Letter from the Director Regarding Grand Rounds

“Grand rounds” can be loosely defined as a time honored practice of disseminating expert opinion regarding clinical care to medical professionals.

That is the goal of our newsletter aptly renamed Grand Rounds: Your Report from the State Medical Board of Ohio. Our plan is to provide our licensees more and better content regarding patient care, public safety, and professional considerations related to practice from the view of the medical board. As in the case of actual grand rounds, we will focus especially on current or interesting cases as well as issues affecting the medical profession.

Starting with this issue, you’ll notice a new layout. We are trying to develop a more readable format in addition to improving content. “Clickable” links to information or sites related to articles in Grand Rounds will also be a part of our effort to provide you with more information in a more accessible format. And, of course, formal disciplinary action taken by the board will continue to be included in the publication in the traditional “yellow pages.”

Spending limitations and other fiscal constraints preclude us from publishing a hard copy of this material. But, the medical board recognizes the value inherent in communicating information to licensees in matters affecting their practice. Our hope is that you will find Grand Rounds through your e-mail or by going to the board’s website. We also plan to begin using new social media to be more proactive in getting this information to your attention. The new format and approach will enable the Board to get more timely information to licensees more quickly.

I hope you enjoy the new look and content of our newsletter. Most of all, I hope you find the information contained herein to be relevant, informative, and helpful. Please send your feedback regarding Grand Rounds or suggestions for upcoming articles to medboardnews@med.state.oh.us.

Richard A. Whitehouse, Esq.
Executive Director

There are 12 members of the Medical Board:
7 MDs
1 DO
1 DPM
3 consumers
In January 2010, the "Joint Regulatory Statement Regarding the Use of Protocols to Initiate or Adjust Medications" was amended to:

- Expand the definition of “authorized prescriber” to include an Advanced Practice Nurse with a certificate to prescribe and a Physician Assistant with a certificate to prescribe and physician delegated prescriptive authority.
- Clarify that Pharmacy Board Rule 4729-5-01, Ohio Administrative Code, is not negated or superseded by the October 2008 CMS memorandum concerning the use of “standing orders.”
- Clarify that a protocol may not be used for the administration of Vitamin K and erythromycin ointment to a newborn, but administration may be pursuant to a preprinted order (a patient-specific, definitive set of drug treatment directives in an inpatient setting).

Read the Joint Regulatory Statement:
http://med.ohio.gov/pdf/position_statements/protocol.pdf
**COMBATING PRESCRIPTION DRUG ABUSE**

**Ohio Prescription Drug Task Force:** April 2010, Governor Strickland established the Ohio Prescription Drug Abuse Task Force to coordinate a comprehensive state approach to Ohio’s prescription drug abuse problem. The Medical Board is an active participant in the Task Force. J. Craig Strafford, MD, FACOG, serves as the Medical Board’s representative on the Task Force. Dr. Strafford, in conjunction with senior management staff, represents the Medical Board at Task Force meetings and serves on Task Force workgroups. On May 17, 2010, the Task Force published an initial report on progress and recommendations. A copy of the report can be viewed at www.odh.ohio.gov/drugoverdose.

**HB 547 Pain Management Clinics:** In separate but related efforts, Representatives Raymond Pryor and Nancy Garland introduced HB 547 on June 9, 2010. The Medical Board and other interested parties have worked with the sponsors of this legislation to establish licensing requirements for pain management clinics through the Ohio Board of Pharmacy. The legislation further requires physician ownership of pain clinics and grants the Medical Board authority to 1) adopt rules establishing the standards for operation of a physician-owned pain clinic; 2) set standards to be followed by a physician providing care in a pain clinic; and 3) establish standards and procedures to be followed by physicians regarding the review of patient information through OARRS.

**Expert Panel:** The Medical Board is establishing an expert panel of physicians specializing in pain management to provide input to Board staff in drafting rules and policy proposals related to pain management for consideration by the Board.

**Medical Board Prescribing & Pain Management Rules:** The Medical Board has had long-standing rules related to prescribing controlled substances and drug treatment of intractable pain as a resource for physicians. The controlled substance rules are available at http://codes.ohio.gov/oac/4731-11 in Chapter 4731-11, Ohio Administrative Code, The Medical Board’s pain management rules, Chapter 4731-21, Ohio Administrative Code, are available at http://codes.ohio.gov/oac/4731-21.

**HAVE YOU SIGNED UP FOR OARRS?**

The Ohio Board of Pharmacy manages OARRS, the Ohio Automated Rx Reporting System, a program for prescribers to obtain patient-specific prescription information to use when treating a patient. OARRS is a program that collects prescription data from pharmacies licensed by the Ohio Board of Pharmacy. Information is stored in a high-security database. The report should be used to supplement a patient evaluation, to confirm a patient’s drug history, or to document compliance with a therapeutic regimen.

The OARRS database includes dispensing information regarding Schedules II – V controlled substances, carisoprodol products (e.g. Soma®) and tramadol products (e.g. Ultram®). The OARRS report is based on data entered by the dispensing pharmacy. It takes up to 10 days from the date the prescription is dispensed until it appears in an OARRS report. The OARRS website is available 24/7 and most reports may be viewed within 15 seconds after the request is submitted.

Go to www.ohiopmp.gov to learn how to register.

