

**South Carolina Board of Medical Examiners
Respiratory Care Committee
Minutes**

Committee Meeting of January 15, 2016
10:00 a.m., Room 202-02
Synergy Business Park, Kingstree Building, 110 Centerview Drive
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Committee members present were:

Garrett Galloway, RCP
Luca Paoletti, MD
Fady Nassif, MD
Scott Simms, RCP
Scott Crego, RCP
Allan Dunphy II, RCP

Staff present were:

Candace Gunter, RCP Program, Administrative Assistant
Sheridon Spoon, Administrator
Mary League, Advice Counsel

The meeting was conducted in person and called to order at 10:08 a.m. A quorum was noted as present.

1. Meeting agenda approved.
2. Minutes from the October 16, 2015 Committee meeting were approved, as amended.
3. Applicant Appearances: NONE
4. Approval of temporary to permanent licenses (* **Indicates Application has "yes" answer**):

Last Name	Middle Name	First Name	Issuance Date	Expiration Date	Credential Type Prefix	Credential Number	Status
Ambrose	Daniel	Cory	9/28/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5688	ACTIVE
Bade	Ellen	Sue	9/24/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5763	ACTIVE
Bailo	Ann	Cynthia	9/25/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5766	ACTIVE

Barry	Tyler	Kevin	11/12/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5781	ACTIVE
BYRD	ANTONIO	CHRISTOPHER	10/7/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5770	ACTIVE
CARPENTER	SUE	KIMBERLY	10/28/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5776	ACTIVE
Dangar	Scott	Russell	11/24/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5786	ACTIVE
DEBELA	ABERA	SAMUEL	10/22/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5773	ACTIVE
Denton	Ray	Joshua	10/8/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5645	ACTIVE
Ditzenberger	John	Craig	10/29/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5777	ACTIVE
DONELSON	FAYE	TAMMIE	11/3/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5779	ACTIVE
Edge	Bryant	Andrew	11/24/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5787	ACTIVE
Fornes	H	Mary-Lynne	9/24/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5764	ACTIVE
Foster-Snavely	Kristin	Andrea	11/17/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5666	ACTIVE
Frazier	Marie	Autumn	12/1/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5712	ACTIVE
Gamble	Antionette	Makisha	10/15/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5644	ACTIVE
Greene	Sagely	Megan	10/8/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5739	ACTIVE
HARRISON		MICHAEL	11/24/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5789	ACTIVE
Hayes	Ewers	Lauren	9/24/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5647	ACTIVE
Howard	Gordon	Blake	11/23/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5711	ACTIVE
Hughey	Dewayne	Ryne	10/8/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5663	ACTIVE
Hyder	Knight	Shirley	12/7/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5790	ACTIVE
Kennedy	Shantelle	Tinisha	9/28/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5768	ACTIVE
Langston	Lyde	Jarrott	9/24/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5723	ACTIVE
LARGESSE	PYE	RACHEL	5/18/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5654	ACTIVE
Leardi	Gail	Brenda	10/27/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5775	ACTIVE
LOTRUGLIO		PATRICIA	11/24/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5788	ACTIVE

Lovins	James	Christopher	11/24/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5652	ACTIVE
Mack	Elizabeth	Joy	11/13/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5782	ACTIVE
MURPHY	ANTHONY	MICHAEL	11/19/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5783	ACTIVE
Norwood	Victoria	Jamie	9/30/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5706	ACTIVE
Peel	Renee	Elizabeth	11/23/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5785	ACTIVE
PIKE	DIANE	BELINDA	11/23/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5784	ACTIVE
Poplin	Ann	Kathryn	11/12/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5780	ACTIVE
Rivers	Elaine	Kathryn	9/25/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5767	ACTIVE
Roberts	Roshel	Rosheda	10/2/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5769	ACTIVE
Rock	Anthony	John	10/27/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5671	ACTIVE
SANDERS	NICHOLE	KRYSTAL	9/29/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5700	ACTIVE
Sanders	Tawanna	Shaunice	10/19/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5646	ACTIVE
Smart	Newton	Brandon	10/9/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5771	ACTIVE
TREEN		ALISHA	10/23/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5774	ACTIVE
Wardell	Brooke	Amber	10/22/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5697	ACTIVE
WATTS		STEPHANIE	11/3/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5778	ACTIVE
Williamson	Christine	Diana	9/24/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5726	ACTIVE
Wilson	Ruth	Lauren	9/29/2015	2/1/2016	RCP	5709	ACTIVE
Wrubleski	Marc	Anthony	9/24/2015	2/28/2016	RCP	5765	ACTIVE

BADE, SUE:

answered “yes” to question #10, “have you ever discontinued practicing as a Respiratory Care Practitioner for any reason for one month or more?” Ms. Bade states she was out for surgery and the recovery phase. Ms. Bade answered “yes” to question #11, “have you ever been arrested, indicted, or convicted, pled guilty, or pled nolo contendere for violation of any federal, state or local law (other than a minor traffic violation)? Ms. Bade states she had a bad check charge. Ms. Bade answered “yes” to question #12, “have you ever been known by any other name or surname?” Ms. Bade states her maiden name was Sue Ellen Leitgeb. Her background check indicated no prior arrest. There were no other issues with Ms. Bade’s application and background check.

