

State Board of Polysomnography
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Public Session Agenda
November 12, 2013

A meeting of the State Board of Polysomnography will be held on Tuesday November 12, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. in the Monmouth Conference Room, 7th Floor, 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey.

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

Penni L. Smith, RPSGT, (Chair)
Sara Rose Gallagher, RPSGT, (Vice-Chair)
Mitchell L. Rubinstein, RPSGT
Kathleen A. Feeney, RPSGT
Don J. Fahy, RPSGT
John Penek, M.D
Gerald J. Ferencz, M.D.

Susan Carboni, Deputy Attorney General
Francine Widrich, Acting Executive Director
Tiesha Frederick, Administrative Staff
Lyann Hope, Administrative Staff

ANNOUNCEMENT OF QUORUM

III. APPROVAL OF OCTOBER 8, 2013 PUBLIC MINUTES

IV. ACTING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT

1. Newly licensed Polysomnographers
2. Monthly Executive Report
3. Final Budget Report for FY 2013

V. NEW BUSINESS

1. Review of polysomnographic technologist licensure requirements for New Mexico. The Board will review New Mexico's licensure requirements to determine if a polysomnographic technologist licensed by New Mexico will qualify for licensure by endorsement in New Jersey.
2. Clifford Pardo previously applied for a Polysomnographic Trainee license by application on March 28, 2012. Mr Pardo checked no on his application and on the Certification and Authorization Form for a Criminal History Background Check in response to questions about whether he had ever had been arrested for or convicted of a crime or offense. Mr. Pardo's checking "no" on his application in response to questions about prior arrest and convictions constitutes dishonesty and misrepresentation in violation of **N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b)**. Mr. Pardo's repeated arrest and convictions on drug-related charges, including and arrest and conviction in 2013, while his application was under consideration by the Board, indicates conduct relating adversely to the practice of polysomnography within intendment of **N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(f)**. Mr. Pardo's application for a provisional license as a trainee is hereby provisionally denied based upon the violation of **N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b)** and (f)
3. A Discussion on Comprehensive Care Model for Sleep

VI. OLD BUSINESS

1. Regulatory Analyst Elizabeth Greenblatt notified the Board, through its Executive Director, that the adoption notice for the regulation concerning Ph.D holders will be published in the New Jersey Register on November 18, 2013 at which time will become effective.

VII. ADJOURNMENT