



**Board of Physical Therapy
Meeting Minutes**

February 1, 2016

10:00 a.m.

Creekside Two at CenterPoint, 20425 72nd Ave S, Suite 310, Room 309, Kent, WA

On February 1, 2016, the Board of Physical Therapy met at Creekside Two at CenterPoint, 20425 72nd Ave S., Suite 310, Kent, WA.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Renee Compton, PTA, Chair
Andrew Wodka, PT, DPT, Vice-Chair
Ticha Green, PT, DPT
Chrisandra Osborne, PT, DPT
Lynne Robinson, PT, DPT
Donald Prest, Public Member - Absent

STAFF PRESENT

Kris Waidely, Program Manager
Blake Maresh, Executive Director
Cece Zenker, Program Support
Lilia Lopez, AAG Advisor
Bill Kellington, Supervising Staff Attorney
Tanya Mills, Credentialing Supervisor
Peggy Owen, Disciplinary Case Manager - Absent

GUESTS PRESENT

Jackie Barry, Executive Director, Physical Therapy Association of Washington (PTWA)
R. Joe Palmer, Eastern Washington University, DPT Program
Renee Lach – LHC Group
Lindsay van den Brandt
Kate van den Brandt
Robin Schoenfeld, Physical Therapy Association of Washington (PTWA)

OPEN SESSION

1. **CALL TO ORDER** - The meeting was called to order by Renee Compton, PTA, Chair, at 10:07 a.m.
 - 1.1 Introductions - The board, staff, and guests introduced themselves.
 - 1.2 Approval of Agenda - The meeting agenda was approved as presented.
 - 1.3 Approval of Meeting Minutes from December 7, 2015 – The meeting minutes were approved as presented.

2. **RULES WORKSHOP** – The board discussed using the most recent course work tool (CWT) for evaluating educational requirements for foreign educated applicants. A board motion passed approving draft rule language to be written allowing the use of the most recent course work tool. Ms. Waidely will make draft amendments to WAC 246-915-120 Applicants from Unapproved Schools and bring to the next meeting for board review.

The board also discussed making amendments to WAC 246-915-085 Continuing Competency regarding allowing some CE hours for clinical instructors. There was also discussion regarding including Aptitude in the continuing competency rules for awareness. The board will continue this discussion at the next meeting.

3. **APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL TO RECEIVE LISTS/LABELS** – The board reviewed the following public disclosure requests to receive lists and labels of physical therapists:

- Motivations Inc.: The board re-approved this request to be recognized as an educational organization for the purpose of receiving lists and labels. Ms. Waidely will notify them of the board's decision.

4. **PROGRAM REPORT** – Information provided to the board by the Program Manager and Executive Director.

4.1 Budget - Ms. Waidely presented the board's budget report. There are no concerns about the board's budget as this time. The department staff will continue to monitor the budget.

4.2 Legislative Meet-Me-Calls – Dr. Green and Dr. Osborne updated the board on SB 6519 Telemedicine, SB 6228 which creates the interstate medical licensure compact, and HB 2448 & SB 6389 which revises the definition of East Asian medicine to expand the definition of point injection therapy.

4.3 Planning for upcoming meetings – Continue to update rules for WAC 246-915 and plan agenda for board training retreat

4.4 Other – Lilia Lopez, AAG, asked the board for approval to update the board's ADA accommodations procedures. Once the updates are made, Ms. Lopez will share the updated procedure with the board. Ms. Lopez will also draft a board procedure regarding how to handle spinal manipulation endorsement requests if the clinical supervisor is deceased.

5. **CONSENT AGENDA** - Items listed under the consent agenda (informational items) are considered routine matters and are approved without discussion upon approval of the agenda. If separate discussion is desired, that item will be removed from the consent agenda and placed on the regular business agenda for discussion.

5.1 CBT Comment Summary and Candidate Satisfaction Survey Report

6. **ADJOURNMENT** - The meeting was adjourned by Renee Compton, PTA, Chair, at 3:00 p.m.

Kris Waidely, Program Manager
Board of Physical Therapy

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