

MARYLAND STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

OPEN SESSION AGENDA (Page 1 of 3) THURSDAY, MAY 9, 2024 4201 PATTERSON AVENUE, BALTIMORE, MD 21215 – ROOM 110 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 am.

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- I. Call to Order by Board President. Paul Abosh, DC
- II. Roll Call

☐ Joshua Levin, D.C., Immediate Past President☐ Daniel Kraus, D.C., Board Member	□ Sharon J. Oliver, MBA, Executive Director □ Tony DeFranco, AAG, Board Counsel □ Vacant, Licensing Unit Manager □ Clarine L. Henderson, Investigator Supervisor □ Mae Mgbaja, Licensing Coordinator
	☐ Pamela Alston, Administrative Specialist

- III. Review / Approval of the Open Session Agenda
- IV. Review / Approval of Open Session Minutes March 14, 2024
- V. President's Report (Paul Abosh, DC)
 - FCLB Annual Conference Report
 - TBD
- VI. Executive Director's Report (Sharon Oliver)
 - YTD Financial Position
 - 2024 Board Member Appointments
 - Staffing Update
- VII. Legislative Session Update Bills of Interest (Lillian Reese)
 - **HB 146/SB 221** Health Occupations Boards Reciprocal Licensure and Certification. **STATUS**: The HB and SB passed. To be effective 7/1/24.
 - HB 581/SB 472 State Government Permits, Licenses, and Certificates Processing (Transparent Government Act of 2024) STATUS: The HB and SB passed. To be effective 7/1/24
 - **HB 809** Members of Boards, Committees, Commissions, Task Forces, or Workgroups Removal or Suspension. **STATUS:** Passed. To be effective 10/1/24
 - **HB 1497** State Board of Massage Therapy Examiners Scope of Practice, Reinstatements, and Examinations by Health Care Providers **STATUS: Passed** with amendment. To be effective



7/1/24.

• **HB 1498** State Board of Massage Therapy Examiners - Aiding or Abetting Unauthorized Practice – Prohibition **STATUS: Passed.** To be effective 7/1/24

VIII. Business Matters for Review

- A. Distribution of Election Ballots
- B. Preceptor Sponsor Applications and Site Inspection Reports for approval
 - ➤ Dr. Alyssa Hirschmann, 14 Apricot Ct., N. Potomac, Maryland 20878 (Dr. Kraus)

IX. Committee Reports

- CE Committee Report/Recommendations (Dr. Cruise)
 - ➤ "Functional Pelvic Floor Training for Weakness, Pain, and Dysfunction in Men Women, and Older Adults", Submitted by Drs. Martin and Lee for 6 CEU Credit Hours.
 - ➤ "12-Hour Dry Needling Spine, Lower Extremity and Spine", Submitted by Dr. Josh Bross for 12 CEU Credit Hours.
 - ➤ "12-Hour Dry Needling Spine, Upper Extremity and Spine", Submitted by Dr. Josh Bross for 12 CEU Credit Hours.
 - > Exploring the Creation of a CA Training Program, Email Request Submitted by Dr. Dale Castro, MHC Healthcare.
- Legislative /Regulations Committee (*Dr. Abosh*)
 - ➤ 2025 Legislative Session-Proposed Changes to Statute
- Licensing Committee (Dr. Pantazis)
 - > TBD

X. Licensing Unit Report

CURRENT BOARD DATA as of 04/30/2024

BOARD	STATUS CODES	PREVIOUS REPORTING	CURRENT REPORTING	NET CHANGE
Chiropractor	Active	934	946	+12
Chiropractor	Inactive	53	52	-1
Chiropractic Assistant	Active	623	626	+3
Chiropractic Assistant	Inactive	40	40	-

XI. Ratification of New Licensees and Registrants - March & April 2024

CHIROPRACTORS: March & April 2024

		ORIGINAL
LICENSE	Name	LICENSE



No.		DATE
S04214	MORRIS, AKEEM K.	04/17/2024
04215	ASARE, TRACY N.	04/17/2024
S04216	ROMAS, ALEXIS	04/18/2024
04217	HOWARD, JULIA	04/19/2024
04218	FLANERY, LOGAN M.	04/22/2024
S04219	HAGERTY, KYLE J.	04/22/2024
S04220	KELLY, JOSEPH J.	04/22/2024
S04221	LENNON, MAX J.	04/24/2024
S04222	RICE, KAYLEEN F.	04/24/2024

Total 9

CHIROPRACTIC ASSISTANTS: March & April 2024

REGISTRATION		ORIGINAL LICENSE
No.	Name	DATE
RC2786	RIBEIRO SANTANA, SABRINA	03/05/2024
RC2787	PHILLIPS, SUSAN A.	03/07/2024
RC2788	EHATT, AMBER L.	03/18/2024
RC2789	VASQUEZ, ALICIA	03/18/2024

Total 4

XII. Miscellaneous

- A. Election Results
- B. Next Meeting date July 11, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. (Virtual)
- C. Presentations

XIII. Meeting Adjournment

Pursuant to the Maryland Statutory Code and for the purposes set forth therein, the Board will move into the administrative session portion of the meeting to consult with the Board attorney, discuss disciplinary matters and hear reports concerning violations of the law or regulations.