



Ohio Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology
77 South High Street, 16th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43215
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MINUTES
June 23, 2004

The meeting was called to order at 9:15 A.M. by Chairperson, Jane M. Kukula, Au.D. in the Board Room on the 31st Floor of the Riffe Center, 77 S. High St. Columbus, Ohio.

Members present:

Jane M. Kukula, Au. D., Audiology Board Member, and Chairperson
Deb Abel, Au.D., Audiology Board Member and Vice Chairperson
Carol P. Leslie, Ph.D., Speech-Language Pathology Board Member
and Secretary
Patrick N. Mangino, Au.D., Audiology Board Member
Susan G. O'Brien, Public Board Member
Davida Parsons, M.A., Speech-Language Pathology Board Member
Ann Shotwell, Public Board Member
Patricia Zurlinden, M.A., Speech-Language Pathology Board Member

Also Present:

Michael J. Setty, Executive Director
Doug Hart, Licensing Administrator
Vickie DiCesare, Investigator
Deborah Howard, Administrative Assistant
Dominic Chieffo, Assistant Attorney General

PUBLIC AND PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS' COMMENTS

No Public comments were presented.

AGENDA

The agenda was presented and reviewed. Amendments were made.

Motion# 1 Ms. Shotwell moved to accept the agenda as amended. Dr. Abel seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

MINUTES

The minutes of the May 5, 2004 meeting were reviewed and amended. Mr. Chieffo noted that motions of meeting minutes could not be amended after the meeting.

Motion# 2 Ms. Shotwell moved to approve the minutes of the May 5, 2004 Meeting as amended. Dr. Abel seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL REPORT

Mr. Chieffo reported that the court decision on the Rabbe case could be six to eighteen months from now.

The Carrothers case which is in the Court of Appeals is on an accelerated docket. Counsel for Carrothers may request an oral hearing.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

1. The Board will end fiscal year 2004 within budget. Surplus funds were expended on much needed equipment which will cover most all of our needs for the next four years. Approximately \$21,000 was spent on computers, telephones, a scanner copier, office furniture and file cabinets along with miscellaneous equipment. Encumbrances were submitted for unbilled items in the FY 2004 budget.
2. The FY 2005 budget will generally parallel the allocations in the 2004 budget. We can anticipate greater expenditures for purchased services in the form of hearing officers, and court reporters for anticipated hearings in FY 2005. No hearings were conducted in FY 2004.
3. FY 2006-2007 preliminary budget projections are to be submitted July 15. These budgets will again parallel the 2005 projections with accommodation for personnel wage and benefit expense increases. Greater use of the internet will reduce mailing costs and paper use. Projected licensing fees will cover our budgets over the next three years absent any significant raids on the 4K9 fund.
4. A meeting of the Universal Newborn Hearing Screening subcommittee was held on May 21. Updates on the program's compliance were presented. The committee is beginning to develop a grant proposal for next year. All hospitals are to be in compliance with the program by July 1.
5. Dr. Kukula, Dr. Abel and Mr. Setty attended a meeting with the Ohio Department of Health on June 22 to explore ways to increase awareness of the Universal Newborn Hearing Screening program and to solicit more audiology resources to support the program. The Board will assist the ODH in promoting this program.

6. Legislative contacts included an inquiry from Senator Fingerhut on Patrice Carothers and Representative Harnett on an SLP with an expired license.
7. The Board was invited to speak at the OSSPEAC Fall Conference on November 8-9 at Sawmill Creek Lodge in Huron, Ohio.
8. The Executive Director was reimbursed for expenses of \$71.19 for Board lunches, and \$68.85 for computer supplies.
9. The Board Investigator, Vickie DiCesare received a score of 97 percent on the investigator's certification examination given by the Council on Licensure Enforcement and Regulation.

INVESTIGATIONS

Motion#3 Dr. Abel moved to enter into Executive Session for the discussion of investigations of licensees. Dr. Leslie seconded the motion, which passed by roll call vote as follows: Dr. Kukula: yes; Dr Leslie: yes; Dr. Mangino: yes; Ms. O'Neill: yes; Ms. Parsons: yes; Ms. Shotwell: yes; Ms. Zurlinden: yes.

