

**GEORGIA BOARD OF PHARMACY**  
**Board Meeting**  
**2 Peachtree Street, NW, 36<sup>th</sup> Floor**  
**Atlanta, GA 30303**  
**December 14, 2016**  
**9:00 a.m.**

**The following Board members were present:**

Mike Faulk, President  
Chris Jones, Vice-President  
Vicki Arnold  
Lisa Harris  
Laird Miller  
Bill Prather  
Bob Warnock

**Staff present:**

Tanja Battle, Executive Director  
Rick Allen, Director, GDNA  
Alec Mathis, Special Agent, GDNA  
Janet Wray, Senior Assistant Attorney General  
Max Changus, Assistant Attorney General  
Anil Foreman, Attorney  
Brandi Howell, Business Operations Specialist

**Visitors:**

Merle Solomon  
Jim Bartling  
Zahara Green  
Darren Ingram  
Thomas Florio  
Greg Reybold, GPhA  
Ryan Loke, McKesson  
Melissa Bishop-Murphy, Pfizer  
Stephen Georgeson, GACDS  
Drew Umberger, Cardinal Health  
Gregory Shuford, Trinity Hospital  
Toni Bowen, Genoa Qol  
Cameron Brown, Walmart  
Leigh Carpenter, Hemophilia of GA  
Patricia Hopkins, Piedmont Mtn Hos-Ellijay  
Donald Holmes, Piedmont Mtn Hos-Ellijay  
Stephanie Housley, Piedmont Mtn Hos-Ellijay  
John Sisto, ESI  
Mital Patel, Mercer student  
Brian Robinson, Walgreens  
Bill Hopkins  
Young Chang, Walgreens  
Mike King, Publix  
John Rocchio, CVS Health  
Richard Steele  
Helen Sloat, Kaiser Permanente/Hemophilia of GA  
Nichelle Sims, Hemophilia of GA

President Faulk established that a quorum was present and called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

Laird Miller made a motion and Chris Jones seconded, and the Board voted to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 43-1-19(h)(2) and §43-1-2(k) to deliberate and to receive

information on applications, investigative reports and the Assistant Attorney General's report. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Vicki Arnold, Mike Faulk, Lisa Harris, Chris Jones, Laird Miller, Bill Prather and Bob Warnock.

## **Executive Session**

### **Appearance**

- M.S.

### **Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency – Rick Allen**

The Board received legal advice regarding an emergency rule pertaining to Naloxone.

### **Appearances**

- Z.G.
- D.M.I.

### **Applications**

- T.R.Y.
- R.P.
- J.T.
- D.M.
- S.M.M.
- C.P.R.
- K.M.B.
- C.C.L.
- M.E.R.
- D.A.G.
- M.D.H.
- L.W.
- R.F.L.
- A.H.S.
- B.D.R.
- B.A.A.
- G.A.R.
- S.E.H.
- C.P.S.
- M.M.
- N.S.C.
- D.C.H.
- A.R.G.
- R.E.J.
- R.S.S.
- A.L.P.
- J.C.
- D.M.B.
- A.W.
- A.M.P.
- B.A.D.
- B.C.B.

- C.A.W.
- G.S.C.
- K.C.
- K.A.L.
- M.M.
- N.Y.Y.
- Q.H.H.
- R.L.J.
- S.W.R.
- T.L.L.
- C.J.H.
- H.A.B.
- N.B.
- S.C.
- S.M.R.
- T.B.W.

**Attorney General’s Report – Janet Wray**

Ms. Wray discussed the following individual:

- T.N.H.

Ms. Wray presented the following consent orders:

- W.T.T.
- R.W.C.
- L.M.W.

Ms. Wray gave the Board legal advice regarding Rule 480-10-.02 Prescription Department, Requirement, Supervision, Hours Closed.

No votes were taken in Executive Session. President Faulk declared the meeting back in Open Session.

**Open Session**

President Faulk welcomed the visitors.

