The Connecticut State Board of Examiners for Physical Therapists held a meeting on January 28, 2011 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, Conference Room F, Second Floor, Hartford, Connecticut.

**BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT**: Mary Lou Sanders, MS, BSN – Chairperson via telephone conference

Robert Carr, MD – via telephone conference Andrea O'Brien, PT - via telephone conference Lise Van Saun, PT - via telephone conference Sandra Worrell - via telephone conference

**BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT** None

Ms. Sanders called the meeting to order at 9:03 a.m.

## **MINUTES**

The Minutes from the November 23, 2010 meeting were reviewed. Ms. Worrell made a motion, seconded by Ms. O'Brien, to adopt the minutes. The motion passed.

#### **UPDATES**

Licensure Update

None

### Investigations Update

Gary Griffin, Investigation Supervisor, Department of Public Health reported there are four cases currently under investigation by the Department. No cases are currently being reviewed by the Department's Legal Office.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### A. License Reinstatement Review – Valerie Soehnlein, PT

Frank Manna, Department of Public Health, presented a reinstatement application for Valerie Soehnlein, PT. Ms. Van Saun made a motion, seconded by Ms. Worrell, recommending license reinstatement provided Ms. Soehnlein is compliant with continuing education requirements and has 3 months full time or 6 months part time practice supervision. The motion passed unanimously.

# B. <u>License Reinstatement Review – Kathleen Litke, PT</u>

Frank Manna, Department of Public Health, presented a reinstatement application for Kathleen Litke, PT. Ms. Van Saun made a motion, seconded by Dr. Carr, recommending license reinstatement provided Ms. Litke completes a refresher course and is compliant with continuing education. If she is not current with continuing education then a competency examination should be completed. The motion passed unanimously.

## <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 a.m.

Respectfully submitted, Mary Lou Sanders, MS, BSN – Chairperson Connecticut State Board of Examiners for Physical Therapists The Connecticut State Board of Examiners for Physical Therapists held a meeting on April 15, 2011 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, Third Floor Hearing Room, Hartford, Connecticut.

**BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT**: Mary Lou Sanders, MS, BSN – Chairperson via telephone

Robert Carr, MD – via telephone Andrea O'Brien, PT - via telephone Lise Van Saun, PT - via telephone Sandra Worrell - via telephone

**BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT** None

Ms. Sanders called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m.

### **MINUTES**

The Minutes from the January 28, 2010 meeting were reviewed. Dr. Carr made a motion, seconded by Ms. Worrell, to adopt the minutes. The motion passed.

#### **UPDATES**

Licensure Update

None

#### Investigations Update

Gary Griffin, Investigation Supervisor, Department of Public Health reported there are three cases currently under investigation by the Department. No cases are currently being reviewed by the Department's Legal Office.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### A. <u>License Reinstatement Review – Robin Biondo, PTA</u>

Frank Manna, Department of Public Health, presented a reinstatement application for Robin Biondo, PTA. Ms. Van Saun made a motion, seconded by Ms. O'Brien, recommending license reinstatement provided Ms. Biondo completes a refresher program consisting of 3 months full time or 6 months part time supervision and that she also passes the PTA examination. The motion passed unanimously.

#### B. Schedule meeting

A meeting will be held on Friday June 10, 2011 at 9:00 a.m.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 9:25 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Lou Sanders, MS, BSN – Chairperson

Connecticut State Board of Examiners for Physical Therapists

The Connecticut State Board of Examiners for Physical Therapists held a meeting on June 10, 2011 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, Hearing Room Third Floor, Hartford, Connecticut.

**BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT**: Robert Carr, MD – via telephone conference

Andrea O'Brien, PT - via telephone conference Lise Van Saun, PT - via telephone conference Sandra Worrell - via telephone conference

**BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT** Mary Lou Sanders, MS, BSN

ALSO PRESENT: Kerry Colson, Assistant Attorney General

Jeffrey Kardys, Board Liaison

The meeting was called to order at 9:01 a.m.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

Memorandum of Decision

Sharon Weiselfish-Giammatteo, PT – Petition No. 2005-0104-014-001

Assistant Attorney General Kerry Colson was present to provide counsel to the Board. Following review Ms. Worrell made a motion, seconded by Ms. Van Saun, to adopt the Memorandum of Decision in this matter. The motion passed with all in favor.

Board Chairperson, Mary Lou Sanders is recused in this matter; therefore she was not present at this meeting and had no role in this decision.

Mr. Kardys will bring the decision to Ms. Worrell for signature on Monday, June 13, 2001.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 9:08 a.m.

Respectfully submitted, Sandra Worrell

Connecticut State Board of Examiners for Physical Therapists

The Connecticut State Board of Examiners for Physical Therapists held a meeting on September 16, 2011 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, Third Floor Hearing Room, Hartford, Connecticut.

**BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT**: Mary Lou Sanders, MS, BSN – Chairperson *via telephone* 

Robert Carr, MD – via telephone Andrea O'Brien, PT - via telephone Lise Van Saun, PT - via telephone Sandra Worrell - via telephone

**BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT** None

Ms. Sanders called the meeting to order at 9:03 a.m.

## **MINUTES**

The Minutes from the April 15, 2011and June 10, 2011 meetings were reviewed. Ms. Worrell made a motion, seconded by Ms. Van Saun, to adopt the minutes. The motion passed.

### **CHAIR UPDATES**

Ms. Sanders will be attending the annual meeting of the Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy on September 22-24, 2011 in Charlotte, North Carolina.

## Investigations Update

Gary Griffin, Investigation Supervisor, Department of Public Health reported there are four cases currently under investigation by the Department. One case is currently being reviewed by the Department's Legal Office.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

## A. <u>License Reinstatement Review – David McAllister, PTA</u>

Frank Manna, Department of Public Health, presented a reinstatement application for David McAllister, PTA. Ms. O'Brien made a motion, seconded by Ms. Van Saun, recommending license reinstatement provided Mr. McAllister completes a refresher program consisting of 3 months full time or 6 months part time supervision and that he also passes the PTA examination. The motion passed unanimously.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 9:20 a.m.

Respectfully submitted, Mary Lou Sanders, MS, BSN – Chairperson Connecticut State Board of Examiners for Physical Therapists The Connecticut State Board of Examiners for Physical Therapists held a meeting on November 18, 2010 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, Third Floor Hearing Room, Hartford, Connecticut.

**BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT**: Mary Lou Sanders, MS, BSN – Chairperson via telephone

Robert Carr, MD - via telephone

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT Andrea O'Brien, PT

Lise Van Saun, PT Sandra Worrell

Ms. Sanders called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m.

#### **MINUTES**

Review of the Minutes from the September 16, 2011 meeting will be deferred to the first meeting of 2012.

### **UPDATES**

Licensure Update

None

### Investigations Update

Gary Griffin, Investigations Supervisor reported there four cases regarding physical therapists currently under investigation in the Department's Practitioner Investigation Unit. Two additional cases have been referred to the Department's Legal Office for further review.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

Meeting Dates for 2012

The following meeting dates were scheduled for 2012:

January 27, 2012; Snow date February 10, 2012

April 20, 2012

September 7, 2012

November 16, 2012

Meetings will be scheduled for 9:00 a.m., at the Department of Public Health 410 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut. Meeting dates are subject to change.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 9:18 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Lou Sanders, MS, BSN - Chairperson

Connecticut State Board of Examiners for Physical Therapists