Contact the OARRS program staff at the Ohio Board of Pharmacy by e-mail at: info@ohiopmp.gov or by phone at 614-466-4143.
**GOVERNOR STRICKLAND APPOINTS NEW MEMBERS TO MEDICAL BOARD**

Brian Morris, of Bexley, was appointed to serve a term ending July 31, 2013. He replaces Mr. William Ogg who resigned. Mr. Morris, a communications consultant, is one of three consumer representatives on the Medical Board.

Kris Ramprasad, MD, of Cincinnati, was appointed to serve a term ending March 18, 2015. He replaces Nandlal Varyani, MD, whose term expired. Since 1991, Dr. Ramprasad has been affiliated with Greater Cincinnati Gastroenterology Associates. He received the 2007 Best Doctor Award by Western Hills Mercy Hospital.

Dr. Ramprasad is also an instructor in gastroenterology at the VA Hospital in Cincinnati.

J. Craig Strafford, MD, MPH, FACOG, of Gallipolis, was appointed to serve a term ending March 18, 2014. He replaces Dr. Carol Egner whose term expired. Dr. Strafford has practiced OB/GYN for more than 30 years. He is the Director of Clinical Research for the Holzer Clinic and practices gynecology in Gallipolis and Athens. Dr. Strafford is the current Vice President of the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists.

**COMMITTEE ON PRESCRIPTIVE GOVERNANCE APPOINTMENT**

Darshan Mahajan, MD, a neurologist from Elyria, Ohio, was appointed by the Medical Board to serve as its representative on the Ohio Board of Nursing’s Committee on Prescriptive Governance. This interdisciplinary committee is charged with developing recommendations to the Board of Nursing regarding the composition of the formulary, and safety standards for a certified nurse practitioner, certified nurse midwife or certified nurse specialist to personally furnish medications to patients.

**MEDICAL BOARD ADOPTS DEATH CERTIFICATE POLICY**

The State Medical Board of Ohio has received many inquiries concerning the signing of death certificates by attending physicians.

On April 15, 2010, the Medical Board adopted a policy “Regarding the Signing of Death Certificates by the Attending Physician” to clarify the meaning of “attending physician” for purposes of determining who must sign a death certificate for a person who died under natural circumstances.

The policy statement also answers the following frequently asked questions:

- Whether a physician in a graduate medical education program may sign a death certificate;
- Who is the attending physician of a patient in a long-term care facility; and
- What happens when the attending physician has not recently seen the deceased patient.

View the policy on the Medical Board’s website: [http://med.ohio.gov/pdf/position_statements/Death_Certificates.pdf](http://med.ohio.gov/pdf/position_statements/Death_Certificates.pdf)
FSMB ANNUAL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

The State Medical Board of Ohio is a member of the Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB). The FSMB is a national non-profit organization representing the 70 medical boards of the United States and its territories. It promotes excellence in medical practice, licensure, and regulation. Recently, FSMB held its annual meeting in Chicago. The theme of the meeting was “Connect and Lead.” Select Ohio board members and staff attended this meeting to stay abreast of important issues and learn new ways to better serve stakeholders and protect the public.

Ohio Board Executive Director Richard A. Whitehouse presented several sessions entitled *Educating Medical Students on Ethical and Boundary Issues*. The presentation afforded an opportunity to highlight Ohio’s *Partners in Professionalism* program that engages medical students in discussions regarding ethics and professionalism. Subsequent to this presentation, eleven boards requested materials to develop their own educational initiatives based upon the Ohio model.

Ohio’s involvement in FSMB is a crucial part of board efforts to lead in the field of medical regulation and find new ways to bring public value to our mission of public protection.

Watch the *Partners in Professionalism - An Initiative in Medical Education* video posted on the Medical Board website: [http://med.ohio.gov](http://med.ohio.gov/

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<th>License Type</th>
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<th>Active License—out of state</th>
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<td>190</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>196</td>
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<td>Massage Therapists</td>
<td>10,499</td>
<td>881</td>
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<td>Doctor of Osteopathy (DO)</td>
<td>3,677</td>
<td>1,231</td>
<td>4,908</td>
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<td>Medical Doctor (MD)</td>
<td>27,411</td>
<td>9,391</td>
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<td>Doctor of Podiatric Medicine (DPM)</td>
<td>833</td>
<td>127</td>
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<td>Mechanotherapists &amp; Naprapaths</td>
<td>31</td>
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<td>Physician Assistant</td>
<td>1,862</td>
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<td>6</td>
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<td>Acupuncturist</td>
<td>132</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL:</strong></td>
<td><strong>49,899</strong></td>
<td><strong>11,929</strong></td>
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Every two years, physicians are required to complete 100 hours of continuing medical education [CME] activities to qualify for renewal of their Ohio medical license. A minimum of 40 hours of Category 1 credits and a maximum of 60 Category 2 credits are required. All credits may be earned in Category 1 activities. Additional credits earned in Category 2 activities cannot be substituted for Category 1 credits. Although each physician is responsible for keeping complete and accurate documentation of continuing medical education activities, no documentation need be submitted with renewal registration.

The Medical Board randomly audits 2% of the physician licensees who renewed their medical license to verify compliance with the CME requirements. Those who are audited are required to provide the Board documentation of their Category 1 CME activities and list the Category 2 activities completed during the designated timeframe. Each quarter, the Board finds a few physicians who have not fulfilled this obligation which may result in a disciplinary action by the Board.