**Appearances**

Appearance by Toni Bowen, Genoa, a Qol Healthcare Co: Ms. Bowen thanked the Board for the opportunity to speak to its members. She explained Genoa’s background to the Board and stated she would like to further speak about Crisis Stabilization Units (CSU). She stated there are currently twenty-two (22) CSUs that provide community-based crisis assessment and stabilization, psychiatric observation, and short-term treatment. There are typically sixteen (16) beds per unit and a twenty-three (23) hour observation unit. The average stay is about five (5) days. She stated they were told they had to have a hospital license because of the medications. She explained that most of the units have a hospital license, but not all. In the recent months, two (2) units have applied for a license and have been denied. She stated that they have spoken with several inspectors who have said that the CSU does not fall under a hospital. She stated that she is requesting the Board’s input as to what they should do. President Faulk asked if the CSU was on campus and Ms. Bowen responded no. President Faulk asked if medications were ordered through the hospital pharmacy. Ms. Bowen responded that they do have a retail license. They fill medication orders from the retail side and deliver to hospital med room. President Faulk asked what the distance is from the CSU to the hospital. Ms. Bowen responded that it depends on the area. Mr.

Miller commented that it appears they are filling patient specific prescriptions at the retail pharmacy and delivering to another site that has a hospital. Ms. Bowen commented that they also do medication mail orders. She added that the centers are owned by the community service board. Mr. Miller stated that with track and trace you could not move those meds from retail to hospital as the new law states that cannot be done. Discussion was held as to what type of license may be required. President Faulk stated that the Board will discuss further and get back to Ms. Bowen regarding the matter.

Appearance by Greg Shuford, Trinity Hospital of Augusta. Mr. Shuford explained that he was from Trinity Hospital of Augusta. He stated that they have a wound care center with a hyperbaric chamber. It is designated as outpatient and is located on campus, but in an adjacent building. He explained that it needs very limited amount of medications, mostly topical, which are only used during the patient's treatment there. Mr. Shuford stated that he wanted to know if they can provide those limited medications to them from the in-patient pharmacy. He stated a pharmacist goes over there monthly and as far as how they operate, they operate and bill under same tax ID and hospital. President Faulk asked if they were on the same campus. Mr. Shuford responded yes. President Faulk stated that if they were located on the same campus, there would be no issues.

### **Approval of Minutes**

Bob Warnock made a motion to approve the Public Session minutes for the November 9, 2016 meeting. Bill Prather seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

Chris Jones made a motion to approve the Executive Session minutes for the November 9, 2016 meeting. Laird Miller seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Report of Licenses Issued**

Bob Warnock made a motion to ratify the list of licenses issued. Lisa Harris seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Petition for Rule Variance from Piedmont Mountainside Hospital-Ellijay**

Bill Prather made a motion to deny the rule variance petition; however, the Board will consider approving the facility's application for a clinic pharmacy if a laminar flow hood is obtained and the facility passes inspection from GDNA. Laird Miller seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Petition for Rule Waiver from Cutanea Life Science, Inc.**

Bob Warnock made a motion to approve the rule waiver petition. Chris Jones seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Petition for Rule Waiver from Clovis Oncology, Inc.**

Bob Warnock made a motion to approve the rule waiver petition. Chris Jones seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Petition for Rule Waiver from Caroline L. Walrath**

Bill Prather made a motion to deny the rule waiver petition. Laird Miller seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Petition for Rule Waiver from Kanell S. Tyson**

Chris Jones made a motion to deny the rule waiver petition. Laird Miller seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Petition for Rule Waiver from Patricia D. Storm**

Bob Warnock made a motion to deny the rule waiver petition. Chris Jones seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Correspondence from Jared S. Hopkins, Bloomberg**

The Board viewed this correspondence for informational purposes only.

### **Correspondence from Todd Moody**

At its November 2016 meeting, the Board considered correspondence from Mr. Moody regarding licensure requirements for oxygen concentrators. At that time, the Board voted to table the correspondence to allow additional time for the Board to research the matter. After further research, the Board directed staff to respond by stating that it does not have any jurisdiction over this matter.

### **Correspondence from Federico L. Arguelles, OTC Wholesale**

The Board considered this correspondence requesting guidance on whether or not a specific license is required to operate, sell and distribute (ship by common carrier) syringes and/or pen needles. The Board directed staff to respond to Mr. Arguelles by referring him to O.C.G.A. § 16-13-32(c) for more information regarding his inquiry.

