

**MINUTES**  
**WV BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC**  
**February 6, 2020**  
**Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott**  
**402 Second Avenue, South Charleston, WV 25303**

**MEMBERS:**

Barry A. Stowers, D.C., Chairman  
Geoffrey R. Mohn, D.C., Vice Chairman  
Terry W. Chambers, D.C., Secretary  
Holly L. Harvey, D.C., Investigative Officer  
Ruth R. Lemmon, Public Member

**PRESENT:**

Barry A. Stowers  
Geoffrey R. Mohn  
Terry W. Chambers  
Holly L. Harvey  
Ruth R. Lemmon

**ALSO, IN ATTENDANCE:**

Barbara L. Johnson, Executive Director  
Anthony D. Eates, II, Deputy Attorney General

**CALL TO ORDER:**

Barry Stowers called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

Geoff Mohn moved that the Minutes for the November 14, 2019 Board meeting be approved.

- Terry Chambers - 2<sup>nd</sup> Motion
- Motion carried.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

Motion was made by Terry Chambers to enter Executive Session to administer jurisprudence exam and receive the Investigative Officer's recommendation for Complaint #2019-181, and to review and consider matters for complaints under Old Business.

- Geoff Mohn - 2<sup>nd</sup> Motion
- Motion carried.

**DISMISS EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

Motion was made by Terry Chambers to dismiss Executive Session.

- Geoff Mohn - 2<sup>nd</sup> Motion
- Motion carried.

The jurisprudence exam was administered to the following applicants - - Margo J. Brown, Patricia L. Ellingson, Kyle D. Moore, Thomas F. Munoz, II, Muhummad A. Razak, Michael G. Scarton, and William R. Snyder. All received a license to practice chiropractic in the State of West Virginia.

Reports were presented during Executive Session and Barry Stowers called to accept reports presented to the Board as follows:

Motion was made by Geoff Mohn to accept the Investigative Officer's report for Complaint #2019-181 as no probable cause.

- Terry Chambers - 2<sup>nd</sup> Motion
- Motion carried.

Complaint #2018-174 and Complaint #2019-177 - Dr. Christopher Grose - - reviewed!  
No motion needed.

Complaint #2019-182 - Motion was made by Terry Chambers for Anthony to draft a Consent Agreement placing Dr. Dustin Wright's license on probation for one year and, within that one year, he must complete a billing and coding seminar, as well as complete and pass the EBAS exam (fraud course) offered by the NBCE (National Board of Chiropractic Examiners).

- Geoff Mohn - 2<sup>nd</sup> Motion
- Motion carried.

Barbara updated Board regarding Dr. Justin McCarter (Complaint #2019-179). Dr. McCarter enrolled and continues to participate in a substance abuse treatment program with weekly supervised drug screens.  
No motion needed.

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

Update on House Bill 118 - New Rule Series 8, Consideration of Prior Criminal Convictions in Initial Licensure Determinations - before 2020 Legislative session.  
No motion needed.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Motion was made by Terry Chambers to deny approval for the continuing education request received from Standard Process of Ohio to be held on March 7, 2020 in Bridgeport, WV, due to the fact it does not follow state guidelines.

- Holly Harvey - 2<sup>nd</sup> Motion
- Motion carried.

The Board reviewed and discussed Dr. James Leonette's email regarding Iontophoresis. It was the consensus of the Board that Iontophoresis is within the chiropractic scope of practice if the doctor has completed training in this therapy. Terry Chambers made motion to add this Board approved therapy to the Board's Policy & Procedures Manual to show that three (3) hours of training must be completed for this therapy. The training may be completed post-grad and/or while attending chiropractic college.

- Geoff Mohn - 2<sup>nd</sup> Motion
- Motion carried.

Motion was made by Holly Harvey to accept and approve P-card (purchasing card expenditures) for November and December 2019 and January 2020. Barbara also presented Board with Board's cash balance.

- Geoff Mohn - 2<sup>nd</sup> Motion
- Motion carried.

The Board reviewed and discussed various bills affecting Chapter 30 boards presented during the 2020 Legislative session.

No motion needed.

The Board discussed the FCLB 2020 Annual Educational Congress scheduled for April 22-26, 2020 in Denver, CO.

No motion needed.

Motion was made by Terry Chambers to elect Holly Harvey as the FCLB and NBCE Delegate and Barry Stowers as the Alternate Voting Designation for the FCLB 2020 Annual Educational Congress scheduled for April 22-26, 2020 in Denver, CO.

- Geoff Mohn - 2<sup>nd</sup> Motion
- Motion carried.

The date for the next Board meeting was scheduled for May 21, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.

Meeting adjourned at 12:30 p.m.

Signed & Dated:



Barry A. Stowers, D.C.

Chairman