Acceptable documentation of completion of Category 1 activities includes:

- Hospital or institutional computer listings from grand rounds etc. that indicate the programs have been designated Category 1 credit
- Individual activity reports from the AOA for osteopathic physicians
- Signed application for American Medical Association Physician Recognition Award (AMA-PRA) but the dates must coincide with the Medical Board’s audit period
- Computer printout from the American Academy of Family Practice (AAFP) or the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG)
- Activity certificate or letters that include the name of the activity, CME provider, doctor’s name, date of activity, number of credits and indication of accreditation
- Letters from residency or fellowship programs that include the dates of participation and the name of doctor
- Program certificates or letters that include the name of the program, sponsor, name of attendee, dates, number of accredited CME credits

Copies of seminar or meeting brochures, the AMA-PRA certificate alone, payment receipts, and letters or notes not written on appropriate letterhead are not sufficient to document Category 1 activity participation.

What’s the Difference between Category 1 and Category 2 credit?

The tables on pages 7 and 8 of this issue summarize the Category 1 and Category 2 CME requirements for MDs, DOs and DPMs. CME booklets containing complete information for each renewal group and profession are posted on the Medical Board’s website — med.ohio.gov. Examples of acceptable CME activities, the pro-rated number of CME credits required of newly licensed physicians, and the criteria for a waiver of portion of the CME requirements are also included in the booklets.
Licensure Renewal and CME Cycle Chart for MDs, DOs and DPMs:

The table below summarizes the CME cycle and the number of CME credits required. It is important to remember that the CME cycle ends before the license expires.

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<th>First Initial of Licensee</th>
<th>License Expiration Date</th>
<th>Renewal Cycle</th>
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<td>A-B</td>
<td>7/1/11</td>
<td>4/2/09 - 4/1/11</td>
<td>100 credits (40 Cat. 1)</td>
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<td>C-D</td>
<td>4/1/11</td>
<td>1/2/09 - 1/1/11</td>
<td>100 credits (40 Cat. 1)</td>
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<td>E-G</td>
<td>1/1/13</td>
<td>10/2/10 - 10/1/12</td>
<td>100 credits (40 Cat. 1)</td>
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<td>H-K</td>
<td>10/1/12</td>
<td>7/2/10 - 7/1/12</td>
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<td>7/1/12</td>
<td>4/2/10 - 4/1/12</td>
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<td>N-R</td>
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Allopathic (MD) Continuing Medical Education Program Summary

Minimum of 100 credits per two year renewal cycle

http://med.ohio.gov/cme_md.htm

CATEGORY 1 - Minimum of 40 credits required

Category 1 activities are planned, structured activities offered by an accredited provider of CME who also designates the education for AMA PRA Category 1 credit. These learning activities may be in the form of lectures, seminars or workshops, or may be based on self-assessment programs, audiovisual, Internet-based or computer materials. Accredited providers may designate the following types of activities for AMA PRA Category 1 credit:

A. Live activities
B. Enduring printed, records, audio/video, and or online/ electronic materials
C. Journal-based CME
D. New procedures skill courses
E. Test item writing
F. Manuscript review for journals
G. Performance improvement (PI) activities
H. Internet point of care learning (PoC)
I. Other structured activities, such as committee work, designated by the provider

Physicians may also claim AMA PRA Category 1 credit directly from the American Medical Association for designated activities.

CATEGORY 2 - Maximum of 60 credits allowed

Category 2 credit may be earned for activities physicians have undertaken on their own that should be beneficial to their practice. Credit claimed should be commensurate with the actual time spent on an activity.

Physicians may claim Category 2 credit for learning activities such as:

- teaching residents, medical students or other health care professionals
- unstructured online searching and learning - (not Internet PoC)
- reading authoritative medical literature
- consultations with peers and expert
- small group discussions
- self-assessment activities
- medical writing
- preceptorships
- research
### Osteopathic (DO) Continuing Medical Education Program Summary

**Minimum of 100 credits per two year renewal cycle**

Website link to CME booklet: [http://med.ohio.gov/cme_do.htm](http://med.ohio.gov/cme_do.htm)

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<th>CATEGORY 2 – Maximum of 60 hours allowed</th>
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<td>1-A Formal education programs sponsored by accredited osteopathic institutions, organizations and their affiliates which meet the definition of osteopathic CME, standardized life support courses, and federal aviation administration course</td>
<td>2-A Formal education programs sponsored by accredited allopathic institutions, organizations and agencies</td>
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<td>1-B Development and publication of scientific papers and electronically communicated programs</td>
<td>2-B Non-AOA accredited or approved hospital committee and departmental conferences concerned with the review of patient care</td>
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<td>1-B Osteopathic medical teaching</td>
<td>2-B Home Study</td>
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<td>1-B Conducting osteopathic hospital inspections and certifying board examinations (5 credits per inspection or examination)</td>
<td>2-B Scientific Exhibits</td>
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<td>1-B AOA accredited and/or approved hospital committee and departmental conferences concerned with the review and evaluation of patient care</td>
<td>2-B Other CME activities and programs approved for Category 2 credit by the OOA</td>
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<td>1-C Other CME activities and programs approved for Category 1 by the OOA Council on Continuing Medical Education</td>
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### Podiatric (DPM) Continuing Medical Education Program Summary

**Minimum of 100 credits per two year renewal cycle**

Website link to CME booklet: [http://med.ohio.gov/cme_dpm.htm](http://med.ohio.gov/cme_dpm.htm)