### **Correspondence from Dan McCall**

The Board considered this correspondence regarding Cactus Smart Sink. Chris Jones made a motion to schedule Mr. McCall for an appearance before the Board to demonstrate this product. Lisa Harris seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Correspondence from David Weissman, Holland & Knight**

The Board considered this correspondence regarding online prescription sales. Laird Miller made a motion to direct staff to respond to Mr. Weissman by stating that, based on the information provided, this business model would not fall under the rules and regulations on the Georgia Board of Pharmacy. Bill Prather seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Correspondence from David M. Hargroder**

The Board considered this correspondence from Mr. Hargroder requesting the Board advertise via its website or distribute via mass email information regarding the DEA/UGA Substance Abuse Conference scheduled for January 25, 2017. Bill Prather made a motion to direct staff to respond to Mr. Hargroder by respectfully declining his request and state that the Board does not promote or advertise such information on its website.

### **Correspondence from Bent Gay, Gayco Healthcare**

The Board considered this correspondence regarding medication destruction via reverse distributor. Laird Miller made a motion to table this correspondence until its January 2017 meeting. Bob Warnock seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Correspondence from Kimberley Hazelwood, GA Department of Public Health**

The Board considered this correspondence from the Department of Public Health regarding its proposed rules for the Donated Drug Repository Program. Laird Miller made a motion to direct staff to respond by stating that the Board has no issues with the proposed rules. In addition, the Board also understands that the Georgia Department of Public Health may be aware of federal law such as the Drug Quality and Security Act and regulations made thereunder such as the requirements commonly known as “track and trace.” Vicki Arnold seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Correspondence from John Rocchio, CVS Health**

The Board considered this correspondence from Mr. Rocchio, who was present at the meeting. Mr. Rocchio provided the Board with suggested language to Rule 480-48-.02 Conditions for Use of Delivery by Mail that would address the Board's concerns regarding the patient knowing when the product shipped must be placed under refrigeration. In addition to the suggested language provided by Mr. Rocchio, Ms. Wray suggested adding language to (3)(b) that states "If verbal, then the pharmacy must document the notification and maintain such documentation."

### **Correspondence from Candis Dickerson, Talbott Recovery Campus**

The Board considered this correspondence requesting the Board approve Talbott Recovery Campus as an approved treatment provider. Chris Jones made a motion to approve the request. Bob Warnock seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **Emergency Rule on Naloxone**

Director Allen stated that the Senate Opioid Abuse Committee met the day before the board meeting. The Governor's Office received information from the Georgia Bureau of Investigations (GBI) pertaining to the increased number of deaths from opioid abuse. The Governor's Office has directed the Department of Public Health (DPH) to issue a standing order to allow naloxone to be dispensed over-the-counter by pharmacists across the states.

Bob Warnock made a motion to adopt emergency Rule 480-34-0.31-.11 Naloxone. Chris Jones seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

### **480-34-0.31-.11 Naloxone.**

(1) Effective December 14, 2016, O.C.G.A. §16-13-71(b)(635) is hereby removed from the list of dangerous drugs of the Georgia Dangerous Drugs Act.

(2) This Rule places Naloxone, including any drugs, chemicals, or substances; salts, isomers, esters, ethers, or derivatives of such drugs, chemicals, or substances that have the same pharmacological action; all other salts, isomers, esters, ethers, and compounds of such drugs, chemicals, or substances under Schedule V of the Georgia Controlled Substances Act, O.C.G.A. §16-13-29(7).

(3) This Rule is based on the following findings of the Board:

(a) That the Board reviewed information from the Office of the Governor requesting that the Board consider scheduling naloxone as a Schedule V to assist in the protection of the public health, safety, and welfare and to combat Georgia's rising opioid abuse epidemic. Such information stated that naloxone has no pharmacological activity in the absence of opioids or other opioid antagonists according to the large volume of research that exists regarding the drug;

(b) That the Board reviewed information from the Georgia Prescription Drug Monitoring Program that revealed that there are over one hundred (100) counties in Georgia that have a ratio of narcotic prescriptions per person exceeding a ratio of 1:1 for the year 2015-2016 and that between forty-five (45) and fifty (50) million opioids dispensed each month throughout the State of Georgia for the past five months;

