

KENTUCKY BOARD OF SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY MEETING MINUTES

January 8, 2019

A regular meeting of the Kentucky Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology was held at the Department of Professional Licensing in Frankfort, KY January 8, 2019.

MEMBERS PRESENT

George Purvis, Chairman Audiologist
Matthew Bush, Otolaryngologist
Margaret Adkins, Audiologist
Christina LaCharite, SLP
Douglas Keefe, SLP
Virginia Rose, SLP
Melanie Driscoll, Audiologist

Department of Professional Licensing STAFF

Megan Norton, Board Administrator
Courtney Cook, Finance
Isaac VanHoose, Commissioner

OTHERS

Carson Kerr, Office of Legal Services
Amy Utz, Licensee

MEMBERS ABSENT

Chairman Purvis called the meeting to order at 1:02pm.

Consent agenda - Minutes and Monthly Financial Report

Minutes of the December 11, 2018 meeting were presented for the Board's review. Ms. LaCharite motioned to approve the minutes with correction. Ms. Driscoll seconded the motion and it carried.

The financial report for December 2018 were presented for the Board's review. No further action required. Chairman Purvis has requested a cost increase analysis be prepared for review at the February meeting.

DPL Report

Commissioner VanHoose advised no updates within DLP.

Licensure Status Report

The Licensure Status Report was reviewed.

Pending Complaints

The Complaints Committee did not meet this month.

Board Attorney's Report

Mr. Kerr provided a list of currently active statuses that will expire 7/1/2019. The Board must make a decision to recertify or amend these statuses. It was decided the Board will review expiring statuses this month and will discuss further at the February meeting.

Old Business

Ms. Rose and Ms. LaCharite advised preparing training documents for future Board Members is still ongoing.

Ms. Norton provided information pertaining to Selena Frazier's Agreed Order discussed at the November meeting. Licensee provided certificates of attendance from courses taken as requested.

New Business

The Board discussed current trends regarding Telehealth and its application within the state of Kentucky. Mr. Kerr will represent the Board by listening to the statewide conference call regarding SB112 on January 16.

Amy Utz, licensee, spoke to the Board regarding her licensure application that was deferred at the November meeting. The Board requested more supporting documentation be submitted before they could make a decision. She will submit before the next meeting.

A motion was made by Ms. Adkins for Mr. Purvis to continue in his role as chair for the 2019 year. Ms. LaCharite seconded this and it carried.

Applications Review

The Application Review Committee met at 11am. Ms. Rose motioned, seconded by Ms. Adkins to approve recommendations made from today's committee meeting of the following applicants in the appropriate areas. The motion carried.

AUDIOLOGY- APPROVED -

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- CHANGE IN SUPERVISION:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM-EXTENSION REQUEST- APPROVED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM- APPROVED: Jordan Bates, Shelby Carter, Bree Tassin

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERIM -DEFERRED: Anna Sturm, Amy Utz

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT INTERIM- APPROVED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY ASSISTANT- APPROVED: Allison Brown, Shayla Robinson

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- APPROVED: Candace Grantham, Allison Haskell, Leah Weskamp

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- DEFERRED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- REINSTATEMENTS- APPROVED:

SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY- REINSTATEMENTS- DEFFERED:

Approval of Travel and Per Diem

A motion was made by Ms. LaCharite to approve travel and per-diem for today's meeting. The motion, seconded by Mr. Keefe carried.

Adjournment

Chairman Purvis made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 2:35 PM

The next regular meeting of the Kentucky Board of Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology is scheduled for at 1 PM on Tuesday February 12 , 2019 at the Department of Professional Licensing 911 Leawood Drive Frankfort, KY 40601.