

JOINT COMMITTEE for ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSING
Alabama Board of Nursing and Alabama Board of Medical Examiners
848 Washington Avenue
Montgomery, Alabama

Fiscal Year 2019
November 14, 2018
Scheduled Meeting

1. CALL TO ORDER

Dick Owens, MD, acting chairperson, called the meeting to order at 5:56 pm on November 14, 2018.

Joint Committee members present:

Valorie Dearmon, DNP, RN, NEA-BC
Kathleen Rhodes, DNP, MSN, RN, CRNP
Julia Boothe, MD, MPH, FAAFP, CMD
Dick Owens, MD

Joint Committee members absent:

Sheila Lopez, CNM
John S. Meigs Jr., MD

Staff members present:

The Alabama Board of Nursing:

Peggy Benson, Executive Officer, NE-BC, MSN, MSHA, RN
Dawn Daniel, MSN, RN, Nurse Consultant for Advanced Practice
Sharon Owen, Administrative Assistant

The Alabama Board of Medical Examiners:

Pat Ward, Collaborative Practice Consultant
Amy Wybenga, CRNP, Nurse Practitioner Consultant

Joint Committee Visitors

Eileen Meyer, CRNP, Assistant Director for Advanced Practice, UAB
Robin Lawson, CRNP

2. DECLARATION OF QUORUM

A quorum was declared with two nurse members and two physician members present.

3. STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE WITH OPEN MEETINGS ACT

Prior notice of meeting was posted on the Secretary of State's website in accordance with the Alabama Open Meetings Act.

4. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

On November 14, 2018, Ms. Rhodes moved that the Committee adopt the Agenda as presented to include the modifications for Amended Item 8. Ms. Dearmon seconded. Motion carried without objection.

5. REVIEW OF MINUTES

On November 14, 2018, Ms. Dearmon moved that the Joint Committee adopt the minutes of September 18, 2018 as presented. Ms. Rhodes seconded. Motion carried without objection.

6. OLD BUSINESS

7. NEW BUSINESS

A. Appointment of Joint Committee Members

The Alabama Board of Nursing appointed Valorie Dearmon, DNP, RN, NEA-BC to serve on the Joint Committee as the designated RN. Her term began October 1, 2018 and expires September 30, 2021. Dr. Dearmon is eligible for re-appointment to a second three-year term.

The Alabama Board of Medical Examiners appointed Julia Boothe, MD, Family Medicine, to serve on the Joint Committee for the term October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2021. Dr. Boothe is eligible for re-appointment to a second three-year term.

On November 14, 2018, the Joint Committee received as information.

B. Botox Cover Presentation

The Joint Committee members were requested to determine whether Botox Injections for chronic migraine can be allowed for certified registered nurse practitioners with documented education, training and experience.

Discussion ensued and members reviewed a proposed specialty protocol for Botox Injections for chronic migraine (attached).

Respective staff representatives will develop final protocol format after consideration by the Board of Medical Examiners on November 15, 2018.

On November 14, 2018, Ms. Rhodes moved that the Joint Committee members approve Botox Injections for chronic migraines be allowed for certified registered nurse practitioners with Documented education, training and experience. Ms. Dearmon seconded. Motion carried without objection.

C. Cover 610-X-5 AP FTE Limits

The Joint Committee members were requested to approve revisions to the following sections regarding changes to Collaborative Practice FTE Limits.

- 610-X-5-.04 Qualifications For Physicians In Collaborative Practice With Certified Registered Nurse Practitioners.
- 610-X-5-.05 Limitations Upon Utilization Of Certified Registered Nurse Practitioners.
- 610-X-5-.15 Qualifications For Physicians In Collaborative Practice With Certified Nurse Midwives.
- 610-X-5-.16 Limitations Upon Utilization Of Certified Nurse Midwives.

On November 14, 2018, The Joint Committee members chose to table this request for further discussion and development and will review at a later date. Additionally, discussed the need to develop a physician power point presentation to explain the expansion and restriction of the Standard Protocol for collaboration.

8. APPLICATIONS FOR COLLABORATIVE PRACTICE

The roster includes all collaborative practice applications that were complete by October 26, 2018, for Collaborative Practice agreements.

A. Withdrawn/Terminated Collaborations

As of October 26, 2018, no applicants Withdrew or Terminated Temporary Approval before or after the publication of the Joint Committee agenda.

On November 14, 2018, No Action Required.

B. Applications for Full Review

The applications for 'Full Review' include Standard Protocol, Standard Formulary, with/without Remote Locations and/or Covering Physicians.

1. Items 1-1 thru 7-1, Standard Protocol, Standard Formulary, with/without Remote Locations, and/or Covering Physicians.

On November 14, 2018, Ms. Dearmon moved that the Joint Committee approve the collaborative practice agreements for Standard Protocol, Standard Formulary, with/without Remote Locations and/or Covering Physicians, Items 1-1 thru 7-1 as listed on the roster excluding Items in 8A. Dr. Boothe seconded. Motion carried without objection.

2. Items 8-2 thru 12-2, Collaborative Practice Application which are more than 28 days old and for which the physician fee is unpaid.

ITEM #	APP TYPE	LICENSE #	NURSE NAME	PHYSICIAN NAME	LICENSE #	APPLICATION DATE
8-2	Add New	1-089138	Randall Simpkins Jr	Tom Vaughan	MD25883	9/7/2018
9-2	Add New	1-116596	Laura Feld	John Davis	MD25648	9/25/2018
10-2	Add New	1-131843	Brady Aderholt	Josiah Daily	MD28523	9/26/2018
11-2	Initial	1-163330	Amy Thompson	Michael Crain	MD10913	09/20/2018
12-2	Initial	1-134865	Tommy McCluskey	Charles Gaputis	DO192	10/11/2018

On November 14, 2018, Dr. Boothe, moved that the Joint Committee deny and withdraw consideration of complete Collaborative Practice Applications which are more than 28 days old and for which the physician fee is unpaid, excluding Items 9-4 and 24-4 for which physician fee was received. Ms. Dearmon seconded. Motion carried without objection.


9. INFORMATION AND OTHER BUSINESS

10. **NEXT MEETING DATE**

The next meeting of the Joint Committee will be on Tuesday, January 15, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. at the Alabama Board of Medical Examiners located at 848 Washington Ave, Montgomery, Alabama.

11. **ADJOURNMENT**

Dr. Boothe moved for adjournment. Ms. Rhodes seconded. The Joint Committee meeting adjourned at 6:50 pm on November 14, 2018.



Dick Owens MD, Acting Chairperson

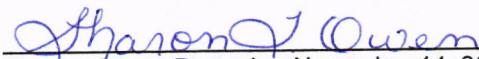
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Date of Approval

Submitted by:



Dawn Daniel, MSN, RN
Alabama Board of Nursing



Sharon Owen, Recorder, November 14, 2018
Alabama Board of Nursing