The Board and Staff went into Executive Session at 9:45 A.M.

Motion#4 Ms. Shotwell moved to reenter Public Session. Dr. Leslie seconded the motion, which passed by roll call vote as follows: Dr. Kukula: yes; Dr Leslie: yes; Dr. Mangino: yes; Ms. O'Neill: yes; Ms. Parsons: yes; Ms. Shotwell: yes; Ms. Zurlinden: yes.

The Board and Staff returned to Public Session at 10:20 A.M.

LICENSURE

Motion#5 Dr. Abel moved to ratify the Speech-Language Pathology licenses granted by the Executive Director on May 17, June 1, and June 15, 2004. Dr. Leslie seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Approved May 17, 2004

Rose M. Pietrzyk	SP 8013
Dana L. Cuomo	SP 8014
Margaret M. Damiano-Lantz	SP 8015
Devin K. Morris	SP 8016
Laura Johns	SP 8017
Kylea J. Strobe	SP 8018
Sherri Leslie	SP 8019
Tanya Sheel	SP 8020

Michelle Skinner Loy	SP 8021
Kathy A. Vecchio	SP 8022
Eila M. Immonen	SP 8023
Janice Lynne Knowlton	SP 8024

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Cynthia A. Brown,	SP 8025
Laura R. Jordan	SP 8026
Jessica Marie Lauer	SP 8027
Lisa Greenspan	SP 8028
Joel Lathrop	SP 8029
Dorthy J. Agricola	SP 8030
Katrina Faye Stapleton	SP 8031
Tara Marie Johnson	SP 8032
Kari L. Puckett	SP 8033
Julie J. Morrow	SP 8034
Karrie J.K. Calzo	SP 8035
Cathleen Sue Scott	SP 8036
Lisa M. Carmon	SP 8037
Derek Eugene Daniels	SP 8038
Garima Bidani	SP 8039

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Meredith K. Taylor	SP 8040
Amanda G. Schroeder	SP 8041
Stephanie M. Doucette	SP 8042
Rachel T. Yagour	SP 8043
Michelle Wood	SP 8044
Lindsay A. Rosenbeck	SP 8045
Meredith Jean Miller	SP 8046
Jandee McKee	SP 8047
Laura Lambers	SP 8048
Bianca Eileen Johnson	SP 8049
Julia Michelle Gonyer	SP 8050
Kristen E. Gebhardt	SP 8051
Colleen R. Carns	SP 8052
Mary Frances Sulminski	SP 8053
Lisa M. Germana	SP 8055
Rebecca Lynn Dineen	SP 8056
Sandra Huth	SP 8057
Denise Gaskell	SP 8058
Alicia Herren	SP 8059
Stacey L. Heldman	SP 8060
Julie Rebecca Amick Iafigliola	SP 8061

Erin L. Joseph	SP 8062
Holly D. Cummings	SP 8063
Erin Ball	SP 8064
Leslie Phalen	SP 8065

Motion#6 Dr. Abel moved to ratify the Conditional Speech-Language Pathology licenses granted by the Executive Director on May 17, June 1, and June 15, 2004.
Dr. Leslie seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Approved May 17, 2004

Heather N. Smith	CSP 2004113
Stacey R. Fair	CSP 2004114
Molly K. Tebben	CSP 2004115
Brianne L. Ostrowski	CSP 2004116
Kristen Leigh Jacobs	CSP 2004117
Catherine Ann Brown	CSP 2004118
Jamie L. McClain	CSP 2004119
Mary Petersen	CSP 2004120
Emily E. Fay	CSP 2004121
Alison Holman	CSP 2004122
Andriane Mutti Giffin	CSP 2004123
Marissa Torch	CSP 2004124
April L. Laney	CSP 2004125
Allison L. Millham	CSP 2004126
Loni Garrity	CSP 2004127
Ellen M. Mackowiak	CSP 2004128
Stephaine Thorton	CSP 2004129
Jenifer Lyn Reining	CSP 2004130
Andrea Michelle Walker	CSP 2004131
Jena J. Miller	CSP 2004132
Bethany G. Heaton	CSP 2004133
Sara A. Schrader	CSP 2004134
Darcy S. Ahrens	CSP 2004135
Erin Duffy	CSP 2004136
Colleen Griffin	CSP 2004137
Kortney A. Frohlich	CSP 2004138
Kerry Krall	CSP 2004139
Amanda M. Schroeder	CSP 2004140
Molly Erin Mahoney	CSP 2004141
Rachel M. Roszman	CSP 2004142
Rebecca L. Allsop	CSP 2004143
Erin J. Dell	CSP 2004144
Matthew L. Lehr	CSP 2004145
Sarah M. Sutter	CSP 2004146
Kimberly Smeach	CSP 2004147

