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DRAFT MINUTES FOR MEETING OF THE

ARIZONA BOARD OF OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS IN MEDICINE AND SURGERY

Held on Saturday March 15, 2025 at 9:00 am, at

1740 West Adams Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85007 as well as virtually.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Board President Maitem called the meeting to order at 9:05 am.

President Maitem thanked the Board members and staff for facilitating today’s proceedings and read aloud the Board’s Mission Statement: “The mission of the Board is to protect the public by setting educational and training standards for licensure, and by reviewing complaints made against osteopathic physicians, interns, and residents to ensure that their conduct meets the standards of the profession, as defined in law (A.R.S. § 32-1854).”

2. ROLL CALL AND REVIEW OF AGENDA

	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Present	X	X	X	X	X	
Absent						X

Other Board Staff Present during the Board Meeting:

	Justin Bohall, Executive Director	Lindsey Castro, Deputy Director	Barbara Prah-Wix, DO, Med. Cons.	Christopher Andreyka, Licensing	Jeanne Galvin, Assistant AG	Ryan Dominick, Investigator	Katherine Brambila, Licensing	Irma Dominick, Licensing
Present	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Absent								

3. CALL TO THE PUBLIC

President Maitem made a call to the public. No member of the public wished to speak.

4. REVIEW, CONSIDERATION, AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. January 24, 2025 Open Session

MOTION: Dr. Cunningham motioned to approve the January 24, 2025 Open Session minutes.

SECOND: Dr. Walker

VOTE: 5 -aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

B. January 24, 2025 Executive Session

MOTION: Dr. Cunningham motioned to approve the January 24, 2025 Executive Session minutes.

SECOND: Dr. Shipon

VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

5. REVIEW, DISCUSSION, AND ACTION ON INVESTIGATIVE HEARINGS PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1855 (E).

A. DO-24-0102A, Deborah Hudak, D.O.

Dr. Hudak and her legal counsel, Matt Cates, were present virtually during the Board's consideration of the matter. Dr. Hudak provided the Board with a summary of her current work and experience.

Board staff provided a summary of the case. The complainant is the daughter of patient T.R. and alleges that Dr. Hudak failed to recognize how ill her father was when he was seen in the office for multiple symptoms that had lasted several days. The patient had a significant medical history and was taking several medications. There was no documentation of labs being ordered or some of the symptoms being addressed by Dr. Hudak.

Dr. Hudak stated she was not able to obtain all required tests due to patient dehydration and that the lab was closed for the weekend. Dr. Hudak also stated that even if she was able to obtain what was required for those certain tests they would not have known the outcome until after the weekend and the patient went to the emergency room before the weekend was over. Dr. Hudak did agree that there were some things she should have done differently including documenting her intent and thought process in the records. Dr. Hudak stated that she did instruct the patient to go to the ER should his symptoms continue or worsen. Dr. Hudak further stated that she has made improvements to her processes to ensure that this does not happen again.

Upon hearing the summary of the case and review of the provided materials, the Board made a motion to issue a Non-Disciplinary Letter of Concern citing A.R.S. § 32-1854 (6), (21) & (39)

MOTION: Dr. Cunningham motioned for the Board to issue a Non-Disciplinary Letter of Concern citing A.R.S. § 32-1854 (6), (21) & (39)

SECOND: Dr. Walker

VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

Upon hearing the summary of the case and review of the provided materials, the Board made a motion to issue a Non-Disciplinary Letter of Concern citing A.R.S. § 32-1854 (6), (21) & (39).

MOTION: Dr. Cunningham motioned for the Board to issue a Non-Disciplinary Letter of Concern citing A.R.S. § 32-1854 (6), (21) & (39)

SECOND: Dr. Walker

VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

B. DO-24-0092A, Eric Huish, DO

Dr. Huish was present virtually during the Board’s consideration of the matter. Dr. Huish provided a summary of his school and work experience.