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<td>Courses or Internet programs offered by the American Podiatric Medical Association (APMA) or its affiliates such as state and local affiliates, Colleges of Podiatric Medicine, accredited hospitals, recognized institutions and organizations such AMA, AOA, and their affiliates, American Diabetes Association, etc., pertaining to patient care and the practice of podiatric medicine and surgery.</td>
<td>Instruction (sponsored by pharmaceutical companies, health care providers) in medical topics such as self-study format, reading journals, preparation of scientific articles, board testing, individual programs and other educational experiences not covered in Category I. This category is meant to encourage the widest possible selection of both formal and informal educational activities. The category also includes topics related to practice administration which have direct bearing on patient care and topics related to risk management.</td>
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Failure to complete the required number of CME hours may result in a disciplinary action by the Board. Potential actions range from a $5,000 fine, a reprimand, or a suspension from practice. Board actions remain a permanent part of a licensee’s public record.
CONSENT AGREEMENT: Application for restoration of massage therapy license granted, subject to suspension for 60 days; subsequent probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established for at least two years. Based on massage therapist’s admission of having practiced massage therapy after the 8/31/05 expiration of the license to in or around 5/09. Agreement effective 3/11/10. Suspension effective 3/12/10 through 5/10/10.

Consent Agreement: Medical license suspended for at least 180 days; interim monitoring conditions and conditions for reinstatement established, including requirement that doctor enter into subsequent consent agreement incorporating probationary terms, conditions, and limitations to monitor practice. Based on doctor’s admission of having undergone intensive outpatient treatment for Percocet use, which doctor obtained for self-use by writing prescriptions for Percocet using the name and DEA number of another doctor without that doctor’s knowledge or consent. Agreement effective 3/10/10.

Consent Agreement: Permanent revocation of medical license stayed for at least 24 months; interim monitoring conditions and conditions for reinstatement or restoration established. Based on doctor’s admission of having been found guilty of two misdemeanor counts of Sexual Imposition, two misdemeanor counts of Falsification, one misdemeanor count of Obstructing Official Business, and sexual misconduct with specified patients, the underlying basis being doctor’s offensive sexual contact with two female patients and having provided false information to the police during the course of an associated criminal investigation. Agreement effective 1/13/10.

Consent Agreement: Application for medical license granted, subject to suspension for 15 days; interim monitoring terms and subsequent probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established. Based on the Board’s receipt of information to support that despite a single incidence of low level positive urine screen for lorazepam, all other information indicates that applicant has not experienced a relapse and has substantially fulfilled the conditions for reinstatement established in the 4/9/09 consent agreement. Agreement effective 1/13/10; agreement to remain in effect for at least five years prior to any request for termination.

Consent Agreement: Medical license permanently revoked, based on doctor having been convicted of one felony count of Conspiracy to Distribute a Controlled Substance. (Journal Entry – no hearing requested) Order effective 3/10/10.

Consent Agreement: Medical license reinstated subject to probationary terms, conditions, and limitations imposed to monitor practice based on doctor having been deemed capable of practicing according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care so long as certain treatment and monitoring conditions are in place. Agreement effective 1/13/10; agreement to remain in effect for at least five years prior to any request for termination.

Consent Agreement: Permanent revocation of medical license stayed, subject to suspension for at least 18 months; interim monitoring conditions and conditions for reinstatement established, including requirement that doctor enter into subsequent consent agreement incorporating probationary terms, conditions, and limitations to monitor practice. Based on doctor’s diagnosis of opiate dependence and alcohol dependence, for which doctor has been determined to be impaired in ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care. Agreement effective 3/10/10.

Consent Agreement: Medical license reinstated subject to suspension for 15 days; interim monitoring terms and subsequent probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established. Based on doctor having been deemed capable of practicing according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care so long as certain treatment and monitoring conditions are in place. Agreement effective 1/13/10; agreement to remain in effect for at least five years prior to any request for termination. Suspension effective 1/15/10 through 1/29/10.

Consent Agreement: Permanent revocation of medical license stayed, subject to suspension for at least 24 months; interim monitoring conditions and conditions for reinstatement or restoration established. Based on doctor’s admission of having been found guilty of two misdemeanor counts of Sexual Imposition, two misdemeanor counts of Falsification, one misdemeanor count of Obstructing Official Business, and sexual misconduct with specified patients, the underlying basis being doctor’s offensive sexual contact with two female patients and having provided false information to the police during the course of an associated criminal investigation. Agreement effective 1/13/10.
COX, William Michael (MD #35-061828) – Millersburg, OH

Board Order: Thirty day suspension of medical license stayed, subject to probationary terms, conditions, and limitations for at least five years, based on doctor having been convicted of two first-degree misdemeanors involving moral turpitude, the underlying facts being doctor’s theft of a pocketbook/wallet. Order effective 3/11/10.

CULL, Kimberly Jo (MD #35-064232) – Powell, OH

Summary Suspension: Pursuant to Section 4731.22(G), ORC, medical license summarily suspended based on Board’s determination that there is clear and convincing evidence that doctor is impaired in the practice of medicine due to the use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances for which doctor has not entered treatment, and that doctor’s continued practice presents a danger of immediate and serious harm to the public. Effective date 11/3/10.

DAVIS, Mark Edward (DO #34-004595) – Vienna, OH

Board Order: Medical license permanently revoked, based on doctor having been found guilty of two fifth-degree felony counts of trafficking in drugs, the underlying conduct being doctor’s prescribing a Schedule III controlled substance for other than legal and legitimate therapeutic purpose. Order effective 3/11/10.