Michelle L. Milligan	CSP 2004148
Shelby Blake	CSP 2004149
Julie L. Tracy	CSP 2004150
Nicholl Bing	CSP 2004151
Michelle Dotto	CSP 2004152
Regan Fulker	CSP 2004153
Jill Daugherty	CSP 2004154
Amber Vorst	CSP 2004155
Angela R. Stechschulte	CSP 2004156
Angela M. Rainsburg	CSP 2004157
Allison McMillan	CSP 2004159

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Amber D. Overfield	CSP2004160
Kristy M. Howard	CSP2004161
Sara Posius	CSP2004162
Lauri K. Dutton	CSP2004163
Elizabeth Favret	CSP2004164
Amanda M. Stricker	CSP2004165
Megan Lynn Wedell	CSP2004166
Tara M. Stanton	CSP2004167
Beth E. Altenburger	CSP2004168
Brienne Dauge	CSP2004169
Candace Gail McBee	CSP2004170
Louisa C. Jardin	CSP2004171
Michael Neary	CSP2004172
Lisa Brown	CSP2004173
Autumn L. Murdoch	CSP2004174
Kristi L. Flemming-Frum	CSP2004175
Heather Julian	CSP2004176

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Mehgan L. Hoy	CSP 2004180
Marija D. Raguz	CSP 2004181
Allison D. Miller	CSP 2004182
Marlene Rerucha	CSP 2004183
Ester Hauck	CSP 2004184
Candice Faye Spurlock	CSP 2004185
Amy E. Waldbauer	CSP 2004186
Elizabeth A. Maher	CSP 2004187
Jennifer A. Lucas	CSP 2004188
Amy J. Larson	CSP 2004189
April M. Nelson	CSP 2004190
Lindsay M. Fossitt	CSP 2004191

Amanda C. White	CSP 2004192
Shellby M. Winget	CSP 2004193
Mary Colleen Cameron Hunter	CSP 2004194
Caroline May Drobnick	CSP 2004195
Lynda Kay McGee	CSP 2004196
Angela Marie Wagner	CSP 2004197
Elizabeth Ann Hosek	CSP 2004198
Laura M. Massa	CSP 2004199
Wendy L. DuGai	CSP 2004200
Helen M. Oesterle	CSP 2004201
Kate M. Laske	CSP 2004202
John Dean	CSP 2004203

Motion#7 Dr. Abel moved to ratify the Audiology licenses granted by the Executive Director on May 17, June 1 and June 15, 2004. Dr. Leslie seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

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Wendy Richardson	A 01482
Allison A. Neidert	A 01483
Shana Loleta Wells	A 01484
Robert P. Milo	A 01485

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Carrie A. Wingo	A 01486
Sarah J. Bennett	A 01487

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Eryn Staats	A 01488
Lindsay Brooke Davis	A 01489
Emily Anna Kramme	A 01490
J. Shannon Wright	A 01491
Angela Clabots	A 01492
Lisa M. Wodzisz	A 01493

Motion#8 Dr. Abel moved to ratify the Conditional Audiology licenses granted by the Executive Director on May 17, June 1, and June 15, 2004. Ms. O'Brien seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

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Lynne M. Bianchi	CA 2004158
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Approved June 1, 2004

Nathan E. Michalak	CA2004177
Krista Seilshott	CA2004178
Margaret L. Jahnke	CA2004179

