

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BOARD OF PHARMACY
PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE COMMITTEE
MINUTES
OCTOBER 15, 2007
10:00 A.M.
CONFERENCE CALL NUMBER – 1-888-808-6959
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Board Members:

Albert Garcia, R.Ph, M.H.L., Chair
Bob Parrado, R.Ph., Vice Chair
Eric Alvarez, Pharm.D.

Members Absent:

Brigitte Goersch, Consumer Member

Board Staff:

Rebecca Poston, R.Ph., Executive Director
Maxine Wenzinger, Administrative Assistant II
Erika Lilja, Program Operations Administrator
Crystal Sanford, Program Operations
Administrator, Board of Medicine
Susan Lincicome, Bureau of Immunization
Services

Board Counsel:

Reginald Dixon, Assistant Attorney General
Ed Tellechea, Medicine Board Counsel

Call to Order: Albert Garcia, Chair

TAB 1: Approve minutes from June 19, 2007, meeting

MOTION: by Parrado, second by Alvarez to approve minutes. Motion carried unanimously.

Approve minutes from August 24, 2007, meeting

MOTION: by Parrado, second by Alvarez to approve minutes. Motion carried unanimously.

TAB 2: Approve Rule language for the implementation of HB 543.

- Standards of Practice- Pharmacist Immunization Administration

Ms. Poston stated that the Bureau of Immunization Services had suggested changes to 3) and 4) as follows:

- 3) Immunization screening questions, provision of risk/benefit information, informed consent, recordkeeping, and electronic reporting into the statewide immunization registry through enrollment application DH Form 1997 herein incorporated by reference;
- 4) Vaccine storage and handling;

There was discussion as to whether individuals who had taken an APHA approved course would be grandfathered in or is it effective November 1, 2007. Mr. Dixon stated that when the rule is in place, then you can look at programs.

At the Board of Medicine, Rules/Legislative Committee on October 4, the rule was reviewed and the following comments were provided:

- a) Preamble – Mr. Tellechea stated that the Joint Accreditation on Procedures Committee (JAPC) request he language to specify to the current regulations from CDC and that would also required this rule be updated every time the CDC changed their regulations.
- b) The Committee expressed concerns about communication with the primary care giver for continuity of care and suggested that may be included in the protocols.
- c) The Committee suggested the Board of Pharmacy consider adding a statement regarding providing instructions for the patient for emergency actions or adverse reactions after leaving the pharmacy.

The Committee thanked the Board of Pharmacy for providing the rule for the Board of Medicine's comments.

MOTION: by Parrado, second by Garcia to change the preamble and add “12) The current influenza immunization guidelines and recommendation of the United States Department of Health Centers for Disease Control and prevention;”.
Motion carried unanimously.

There was discussion regarding 465.189 and CPR certification program.

MOTION: by Alvarez, second by Parrado to add 13 and 14 as follows:
13) Review of Section 465.189, F.S., and
14) Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) training.

Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 10:45 a.m.