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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES:	Board of Speech Pathology, Audiology and Hearing Aid Dispensers
MEETING DATE AND TIME:	Wednesday, October 13, 2010 at 2:00 p.m.
PLACE:	861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware Conference Room B , second floor of the Cannon Building
MINUTES APPROVED	November 10, 2010

MEMBERS PRESENT

Illene Courtright, Professional Member, President
Dr. Mary Ann Connolly-Gaskin, Professional Member, Secretary
Regina Bilton, Professional Member
Maisha Britt, Public Member 2:20 p.m.-3:40 p.m.
George Christensen, Public Member 2:20 p.m.-3:38 p.m.
Tonya Coats, Professional Member
Carol Guilbert, Public Member
Lisa Marencin, Professional Member

MEMBER ABSENT

Dr. Jennifer Xenakes, Professional Member

DIVISION STAFF

Eileen Heeney, Deputy Attorney General
Jessica Williams, Administrative Specialist II

CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Courtright called the meeting to order at 2:20 p.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

The Board reviewed the minutes from the September 8, 2010 meeting. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert, to approve the minutes as presented. Motion unanimously carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Strategic Plan

The Board discussed the possibility of amending the substantially related crimes list. Ms. Heeney provided Board members with the crimes list from the Board of Physical Therapy for comparison. The Board will review these documents and will discuss any proposed changes at the November meeting.

Final Denial of Application for John Ferrante

Ms. Guilbert made a motion, seconded by Dr. Connolly-Gaskin to deny Mr. Ferrante's application for a permanent hearing aid dispenser license. Motion unanimously carried.

Review Additional Documentation Submitted for Previously Tabled Application- Lauren Cycyk

The Board reviewed the documentation that was requested at the September meeting for Ms. Cycyk. Ms. Bilton made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert to approve Lauren Cycyk's application for a permanent speech pathologist license. Motion unanimously carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Review Permanent Speech Pathologist Applications

The Board reviewed Danielle Kearns' application for a permanent speech pathologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed Lauren Kestel's application for a permanent speech pathologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed Kimberly Condie's application for a permanent speech pathologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed Julie Murphy's application for a permanent speech pathologist license. Ms. Bilton made a motion, seconded by Dr. Connolly-Gaskin to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed Jessica Joynes' application for a permanent speech pathologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed Jodi Finkel's application for a permanent speech pathologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed Michelle Plourde's application for a permanent speech pathologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

Review Permanent Audiologist Applications

The Board reviewed Nancy Baltzell Musuras' application for a permanent audiologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

Review of Permanent Hearing Aid Dispenser Applications

The Board reviewed Michelle Plourde's application for a permanent hearing aid dispenser license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Connolly-Gaskin to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

Review Temporary Speech Pathologist Applications

Ms. Guilbert made a motion, seconded by Mr. Christensen to amend the agenda to add Kristen Auble's application for temporary speech language pathologist license. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed Sara Tayefeh Hosseinlou's application for a temporary speech pathologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert, to approve the application for permanent licensure. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed Sophia Guarracino's application for a temporary speech pathologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert, to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed Elizabeth Garey's application for a temporary speech pathologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert, to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed Erin Reynolds' application for a temporary speech pathologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert, to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed Elizabeth Buongiorno's application for a temporary speech pathologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert, to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed Kristen Auble's application for a temporary speech pathologist license. Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert, to approve the application. Motion unanimously carried.

Review of Continuing Education Activities

Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Ms. Guilbert, to approve the following continuing education as noted:

Sponsor: Christina School District
Activity: Board Maker 101-Board Maker 102
Contact Hours: 6 CS

Sponsor: Bayada Nurses

Activity: Special Children, Special Needs: A Team Approach to Meeting the Challenge

Contact Hours: 3 PG

1 CS

Sponsor: Healthcare Information Network, Inc.

