scope of practice
APTA	Doing it Right! How to Develop an Aquatic Physical Therapy Program	outside scope of practice
APTA	Essentials to Starting a Private Practice	outside the scope of practice

APTA	Extreme Assessment Makeover: PTA Program Edition	outside the scope of practice
APTA	LAMP Institute for Leadership in Physical Therapy 101: Personal Leadership Development: The Catalyst for Leading Within	outside the scope of practice
APTA	LAMP Institute for Leadership in Physical Therapy 201: Advanced Leadership Development: The Catalyst for Leading Others	outside the scope of practice
APTA	Taking Your Practice to the Next Level	outside the scope of practice
APTA	Transforming Society Through the Science of Embodied Creativity	outside the scope of practice
Cleveland Clinic Lou Ruvo Center for Brain Health	Multiple Sclerosis for Non-Neurologists	need biographies of instructors
Education Section of APTA	Education Leadership Conference 2015	outside the scope of practice
MedBridge, Inc.	Putting the "FUN: in Functional: Dizziness, Mobility, and Transfers	content too basic
MedBridge, Inc.	Putting the "FUN: in Functional: IADLs, Mobility, and Car Transfers	content too basic
MedBridge, Inc.	Putting the "FUN: in Functional: Pain Management, Environmental Safety, and Balance	content too basic
MedBridge, Inc.	Putting the "FUN: in Functional: Regaining Balance, Mobility, and Strength	content too basic
MedBridge, Inc.	Stopping Falls: Occupational Therapy's Role in Fall Prevention	course for Occupational Therapists; course title does not match documentation provided; description includes how course benefits OTS; certificate of completion does not match course name

Item 29- Report from legal counsel regarding pending cases.

Item 30- Review and discussion of activities of the Oriental Medicine Board pertaining to their request for an Attorney General Opinion regarding physical therapists performing dry needling. The director indicated there had been no communication from the Attorney General. Paula Berkley noted that the Oriental Medicine Board advised the Sunset Commission of the issue of dry needling and were moving forward to request the opinion. Richard Dreizter noted he had not received any communication from the Attorney General or the Oriental Medicine Board. He also noted this Board could ask the Attorney General for an opinion to take a proactive approach or ignore it until the situation until an opinion is reached. He noted that the Boards would abide by whatever the Attorney General says. Vice Chairman Smith stated this is a good opportunity for the Attorney General to learn about dry needling and the benefit to the patients. Chairman Baum suggested the Board not take any action until the Oriental Medicine Board requests the opinion and that opinion is released.

Paula Berkley stated that the Sunset Commission pulled the Oriental Medicine Board for review as complaints have been filed for not allowing people to get licensed. An applicant complained, and the Sunset Commission pulled them for review. Ms. Berkley stated the commission asked the president of the Oriental Medicine Board about the complaint from the applicant, and the president started talking about dry needling and did not answer the question. The Board discussed the recent FSBPT document on dry needling and noted it was very thorough. Chairman Baum stated that the new FSBPT paper, as well as current documents, could perhaps make the Board's policy stronger. Janelle Lauchman stated that many states had secured Attorney General opinions as to this topic. Richard Dreitzer stated that certain modalities are similar, and as stated in another Attorney General opinion, a person would have to be in the room during treatment to know what is treatment is performed. The director will send the FSBPT paper on dry needling to all members, legal counsel, and Paula Berkley.

Motion to review and possible amend the Board Opinion Letter on dry needling at the March meeting of the Board: Baum.

Second to motion: McKivigan.

Motion passes unanimously.

- Item 31- Review and discussion of changes recommended by the Advisory Committee on Continuing Education regarding course submission requirements.

The director reported that the attachment to this item is the draft the ACCE created for the Board to review. The ACCE wants to amend the requirements for course submissions to include five references that are no more than five years old.

Motion to approve the new form: Menicucci.

Second to motion: McKivigan.

Motion passes unanimously.

- Item 32- Public comment period. The next meeting of the Board will be held in Reno, March 24, 2016. The director noted a special meeting would be needed in February to accommodate those who need to re-test. Secretary/Treasurer McKivigan asked legal counsel to look into NRS 499.449 regarding healthcare licenses.

- Item 33- Adjournment of the Board meeting. Chairman Baum adjourned the meeting.