(c) That the Board reviewed information from the Department of Public Health indicating that the steady and sharp increase in the number of overdoses and deaths due to prescription and illegal forms of opioid drugs poses an imminent threat to the public health, safety, and welfare; that such an increase may legitimately be termed a public health emergency; and that naloxone is critical in assisting persons at risk of overdose;

(d) That the Board reviewed information from the Georgia Bureau of Investigation that indicates in some counties, there has been an increase in opioid deaths from 2010-2016;

(e) That the drug has a lower potential for abuse relative to the drugs or other substances in Schedule V;

(f) That the drug has a currently accepted medical use in treatment in the United States; and

(g) That the drug has come to be considered an important and life-saving tool in treating opioid overdoses.

(4) Pursuant to Official Code of Georgia Annotated (O.C.G.A.) §16-13-29.2, the Georgia Board of Pharmacy authorizes pharmacists and pharmacy interns and externs under the supervision of a licensed pharmacist to dispense naloxone pursuant either to a prescription by a licensed practitioner or to the standing order of Dr. Brenda Fitzgerald, Commissioner of the Department of Public Health. The pharmacy shall keep a copy of the standing order issued by the Commissioner of the Department of Public Health and shall keep a record of each prescription of naloxone issued pursuant to the standing order. Such record shall include the name of each purchaser, date of birth, address, city, state, and zip code. This record shall be maintained by the pharmacy for two (2) years. Nothing herein shall prevent this record from being maintained electronically.

(5) Dispensers shall not be required to submit information regarding each naloxone prescription dispensed to the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program.

(6) Pharmacies are not required to maintain naloxone in their biennial inventories.

(7) This Rule shall not be construed to require hospital pharmacies to treat naloxone as a controlled substance for purposes of its recordkeeping and distribution system.

**Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency – Rick Allen**

No report.

**Attorney General’s Report – Janet Wray**

No report.

**Executive Director’s Report – Tanja Battle**

Renewals: Ms. Battle reported 9644 pharmacists have renewed to date. She requested everyone please spread the word regarding licensure renewal.

Continuing Education Report: Report presented. Laird Miller made a motion to ratify the below named continuing education program approved since the previous meeting. Chris Jones seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

<b>Sponsoring Group</b>	<b>Program Title</b>
Kaiser Permanente	2016 Pharmacotherapy Updates in Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus
American Academy of Clinical Homeopathy	Basic Principles in Homeopathy
American Academy of Clinical Homeopathy	The Materia Medica and Homeopathic Formulation

Correspondence from Rejani Rajan: The Board discussed this request for a meeting between the Georgia Department of Public Health, Office of Emergency Preparedness and the Georgia Board of Pharmacy. Ms. Battle stated that the meeting will last about 1 to 1 ½ hours. She did relay that appearances with the Board not typically that long. Discussion was held regarding scheduling one or two board members attend the meeting. Ms. Harris and Mr. Warnock volunteered to attend.

Correspondence from Craig B. Greenfield, Aegis Healthcare Solutions: The Board considered this correspondence regarding licensure requirements. The Board directed staff to respond by stating that, based on the way his question was presented, the answer to his question is ‘no’. However, in order for the Board to provide him with additional guidance, it requires additional facts to clarify his inquiry.

Correspondence from Elizabeth Russell, NABP: Lisa Harris made a motion to send Jim Bracewell to attend the interactive board member forum. Vicki Arnold seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

Correspondence from Prabodh A. Shukla, Director of Administration & Admissions, Americal International University West Africa (AIUWA): Ms. Battle presented this correspondence inquiring if

hours from AIUWA would qualify. Ms. Battle stated that there is nothing in the rule that would permit such. Lisa Harris made a motion to deny the request. Bill Prather seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

