

WEST VIRGINIA BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR
REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL NURSES

Practice Committee Meeting
Minutes

June 28, 2018 1:00PM

Members present:

Ann Bostic, DNP, APRN CRNA
Doris Burkey, DNP, APRN FNP-BC
Nancy Atkins, MSN, APRN WHNP-BC

Members Absent:

John Martin, Public Member

Staff Present:

Sue A. Painter, DNP, RN
Robin A. Lewis, Ed. D, MSN, APRN FNP-BC, NP-C

1. Election

Ann Bostic nominated Nancy Atkins as chair of the practice committee. Doris Burkey seconded. Motion passed.

2. Review and consideration of Agenda

a. Motion Regarding Accept/Re-order Agenda

Ann Bostic made a motion that the agenda be re-ordered to move up miscellaneous to item number 6 and add the review and consideration of the Anesthesia Position Statement under this agenda item and to then renumber the rest of the remaining agenda items. Doris Burkey seconded. Motion passed.

3. Review and consideration of Minutes

a. May 31, 2018

Doris Burkey made a motion to accept the minutes with the change to add John Martin to the list of members present. Anne Bostic seconded. Motion passed.

4. Follow-up from May 30, 2018 meeting

a. Criteria for approval of certification bodies for medical assistants

Doris made a motion to defer review and consideration of approving the American Certification Association as a medical assistant certifying body to the full Board. Ann seconded. Motion passed.

b. Transcranial Stimulation Mapping and request for Board position

Ann made a motion to defer a Board position request and follow-up to the October Board meeting with information on licensed practitioner training and certification verification. Doris Burkey seconded. Motion passed.

5. Anesthetic agents administered via epidural catheter during labor

Ann made a motion that staff draft a letter of response to questions posed by Mr. Kranz about the October 13, 2017 Administration of Anesthetic Agents Position Statement to answer the questions as follows: 1). No, 2). Per healthcare facility policy and procedures; and 3. Per healthcare facility policy and procedures. Doris seconded. Motion passed.

6. Miscellaneous

Ann Bostic made a motion to recommend to the full Board to revise the Anesthesia Position Statement (See attached Anesthesia Position Statement). Doris Burkey seconded. Motion passed.

7. APRN and prescriptive authority in relation to Board of Medicine

SB 273 passed during 2018 legislative session that changes controlled substance prescribing requirements, controlled substance schedules, and reporting of prescribers including APRNS to licensing Boards. Board of Medicine, Board of Osteopathy and Board of Pharmacy were directed to write rules which are posted on Secretary of State Office for public comment. Staff are responding to SB 273 prescriber questions regarding controlled substance law and rule changes as follows: The Board of Pharmacy and DEA regulate controlled substances, contact them for questions on controlled substance drug schedule changes and specific drug prescribing guidelines.

Ann Bostic made motion to recommend to the full Board to accept the staff response to SB 273 prescriber questions. Doris Burkey seconded. Motion passed.

8. AARP Long-term care delegation task

Doris Burkey made a motion to recommend to the full Board to not support the AARP long-term care delegation task of drawing up insulin for dosage measurement or administering intramuscular injection medication and to defer the review and consideration of performing intermittent catheterization to the full Board. Ann Bostic seconded. Motion passed.

9. Adjourn

Ann Bostic made a motion to adjourn. Doris Burkey seconded. Motion passed.

10. Debrief