Board staff provided a summary of the case. The malpractice case alleges an improper vacuum assisted delivery resulting in birth defects. The Outside Medical Consultant who reviewed this case for the Board felt that Dr. Huish may have fallen below the standard of care during the 1st stage of labor when fetal heart rate D cells persisted and immediate action was not taken.

Dr. Huish evaluated the patient and let the patient know that they needed to deliver quickly because of the D cells. Dr. Huish states that he obtained verbal consent from the patient to use a vacuum due to the seriousness of the situation and a c-section was already being performed on

another patient so the operating room was not available as an option at the time for his patient. The patient was able to deliver the baby and was passed off the baby for continued care. Dr. Huish provided a detailed explanation of the care of the patients.

The Board stated that it appears that Dr. Huish handled the patient’s care as appropriate based on the circumstances. Upon hearing the summary of the case and review of the provided materials, the Board made a motion to dismiss the case.

MOTION: Dr. Cunningham motioned for the Board to dismiss the case.

SECOND: Dr. Walker

VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

C. DO-24-0177A, Brian Rizzo, DO

Dr. Maitem recused from the case. Dr. Shipon assumed the chair.

Dr. Rizzo and his legal counsel, Claudia Stedman, were both virtually present during the Board’s consideration of the matter. Dr. Rizzo provided a summary of his school and work experience.

Board staff provided a summary of the case. The complainant states that Dr. Rizzo never saw her post-operatively, even though she developed infections that required antibiotics and steroids. The patient also stated in her complaint that she developed other complications that she was only made aware of after she went to another provider for a second opinion.

Dr. Rizzo stated that he and his physician assistant went over the risk and benefits pre operatively. Dr. Rizzo also stated that his physician assistant went over the small perforation with the patient and if anything was concerning she would have alerted Dr. Rizzo. Dr. Rizzo also stated that he regrets that he was not more involved post operative and has changed his practice so he can be available to patients the first day post operation.

Upon hearing the summary of the case and review of the provided materials, the Board made a motion to issue a Decree of Censure citing A.R.S. § 32-1854 (6), (34) & (39).

MOTION: Dr. Cunningham motioned for the Board to issue a Decree of Censure citing A.R.S. § 32-1854 (6), (34) & (39).

SECOND: Ms. Paschal

VOTE: 4-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 1-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	4		X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	1	X					
Absent:	1						X

D. DO-22-0113A, Randy Hancock, DO

Dr. Maitem recused from the case. Dr. Shipon assumed the chair.

Dr. Hancock was present virtually during the Board’s consideration of the matter and provided a summary of his education and work experience.

Board staff provided a summary of the case. The complainant alleges that Dr. Hancock failed to diagnose her husband with multiple myeloma. The patient went to see Dr. Hancock for back and shoulder pain and had also advised of an intentional 30 pound weight loss. Labs were done and some levels were elevated. It was also noted they did speak to the patient's wife about the symptoms and new labs continued to show elevations and abnormalities.

Dr. Hancock stated when he met with the patient, the patient advised him that he would run, play pickle ball and was active and was losing weight because of his activity. Dr. Hancock advised the Board that this patient was not very compliant with keeping his appointments but finally came back in to see the Physician Assistant. This is when abnormalities were found and Dr. Hancock immediately advised the Physician Assistant to reach out to an oncologist. Even after this, Dr. Hancock stated that the patient continued to be difficult to reach and keep scheduled appointments. Ultimately, the patient was seen and treated at Mayo Clinic.

Upon hearing the summary of the case and review of the provided materials, the Board made a motion to dismiss the case.

MOTION: Vice-President Shipon motioned for the Board to dismiss the case.

SECOND: Dr. Cunningham

VOTE: 4-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 1-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	4		X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	1	X					
Absent:	1						X

Dr. Maitem returned for the remainder of the meeting.

E. DO-23-0140A, Brandon Intrieri, DO

This case was taken out of order. The Board accepted the presented consent agreement in lieu of the Investigative Hearing as presented in item 7B of this agenda.