DeMINT, Franklin Donald (DO #34-005493) – Kingston, OH

Consent Agreement: Medical license reinstated subject to probationary terms, conditions, and limitations imposed to monitor practice based on doctor having been deemed capable of practicing according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care so long as certain treatment and monitoring conditions are in place. Agreement effective 3/10/10; agreement to remain in effect for at least five years prior to any request for termination.

DEVORE, Lisa Kim (LMT #33-010478) – Mt. Vernon, OH

Voluntary Surrender: Board Order permanently revoking massage therapy license as authorized by massage therapist in lieu of further investigation of massage therapist’s possible impairment of ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care due to excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice. Effective 3/10/10.

DiCELLO, Anthony J. (LMT #33-008633) – Upper Arlington, OH

Immediate Suspension: Pursuant to Sections 3719.42 and 3719.12, O.R.C., massage therapy license immediately suspended based on massage therapist having been found guilty of one fifth-degree felony count of Trafficking in Cocaine and one fifth-degree felony count of Possession of Cocaine. Suspension effective 3/10/10.

DUNAWAY, Thomas E. (MD #35-042438) – Springfield, OH

Summary Suspension: Pursuant to Section 4731.22(G), O.R.C., medical license summarily suspended based on Board’s determination that there is clear and convincing evidence that doctor’s ability to practice is impaired due to use or abuse of alcohol, drugs, or other substances that impair ability to practice and doctor’s continued practice presents a danger of immediate and serious harm to the public. Suspension effective 3/10/10.

EATON, Lynne Antoinette (MD #35-060149) – Columbus, OH

Consent Agreement: Medical license reinstated subject to probationary terms, conditions, and limitations imposed to monitor practice based on doctor having been deemed capable of practicing according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care so long as certain treatment and monitoring conditions are in place. Agreement effective 3/10/10; agreement to remain in effect for at least five years prior to any request for termination.

EDMISTON, Logan John (MD Training Certificate #57-015571) – Broadview Heights, OH

Board Order: Training certificate permanently revoked. Based on doctor having been convicted of one felony count of Pandering Obscenity and two counts of Public Indecency, which constitute misdemeanors involving moral turpitude. (Journal Entry - no hearing requested) Order effective 4/14/10.

FRAGATOS, Peter (MD #35-083165) – Parma, OH

Consent Agreement: Medical license suspended for at least 90 days; interim monitoring conditions and conditions for reinstatement established, including requirement that doctor enter into subsequent consent agreement incorporating probationary terms, conditions, and limitations to monitor practice. Based on doctor’s admitted relapse on alcohol, for which doctor has sought treatment through a Board-approved provider. Agreement effective 3/10/10.

FRAZIER, Alice Andrews (MD #35-037912) – Delaware, OH

Consent Agreement: Doctor reprimanded; probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established. Based on doctor’s admission that despite reasonable compliance with applicable statutes and rules, in a small number of instances doctor failed to record in the patient record the reason/diagnosis/symptoms for prescribing controlled substances and/or dangerous drugs and/or to note the prescription and/or amount prescribed; prescribed Suboxone without authorization; failed to comply with Rule 4731-11-04, OAC, in prescribing controlled substances for weight loss; and failed to comply with Rule 4731-21-02, OAC, in prescribing for intractable pain. Agreement effective 3/10/10; agreement to remain in effect for at least one year prior to any request for termination.

GHOLL, John Bernard (MD #35-082261) – Cambridge, OH

Summary Suspension: Pursuant to Section 4731.22(G), O.R.C., medical license summarily suspended based on Board’s determination that there is clear and convincing evidence that doctor’s ability to practice is impaired due to use or abuse of alcohol, drugs, or other substances that impair ability to practice and doctor’s continued practice presents a danger of immediate and serious harm to the public. Suspension effective 3/10/10.
GHOLL continued: substances that impair ability to practice and doctor’s continued practice presents a danger of immediate and serious harm to the public. Suspension effective 3/10/10.

GILREATH, Marcellus Jajuan (MD #35-059795) – Portsmouth, OH
Citation Dismissed, License Reinstated: By Order and Entry filed 3/10/10, the Medical Board vacated the immediate suspension of doctor’s license, reinstated doctor’s license, and dismissed the 8/12/09 citation without prejudice to future action. Reinstatement effective 3/10/10.

GORDON, Julian A. (MD #35-040438) – Beachwood, OH
Reinstatement: Doctor’s request for reinstatement approved by 3/11/10 Board vote, subject to probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established for a minimum of five years by the 10/16/09 Consent Agreement.

GRIFFIN, George D., III (MD #35-038479) – Cincinnati, OH
Board Order: Medical license suspended for 120 days, with all but 30 days of suspension stayed, and subsequent probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established for at least three years. Based on Board’s determination that doctor failed to conform to the minimal standards of care with respect to treatment of 14 specified patients during the period 5/13/10 to 6/13/10. Suspension effective 8/13/10 through 7/12/10.

GROGAN, Michael Joseph (MD #35-077871) – Florence, KY
Voluntary Surrender: Board Order permanently revoking doctor’s medical license as authorized by doctor in lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings based on allegations that formal disciplinary action was imposed on doctor by another state’s licensing board. Effective 4/14/10.