Approved June 15, 2004

Jeannine Dichiara	CA 2004204
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Audiology Aide Licensure

Marcia L. Mendenhall	Audiology Aide
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Motion#9 Dr. Abel moved to approve the Audiology Aide license of Marcia L Mendenhall. Dr. Leslie seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Saudia Blake	Audiology Aide
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Motion#10 Dr. Abel moved to approve the Audiology Aide license of Saudia Blake. Ms. O'Brien seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Licensure Issues

Nicole Pavlakos #2001-18 A has requested a change in description of duties and supervisor. New supervisor is Linda McGinnis A00481 and currently does not have anyone under her supervision.

Motion#11 Dr. Abel moved to deny the request for a change in the description of duties for Nicole Pavlakos. Dr. Leslie seconded the motion.

Motion#12 Dr. Abel moved to table the request for a change in description of duties for Nicole Pavlakos. Dr. Leslie seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Motion#13 Dr. Abel moved to approve Linda McGinnis A00481 as the new supervisor for Nicole Pavlakos. Dr. Leslie seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Valerie Marcotte, A 01388. Ms. Marcotte received her ASHA CCC in April of 2002 and was licensed by the Ohio Board on May 22, 2002. Ms. Marcotte would like to request permission to supervise a "professional experience".

Motion#14 Dr. Abel moved to waive the thirty -six month supervisory requirement due to her work experience for Valerie Marcotte A001338. Dr. Leslie seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Rebecca D. Roell, SP 7442. Ms. Roell has been licensed since April 4, 2002 and has worked two (2) years full time and currently is working part- time (20 plus hours per week). Ms Roell would like to request to supervise **Laura Massa** is professional experience.

Motion#15 Dr. Abel moved to waive the thirty six month supervisory requirement due to her work experience for Rebecca D. Roell SP 7442 to supervise Laura Massa. Ms. Zurlinden seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Phyllis K. Lienhardt, SP 3851. Ms. Lienhardt has been licensed in Ohio since August 17, 1990. Ms. Lienhardt has been working part time since 1997 and would like to request permission to supervise **Jen Lucas**' professional experience.

Motion#16 Dr. Abel moved to waive the thirty six month supervisory requirement due to her work experience for Phyllis K Lienhardt SP 3851 to supervise Jen Lucas. Dr. Leslie seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Jocelyn Alexander, SP 7691. Ms. Alexander was licensed in Ohio since April 1, 2003. Ms. Alexander requested permission to supervise professional experience. Ms. Alexander is located closer to the conditional licensee's work setting.

Motion#17 Dr. Abel moved to deny waiver of the thirty-six month supervisory experience due to her lack of work experience Jocelyn Alexander SP 7691 to supervise a conditional speech-language pathologist. Dr. Mangino seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Candice Spurlock, CSP 2004185, licensed on June 15, 2004. Ms. Spurlock requested to have out of state SPE time counted from West Virginia. Ms. Spurlock attained this time (approximately four months) prior to graduation.

Motion#18 Dr. Abel moved to deny the out of state SPEY time for Ms. Spurlock since she was not licensed in Ohio. Dr. Leslie seconded the motion. The motion passed. Mrs. O'Brien opposed.

License Forms

Mr. Hart updated the Board on the E-License implementation. With the anticipated changes in the rules and the ability to renew licenses by e-mail, some of our licensing forms will have to be modified. Mr. Hart requested Board input into the changes on the application forms. Mr. Hart will draft changes to the forms and a committee meeting will be held on Wednesday July 14 to make final changes to the forms. The meeting will be publicized on the Board web site

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COMMITTEE REPORTS

Policy and Procedure Committee

Dr. Leslie scheduled a meeting of the Policy and Procedure Committee for August 3, 2004 to begin reorganizing the Policy and Procedure Manual. Mr. Setty will draft changes for this meeting.

CORRESPONDENCE

Kelly L Newman, CCC-SLP: Does the scope of practice for speech pathologists permit the speech pathologist to perform fiber optic endoscopy for a swallowing study?

This procedure is not within the scope of practice for a speech pathologist.