Activity: SNF PPS Update FY 2011

Contact Hours: 6 PG

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories

Activity: S Series with Drive Architecture: Advanced Fitting Strategies

Contact Hours: 4 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories

Activity: 2010 Leadership Summit

Contact Hours: 2 CS

18 PG

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories

Activity: Innovation Beyond Technology

Contact Hours: 6 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories

Activity: Experience Innovation in Action

Contact Hours: 6 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories

Activity: Advanced Fitting Focus Seminar 2010

Contact Hours: 20 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories

Activity: Innovation Beyond Technology

Contact Hours: 2 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories

Activity: Innovation Practicum

Contact Hours: 2 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories

Activity: It's a Great Time to be an Audiologist

Contact Hours: 2 CS

Sponsor: Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories

Activity: Jackson Hole Rendezvous

Contact Hours: 9 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories

Activity: Now's a Great Time to be an Audiologist

Contact Hours: 1 CS

2 PG

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: Innovation Conference
Contact Hours: 6 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: Innovation Summit
Contact Hours: 12 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: Market Advantage 360
Contact Hours: 15 PG

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: Innovation Forum
Contact Hours: 9 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: Aligning Innovation with Best Practices
Contact Hours: 4 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: It's a Great Time to be an Audiologist
Contact Hours: 2 CS
2 PG

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: Pediatric Symposium
Contact Hours: 12 CS

Sponsor: Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: The Science Behind Better Hearing Care
Contact Hours: 4 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: Innovation Summit 2010
Contact Hours: 12 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: Innovation Workshop 2010
Contact Hours: 4 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: Innovation Conference 2010
Contact Hours: 6 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: Innovation Forum 2010
Contact Hours: 9 CS

Sponsor: Starkey Laboratories
Activity: Innovation in Action Symposium
Contact Hours: 10 CS

Sponsor: Delaware Association for Home and Community Care
Activity: Medications: Confronting the Challenges of Management in the Home
Contact Hours: 5 PG

Sponsor: Health ED
Activity: Understanding and Differentiating the Autism Spectrum in Children and Adolescents
Contact Hours: 6 CS

Sponsor: Health ED
Activity: Comprehensive Mental Health Assessment & Evaluation of Older Adults
Contact Hours: 6 CS

Sponsor: Costco Wholesale
Activity: Hearing Aid Dispensing Update Fall 2010
Contact Hours: 9.5 CS

Licensee: Terese Cooley
Sponsor: Audiology Online
Activity: Common Errors in ENG/VNG
Contact Hours: 1 CS

Licensee: Terese Cooley
Sponsor: Audiology Online
Activity: Vestibular Neuritis: Acute Clinical Picture
Contact Hours: 1 CS

Licensee: Terese Cooley
Sponsor: Audiology Online
Activity: Current State of Static Position Testing
Contact Hours: 1 CS

Motion unanimously carried.

Mr. Christensen made a motion, seconded by Dr. Connolly-Gaskin, to deny the following continuing education as noted:

Sponsor: Bayada Nurses
Activity: Current Concepts in Home Health Rehabilitation (Fall 2010)
Contact Hours: 6 CS

Motion unanimously carried.

Proposed Meeting Dates for 2011

Ms. Williams presented the Board with the proposed meeting dates for 2011. Dr. Connolly-Gaskin made a motion, seconded by Ms. Coats, to accept the proposed meeting dates. Motion unanimously carried.

Correspondence

The Board reviewed a letter from ASHA regarding telepractice. The Board will review the documentation and will be prepared to discuss it at the November meeting.

Other Business before the Board

Ms. Williams informed the Board that the Division of Professional Regulation is in the process of updating the applications for Speech Language Pathologists, Audiologists and Hearing Aid Dispensers.

Public Comment

There was no public comment.

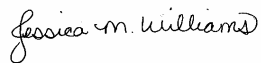
Next Scheduled Meeting

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 10, 2010, at 2:00 p.m., in Conference Room B, second floor of the Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware.

Adjournment

Ms. Guilbert made a motion, seconded by Ms. Coats, to adjourn. Motion unanimously carried. There being no further business before the Board, the meeting adjourned at 4:14 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Jessica Williams
Administrative Specialist II