

Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board

Occupational Therapy Section September 12, 2019 9:30 AM

Members Present

Beth Ann Ball, OTR/L Joanne Phillips Estes, OTR/L Mary Beth Lavey, COTA/L Anissa Siefert, OTR/L Melissa Van Allen, OTR/L

Legal Counsel

Cheryl Hawkinson, AAG

Staff

Jennifer Adams, Investigator Melissa Anthony, Executive Director Jeffery Duvall, Enforcement Division Supervisor Carlton Jones, Administrative Assistant Jaklyn Shucofsky, Paralegal

Guests

Jacquelyn Chamberlin, OOTA Danny Hurley, OOTA

Call to Order

Anissa Siefert, Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:40 AM.

The Section began the meeting by reading the vision statement.

The Occupational Therapy Section is committed to proactively:

- Provide Education to the Consumers of Occupational Therapy Services;
- Enforce Practice Standards for the Protection of the Consumer of Occupational Therapy Services;
- Regulate the Profession of Occupational Therapy in an Ever-Changing Environment;
- Regulate Ethical and Multicultural Competency in the Practice of Occupational Therapy;
- Regulate the Practice of Occupational Therapy in all Current and Emerging Areas of Service Delivery.

Approval of Minutes

Action: Melissa Van Allen moved that the minutes from the July 18, 2019 and August 19, 2019 meetings be approved as amended. Joanne Estes seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Executive Director's Report

• Given in the Joint Board meeting.

Special Orders

Election of Section Chair

Action: Anissa Siefert nominated Mary Beth Lavey to be Section Chair for the period beginning September 12, 2019 and ending immediately following the September 2020 Section meeting. Joanne Estes seconded. The Nominations were closed. The members present voted to elect Mary Beth Lavey as Section Chair.

Election of Section Secretary

<u>Action:</u> Mary Beth Lavey nominated Melissa Van Allen to be Section Secretary for the period beginning September 12, 2019 and ending immediately following the September 2020 Section meeting. Anissa Siefert seconded. The Nominations were closed. The members present voted to elect Melissa Van Allen as Section Secretary.

Occupational Therapy Section Liaisons

Continuing Education Liaison
Correspondence Liaison
Enforcement Liaison
Licensure Liaison
Rules Liaison
Beth Ann Ball
Melissa Van Allen
Anissa Siefert
Joanne Estes
Joanne Estes

Action: Mary Beth Lavey moved that the Section authorize the Executive Director or Agency Designee to accept or reject consent agreements on the Section's behalf for the period beginning September 12, 2019 and ending September 30, 2020. Melissa Van Allen seconded the motion. The motion carried.

<u>Action:</u> Mary Beth Lavey moved that the Section authorize the use of signature stamps or electronic signatures by the Section Chairperson, Section Secretary, Executive Director or Agency Designee for the period beginning September 12, 2019 and ending September 30, 2020. Anissa Siefert seconded the motion. The motion carried.

<u>Action:</u> Mary Beth Lavey moved that the Section authorize the Executive Director or Agency Designee to make editorial changes to motions for the period beginning September 12, 2019 and ending September 30, 2020. Joanne Estes seconded the motion. The motion carried.

<u>Action:</u> Mary Beth Lavey moved that the Section authorize the use of hearing officers for the period beginning September 12, 2019 and ending September 30, 2020. Melissa Van Allen seconded the motion. The motion carried.

<u>Action:</u> Melissa Van Allen moved that the Section authorize the staff to issue licenses to applicants with completed applications and that the Section ratify the licenses issued by the staff at the Section meeting following the issuance of the license for the period beginning September 12, 2019 and ending September 30, 2020. Anissa Siefert seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Discussion of Laws and Rules

After discussion of the status of laws and rules, Beth Ann Ball moved to final file rules 4755-3-01, -06, -08, -09, -10, -12, -13, and 4755-9-01 with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review. The motion was seconded by Anissa Siefert. The motion carried.

Licensure Applications Report

Action: Joanne Estes moved that the Occupational Therapy Section ratify, as submitted, the occupational therapist and occupational therapy assistant licenses issued by examination, endorsement, reinstatement, and restoration by the Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board from July 12, 2019 through September 12, 2019, taking into account those licenses subject to discipline, surrender, or non-renewal. Melissa VanAllen seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Occupational Therapist - Examination

Habeeb Adel Al-Ghawi	Jennifer Michelle Haines	Trisha Patel
Benjamin Lee Bates	Kody John-Everett Heitz	Jordyn Perry
Kaitlyn Beodray	Lauren Marie Holtz	Emily Marie Pestello
Matthew Christopher Boberek	Brittany Nicole Hughes	Stephanie Nichole Pierson
Lauren Burns	Stephanie Jickess	Ashley Nicole Pinkerton
Rebbecca C Campbell	Jennifer Lynn Krider	Tamara Pischke
Emma Creech	Tanyalot Leibrant	Hayley Christine Poland
Dustin Ray Davison	Heather Nicole Lynn	Sarai Burke Robinson
Ellen Marie Diemer	Jourdan Lyons	Haley Marie Rohleder
Anna Nicole Drake	Alexis Dianne Manazer	Tanner Elizabeth Rosenblum
Rachael Leigh Drenner	Madison Elizabeth McClary	Stefanie Schmidthuber
Lindsay Marie Drumm	Kelsey McPherson	Allison Schmitt
Brandon Ezzo	Rachel Jordan Meinert	Mitch Sermersheim
Maria Nicole Figliola	Caitlyn Marie Mendel	Wedad Shafi
Laura Samantha Fuller	Bianca Leana Morrone	Brenna Rose Silber
Jessica Marie Garvey Smith	Abigail Ohman	Teodora Sobic
Rachel Marie Gramman	Allison Marie Olenik	Chelsey Rae Starin