Correspondence from Stephen Snow, Bendin, Sumrall & Ladner: A representative from Bendin, Sumrall & Ladner was present at the meeting. The question presented was whether or not it is permissible for a Georgia compounding pharmacy to fill an out of state prescription drug order, as long as the prescription is valid under the laws of the state in which the prescriber is located and as long as the pharmacy is licensed in that state. Ms. Wray responded by stating that O.C.G.A. § 26-4-80(b) says "Prescription drugs shall be dispensed only pursuant to a valid prescription drug order. A pharmacist shall not dispense a prescription which the pharmacist knows or should know is not a valid prescription. A pharmacist shall have the same corresponding liability for prescriptions as an issuing practitioner as set forth in 21 C.F.R. Part 1304 as such regulation exists on January 1, 2013. Valid prescription drug orders shall include those issued by a physician, dentist, podiatrist, veterinarian, or other person licensed, registered, or otherwise authorized under the laws of this state, or of any state or territory of the United States, to prescribe dangerous drugs or controlled substances or both." Ms. Wray added that A Schedule II controlled substance prescription by an out of state APRN or PA might be considered suspicious as in-state APRNs and PAs do not have that prescription authority. In addition, the language on valid prescriptions used by law enforcement found in O.C.G.A. T. 16-13 has not been updated.

Vicki Arnold made a motion and Lisa Harris seconded, and the Board voted to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 43-1-19(h)(2) and §43-1-2(k) to deliberate and to receive information on applications, investigative reports and the Assistant Attorney General's report. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Vicki Arnold, Mike Faulk, Lisa Harris, Chris Jones, Laird Miller, Bill Prather and Bob Warnock.

### Executive Session

President Faulk declared the meeting back in Open Session to proceed with voting on Rule 480-48-.02 Conditions for Use of Delivery by Mail.

No votes were taken in Executive Session. President Faulk declared the meeting back in Open Session.

### Open Session

Chris Jones made a motion to post Rule 480-48-.02 Conditions for Use of Delivery by Mail. Lisa Harris seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

#### **480-48-.02 Conditions for Use of Delivery by Mail.**

- (1) Any pharmacy can regularly employ the U.S. Postal Service or a common commercial carrier to deliver a drug which requires a prescription to a patient only after the patient has requested that a pharmacy deliver by mail his/her filled prescription drugs. Any pharmacy providing delivery by mail to its patients is required to follow applicable Georgia laws and rules.
- (2) A mail order pharmacy located outside this state is required to follow all applicable pharmacy and drug rules and laws of the state in which the pharmacy is physically located.
- (3) A mail order pharmacy shall ensure that all prescription ~~drug order~~ medications are delivered to the patient in accordance with standards of the ~~drug manufacturer's temperature standards as set by manufacturer, United States Pharmacopeia, Federal Food and Drug Administration and other recognized standards. the Food and Drug Administration (FDA).~~ A pharmacy shall insure ensure integrity of any drug requiring temperature control other than "room temperature storage" that is delivered by mail order and provide a notification to the patient of the timeliness in addressing the proper storage of the



~~medication by enclosing in each medication's packaging a USP-recognized method by which the patient can easily detect improper storage or temperature variations.~~

(a) The shipping method may include the use of temperature tags, time temperature strips, insulated packaging, or a combination of these.

(b) The notification method may be by verbal, written, electronic, or other technological means. If verbal, then the pharmacy must document the notification and maintain such documentation.

(4) Any pharmacy using delivery by mail to deliver dispensed prescription drugs shall comply with the following conditions:

(a) Any pharmacy that uses delivery by mail is accountable to the Board to arrange for the appropriate mailing/shipping process.

(b) A mail order pharmacy shall provide a method by which a patient or patient's caregiver can notify the mail order pharmacy as to any irregularity in the delivery of their medication to include but not be limited to:

1. Timeliness of delivery;
2. Condition on the prescription drug upon delivery; and
3. Failure to receive the proper prescription drug.

(c) Medications designated as requiring special handling by this rule must be signed for upon delivery by the patient or patient's designee. In the event that the medication cannot be delivered, the package will not be left behind and shall be returned to the mailing or shipping service to be held for pickup until signed for by the patient or the patient's designee, or redelivered to the patient if so requested by the patient or the patient's caregiver. The Board has designated the following drugs as requiring special handling:

1. All Schedule II, III, IV, and V controlled substances

(d) A mail order pharmacy shall provide a process by which, if the delivery of a prescription medication is in any way compromised, the pharmacy will replace the patient's medication, to be delivered by next-day delivery or the mail order pharmacy will immediately contact the patient's prescriber to arrange for a prescription for a minimum seven (7) day supply of the medication to be dispensed to the patient by a licensed pharmacy of the patient's choice.

