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**ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON CONTINUING COMPETENCY
MEETING MINUTES
July 19, 2019**

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 2:04 pm.

Committee members present: Kirk Sachtler, Chris Kegler, Beren Shah, and Katherine Joines

Staff-members present: Chelsea Wilson, Admin Assistant.

Item 2 - Public Comments:

Dr. David Ravetti asks the committee to review the attachments he sent to Charles Harvey. He stated he was hoping we would deny the course TMR Seminars – Learn Spinal Manipulation as he believes this is out of scope of practice for physical therapy. He recites NRS.640.024, stating this means this course is outside of scope of practice. He also summarizes the state general's opinion in 2013 “a physical therapist may not lawfully perform any manipulation or adjustment of the spine or any other articulation of the human body that involves chiropractic thrust manipulation and adjustments. Thrust manipulations and adjustments are recognized chiropractic techniques and outside of the scope of physical therapy.” With that being said he requests this course be denied for being outside scope of practice.

He then points out course #82 Institute of Manual and Manipulative Therapy - TJM Part 1: Thrust Joint Manipulation to the Vertebral Column stating this is also a manipulation of the spine and requests this also be denied.

Katherine Joines thanks Dr. Ravetti for his comments and states she will take that into consideration in today's agenda items.

Discussion:

Course #1 - Katherine Joines asks if any other committee members have any issues with this course. Chris Kegler and Beren Shah both state they have no problem with this course. Kirk Sachtler requests the deduction of 45 minutes from their requested units. Kirk Sachtler said everything looked good except for the time frame of day 1: 3:45 – 4:30 where they specifically talk about chiropractic techniques. Katherine Joines agrees and brings the new approved units to 1.43.

Course #82 – Katherine Joines pulled this course for discussion due to missing certificates and timeline. Upon receiving the timeline she then asks the committee members to review the timeline for subject matter. Beren Shah said it looks good to him. Kirk Sachtler says he is also good with this course. Chris Kegler said he also is fine with it. Katherine Joines has agreed to approve this course.

Item 3 - Review and recommendation of **Previously Approved and New continuing competency courses. (For Possible Action)**

Course #	Provider	Course	Type
1	TMR Seminars	Learn Spinal Manipulation	On-Site
2	Accelerated Care Plus (ACP)	Optimizing Clinical Efficacy and Treatment Efficiency: A Guide to Group and Concurrent Delivery Modes	Home-Study/Internet
3	EDUCATA / Academy of Oncologic Physical Therapy	Certified Edema Specialist Workshop: The Comprehensive Management of Peripheral Edema	On-Site
4	EDUCATA / Academy of Oncologic Physical Therapy	Foundations of Oncology: Medical Aspects	Home-Study/Internet
5	EDUCATA / Academy of Oncologic Physical Therapy	Orthopedic Edema Management: A Case Study	Home-Study/Internet
6	EDUCATA / Academy of Oncologic Physical Therapy	The McKenzie Method Update: MDT Strategies and Current Evidence	Home-Study/Internet

7	Allied Health Education	Aligning Home Health Therapy Plan and Goals with Patient Outcomes and Satisfaction	Home-Study/Internet
8	Allied Health Education	Amputee Gait: Analysis and Treatment	Home-Study/Internet
9	Allied Health Education	Application of Early Mobility Protocols in the ICU	Home-Study/Internet
10	Allied Health Education	Application of Normal and Abnormal Exercise Physiology in The Adult Patient	Home-Study/Internet
11	Allied Health Education	Applications in Stroke Rehabilitation: Taking your Intervention to the Next Level	Home-Study/Internet
12	Allied Health Education	Back to Sleep and Childcare Practices For Typically Developing Infants: Developmental and Physiological Considerations, Therapeutic Approaches and Recommendations	Home-Study/Internet
13	Allied Health Education	Basic Therapeutic Taping	Home-Study/Internet
14	Allied Health Education	Chronic Pain and Pain Neuroscience Education for the PT, OT & AT: Treatment	Home-Study/Internet
15	Allied Health Education	Concussion Management: A Comprehensive Course for the Return to Life, Sport, and Work	Home-Study/Internet
16	Allied Health Education	Creating Strong Home Programs: Strategies for Patient Engagement and Efficacy	Home-Study/Internet

