



NEVADA STATE BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

******PUBLIC NOTICE******

BOARD MEETING

February 8, 2022 @ 5:30 PM

AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATION:

*Nevada State Board of Osteopathic Medicine ~ Conference Room
2275 Corporate Circle, Suite 210
Henderson, NV 89074
Public Call in Number: 1-866-854-6779; Meeting Code: 7492532#*

NOTE: Per Governor Sisolak's Directive 44, beginning June 1, 2021, Board meetings will return to holding meetings at physical locations.

***** MINUTES *****

I. CALL TO ORDER (Discussion/For Possible Action) Ronald Hedger, D.O., President, Roll call to determine presence of a quorum

Board Members:

*Ronald Hedger, D.O.
Ricardo Almaguer, D.O.
Samir Pancholi, D.O.
Carla Perlotto, PhD
Swadeep Nigam, MSc, MBA, Public Member*

Board Staff:

*Sandra Reed, Executive Director
Louis Ling, Esq., Board Counsel*

Public:

*Susan Fisher
Courtney Vignau*

II. PUBLIC COMMENT

NOTE: Prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or a quasi-judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual, the board may refuse to consider public comment. See NRS 233B.126.

No Comments.

**III. APPROVAL OF BOARD MEETING MINUTES FROM JANUARY 11, 2022
(Discussion/For Possible Action) Ronald Hedger, D.O., President**

Mr. Nigam made a motion to approve the minutes from January 11, 2022; seconded by Dr. Perlotto. There being no discussion, the minutes were approved by the Board.

IV. CONSENT AGENDA TO GRANT LICENSURE FOR OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIANS, PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS, SPECIAL EVENT AND SPECIAL LICENSES

(Discussion/For Possible Action) Ronald Hedger, D.O., President

Under this item the Board may consider the recommendations of the Executive Director and/or President/Vice President to grant licensure to the below listed applicants. The Board may remove any applicant's name from the consent motion but may not discuss the contents of the application for licensure without the applicant present following proper notice pursuant to the open meeting law.

Osteopathic Physician Name	Specialty
<i>Theddy Blanc, D.O.</i>	<i>Emergency Medicine</i>
<i>Mon Ursino Briones, D.O.</i>	<i>Anesthesiology</i>
<i>William Bunzel, D.O.</i>	<i>Emergency Medicine</i>
<i>Aldo Calvo, D.O.</i>	<i>Family Medicine</i>
<i>Johol Chan, D.O.</i>	<i>OB/GYN</i>
<i>Jasmine Chopra, D.O.</i>	<i>Neurology</i>
<i>Carolyn Chudy, D.O.</i>	<i>Physical Medicine/Rehabilitation</i>
<i>Lisa Di Tomaso, D.O.</i>	<i>Emergency Medicine</i>
<i>Ryan Frome, D.O.</i>	<i>Pediatrics</i>
<i>Lewis Jassey, D.O.</i>	<i>Pediatrics</i>
<i>Joshua Moody, D.O.</i>	<i>Anesthesiology</i>
<i>Ryan Nimer, D.O.</i>	<i>Anesthesiology</i>
<i>David Nye, Jr., D.O.</i>	<i>Vascular Surgery</i>
<i>Amanda Sayles, D.O.</i>	<i>Pediatrics</i>
<i>James Staheli, D.O.</i>	<i>Family Medicine</i>
<i>Alicia Unangst, D.O.</i>	<i>Orthopedic Surgery</i>
<i>Kelly Wang, D.O.</i>	<i>Internal Medicine</i>
<i>Liana Wright, D.O.</i>	<i>Family Medicine</i>
<i>Dong Yeung, D.O.</i>	<i>Internal Medicine</i>

Physician Assistant	Supervising Physician
<i>Andrea Albrigo, PA-C</i>	<i>Michael Wilson, D.O.</i>
<i>Gina Meigs, PA-C</i>	<i>Nader Helmi, D.O.</i>
<i>Michael O'Reilly, PA-C</i>	<i>Active-Not Working</i>
<i>Shannon Treasure, PA-C</i>	<i>Active-Not Working</i>

Dr. Perlotto made a motion to approve the licensees as written; seconded by Dr. Pancholi. There being no discussion, the Board approved licensure.

V. CONSIDERATION/PROVIDE COMMENTS/APPROVAL OF DRAFT REPORT ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE BY THE FSMB, Ronald Hedger, D.O., President

Dr. Hedger noted he reviewed the draft report issued by the FSMB and did not have concerns or comments. Other Board members agreed. Dr. Perlotto made a motion to approve the FSMB draft on emergency preparedness and response as currently written; seconded by Mr. Nigam. There being none opposed, the motion was approved.

VI. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

- a. *Financial Statements* – Ms. Reed indicated the Board was doing financially well, and noted the regular financial documents provided each month, along with the quarterly financial report.

- b. *Licensing* – Licensing report was slightly revised to be clearer.
Ms. Reed also requested all Board members with open complaints assigned to them more than one or two months ago, to provide a status or determination.

VII. *LEGAL REPORT (Discussion/For Possible Action) by Louis Ling, Board Counsel*
Mr. Ling had nothing to report.

VIII. *LEGISLATIVE UPDATE (Discussion/For Possible Action) by Susan Fisher, Board Government Affairs/Lobbyist*
Ms. Fisher commended Ms. Reed for a great presentation to the Interim Committee on Commerce and Labor on February 1 and noted that the thoroughness of her presentation avoided questions from committee members. The committee chair also commented on the impressive presentation by Ms. Reed.

IX. *ITEMS FOR FUTURE DISCUSSION/ACTION/UPCOMING AGENDA*
No items.

X. *PRESIDENT’S REPORT on Board Business, Ronald Hedger, D.O., President*
Dr. Hedger commented that nine state legislatures have sanctioned their state medical boards for overreaching on COVID-19 related discipline to licensees and removed some of the Boards’ powers. He also noted that our Board decided to not implement a specific policy related to licensees addressing COVID-19; rather, the Board will continue to address all complaints case-by-case.

XI. *PUBLIC COMMENT*
No Comments.

Dr. Hedger made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Nigam, and approved by the Board.

Minutes were approved at the March 8, 2022 Board meeting