Kansas Board of Healing Arts Physical Therapist Council Meeting May 16, 2012 at 2:00pm

I. Call to Order: Meeting called to order by Chair Carolyn Bloom at 2:10 p.m. Council Members Present: Carolyn Bloom, PT; Gary Counselman, DC; Dick Geis, MD; Aaron

Proctor, PT; Dave Sanderson, PT;

Others Present: Katy Lenahan; Licensing Administrator; Kathleen Selzler Lippert, Executive Director; Joshana Offenbach, Associate Disciplinary Counsel; Dan Riley, Disciplinary Counsel; Kelli Stevens, General Counsel

II. Approval of Minutes from February 22, 2012: Minutes approved (Counselman – Proctor)

III. Old Business:

- **A.** Proposed Changes to K.A.R 100-29-9: Ms. Stevens provided the Council with a copy of the suggested revisions from the Department of Administration. It was agreed that due to the number of revisions that it would be best to rewrite the regulation and then revoke the current regulation. Ms. Bloom will provide Ms. Stevens a list of requested changes.
- **B. K.S.A. 65-2914 and K.A.R. 100-29-16 Board Policy**: Ms. Stevens provided a draft of the revision to K.A.R. 100-29-16. Following a brief discussion, Mr. Sanderson made a motion to accept the revision with the removal of the last sentence. Dr. Geis seconded the motion and the motion carried. Ms. Stevens will present the revision to the full Board at their June 22, 2012 meeting.
- **C. Mentoring Plans:** Mr. Sanderson and Ms. Bloom presented revisions to the OT/OTA mentoring plan. Following a discussion it was agreed that members will review their drafts and the issue will be discussed at the next Council meeting.

IV. New Business:

A. FSBPT Delegate Assembly: Ms. Lenahan requested a council member to represent the Board as a delegate. Mr. Proctor will let her know by May 25, 2012, if he will be able to attend. If he is able to attend he will serve as primary delegate and Ms. Bloom will serve as alternate delegate. Ms. Lenahan will register the delegates once Mr. Proctor has been able to confirm his attendance.

B. Questions from BCBS:

1. Is it within the scope of practice for a PT to delegate debridement to a PTA, and for a PTA to perform debridement under CPT code 97597-Debridement? Following a discussion, it was agreed by the members that it is within

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- 2. Is it within the scope of practice for a PTA to perform services under CPT code 97001 physical therapy evaluation and J1100 –Injection, Dexamethasone Sodium Phosphate, 1MG? Following a discussion, it was agreed by the members that it is not within the scope of practice. Ms. Lenahan will notify BCBS
- V. **Disciplinary Report:** Ms. Stevens and Ms. Lippert were recused. Close session (3:38 (Sanderson Proctor). Open Session 4:30 (Sanderson Proctor).

VI. Application Review:

A. Application Review Report: Ms. Lenahan presented the review report. One requested additional testing which was approved, one requested a temporary license which was denied and one had been out of practice which was approved.

VII. Meeting Dates: 2:00 on August 22, 2012 and November 14, 2012

VIII. Adjourn: 4:31 (Sanderson – Proctor)