Audiologist: Are “Certified Audiology Technicians” addressed by the Board?

“Certified Audiology Technicians” are not addressed in our law or rules. Furthermore, the use of the word “audiology” is not permitted in this case under our law.

Sarah Taylor requested that forty hours of continuing education that was obtained within the past two years from her date of application be approved for relicensure.

Motion#19 Dr. Mangino moved to accept the forty hours of continuing education for Sarah Taylor. Dr. Abel seconded the motion, which passed uncontested.

Ann Marie Agostino requested acceptance of continuing education sponsored by the Indiana Department of Education and documented by her supervisor.

Motion#20 Ms. Zurlinden moved to accept the continuing education sponsored by the Indiana Department of Education for Ann Marie Agostino. Dr. Mangino seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Sheryl Bushmeyer requested Continuing Education credit for time spent writing a grant.

Motion#21 Dr. Abel moved to deny continuing education credit to Sheryl Bushmeyer for time spent writing a grant. Ms. Shotwell seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Motion#22 Dr. Abel moved to enter into Executive Session for the discussion of investigations of licensees. Zurlinden seconded the motion, which passed by roll call

44 vote as follows: Dr. Kukula: yes; Dr Leslie: yes; Dr. Mangino: yes; Ms. O'Neill: yes;
45 Ms. Parsons: yes; Ms. Shotwell: yes; Ms. Zurlinden: yes.

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The Board and Staff went into Executive Session at 11:45 A.M.

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49 **Motion#23** Dr. Abel moved to reenter Public Session. Ms. Shotwell seconded the
50 motion, which passed by roll call vote as follows: Dr. Kukula: yes; Dr Leslie: yes; Dr.
51 Mangino: yes; Ms. O'Neill: yes; Ms. Parsons: yes; Ms. Shotwell: yes; Ms. Zurlinden:
52 yes.

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The Board and Staff returned to Public Session at 11:50 A.M.

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56 Case A04-18 practiced unlicensed in a school. Her license expired 12/31/00. She was
57 required to have her license in a school setting beginning 1-1-02. Review group
58 recommends the Board approve a 119 Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing be issued.

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60 **Motion#24** Dr. Abel moved to issue a 119 Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing for case
61 AO4-18 for unlicensed practice. Dr. Mangino seconded the motion, which passed
62 uncontested. Dr. Abel abstained.

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65 *At 11:50 A.M. the Board recessed for lunch. The Board conducted a Public*
66 *Hearing at 1:00 P.M. for the Proposed Rules.*

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At 1:40 P.M. the Board reconvened.

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70 **BOARD BUSINESS**

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72 **Proposed Rules**

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74 The Board discussed the comments received in the Public Hearing on the proposed rule
75 changes and recommended the following change to Administrative Code 4753-3-07, (C),
76 (5).

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78 Requirements for the professional experience shall be deemed to be met when the
79 applicant is certified by the "American Board of Audiology" except when the
80 professional experience obtained in Ohio was in violation of Ohio laws and rules. ***This***
81 ***does not limit or prohibit licensure by waiver based on certification by "The American***
82 ***Speech-Language and Hearing Association" as listed in 4753-3-07, (C), (3), (b).***

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84 **Motion#25** Dr Abel moved to add language to Administrative Code 4753-3-07 (C), (5)
85 that states; "This does not limit or prohibit licensure by waiver based on certification by
86 "The American Speech-Language and Hearing Association" as listed in 4753-3-07, (C),
87 (3), (b)." Dr. Leslie seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

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89 The proposed rule changes will also be reviewed for typographical errors.

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BOARD MEMBER CONCERNS

Ms. Shotwell suggested that the Board consider improving review of minutes prior to the Board Meeting. It was decided that the Minutes will be sent to all Board Members after the first draft for editing by the Board prior to the Meeting.

ADJOURMENT

100 **Motion#26** Ms. O'Brien moved to adjourn the meeting at 3:15 P.M. Ms. Shotwell
101 seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

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Jane M. Kukula, Au.D., Chairperson	Date

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Carol P. Leslie, Ph.D., Secretary	Date

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