Jennifer Marie Taylor Jody Elizabeth Toth

Erin Vassar

Erin Vescio Miranda Wetzel Colleen Marie Whalen Robin Marie Wildhaber Chloe Jynelle Williams

Maria Grace Peoples

Bianca Jeanell Peters

Katherine Penelope Pirro

Occupational Therapy Assistant - Examination

Nichole Nancy Adams Leah Bailey

Kaitlin M Bowman

Jasmine Bryant

Deana M. Bryner

Ashlee N Bunger

Tiffany Ann Caplinger

Bethany Joy Channels

Ceianna Nichole Bennett Jillann Rose Berns

Ashleyjo Marie Hanuscin Leticia Hatt

Kelsey Elizabeth Herman April Lyn Highben Holly Marie Jones

Kathryn Karoglan Laura Elizabeth Kirgiss Joan Marie LaJoye Margret Michelle Leu Hannah Luiza

Krista Daugherty Abbigail Marie Davidson Michelle Marie Doerfler Lisa McNeezer Olivia Ann Dresbach Nicole Elv David Thomas Esterline

Lucie Catherine Gardner Katherine Giglia Theresa Lynn Hadsell Samantha Rae Hamilton

Stephanie Nicole Polletta Ashley Prevot April Marie Rice Jessica Anne Rinard Melissa Robinson Kristen Marie Rosu Alexis Raye Roush

Brianna Nicole Madlock Natasha Sanders Natasha Le McCoy Erin Linette Sellers Kaleb Patrick McHenry Soonarie Ann Shepherd Kristen Lee Shumard Alyson Marie McPherson Mackensie Breanne Smith Jessica Lynn Miles Serena Ann South Christy Lynn Mose **Emily Stump**

Victoria Ariel Vanhorn Ashley Neff Gabriella Novak Taylor Jeffery Viars Emily O'Brien Grace Elaine Wagner Kimberly Cleo O'Neill Alison Wiswell

Occupational Therapist - Endorsement

Elizabeth Marianne Berg Wieczorek Patricia Kathrine Clay Megan DeMott Jarrod Alan Flora Grace Marie Gelpi Anne Morgan Gregory Wendy Hawkins

Rebekah Hill Danielle Nicole Hubka Brooke Allison Luke

Eric McDonough Michaelene Taylor McGarvey Clifton Ayres Miller Christen Morrison Jessica Lee Ouinnell

Terisa Reimschisel Anna Marie Seifert Tai Sherman

Taylor Anna-Louise Skelton

Erin Lyon Smith Elizabeth Marie Theis Kelsey Thistlethwaite Jennifer Lynn Torbeck Amanda E Travis David Patrick Valvano

Camille Wilson Jennifer Wright

Occupational Therapy Assistant - Endorsement

Elizabeth Paige Boley

Kara Larae Dutton Taryn Madlen Joyce-Mendive

Sarah Lyn Kadilak Frank J Pedersen

Shelby Regiec

Elyse Marissa Schenker

License Application Withdrawals

Joanne Estes recommended that the section grant the application withdrawal requests for OT/OTA examination/endorsement/reinstatement applications on file with the Board on September 12, 2019, based on the documentation provided. Melissa Van Allen moved. Anissa Siefert seconded. The motion carried.

Enforcement Division Report

Mary Beth Lavey reported that there are three new cases, four closed cases, and ten pending cases.

Assistant Attorney General's Report

Cheryl Hawkinson, AAG had no formal report for the Section.

Correspondence

The Section reviewed the correspondence and provided feedback to the Correspondence Liaison.

Ohio Occupational Therapy Association (OOTA) Report

Jacquelyn Chamberlin discussed the OT Compact. Danny Hurley discussed a legislation initiative to allow the OOTA to approve continuing education. Danny Hurley also discussed initiatives underway with the Ohio Department of Education to improve communication to schools about Occupational Therapy Assistants.

The Section took a break for Joint Board at 10:47 AM and reconvened at 1:54 PM.

Continuing Education Report

Action: Melissa Van Allen moved that the Section approve 19 applications for contact hour approval and send back two applications for additional information. Anissa Siefert seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Old Business

Use of credentials

The Section discussed the standard response regarding the use of credentials OT-R and COTA and adjusted the standard response due to NBCOT trademarking of these titles.

New Business

Frequently Asked Questions

The Section discussed whether a license is required to teach in Ohio. The Section reviewed the Physical Therapy Section's statue and rules regarding teaching physical therapy in Ohio.

OOTA Presentation

The Section worked on their presentation before the Ohio Occupational Therapy Association conference.

OT Compact

Beth Ann Ball moved to approve travel for the Executive Director to attend the OT Compact meeting in Washington DC October 29-30, 2019. Anissa Siefert seconded. The motion carried.

Open Forum

None

Items for Next Meeting.

Standard agenda

Next Meeting Date

The next regular meeting date of the Occupational Therapy Section is scheduled for Thursday, January 16, 2020.

Action: There being no further business and no objections, Beth Ann Ball adjourned the meeting at 2:28 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Missy Anthony

Mary Beth Lavey, COTA/L, Chair Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board, OT Section

Melissa Van Allen, OTR/L, Secretary Ohio Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Athletic Trainers Board, OT Section

Missy Anthony, Executive Director

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