(e) A pharmacy that employs delivery by mail must provide written information, set forth in Board Rule 480-31-.01, for each drug that is delivered, and a method of electronic or telephonic communications for a pharmacist or a Georgia-licensed pharmacy intern under direct supervision of the pharmacist to provide consultation or counseling in accordance with the obligations of O.C.G.A. § 26-4-85. All such counseling will be documented in the pharmacy's patient records. It is sufficient proof to show counseling was refused if a patient or patient's caregiver does not contact the pharmacy.

(f) The pharmacy shall provide information to the patient on the procedure that the patient should follow if any prescription drug does not arrive in a timely manner, or if the integrity of the packaging or medication has been compromised during shipment and delivery by mail.

(g) A pharmacy using delivery by mail shall document in its records when the prescription drug was sent to the patient.

(h) A pharmacy using delivery by mail shall document the instances when prescription drugs have been compromised during shipment and delivery by mail or when drugs do not arrive in a timely manner, and shall maintain such documentation for two (2) years. In addition, the mail order pharmacy shall maintain reports of patient complaints and internal/external audits about timeliness of deliveries, condition of the medication when received by patient including medication that was compromised in delivery, misfills of prescriptions, and the failure of a patient to receive medication. Such records shall be provided to the Board, upon request.

(i) A pharmacy or a pharmacist shall refuse to deliver by mail a prescription drug which, in the professional opinion of the pharmacy or pharmacist may be clinically compromised by delivery by mail.

(j) A mail order pharmacy shall make available to the patient or the patient's caregiver contact information of the Board of Pharmacy.

A motion was made by Bob Warnock, seconded by Laird Miller, and the Board voted that the formulation and adoption of this rule amendment does not impose excessive regulatory cost on any licensee and any cost to comply with the proposed amendment cannot be reduced by a less expensive alternative that fully accomplishes the objectives of the relevant code sections.

In the same motion, the Board also voted that it is not legal or feasible to meet the objectives of the relevant code sections to adopt or implement differing actions for businesses as listed at O.C.G.A. § 50-13-4(a)(3)(A), (B), (C) and (D). The formulation and adoption of this rule amendment will impact every licensee in the same manner, and each licensee is independently licensed, owned and operated and dominant in the field of pharmacy.

Bill Prather made a motion and Bob Warnock seconded, and the Board voted to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 43-1-19(h)(2) and §43-1-2(k) to deliberate and to receive information on applications, investigative reports and the Assistant Attorney General's report. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Vicki Arnold, Mike Faulk, Lisa Harris, Chris Jones, Laird Miller, Bill Prather and Bob Warnock.

### **Executive Session**

#### **Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency – Rick Allen**

- Updated the Board on preliminary, soon-to-be findings by the Senate Opioid Abuse Study Committee Meeting
- Audit update
- P.S.
- Intracompany transfers
- The Board received legal advice regarding drug wholesale changes

#### **Cognizant's Report – Chris Jones**

- GDNA Case # A-16-16
- GDNA Case # T-31999
- GDNA Case # T-32022
- GDNA Case # A-16-18
- GDNA Case #B31894
- GDNA Case # A-14-44
- GDNA Case # B-31684
- GDNA Case # B-31765
- GDNA Case # A-31965
- GDNA Case # A-31333
- GDNA Case # A-31665
- GDNA Case # A-31761
- GDNA Case # A-31634

#### **Correspondences/Requests**

- D.C.H.C.
- C.R.H.
- A.G.
- A.P.
- A.P.N.Y.
- A.P.

