

**Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology
Advisory Committee
PUBLIC SESSION MINUTES
MAY 11, 2006 12:30 P.M.**

Roll Call Anne M. Eckert, Nancy Schneider, Hilda Pressman, Louis J. Conte, D.O., Granville Y. Brady, Jr., and Anne Marie Mazzu Absent Freda Renz-Spagnola, Theresa E. Bartolotta and Jeffrey D. Roffman, M.D.

Also Present Renee Pearson Clark, Executive Director
Marianne Greenwald, Deputy Attorney General
Linda Jones, Administrative Staff

Call to Order A quorum being present, the regular bi-monthly meeting of the Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Advisory Committee was called to order at 12:40 P.M., 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey, all members having been notified of time, date, place and materials pertinent thereto having been provided.

Sunshine Law In compliance with Chapter 231 of the Public Law of 1975, notice of this meeting was given by way of the notice filed with the Secretary of State, Trenton Times, the Star Ledger, the Courier-Post and the Record.

II Minutes - Approval of January 12, 2006 Public Session Minutes

Motion made by Hilda Pressman to accept the minutes, seconded by Nancy Schneider . PASSED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

III ELECTION OF COMMITTEE OFFICERS

Election of Chairman

Hilda Pressman nominated Anne M. Eckert for Chairman, Louis J. Conte seconded the nomination. PASSED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

Election of Secretary-Treasurer

Anne M. Eckert nominated Hilda Pressman for Secretary-Treasurer, Granville Y. Brady, Jr. seconded the nomination. PASSED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

IV EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR UPDATE

V CORRESPONDENCE

Suzanne A. Van Sciver, Speech-Language Pathologist

Committee to review documentation for approval of CEU hours in order to reinstate her license.

Motion made by Granville Y. Brady, Jr., seconded by Hilda Pressman to deny credit for CEU hours submitted by Ms. Van Sciver. PASSED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

Bonnie Klane, Speech-Language Pathologist

Fax received asking for specific information regarding the maintenance of records.

Motion made by Nancy Schneider, seconded by Hilda Pressman that pursuant to regulation N.J.A.C. 13:44C-8.1 (b), the Committee has deemed that Ms. Klane is responsible for maintaining the records of the patients in her

practice for at least seven years from the date of most recent entry, or if the patient is a minor, until the patient turns 20 years old, whichever is longer. In addition, the Committee would like her to be aware of the fact that she must also be in compliance with federal HIPPA regulations. PASSED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

Jeffrey L. Glass, Speech-Language Pathologist

Letter and attachment received from Mr. Glass requesting interpretation of the Scope of Practice.

Motion made by Granville Y. Brady, Jr., seconded by Hilda Pressman to table until the next Committee meeting for sufficient time to review.

VI LICENSE APPLICATION FOR REVIEW

Allan Majeski

Attached application and supporting documentation for a Speech-Language Pathology temporary license.

Motion made by Hilda Pressman, seconded by Granville Y. Brady, Jr. To deny Mr. Majeski's application for a temporary license until he complete an additional 200 clinical hours under one of Loyola Graduate School's cooperating programs, according to regulation N.J.A.C. 13:44C-3.4 (c). In addition, he must complete his application and supervision plan. PASSED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

VII OLD BUSINESS

CEU Audit

Sub-Committee to review CEU documentation submitted by 240 licensees to make sure they are authentic.

Motion made by Nancy Schneider, seconded by Hilda Pressman to divide the 240 CEU responses into four sets for review by Anne M. Eckert, Hilda Pressman, Theresa E. Bartolotta, and Nancy Schneider. PASSED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

Theresa E. Bartolotta to discuss ASHA standards.

Sub Committee members Granville Y. Brady, Jr., and Theresa E. Bartolotta to review the ASHA standards and report back on Audiology and Speech Language Pathology to the Committee.

IX COMMITTEE REVIEW

Fax received from Anne M. Eckert regarding seven states passing Doctoral Degree requirements and summary of other states actions.

Informational

X FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Memorandum and documentation received from Ellen C. Fagan, Ed.D., CCC-SLP, Director of Continuing Education, regarding ASHA receiving international recognition.

Memorandum and documentation received from Susan Pilch, Director, State Legislative and Regulatory Advocacy, regarding current version of ASHA Code of Ethics.

The Spring 2006 Licensure official publication of the National Council of State Boards of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology.

Legislative information from the Office of the Director, Legislative Affairs, First Quarter January 1st - March

31st, 2006.

Anne Eckert informs Committee that the Subcommittee on cerumen management was to present information to Board of Medical Examiners in June.

Next newsletter schedule:

Theresa Bartolotta - School certification

Nancy Schneider - Audit of CEU's

Anne Eckert - Temporary licenses

Hilda Pressman - Increase of fees

Renee Clark - Penalties

Hilda Pressman moved to go into Executive Session, seconded by Nancy Schneider, at 2:00 P.M., for the purpose of approving the minutes of January 12, 2006, and review three matters. Pursuant to the Committee's investigative authority in order to determine whether violations of law, including Committee regulations, have occurred. The results of these deliberations will be known when and if the Committee determines to initiate disciplinary or other action. If the Committee determines to issue a Uniform Penalty letter, that action will be taken in Public Session immediately after the Executive Session.

Respectfully Submitted,
AUDIOLOGY AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE
PATHOLOGY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Renee Pearson Clark, Executive Director