17	Allied Health Education	Debunking Myths of Dizziness and Balance - Present AND Future Clinical Applications for Fall Prevention and Dizziness Management in Aging	Home-Study/Internet
18	Allied Health Education	Developing Fit Knees: Current Concepts in ACL Injury Prevention	Home-Study/Internet
19	Allied Health Education	Evaluation and Treatment of Upper Extremity Nerve Injuries	Home-Study/Internet
20	Allied Health Education	Evidence Based Evaluation and Treatment of the Lumbar Spine	Home-Study/Internet
21	Allied Health Education	Evidence Based Treatment Strategies for the Cervical Spine	Home-Study/Internet
22	Allied Health Education	Exercise Interventions to Improve Balance and Reduce the Risk of Falls in the Older Person: "Beyond the Norm"	Home-Study/Internet
23	Allied Health Education	Fit for Running: Assessment, Rehab and Training Strategies to Maximize Performance and Reduce Injuries	Home-Study/Internet
24	Allied Health Education	Getting Patients Back in Action After Work-Related Back Injury	Home-Study/Internet
25	Allied Health Education	Getting to the Point of Dry Needling	Home-Study/Internet
26	Allied Health Education	Identifying Hip Pathology with Surgical Repairs and Replacement of the Hip	Home-Study/Internet

27	Allied Health Education	Introduction to Rehabilitation of Pelvic Floor Dysfunction & Urinary Incontinence	Home-Study/Internet
28	Allied Health Education	Maintenance Therapy: Evidence Based Approaches to Documentation to Ensure	Home-Study/Internet
29	Allied Health Education	Male Pelvic Health Therapy	Home-Study/Internet
30	Allied Health Education	Management of Acute Vertebral Compression Fractures	Home-Study/Internet
31	Allied Health Education	Maximizing Mobility with Myofascial Release	Home-Study/Internet
32	Allied Health Education	Multiple Sclerosis: Treatment Strategies for the Allied Health Professional	Home-Study/Internet
33	Allied Health Education	Neuromuscular Re-education (NMR): Documenting for Reimbursement and Prevention of Denials	Home-Study/Internet
34	Allied Health Education	Parkinson's Disease: What it is and How it is Managed	Home-Study/Internet
35	Allied Health Education	Physical Therapy Management of Patients s/p CABG: Acute Care to Home	Home-Study/Internet
36	Allied Health Education	Physical Therapy Management of Patients with Heart Failure	Home-Study/Internet

37	Allied Health Education	Pregnant and Loving It!	Home-Study/Internet
38	Allied Health Education	Prenatal Medical Therapeutic Yoga: An Integrative Approach	Home-Study/Internet
39	Allied Health Education	Rehab for Total Joint Replacements: From Shoulder to Hip to Knee	Home-Study/Internet
40	Allied Health Education	Rehabilitation of the Amputee	Home-Study/Internet
41	Allied Health Education	Rotator Cuff Dysfunction: Injury Prevention & Non-Operative Treatment	Home-Study/Internet
42	Allied Health Education	Rotator Cuff Dysfunction: Surgical Intervention and Postoperative Rehab	Home-Study/Internet
43	Allied Health Education	Soft Tissue Release with Fascial Cupping Therapy	Home-Study/Internet
44	Allied Health Education	Therapeutic Taping Strategies for Musculoskeletal Pain	Home-Study/Internet
45	Allied Health Education	Treating Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo (BPPV), Part I: Canalithiasis	Home-Study/Internet
46	Allied Health Education	Treating Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo (BPPV), Part II: Cupulolithiasis	Home-Study/Internet