- A.O.I.
- B.S.I.S.
- C.V.S.P.
- O.P.S.
- S.P.
- V.R.
- G.R.
- P.S.
- C.W.P.I.
- C.V.S.S.
- B.R.K.
- K.K.P.
- M.B.S.
- R.H.A.
- H.H.G.
- M.B.H.
- T.S.M.
- M.A.Z.
- J.W.S.
- S.T.R.
- B.G.
- M.C.H.P.
- B.R.M.C.
- C.A.
- P.A.
- R.A.S.
- J.C.M.
- S.C.H.P.
- C.M.C.
- C.N.H.
- C.M.C.
- D.H.A.
- E.M.C.
- F.P.H.
- R.R.M.C.
- H.S.W.R.H.

No votes were taken in Executive Session. President Faulk declared the meeting back in Open Session.

<b>Open Session</b>
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Bob Warnock made a motion for the Board to take the following actions:

**Appearance**

- M.S.                                      Request to discuss reinstatement                      Request approved

**Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency – Rick Allen**

The Board received legal advice regarding an emergency rule pertaining to Naloxone.

## Appearances

- Z.G. Denied Pharmacy Technician Table pending receipt of additional information
- D.M.I. Denied Pharmacist Intern Overturn denial and refer to the Attorney General's office.

## Applications

- T.R.Y. Pharmacy Technician Denied registration
- Rene Preciado Jr. Pharmacy Technician Approved for registration
- John Thai Pharmacy Technician Approved for registration
- DeMarcus Mitchell Pharmacy Technician Approved for registration
- Seth M. Mumblo Pharmacy Technician Approved for registration
- Clarence P. Rainey Pharmacy Technician Approved for registration
- Katherine M. Branch Pharmacy Technician Approved for registration
- Ciera C. Lee Pharmacy Technician Approved for registration
- Marina E. Reece Pharmacy Technician Approved for registration
- Dequetta A. Gleaton Pharmacy Technician Approved for registration
- M.D.H. Pharmacy Technician Denied registration
- Lance Williams Pharmacy Technician Approved for registration
- R.F.L. Pharmacist Intern Denied application
- Alison H. Sills Pharmacist Renewal Approved
- B.D.R. Pharmacist Renewal Refer to the Attorney General's office
- B.A.A. Pharmacist Renewal Approved pending receipt of additional information
- Gary A. Roberts Pharmacist Renewal Approved
- Shuler E. Harmon, Jr. Pharmacist Renewal Approved
- Cynthia P. Silverio Pharmacist Renewal Approved
- Mark Miller Pharmacist Renewal Approved
- Nikia S. Coefield Pharmacist Renewal Approved
- Diem C. Hope Pharmacist Renewal Approved
- A.R.G. Pharmacist Reciprocity Approved to sit for the exam
- R.E.J. Pharmacist Reactivation Denied application
- R.S.S. Pharmacist Reactivation Schedule to meet with the Board
- Amon L. Peters Pharmacist Renewal Approved
- J.C. Pharmacist Renewal Table pending receipt of additional information
- D.M.B. Pharmacist Renewal Approved
- Ashley Woodhouse Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Asia M. Parham Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Beverly A. Dotson Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Brandy C. Butcher Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Crystal A. Wright Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Gregory S. Cooper Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Kathy Camarero Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Kendra A. Lewis Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Mackenzie Mullenix Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Naomi Y. Yates Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Quynh Hoang Ho Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Robert L. Jackson Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved

- Sara W. Reece Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Teri L. Laurenti Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Carrie J. Holland Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Habeeb A. Balogun Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Niama Brown Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Sarah Coffee Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Stephanie M. Roberts Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved
- Tarrah B. White Pharmacist Cert of DTM Renewal Approved

**Attorney General’s Report – Janet Wray**

Ms. Wray discussed the following individual:

- T.N.H. Request to amend consent order denied.

Ms. Wray presented the following consent orders:

- W.T.T. Private Consent Order accepted
- R.W.C. Private Consent Order accepted
- L.M.W. Private Consent Order to be accepted and signed with express permission upon receipt of the original

Ms. Wray gave legal advice regarding Rule 480-10-.02 Prescription Department, Requirement, Supervision, Hours Closed.

**Georgia Drugs and Narcotics Agency – Rick Allen**

- Updated the Board on preliminary, soon-to-be findings by the Senate Opioid Abuse Study Committee Meeting. No action taken.
- Audit update. No action taken.
- P.S.
- Intracompany transfers. No action taken.
- The Board received legal advice regarding drug wholesale changes. No action taken.

