

**Kansas Board of Healing Arts
Physician Assistant Council Meeting Minutes
August 5, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. (Virtual Meeting)**

- I. Called to Order at 1:00p** (Durrett, Rausch, carried)
 - a. Council Members present:
 - i. Robin Durrett, DO
 - ii. Michelle Eaton, P.A.
 - iii. Allison Serrano, P.A.
 - iv. Ann Gates, P.A.
 - v. Mike Rausch, MD
 - b. Staff Members present:
 - i. Courtney Cyzman, General Counsel BOHA
 - ii. Katie Baylie, Deputy Disciplinary Counsel BOHA
 - iii. Nancy Dodik, Disciplinary Counsel BOHA
 - iv. LeeAnn Hunter-Roach, Legal Assistant to General Counsel BOHA
 - v. Melissa Ohmie, Administrative Specialist BOHA
 - vi. Nancy Wilson, Medical Investigator/Licensed Practitioner, BOHA
 - vii. Heather Shire, Medical Investigator, Supervisor BOHA
 - viii. Jennifer McArthur, Supervisor Disciplinary Administrative Staff BOHA
 - ix. Shane Creason, Law Clerk, General Counsel Dept., BOHA
 - c. Others: Doug Smith, KAPA; unknown caller

- II. Motion to Approve Agenda** (Eaton, Serrano, carried)
 - a. Additions: none
 - b. Deletions: none

- III. Approval of Minutes.** Minutes from May 6, 2021 approved (Durrett, Eaton, carried).

- IV. New Business.** None

- V. Old Business:**
 - a. **Licensing Update.** Ms. Cyzman reads licensing memorandum from Ms. Moon regarding update on statistics. Reminder that CEU extension ended July 15th and must be completed by September 13, 2021. Currently processing is taking 5-7 days and reviews are taking 7-10 business days. No questions.
 - b. **Legislative Update/COVID-19.** Emergency temporary licenses extended to March 31, 2022. A new permanent telemedicine waiver is available - \$100 fee, all professions. Also available to licensees who

might be thinking of retiring but wish to practice telemedicine. This new waiver functions like a limited license. PT Compact passed – working on implementation. HB 2066 regarding license reciprocity passed and working on implementing. No questions.

VI. Application/Disciplinary Report: Motion to recess into executive session of 45 minutes to discuss investigative information, which is confidential under K.S.A. 65-2898a, K.S.A. 75-4319(b)(2). (Durrett, Serrano, carried).

VII. Next Meeting Date: November 4, 2021

VIII. Motion to Return to Open Meeting at 1:42 p.m. (Durrett, Eaton, carried)

IX. Adjourn (Durrett, Eaton, carried) **at 1:42 p.m.**