BAILO, CYNTHIA:

answered “yes” to question #11, “have you ever been arrested, indicted, or convicted, pled guilty, or pled nolo contendere for violation of any federal, state or local law (other than a minor traffic violation)?” Ms. Bailo stated that a financial dispute came about during divorce proceedings where debts were agreed to be split per court order. Ms. Bailo paid off her assigned debt but the ex-husband did not do the same and Ms. Bailo was then held accountable causing her to be sued by one of the creditors. Ms. Bailo, along with her ex-husband responded to the lawsuit and he agreed to payments due. The ex-husband never upheld the agreement and Ms. Bailo and her current husband, both went to the home and took several items causing an Unarmed Robbery and Entering without breaking, with the intent to commit Unarmed Robbery charge. Ms. Bailo was convicted of both charges after rejecting a plea of two misdemeanors. Ms. Bailo has regretted this decision for over thirty years and have since completed college education and worked as a Respiratory Therapist since 1987 with nothing more than a speeding ticket in 1983. There were no other issues with Ms. Bailo’s application and background check. Ms. Bailo answered “yes” to question #12, “have you ever been known by any other name or surname?” Ms. Bailo’s previous last name was Watkins. Ms. Bailo answered “yes” to question #13, “have you ever voluntarily surrendered a Respiratory Care Practitioner’s certificate/license? Ms. Bailo held a license in Tennessee from 2004 until 2012 and voluntarily surrendered/retired her license. (License # 3555)

JOHN ROCK:

answered “yes” to question #11, “have you ever been arrested, indicted, or convicted, pled guilty, or pled nolo contendere for violation of any federal, state or local law (other than a minor traffic violation)?” Mr. John Rock states in the early 1990’s he was arrested on a fraudulent check charge when his ex-wife wrote checks from a closed account. All checks were subsequently taken care of and charges were dropped.

FORNES, MARY:

answered “yes” to question #10, “have you ever discontinued practicing as a Respiratory Care Practitioner for any reason for one month or more?” Ms. Fornes states that she was out of work as a Respiratory Therapist for a period of 16 months due to health issues prior to the birth of her children. She stayed home for one year. (Aug 1995-Jan 1997). Ms. Fornes answered “yes” to question #12, “have you ever been known by any other name or surname?” Ms. Fornes legal name prior to current name was Mary-Lynne Harrison Overby. There were no other issues with Ms. Fornes’ application and background check.

SIMMONS, TINISHA:

answered “yes” to question #10, “have you ever discontinued practicing as a Respiratory Care Practitioner for any reason for one month or more?” Ms. Simmons states that she hasn’t practiced Respiratory Care since graduating in August 2014. There were no other issues with Ms. Simmons’ application and background check.

WILLIAMSON, DIANA:

answered “yes” to question #11, “have you ever been arrested indicted, or convicted, pled guilty, or pled nolo contendere for violation of any federal, state or local law (other than a minor traffic violation)? Ms. Williamson states that the arrest on her record stemmed from a

toll violation back in October 2008. There was an issue with the toll plaza electronic system where the fee was not properly applied to her account. Ms. Williamson moved and her ex-husband withheld all correspondence from her causing her driver's license to be suspended. A bench warrant was issued due to the amount of time passed since the summons was sent to Ms. Williamson. Ms. Williamson appeared before the court and paid the toll fees along with court fees and was told that the arrest would be removed from her record. The arrest was never expunged. There were no other issues with Ms. Williamson's application and background check. Ms. Williamson answered "yes" to question #12, "have you been known by any other name or surname?" Ms. Williamson was previously known as Diana Billie prior to her marriage in November 1995.

A motion was made by Garrett Galloway to approve all temporary licenses to be updated to permanent. This approval also includes "yes" answers. Dr. Scott Crego seconded the motion. Motion carried.

5. A discussion was held concerning a change in the application process for the Limited License.
 - Mr. Dunphy's concern is that students receiving a limited license prior to graduation and the monitoring of their proof of graduation. Mr. Galloway stated there are a couple of options to apply for licensure and that the educators need to hold the students accountable. Discussion on whether to enforce the issue of providing to the Board the necessary documents required within the 30 days. Allan Dunphy suggests making it clear to the hospital administrators that this is what is needed to be done.
 - Garrett Galloway suggested amending the note to state "if you receive a limited license from this Board prior to graduation, proof of graduation must be received by the Board office during the first six months of the Limited License term or the Limited License will be deemed void." Motion made by Garrett Galloway. Motion seconded by Allan Dunphy.
6. Approval of 2017 Committee Meeting dates of January 20, April 21, July 14, and October 20. Motion made to approve by Garrett Galloway and seconded by Dr. Nassif. Motion carries.
7. Administrative discussion:
 - Pulmonary Function Tests. Dr. Dunphy states he contacted Selma Watson and has not received feedback from her yet but he did speak with LouAnn Wagner who would be available for a conference call in order to discuss more about the Spirometry program during the next Committee Meeting scheduled for April 22, 2016. Dr. Dunphy explained that the NIOSH course is a two day screening tool. Dr. Dunphy states that primary care providers are administering these tests and may not be properly trained. Dr. Nassif and Dr. Paoletti both state there should be a guideline in place for administering the Spirometry correctly. Garrett Galloway moved to have Spirometry as a specific topic to be discussed at the April 2016

Committee Meeting and have Ms. LouAnn Wagner join in via telephone. Dr. Dunphy recommends that the person(s) administering have the proper training in accordance with the board's advisory opinion on exemptions for individuals with proven competency.

8. Sheridan Spoon advised if there are any participants to be scheduled for the next Committee Meeting to please provide their information to Candace Gunter as soon as possible so they can be placed on the agenda for April 22nd.

Motion to adjourn by Garret Galloway at 11:02 am.

Scott Simms, Scott Crego, and Allan Dunphy all seconded the motion. Motion carried.

The next meeting is scheduled for April 22, 2016 at 10:00 A.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Candace Gunter
Administrative Assistant