47	Allied Health Education	Treating the Arthritic Knee: Current Concepts in Rehabilitation of Patellofemoral Pain and Osteoarthritis	Home-Study/Internet
48	Allied Health Education	Treatment of Common Orthopedic Foot and Ankle Injuries and Disorders	Home-Study/Internet
49	Evidence in Motion Institutes of Health	Functional Dry Needling Level 1 (2 day)	Hybrid/Home-Study/On-site
50	Evidence in Motion Institutes of Health	Functional Dry Needling Level 1 (3 day)	Hybrid/Home-Study/On-site
51	Evidence in Motion Institutes of Health	Management of Lumbopelvic Disorders	Hybrid/Home-Study/On-site
52	Evidence in Motion Institutes of Health	Therapeutic Neuroscience Education	Hybrid/Home-Study/On-site
53	EXOS Physical Therapy	2019 EXOS PT Clinic Manager Summit	On-Site
54	FLEX Therapist CEUs	ACL Repair Surgical Considerations	Home-Study/Internet
55	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Ankle Dorsiflexion Effects on Gait and Balance	Home-Study/Internet
56	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Burn Treatment Advancements	Home-Study/Internet

57	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Cardiac Rehab Effects of Heat and Cold	Home-Study/Internet
58	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Cerebral Palsy and Home Based Training	Home-Study/Internet
59	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Cervicogenic Headache	Home-Study/Internet
60	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Childhood Obesity, Epidemiology, and Bone Thickness	Home-Study/Internet
61	FLEX Therapist CEUs	COPD Manual Diaphragm Manipulation	Home-Study/Internet
62	FLEX Therapist CEUs	CPR: A Comprehensive Review	Home-Study/Internet
63	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Dementia and Effects of Exercise	Home-Study/Internet
64	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Developmental Coordination Disorder: Sensorimotor Therapy	Home-Study/Internet
65	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Diabetic Neuropathy: Gait Specific Motor Control	Home-Study/Internet
66	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Early Mobilization in Patients with Stroke	Home-Study/Internet

67	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Low Back Pain: Ideas for Exercise	Home-Study/Internet
68	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Low Back Pain: The Role of Fear	Home-Study/Internet
69	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Multiple Sclerosis and Pain Conditions	Home-Study/Internet
70	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Parkinson's Disease: Postural Instability Interventions	Home-Study/Internet
71	FLEX Therapist CEUs	Prader Willi: Therapy Considerations	Home-Study/Internet
72	GREAT Seminars and Books	Intensive Orthopedics	On-Site
73	GREAT Seminars and Books	Put Some Muscle into Ther Ex	On-Site
74	HomeCEUConnection.com	Active Release / Deep Tissue Techniques for the Quadratus Lumborum	Home-Study/Internet/Video
75	HomeCEUConnection.com	Balance and Stabilization Training	Home-Study/Internet/Video
76	HomeCEUConnection.com	Ethics in Healthcare: Maintaining Constancy in an Ever Changing World	Home-Study/Internet/Video

77	HomeCEUConnection.com	Evaluation & Treatment of Non-Surgical Rotator Cuff Disorders	Home-Study/Internet/Video
78	HomeCEUConnection.com	Evidence Based Rehab for Lumbar Spinal Stenosis	Home-Study/Internet/Video
79	HomeCEUConnection.com	Flex Ability: Improving Functional Mobility With Stretching	Home-Study/Internet/Video
80	HomeCEUConnection.com	Nutrition for Endurance Athletes: Evidence Based Protocols	Home-Study/Internet/Video
81	HomeCEUConnection.com	Techniques for TKA Rehab - Using Soft Tissue Work	Home-Study/Internet/Video
82	Institute of Manual and Manipulative Therapy	TJM Part 1: Thrust Joint Manipulation to the Vertebral Column	On-Site
83	Jones Institute	Fascial Counterstrain: Arterial System	On-Site
84	Kindred at Home	Keeping Hearts at Home	On-Site
85	Kindred at Home	Keeping Hearts at Home Cardiac and Pulmonary Overview	On-Site
86	Neuro Tour Physical Therapy, Inc.	Backstage: Injury Prevention and Management	On-Site