F. DO-25-0014A, Yasmine Krunz

Dr. Krunz and her legal counsel, Flynn Carey, were both present virtually during the Board's consideration of the matter. Dr. Krunz provided a summary of her educational and training background.

Board staff provided a summary of the case. Board staff received a complaint stating that Dr. Krunz uses false names and engages in unprofessional conduct. Board staff were unable to substantiate these claims and were unable to reach the complainant after several attempts.

MOTION: Dr. Cunningham motioned for the Board to move to Executive Session for Legal Advice pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A)(3).

SECOND: Dr. Shipon

VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

The Board entered into Executive Session at 11:40 a.m.
The Board returned to Open Session at 11:48 a.m.
No legal action was taken by the Board during Executive Session.

Upon hearing the summary of the case review and provided materials, the Board made a motion to dismiss the case.

MOTION: Vice President Shipon motioned for the Board to dismiss the case
SECOND: Dr. Cunningham
VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.
MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

The Board recessed from 12:00pm and resumed the meeting at 12:30pm. The Executive Director took a verbal roll-call to confirm the attendance of a quorum for the meeting to resume.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

6. REVIEW, CONSIDERATION, AND ACTION ON APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1822; PERMITS PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1829; AND RENEWALS OF LICENSES PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 32-1825 (C-D) AND A.A.C. R4-22- 207

A. DO-23-0125A, Hursh Jetly, DO

Dr. Jetly and his legal counsel, Robert Kethcart, were both present virtually during the Board’s consideration of the matter.

Board staff provided a summary of the case and application. Dr. Jetly applied for full licensure and answered yes to a disclosure question. Dr. Jetly did not answer yes to any disclosure questions on his previous PGT applications. Dr. Jetly was placed on probation for a patient care incident that resulted in significant harm and ultimately the patient’s death. Patient safety, quality improvement and other factors were found to not have been met when Dr. Jetly was in his residency program. Dr. Jetly ultimately resigned from the program and therefore did not successfully complete his PGT program.

Upon hearing the Board summary, the Board motion to move to Executive Session for Confidential Information and Legal Advice pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A)(2) &(3).

MOTION: Dr. Cunningham motioned for the Board to move to Executive Session for Confidential Information and Legal Advice pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A)(2) &(3).

SECOND: Vice-President Shipon

VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

The Board entered into Executive Session at 12:51 p.m.
The Board returned to Open Session at 1:30 p.m.
No legal action was taken by the Board during Executive Session.

Upon hearing the summary of the case and review of the provided materials, the Board made a motion to deny licensure citing that the applicant failed to meet the qualifications for licensure, specifically that applicant engaged in unprofessional conduct.

MOTION: President Maitem motioned for the Board to deny licensure citing that the applicant failed to meet the qualifications for licensure as required by A.R.S. § 32-1822(A)(6) specifically that applicant engaged in unprofessional conduct in violation of A.R.S. § 32-1854 (6), (9), (15), (19), & (39).

SECOND: Dr. Cunningham

VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recused, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

B. DO-24-0165A, Yasmine Krunz

Dr. Krunz was present virtually during the Board’s consideration of the matter. Dr. Krunz’s legal counsel, Flynn Carey, was also present.

Board staff provided a summary of the case. Dr. Krunz appeared before the Board with her attorney. Board staff reported that Dr. Krunz was arrested for disorderly conduct, criminal damage, and false report to law enforcement the night before submitting a PGT renewal application with negative answers to all disclosure questions. Dr. Krunz advised the Board members that she doesn’t remember answering the questionnaire because she was in a state of shock. Dr. Krunz admits to not reading the form carefully and later on realized she has to disclose any arrest within 10 days.

Mr. Carey requested that the Board grant her permit so Dr. Krunz can return to her residency and then assess the Board’s proposal in regards to the consent agreement.

The Board motion to move to Executive Session for Confidential Information and Legal Advice pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A)(2) &(3).

MOTION: President Maitem motioned for the Board to move to Executive Session for Legal Advice pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A)(3).

SECOND: Dr. Cunningham

VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

The Board entered into Executive Session at 1:59 p.m.

