

**ADVISORY BOARD ON ATHLETIC TRAINING
MINUTES
MAY 20, 2004**

The Advisory Board on Athletic Training met on May 20, 2004 at 9:00 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, 6603 West Broad Street, Richmond, Virginia. Mr. Pawlowski, Chair, called the meeting to order. A quorum was declared.

MEMBERS PRESENT: David Pawlowski-ATC, Chair
Jon Almquist, ATC, Vice-Chair
Douglas N. Cutter, M.D.
Renee Cork, ATC
Reg E. Roland

STAFF PRESENT: William Harp, M.D. Executive Director
Ola Powers, Deputy Executive Director
Elaine Yeatts, DHP Senior Regulatory Analyst
Nicole Gordon, Recording Secretary

GUEST PRESENT: Karin Talbert, VATA

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 12, 2004

Dr. Cutter moved to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded, and carried.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Dr. Cutter moved to adopt the agenda as presented. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

PUBLIC COMMENTS OF AGENDA ITEMS

There was no public comment

1. Review of Legislation from the 2004 Session of the General Assembly

Ms. Yeatts provided the Advisory Board with current legislation and highlighted bills relevant to the practice of athletic training, or of interest to the profession. There was no action necessary.

2. Consideration of proposed regulations for standards of practice/professional ethics

Ms. Yeatts presented the draft regulations regarding standards of professional conduct. After a lengthy review and agreement on proposed changes, Mr. Almquist moved to adopt the proposed regulations. The motion was seconded and carried.

3. Consideration of emergency regulations for delegation to an agency subordinate

Ms. Yeatts explained the emergency regulations for delegation to an agency subordinate. There was no action necessary.

4. Amended by-laws

Ms. Yeatts provided the Advisory Board with the current amended by-laws. There was no action necessary.

5. Recommendation on adoption of final regulations-provisional certificate

Ms. Yeatts presented proposed regulations for adoption. After review, Ms. Cork moved to recommend adoption of final regulations with one change. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

6. Consideration of exempt regulations for licensure

Ms. Yeatts explained the need to promulgate regulations to conform to the law in changing athletic training certification to athletic training licensure. Ms. Powers informed the Board that during the 2005 renewal cycle the word “certificate” would change to the word “license”. Prior to renewal the licensee may request and pay a fee for a duplicate license. Mr. Almquist moved to amend the regulations to conform to changes in Virginia Law. The motion was seconded, discussed and carried.

Further the Board discussed athletic trainers traveling into Virginia with teams. Mr. Pawlowski moved to submit a Legislative proposal for an exemption for athletic trainers traveling with teams in Virginia. The motion was seconded discussed and carried.

Mr. Pawlowski also moved to resubmit proposed legislation on the use of topical Schedule six drugs and epinephrine by athletic trainers to the Legislative Committee. The motion was seconded and carried.

7. NOIRA on name change for NATABOC

Ms. Yeatts presented information that a change of name request was never presented to the Board from NATABOC. The Board will continue to use NATABOC until a change has been recognized.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next scheduled meeting date is September 23, 2004.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to discuss, Dr. Cutter moved to adjourn. The motion was seconded and carried

David Pawlowski, Chair

William Harp, M.D.
Executive Director

Nicole Gordon
Recording Secretary