87	OnlineCE.com	An Overview of CTS	Home-Study/Internet/Video
88	OnlineCE.com	Core Stability 201 - Foundation For and Function	Homes-Study/Video
89	OnlineCE.com	Differential Diagnosis 101-105	Home-Study/Internet
90	OnlineCE.com	Ethics for Professionals 104 - Ethics of Confidential Information	Home-Study/Video
91	OnlineCE.com	Geriatric Rehab 116 - Balance Problems and Fall Risks in the Elderly	Home-Study/Internet/Video
92	OnlineCE.com	Hand Therapy 129-130 - Common Conditions of the Elbow	Home-Study/Internet
93	OnlineCE.com	IASTM 201-203: Instrument-Assisted Soft Tissue Mobilizations to the Upper Extremity, Lower Extremity and the Spine	Home-Study/Video
94	OnlineCE.com	Ortho 118 - Bone Healing	Home-Study/Internet/Video
95	OnlineCE.com	Pain 110 - Orthopedic Management of Pain and Pain Syndromes	Home-Study/Video
96	PESI, Inc.	Attachment Focused Play Therapy: Theraplay Techniques to Transform Your Most Challenging, Resistant & Dysregulated Children	On-Site

97	PTWebucation.com	An Evidence-Based Overview of Multiple Sclerosis	Home-Study/Internet
98	PTWebucation.com	Chronic Musculoskeletal Pain	Home-Study/Internet
99	PTWebucation.com	Common Hand Surgeries and Rehabilitation	Home-Study/Internet
100	PTWebucation.com	Demystifying the Pelvic Floor: The Missing Link in the Treatment of Common Orthopedic Conditions	Home-Study/Internet
101	PTWebucation.com	Hand Injuries in Sports	Home-Study/Internet
102	PTWebucation.com	Physical Therapy of the Rotator Cuff Status Post Arthroscopic Surgery	Home-Study/Internet
103	PTWebucation.com	Primitive Reflex Integration: A New Treatment Paradigm for Concussive Injuries	Home-Study/Internet
104	PTWebucation.com	Scapular Dyskinesis	Home-Study/Internet
105	PTWebucation.com	The Ever Evolving Joint: An Updated Guide to the Rehabilitation of Total Hip and Knee Arthroplasty	Home-Study/Internet
106	Relias, LLC	Alzheimer's Disease, Part 1: Trends in Diagnosis and Management	Home-Study/Internet

107	Relias, LLC	Alzheimer's Disease, Part 2: Living with Alzheimer's	Home-Study/Internet
108	Relias, LLC	An Emergency: Acute Compartment Syndrome	Home-Study/Internet
109	Relias, LLC	An Interprofessional Approach: The Patient After Stroke	Home-Study/Internet
110	Relias, LLC	Become an Accessibility Consultant: Blending Legislation and Therapy Services	Home-Study/Internet
111	Relias, LLC	Bioethics in Healthcare	Home-Study/Internet
112	Relias, LLC	Breast Cancer Rehabilitation	Home-Study/Internet
113	Relias, LLC	Can You Answer Patient's Questions About Clinical Trials?	Home-Study/Internet
114	Relias, LLC	Chronic Pelvic Pain	Home-Study/Internet
115	Relias, LLC	Clearing the Confusion of Electric Muscle Stimulation	Home-Study/Internet
116	Relias, LLC	Decades Later - Post-Polio Syndrome	Home-Study/Internet