GUITA, Narendra Kumar (MD #35-064334) – Lima, OH
Board Order: Medical license revoked. Based on prior action by Georgia’s medical board in summarily suspending doctor’s license in that state, the underlying basis being criminal charges against the doctor for Sexual Assault involving a minor patient, Aggravated Sexual Battery involving another patient, and on allegations that doctor sexually touched more than one patient during examinations. Order effective 5/13/10.

HAQUE, Ehteshamul (MD #35-078962) – Norfolk, VA
Board Order: Medical license permanently revoked. Based on prior action by Virginia’s licensing agency in suspending doctor’s license in that state, the underlying basis being doctor’s conviction on two felony counts of Prescription Fraud and one felony count of Possession of Schedule IV Controlled Substance in Intent to Distribute. (Journal Entry, no hearing requested) Order effective 4/14/10.

HIVELY, Cherry Lynn (LMT #33-016236) – Mansfield, OH
Board Order: Massage therapy license revoked; conditions placed on any future application. Based on Board’s determination that applicant is impaired in ability to practice because of habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice. Order effective 1/15/10.

HOBOWSKY, Martin R. (DO #34-006544) – South Charleston, OH
Consent Agreement: Revocation of medical license stayed, subject to suspension for at least one year; conditions for reinstatement and subsequent probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established for at least five years. Based on doctor’s admission of having surrendered doctor’s DEA registration, the underlying basis being doctor’s alleged failure to comply with Federal law pertaining to controlled substances. Agreement effective date 4/14/10; agreement to remain in effect for at least five years following license reinstatement prior to any request for termination.

ISKANDER, Hany Maurice (MD #35-074030) – Bucyrus, OH
Voluntary Surrender: Board Order permanently revoking doctor’s medical license as authorized by doctor in lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings based on doctor’s conviction in U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Ohio for Destruction, Alteration, or Falsification of Records in Federal Investigation: Obstruction of Criminal Investigations of Health Care Offenses; Alteration, Destruction, Mutation, and Concealment of Records; Conspiracy to Obstruct Justice; and Health Care Fraud. Effective 1/14/10.

JOHNSON, Gregory Gene (MD #35-048254) – Perrysburg, OH
Consent Agreement: Revocation of medical license stayed, subject to suspension for at least 365 days; interim monitoring conditions and conditions for reinstatement established, including requirement that doctor enter into subsequent consent agreement incorporating probationary terms, conditions, and limitations to monitor practice. Based on doctor’s admitted relapse on alcohol and medication that had not been prescribed for doctor, for which doctor has sought treatment through a Board-approved provider, and doctor’s admission of inability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care due to chemical dependence. Agreement effective 4/14/10.

KEREK, William Balint (MD #35-040905) – Akron, OH
Board Order: Revocation of medical license stayed, license suspended for at least nine months; conditions for reinstatement established; and subsequent probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established for at least three years. Based on Board’s determination that with respect to the treatment of specified patients doctor failed to maintain minimal standards applicable to the selection or administration of drugs or failed to employ acceptable scientific methods in selection or administration of drugs, failed to comply with the minimal standard of care, and violated minimal standards of care by failing to properly document controlled substance prescriptions in patient records. Order effective 2/15/10.
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<td>KOVALIK, Simon G.</td>
<td>Ft. Meade, SD</td>
<td>Voluntary Retirement: Doctor’s permanent voluntary retirement of medical license accepted by Board in lieu of investigation of a possible inability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care by reason of mental illness or physical illness. Effective 3/10/10.</td>
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<td>LANESE, Donald David</td>
<td>Columbus, OH</td>
<td>Board Order: No further disciplinary action imposed. Based on Board’s determination that the doctor erred in reading a radiograph of one patient, but doctor has already taken corrective actions. Order effective 2/12/10.</td>
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<td>LISCH, Nancy Jayne</td>
<td>Broadview Hts., OH</td>
<td>Board Order: Medical license revoked. Based on Board’s determination that doctor is impaired in ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care due to habitual or excessive use or abuse of alcohol and violated the conditions of limitations placed on doctor’s medical license by the 2/12/09 consent agreement, the underlying basis being doctor’s positive urine screens and failure to provide subsequent screens. Order effective 1/14/10. (Review and Journal Entry - no hearing requested)</td>
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<td>MIRLY, Harvey Lee</td>
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<td>Voluntary Surrender: Doctor’s permanent surrender of medical license accepted by Board in lieu of investigation of a possible commission of an act constituting a felony. Effective 1/13/10.</td>
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<td>MAYCON, Zev R.</td>
<td>Canton, OH</td>
<td>Consent Agreement: Medical license reinstated subject to probationary terms, conditions, and limitations imposed to monitor practice based on doctor having been deemed capable of practicing according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care so long as certain treatment and monitoring conditions are in place. Agreement effective 3/10/10; agreement to remain in effect for at least five years prior to any request for termination.</td>
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<td>MOSHOS, Daniel M.</td>
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<td>Board Order: Medical license permanently revoked. Based on doctor having been found guilty of one second-degree felony count of Attempted Rape, two fourth-degree felony counts of Gross Sexual Imposition, and one fourth-degree misdemeanor count of Public Indecency; the acts underlying the convictions being doctor’s conduct in the presence of and/or directed to patients. Order effective 4/15/10.</td>
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<td>PAULINO, Edgardo Delfino</td>
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<td>Board Order: Medical license revoked, based on doctor having surrendered DEA controlled substance privileges. (Journal Entry - no hearing requested) Order effective 3/10/10.</td>
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<td>Yellow Springs, OH</td>
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GRAND ROUNDS

