

**DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICES REGULATION
RHODE ISLAND BOARD OF PHARMACY**

Minutes of Meeting

Thursday, November 15, 2007

OPEN-SESSION

The Open Session Meeting of the Board of Pharmacy was called to order at

8:30 am on the above date in Room 401 Conference Room at the Department of Health, 3 Capitol Hill, Providence, Rhode Island, pursuant to the applicable provisions of the General Laws of the State of Rhode Island, as amended Richard Hathaway, Chairperson, presided.

Members Present

Richard Hathaway, Chairperson

Jonathan Mundy

Chris Albanese

Michael Cacchiotti

Robert Boisvert

Karen DiStefano

Stephen Kogut

Felix Baez

Member Not Present

Kathy Kettle, Secretary

Staff Present

Catherine Cordy

Lynn Garberg

Call to Order

Chairman Richard Hathaway called the meeting to order at 8:30 am.

1.0 Minutes

The minutes of the Open Session Meeting held October 18, 2007 were reviewed. J. Mundy moved to accept the minutes, as amended. S. Kogut seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

2.0 Administrative Issues

Continuing Education Inquiries: Kristina Poggie, RPH, Board voted unanimously to allow Kristina to be reinstated.

Announcements

Pharmacy Technician 1s:

Antoine, Jos. Rogee Lamothe

Arkwright, Jason

Boisvert, Lea

Bonner, Peter

Bradley, Kelli

Broccoli, David

Campbell, Richard

Casey, Mary

Correia, Tiffany

Desrosiers, Tasha

Faria, Kathleen

Ferreira, Carmen

Fortes, Carmen

Furcolo, Jessica

Gomes, Amanda

Gonzalez, Yarelis

Grenga, Andrea

Griffin, Joanna

Hart, Michelle

Hill, Cheryl

Husband, Moira

Kes, Sophanath

Lambert, Paula

Lasalle, Courtney
Matola, Leanne
Montalvo, Sheyla
Nardolillo, Dolores
Paterson, Heather
Pearce, Brandon
Perez, Misty
Picard, Beverly
Picchi, Angie
Rodrigues, Elise
Ryan Pena
Santandrea, Mark
Santiago, Eugenio
Shaw, Patricia
Simon, Heather
Souza, Heather
St.Amour, Richard
Teixeira, Olga
Thomas, Mark
Trotta, Lynn
Waterman, Seneca
Wilkins, Candace
Yetton, Ashley
Zagardo, Jonathan
Zapata, Hansel

Pharmacy Technician IIs:

Ferguson, Sue

Fredette, Nicole

Greenhalgh, Catherine

Rao Matthew

Roberts, Patricia

Pharmacy Interns:

Couto, Joseph

Flockhart, James

Harris, William

Spaziano, Caterina

Pharmacists:

Fontanez Jr., Juan

Hunter, Kimberly

Medeiros, Mia

Troiano, James

Pharmacists 90-Day Temp:

Alonzo, Joy

Pharmacy Retail:

CVS/Pharmacy #409

Pharmacy Non-Resident:

Neighborhood Pharmacy

Ridgeway Pharmacy

US Compounding, Inc.

Vetsource Home Delivery

Village Compounding Pharmacy

CSR Research Facility:

Drug Manufacturers (Out of State):

Norwich Pharmaceuticals

State Drug Manufacturers (In):

Lincare, Inc.

Drug Wholesalers (In State):

Wellness Company

Drug Wholesalers (Out of State):

ASD Specialty Healthcare Inc.

DSC Logistics, Inc.

FFF Enterprises, Inc.

Novartis Vaccines & Diagnostic, Inc.

Seacoast Medical, LLC

3.0 Old Business

4.0 New Business

SSTAR DDAS has approached local hospitals to request that pharmacies dispense medications at discharge to patients under SSTAR/DDAS contract agreements. Patricia Racioppi, RPH and Bart Grimes, RPH, from Kent County and Newport Hospitals, respectively summarized the process to obtain Board approval for the proposed arrangement. Board unanimously agreed that the process as outlined – dispensing medications to patients in the program – are

compliant with state regulations.

5.0 PIC Appearances:

Patricia Cyr RPH Walgreens #2639

6.0 Adjourn to Executive Session

Pursuant to Sections 42-26-4 and 42-46-5 of the RI General Laws for the purpose of discussing job performance, character, physical or mental health of applicants for licensure and licensees; and investigatory proceedings regarding allegations of civil or criminal misconduct. Said individuals have been notified in advance by writing that they may request that the discussion be held in an open meeting.

K. DiStefano voted to close the Open Meeting and adjourn to Closed Session Meeting, in accordance with Section 42-46-5(a)(1) and (4). B. Boisvert seconded the motion that was carried by eight ayes.

The Open Session adjourned at 9:10 a.m.

7.0 Return to Open Session

The Open Session resumed at 12:10 p.m.

8.0 Final Actions

Vincent Campagna RPH Reprimand 07-036

Priscilla Miranda PHT Revocation 07-038(a)

Pamela Hayes RPh Reprimand 07-032

9.0 Adjourn

B. Boisvert moved to close the Open Session. S. Kogut seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

The Open session adjourned at 12:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lynn Garberg, Confidential Secretary