



## Dietetic Advisory Council Minutes

June 12, 2018

The meeting was called to order at approximately 2:10 pm on Tuesday June 12, 2018

Council members present: Rachael Pohle-Krauza, PhD, RDN, LD; Joseph Nigh, Esq; Judy Nagy, MEd, RDN, LD, FAND; Amie N. Heap, MPH, RDN, LD; Ashlee Pax, RDN, LD, MFCS; Carmen Clutter, MS, RDN, LD, CLC

Staff members present: Nathan Smith, Donald Davis, Morgan Willison, Tessie Pollock, AJ Groeber and Jonithon LaCross

Guests: Kay Mavko, Pat McKnight, Michael Stroka, Brittany McCallister, Ann Musick-Stovall, Jill Craig, Tara Meyerink

I. Mr. Smith provided a brief overview of the Medical Board and its meetings.

Mr. Groeber welcomed council members, thanked them for their service, and provided an overview of the council's responsibilities for the Medical Board.

All council members present introduced themselves and gave a brief introduction about themselves.

II. Ms. Pollock provided information to the council members regarding the types of communication available through the Medical Board.

III. Agenda item 3(B) regarding rules pertaining to the practice of dietetics: Many of the dietetic rules were rescinded since they were duplicates to the existing Medical Board rules. There were some minor rule changes regarding name changes. There was the elimination of reciprocity, prorated fees and the inactive status. Rules aligned with current restoration and reinstatement processes of the Board.

Rule 4759-11-01 added; Miscellaneous provision which is intended to incorporate Dietetic rules into the Medical Board rules.

Mr. Smith provided a brief overview of the Rule making process.

Dr. Pohle-Krauza raised a question regarding reciprocity and its elimination. Mr. Smith informed Council members that legislature changed the statute regarding reciprocity so the rules regarding reciprocity have become inconsistent with the statute so the rule was removed. Mr. LaCross also summarized the reasons why legislative changes occurred.

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Ms. Nagy asked a question regarding how the Medical Board handles telemedicine. Mr. Smith provided information as well as Mr. LaCross. Ms. Nagy also asked if minutes were taken and if the Council members can reach out to OAND with questions during the meeting. Mr. Smith informed members they can reach out to the OAND representative during the meetings with questions. There is not a standing agenda item for the association and would need to be added if they have a topic to bring before the Advisory Council.

Recommendation to send proposed rules to the Board as written. Mr. Nigh made a motion to accept the Rules.

Ms. Clutter: aye

Ms. Pax: aye

Ms. Heap: aye

Ms. Nagy: aye

Mr. Nigh: aye

Dr. Pohle-Krauza: aye

Agenda item 3(C1) Jurisprudence requirement and continuing education. Ms. Pollock provided an overview of the jurisprudence module and the plans to be turned into a video and completed by renewal 2020. Dr. Pohle-Krauza recommended clarification of reciprocity go into the module and OAND requested technical clarification of items and they informed the Council members they would provide that information in writing.

The Advisory Council recommends Board approval of the Jurisprudence program that covers the new statutory changes in 4759 in the Rules.

Ms. Clutter: aye

Ms. Pax: aye

Ms. Heap: aye

Ms. Nagy: aye

Mr. Nigh: aye

Dr. Pohle-Krauza: aye

Agenda item 3(C2) CEU reporting on biennial renewal for consistency across the licensee types was discussed to get the Council members input on possible future changes. This topic will come back to the Council members in the future for further review and considerations.

Discussion on the use of other agencies providing CEU's that non-RD's can complete as well as topics on the jurisprudence requirement so that the Medical Board does not have approve every topic.

IV. BCNS Presentation:

Michael Stroka provided an overview of BCNS. Brittany Mc Callister provided a summary of the concerns current Ohio licensure has on the practice of BCNS certificate holders. Tara Meyerink provided a personal concern of her inability to practice in Ohio with her BCNS certificate due to current licensure laws. After the presentation the Council members asked questions and were addressed by BCNS staff.

V. Mr. Smith informed the council members that they were not required to submit an Ohio Ethics Commission Financial Disclosure statement. They were also informed that the activities of this council were subject to public records and open meeting laws. A PowerPoint presentation was provided for review.

The Dietetic Advisory Council meeting was adjourned by Nathan Smith at approximately 4:20pm on Tuesday June 12, 2018.