117	Relias, LLC	Fall Prevention for Older Adults	Home-Study/Internet
118	Relias, LLC	Family Caregivers: Doing Double Duty	Home-Study/Internet
119	Relias, LLC	Harmonize Diversity and Improve Health Outcomes Through Personality Sensitivity and Team Resilience	Home-Study/Internet
120	Relias, LLC	How Do You Mend a Broken Heart?	Home-Study/Internet
121	Relias, LLC	Hypertension: Review of Guidelines and Drug Therapy Management	Home-Study/Internet
122	Relias, LLC	Parkinson's Disease: Treatment Strategies for the PT and OT	Home-Study/Internet
123	Relias, LLC	Physical Activity in the Prevention and Treatment of Chronic Noncommunicable diseases	Home-Study/Internet
124	Relias, LLC	Postpartum Rehab and Exercise for Athletes	Home-Study/Internet
125	Relias, LLC	Preventing Medical Errors for Physical Therapists	Home-Study/Internet
126	Relias, LLC	Redirecting Inappropriate Patient Sexual Behavior	Home-Study/Internet

127	Relias, LLC	Reframing	Home-Study/Internet
128	Relias, LLC	Research Reveals the Benefits of Meditation	Home-Study/Internet
129	Relias, LLC	Shock States	Home-Study/Internet
130	Relias, LLC	Sports-Related Concussions: Tackling a Growing Trend	Home-Study/Internet
131	Relias, LLC	The Two Sides of Stroke	Home-Study/Internet
132	Relias, LLC	Too Hot to Handle	Home-Study/Internet
133	Relias, LLC	Understanding Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis	Home-Study/Internet
134	Relias, LLC	Understanding Distal Radius Fractures	Home-Study/Internet
135	Relias, LLC	Weight Management: Facts Not Fads	Home-Study/Internet
136	Select Medical	19th Annual Philadelphia Sports Medicine Conference	On-Site

137	Select Medical	Movement Guided Lower Kinetic Chain Rehabilitation	Home-Study/Internet
138	Summit Professional Education	Functional Outcomes for Geriatrics (Butler)	On-Site
139	Summit Professional Education	Interventions for Arthritis and Rheumatic Diseases (Gillett)	On-Site
140	Summit Professional Education	Patient Mobility (Ladinsky)	On-Site
141	Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center - Health.edu	Intimate Partner (Domestic) Violence: A Guide for Physical Therapists Part 1	Home-Study/Internet
142	Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center - Health.edu	Intimate Partner (Domestic) Violence: A Guide for Physical Therapists Part 2	Home-Study
143	Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center - Health.edu	Mental Health in Student Athletes	Home-Study/Internet
144	Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center - Health.edu	Motivational Interviewing	Home-Study/Internet
145	Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center - Health.edu	Survey and Statistics of Vestibular Disorders	Home-Study/Internet
146	Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center - Health.edu	Vestibular and Balance Clinical Testing Procedures	Home-Study/Internet

147	Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center - Health.edu	Veterans with PTSD or Trauma	Home-Study/Internet
148	Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center - Health.edu	Take Action: Joint Attention on the Autism Spectrum	Home-Study/Internet
149	The McKenzie Institute USA	Advanced MDT: Clinical Decision Making	On-Site
150	The McKenzie Institute USA	Advanced MDT: Extremities	On-Site
151	The McKenzie Institute USA	Part A - Mechanical Diagnosis and Therapy: The Lumbar Spine	Hybrid/Home-Study/On-site
152	The McKenzie Institute USA	Part B - Mechanical Diagnosis and Therapy: The Cervical & Thoracic Spine	Hybrid/Home-Study/On-site
153	The McKenzie Institute USA	Part C - Advanced Lumbar Spine and Extremities - Lower Limb	On-Site
154	The McKenzie Institute USA	Part D - Advanced Cervical and Thoracic Spine and Extremities - Upper Limb	On-Site
155	The McKenzie Institute USA	The McKenzie Case Manager	Home-Study/Internet
156	Vestibular Educators	Vestibular Dysfunction: A Comprehensive Course on Evaluation & Treatment	On-Site

Motion: Motion to approve the following courses as **non-clinical** through July 31, 2021:

2, 28, 33, 113, 125, 126: Beren Shah

Second: Chris Kegler

Motion Passes Unanimously

Motion: Motion to approve the following courses as **clinical** through July 31, 2021: 1, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 51, 52, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 101, 102, 104, 105, 106, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 114, 116, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 156 : Beren Shah

Second: Chris Kegler

Motion Passes Unanimously

Motion: Motion to **conditionally approve** the following courses through July 31, 2021: 49, 50, 100, 127, 155: Beren Shah

Second: Chris Kegler

Motion Passes Unanimously

Motion: Motion to **deny** the following courses: 7, 53, 62, 74, 91, 103, 115, 117: Beren Shah

Second: Chris Kegler

Motion Passes Unanimously

Item 4 - Review and recommendation of **Previously Denied Courses (For Possible Action)**

A. Dr. Andreo A. Spina – Functional Anatomy Seminars

Discussion: This course was originally denied for being “too basic”. Chris Kegler, Beren Shah, and Katherine Joines all still agree that it is still “too basic”. The person who submitted the course did request that the committee look at the website. After looking at the website and looking at the meat of the information it is not teaching anything new in the realm of physical therapy. They don’t feel like any more information has been submitted to change the committees mind. Kirk Sachtler says he believes that there is some good material in the course. He further goes onto say that a lot of this would be used in sports therapy. Chris Kegler points out the website doesn’t show a list of resources and the applicant hasn’t provided any other resources. Katherine Joines is willing to give the applicant one more chance; she wants them to submit a list of resources.

Motion: Motion to table appeal Dr. Andreo A. Spina – Functional Anatomy Seminars until we receive additional information for review.: Beren Shah

Second: Kirk Sachtler

Motion Passes Unanimously

B. Deborah Howell – Self-Care in Healthcare

Discussion: This course was denied due to being a self care course not necessarily geared towards patients. Beren Shah says that based on her rewrite on the summary/course description of the course the applicant links self care back to patient safety and she provides resources. Beren Shah believes the timeline doesn’t match with the course description/summary. Katherine Joines says the whole presentation should be based on patient care and they would like to see the power point.

Motion: Motion to table appeal Deborah Howell – Self-Care in Healthcare until we receive further information: Beren Shah

Second: Chris Kegler

Motion Passes Unanimously

Item 5 - Public Comment: Dr. David Ravetti thanked the committee for the reconsideration and explained he would have to go back to his association and give them a breakdown of what the committee did. He wanted a clearly direction on why the committee still chose to approve this course based on the attorney general’s opinion.

Katherine Joines said the committee just gives recommendations based on what they read and what comes out of the discussion they also consider the APTA and they go into the code of ethics and laws. She further explains the committee just gives recommendations and then it is pushed through to the board for final approval. She stated they did listen to his concerns but based their recommendation off of clinical decisions. She further stated these concerns need to be taken up with the main board so as to see if they agree with the committee or not.

Dr. Ravetti asks if the committee would just recommend not approving it and then asking that the board approves it.

Katherine Joines answered no because the board is also relying on the committee for their opinion and expertise as well. Their ideas won’t change between the board and committee because they are one profession. She further invites Dr. Ravetti to the next board meeting to voice his concern.

Dr. Ravetti reverts back to the attorney general’s opinion in his first public comment asking if the committee did in fact review the items he submitted.

Kirk Sachtler says he read the attorney general’s opinion and he believes the issues Dr. Ravetti has is with wording; bringing up Chiropractic manipulation versus spinal manipulation. Kirk Sachtler tries to explain that they sound the same but they are not necessarily the same thing.

Katherine Joines further explains by definition “Capte requires PT education programs to teach thrust and non thrust manipulation of the spine and extremities advanced training requires fellowship programs which are longer than a year.” Lastly she says our main focus at the board is to protect the public when going over these courses that is their main concern. She then again directs Dr. Ravetti to our next board meeting where he should take up his concerns further.

Item 6 - Adjournment:

Meeting was adjourned by Chairperson Katherine Joines at 4:16 pm.