PRINCELL, Roger Holman (MD #35-026545) – Oxford, OH
Consent Agreement: Doctor reprimanded; probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established. Based on doctor’s admission of having prescribed controlled substances to family members and, in a small number of instances, having failed to maintain accurate records; and failed, in a small number of instances when treating patients who are not family members, to record in the patient record the reason for prescribing controlled substances and/or dangerous drugs, comply with Rule 4731-11-04, OAC, in prescribing controlled substances for weight loss, and comply with Rule 4731-21-02, OAC, in prescribing for intractable pain. Agreement effective 3/10/10; agreement to remain in effect for at least one year prior to any request for termination.

ROB Voluntary Surrender: Board Order permanently revoking massage therapy license as authorized by massage therapist in lieu of further investigation of possible violations of the American Massage Therapy Association’s Code of Ethics and failure to cooperate in a Board investigation. Effective date 3/10/10.

SEKHON, Baldev S. (MD #35-056073) – Westlake, OH
Consent Agreement: Doctor reprimanded; probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established. Based on doctor’s admission of having violated the AMA Code of Ethics by kissing specified colleagues and other health professionals, when the kisses were unwanted and/or made the recipient feel uncomfortable. Agreement effective 3/15/10; agreement to remain in effect for at least one year prior to any request for termination.

SENSABAUGH, Aron Alen (MT Applicant) – Fostoria, OH
Board Order: Application for massage therapy license denied. Based on legal presumption that applicant is impaired in the ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care because of habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice. (Journal Entry – no hearing requested) Order effective 3/10/10.

SITARIK, Joseph P. (DO #34-004441) – East Liverpool, OH
Board Order: Revocation of medical license stayed, subject to suspension for at least 180 days from 12/9/09; interim monitoring conditions and conditions for reinstatement established; subsequent probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established for at least five years. Based on Board’s determination that doctor violated limitations placed on medical license by the 8/12/09 consent agreement; is impaired in ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care due to relapse on cocaine. Order effective 4/15/10.

SMITH, Brianna Kelly (LMT #33-013150) – Lancaster, OH
Consent Agreement: Application for restoration of massage therapy license granted, subject to suspension for 60 days; subsequent probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established for at least two years. Based on massage therapist’s admission of having practiced massage therapy after the 8/31/05 expiration of the license until at least 8/13/09. Agreement effective 3/10/10. Suspension effective 3/12/10 through 5/10/10.

STANOS, Peter Steven (DO #34-006030) – Grove City, OH
Child Support Suspension: Pursuant to determination by Franklin County Child Support Enforcement Agency that doctor is in default under a child support order, Board prohibited from issuing, reinstating, or restoring a license, permit, certificate, or authorization to doctor until such time as Board receives notice from that agency that doctor is no longer determined to be in default. Notice mailed 2/26/10; prohibition effective 2/26/10.

VEVERIS, Ieva (MD #35-024740) – Kettering, OH
Summary Suspension: Pursuant to Section 4731.22(G), ORC, medical license summarily suspended based on Board’s determination that there is clear and convincing evidence that doctor is unable to practice medicine according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care due to mental or physical illness, and that doctor’s continued practice presents a danger of immediate and serious harm to the public, based on legal presumption established upon doctor’s failure to submit to a Board-ordered mental or physical examination. Effective date 1/13/10.

WARREN-MARZOLA, Craig (DO #34-008173) – Maumee, OH
Board Order: Medical license suspended for at least 90 days; interim monitoring conditions and conditions for reinstatement established; and subsequent probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established for at least five years. Based on Board’s determination that doctor violated the limitations placed on medical license by 3/10/05 consent agreement; is impaired in ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care because of alcohol use; made false, fraudulent, deceptive, or misleading statements in relation to the practice of medicine; and committed acts constituting Perjury, a felony, in responses provided to Board personnel. Order effective 4/15/10.

WASHINGTON, William James (MD #35-088793) – Seattle, WA
Board Order: Medical license revoked; conditions for future application established. Based on Board’s determination that doctor is impaired in ability to practice because of habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice; personally furnished for self-use anabolic steroids, growth hormones, testosterone, and/or HCG to enhance athletic ability, which activity also constitutes commission of an act in the course of practice that constitutes a violation of Section 3719.06(B), ORC, a misdemeanor; self-prescribed and/or self-administered controlled substances; and engaged in the selling, giving away, personally furnishing, prescribing, or administering drugs for other than legal and legitimate purposes. Order effective 3/11/10.
WILLIAMS, Wayne Marshall (MD #35-045265) – Fayetteville, GA

Board Order: Medical license restored, subject to reprimand and probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established for at least nine months after doctor commences practice in Ohio. Based upon Board’s determination that doctor made a false, deceptive, or misleading statement on the restoration application in failing to disclose two convictions for Driving Under the Influence and one conviction of Criminal Trespass. Order effective 2/12/10. Summary Suspension: Pursuant to Section 4731.22(G), O.R.C., medical license summarily suspended based on Board’s determination that there is clear and convincing evidence that doctor’s ability to practice is impaired due to use or abuse of alcohol, drugs, or other substances that impair ability to practice and doctor’s continued practice presents a danger of immediate and serious harm to the public. Suspension effective date 3/10/10.