**Cognizant’s Report – Chris Jones**

- GDNA Case # A-16-16 Accept Private Interim Consent Order
- GDNA Case # T-31999 Accept Voluntary Surrender
- GDNA Case # T-32022 Accept Voluntary Surrender
- GDNA Case # A-16-18 Accept Voluntary Surrender
- GDNA Case #B31894 Revoke Technician Registration
- GDNA Case # A-14-44 Refer to Attorney General’s Office for discipline
- GDNA Case # B-31684 Close case with no action
- GDNA Case # B-31765 Refer to Attorney General’s Office for discipline
- GDNA Case # A-31965 Refer to Attorney General’s Office for discipline
- GDNA Case # A-31333 Close case with no action
- GDNA Case # A-31665 Close case with letter of concern
- GDNA Case # A-31761 Refer to Attorney General’s Office for discipline
- GDNA Case # A-31634 Refer to Attorney General’s Office for discipline

**Correspondences/Requests**

- D.C.H.C. Remote Order Entry Approved
- C.R.H. Remote Order Entry Approved
- A.G. Remote Order Entry Denied

• A.P.	Notice of discipline	No action
• A.P.N.Y.	Notice of discipline	No action
• A.P.	Notice of discipline	No action
• A.O.I.	Notice of discipline	No action
• B.S.I.S.	Notice of discipline	No action
• C.V.S.P.	Notice of discipline	No action
• O.P.S.	Notice of discipline	No action
• S.P.	Notice of discipline	No action
• V.R.	Notice of discipline	No action
• G.R.	Notice of discipline	No action
• P.S.	Notice of discipline	No action
• C.W.P.I.	Notice of discipline	Refer to the Attorney General's office as information
• C.V.S.S.	Report submission	The Board viewed this correspondence for informational purposes only
• B.R.K.	Request to take MPJE a 4 <sup>th</sup> time	Approved request
• K.K.P.	Request to take MPJE a 4 <sup>th</sup> time	Approved request
• M.B.S.	Request to take MPJE a 4 <sup>th</sup> time	Approved request
• R.H.A.	Request to take MPJE a 4 <sup>th</sup> time	Approved request
• H.H.G.	Request to take NAPLEX a 4 <sup>th</sup> time	Denied request
• M.B.H.	Appearance request	Denied request
• T.S.M.	Request to approve treatment provider selected	Board directed staff to respond by Stating the recovery center must make the request if it wishes to be considered as a board approved provider.
• M.A.Z.	Request for extension of intern license	Approved request
• J.W.S.	Request to work from home	Denied request
• S.T.R.	Request to terminate probation	Approve request in January 2017
• B.G.	Correspondence	Board directed staff to respond by stating the individual needs to surrender extra license or the Board will proceed with revocation
• M.C.H.P.	Request regarding renovation	Table pending inspection by GDNA
• B.R.M.C.	Correspondence regarding change in ownership	Approved request
• C.A.	Request for waiver of Policy #3A	Denied request
• P.A.	Request to take MPJE a 4 <sup>th</sup> time	Approved request
• R.A.S.	Appearance request	Approved request
• J.C.M.	Request to lift probation	Approved pending proof fine has been paid
• S.C.H.P.	Remote Order Entry	Approved
• C.M.C.	Remote Order Entry	Approved
• C.N.H.	Remote Order Entry	Approved
• C.M.C.	Remote Order Entry	Approved
• D.H.A.	Remote Order Entry	Approved

- E.M.C. Remote Order Entry Approved
- F.P.H. Remote Order Entry Approved
- R.R.M.C. Remote Order Entry Approved
- H.S.W.R.H. Remote Order Entry Denied

Lisa Harris seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

President Faulk stated that the Board needs to nominate officers for the upcoming year. Bill Prather made a motion to nominate Chris Jones as President. Lisa Harris seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

Chris Jones made a motion to nominate Bob Warnock as Cognizant and Vice-President. Bill Prather seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 5:10 p.m.

The next meeting of the Georgia Board of Pharmacy is scheduled for Wednesday, January 11, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. at South University School of Pharmacy, 709 Mall Blvd., Savannah, GA 31406.

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