XENAKIS, Megan Marie (LMT #33-018710) – Bellaire, OH

Board Order: Application for massage therapy license granted, subject to suspension for at least 90 days; interim monitoring conditions and conditions for reinstatement established, and subsequent probationary terms, conditions, and limitations established for at least five years. Based on Board’s determination that applicant is impaired in ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care due to habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice. Order effective 1/15/10.

### PROBATION COMPLETED

The following licensees have completed the terms of probation defined by Board Order or Consent Agreement.

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At its meeting on May 15, 2010, the Medical Board approved the appointment of James Fry, PA-C, of Middle-town, Ohio, to a two-year term on the Physician Assistant Policy Committee (PAPC). Other members of the PAPC include:

- Robert Zaayer, PA-C, Chair – Stoutsville, OH
- Michael Bowen, PA-C - Cincinnati, OH
- Eugene Imbrogno, MD - Dayton, OH

The PAPC is the only statutorily required committee of the Medical Board. In compliance with Section 4730.05, ORC, the PAPC meets at least four times per year to review education and licensure requirements for PAs; review existing and proposed rules pertaining to the practice of PAs; the supervisory relationship between PAs and supervising physicians; application forms and procedures; and physician-delegated prescriptive authority for PAs in accordance with Section 4370.38, ORC. Recommendations made by the PAPC are forwarded to the Board's Physician Assistant Committee for review and recommendation to the full Board.

**COURT ACTION UPDATE**

Court appeals and decisions entered between January and April 2010 related to Medical Board disciplinary actions taken prior to January 2010.

- **ATALLA, Emad Shoukri (MD #35-070173) – St. Marys, OH**  
  By Notice of Voluntary Dismissal filed on 3/29/10, doctor dismissed the appeal of the Board’s 5/13/09 Order.

- **BROADNAX, Walter George (MD #35-060685) – Cincinnati, OH**  
  By Decision Entry filed 2/22/10, the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas dismissed doctor’s appeal of the Board’s 10/14/09 Order permanently revoking doctor’s medical license.

- **D’SOUZA, Leo (MD #35-066032) – Cincinnati, OH**  
  Notice of Appeal to the Ohio Supreme Court of the 12/29/09 judgment of the 10th District Court of Appeals, filed by doctor on 2/12/10.

- **CHANDRAN, Mohan S. (MD #35-064442) – Sandusky OH**  
  By Judgment Entry filed on 1/26/10, the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas dismissed doctor’s appeal from the Board’s 9/9/09 Order.

- **GELESH, Gary Charles (DO #34-002731) – Akron, OH**  
  By Judgment Entry filed 1/25/10 and Decision filed 1/12/10, the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas affirmed the Board’s 6/10/09 Order. Notice of Appeal to the 10th District Court of Appeals of the 1/25/10 Judgment Entry and decision of the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas, which affirmed the Board’s 6/10/09 Order, filed by doctor on 2/23/10.

- **JAIN, Anamika (MD #35-076296) – Chadds Ford, PA**  
  Notice of Appeal to the 10th District Court of Appeals of the 11/20/09 Entry of the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas, which had affirmed the Board’s 7/8/09 Order, filed by doctor on 12/17/09.

- **LEAK, William David (MD #35-044978) – Columbus, OH**  
  Notice of Appeal to the 10th District Court of Appeals of the 12/15/09 Entry of the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas, which had affirmed the Board’s 8/13/08 Order, filed by doctor on 12/31/09. By Entry filed on 1/13/10, the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas granted doctor’s motion for a stay of the Board’s 8/13/08 Order pending appeal to the 10th District Court of Appeals.

- **LITTLE, Larry John (MD #35-047090) – New Albany, OH**  
  By Decision and Entry filed on 2/8/10, the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas affirmed the Board’s 12/10/08 Order, which stayed a permanent revocation of doctor’s license, and suspended doctor’s medical license for at least one year. Notice of Appeal to the 10th District Court of Appeals of the 2/8/10 Decision and Entry of the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas, which affirmed the Board’s 12/10/08 Order, filed by doctor on 3/9/10.

- **TAYLOR, Julie A. (MD #35-066117) – Fort Worth, TX**  
  By Decision filed on 2/22/10 and Entry filed on 3/4/10, the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas affirmed the Board’s 9/11/09 Order placing doctor’s medical license under a temporary limitation. Notice of Appeal to the 10th District Court of Appeals of the 3/4/10 Judgment Entry of the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas, which affirmed the Board’s 9/9/09 Order, filed on 3/23/10.

- **VOLKMAN, Paul H. (MD #35-070722) – Chillicothe, OH**  
  By Judgment Entry filed 1/22/10, the 10th District Court of Appeals reversed the 7/22/09 Decision of the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas, which had dismissed doctor’s appeal, and remanded the matter to the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas for further proceedings.
The Medical Board protects and enhances the health and welfare of Ohio’s citizens through effective regulation of more than 61,000 licensees, including: medical doctors (MDs), doctors of osteopathic medicine (DOs), doctors of podiatric medicine and surgery (DPMs), physician assistants (PAs), massage therapists (LMTs), cosmetic therapists (CTs), anesthesiologist assistants (AAs), radiologist assistants (RAs) and acupuncturists. Naprapaths and mechanotherapists licensed before March 1992 are also overseen by the Medical Board.

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