The Board returned to Open Session at 2:08 p.m.

No legal action was taken by the Board during Executive Session.

Upon hearing the summary of the case and review of the provided materials, the Board made a motion to grant the PGT permit.

MOTION: Dr. Cunningham motioned for the Board to grant the PGT permit.

SECOND: Vice President Shipon

VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

7. CONSIDERATION AND ACTION ON PROPOSED CONSENT AGREEMENT OR OTHER ACTION

A. DO-24-0165A, Yasmine Krunz, DO

This case was taken out of order on the agenda. Dr. Krunz was present virtually during the Board’s consideration of the matter. Dr. Krunz’s legal counsel, Flynn Carey, was also present.

Board staff provided a summary of the Consent Agreement.

Mr. Carey requested that the Board reconsider the Consent Agreement and dismiss the complaint with a Letter of Concern.

President Maitem expressed concern with the allegations of the complaint and stated that he believes that the consent agreement or some other disciplinary action is still needed to resolve the complaint.

MOTION: President Maitem motioned for the Board to amend the Consent Agreement to remove any reference to DO-25-0014A. The Consent Agreement must be signed within 10 days, and if not signed the case is to be returned to the Board for reconsideration at Investigative Hearing.

SECOND: Ms. Paschal

VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

B. DO-23-0140A, Brandon Intrieri, DO

Dr. Intrieri and his legal counsel were not present during the Board’s consideration of the matter.

Board staff provided a summary of the Consent Agreement.

Upon hearing the summary of the allegation, consent agreement, and provided materials, the Board made a motion to accept the Consent Agreement as presented.

MOTION: President Maitem motioned for the Board to accept the Consent Agreement as present citing A.R.S. § 32-1854 (6), (19), (21), & (39)

SECOND: Dr. Walker

VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

At the conclusion of this case, the Board resumed the regularly scheduled order of business.

8. CONSIDERATION AND ACTION ON PROPOSED CONSENT AGENDA FOR DISMISSAL OR OTHER ACTION

A. DO-24-0118A, Gens Goodman, DO

Dr. Goodman was not present during the Board’s consideration of the matter.

Board staff provided a summary of the Consent Agenda items.

Upon hearing the summary of the Consent Agenda, the Board motioned to accept the Consent Agenda as presented.

MOTION: President Maitem motioned for the Board to accept the Consent Agenda
SECOND: Dr. Cunningham
VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.
MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

9. QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION BETWEEN THE MEDICAL STUDENTS AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD AND DISCUSSION RELATING TO ISSUES SURROUNDING THE PRACTICE OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE.

The Board met with medical students to discuss topics and issues related to the practice of osteopathic medicine. No action was taken on this item.

10. REVIEW, DISCUSSION, AND ACTION ON THE FOLLOWING MISC ITEMS.

A. Training on Conflict of Interest from the Attorney General’s Office

Jeanne Galvin, Assistant Attorney General provided the Board and staff with a training on conflict of interest. The Board and staff asked questions as a part of the training to gain a better understanding of how a potential conflict may exist in the future.

11. REVIEW, CONSIDERATION, AND ACTION ON REPORTS FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR.

A. Report from Board Members

The Board members had nothing to report.

B. Executive Director Report

Executive Director Bohall provided a verbal update for the Board including thirteen complaints that were dismissed by the Executive Director since the last Board meeting.

12. Adjournment

MOTION: Dr. Cunningham motioned for the Board to adjourn.

SECOND: Ms. Paschal

VOTE: 5-aye, 0-nay, 0-abstain, 0-recuse, 1-absent.

MOTION PASSED.

	Vote	Jonathan Maitem, DO	Samara Shipon, DO	Ms. Pamela Paschal	Dr. Cunningham, DO	Dawn Walker, DO	Mr. Michael Goodman
Aye:	5	X	X	X	X	X	
Nay:	0						
Abstain/ Recuse:	0						
Absent:	1						X

The Board's meeting adjourned at 2:49 pm.

Justin Bohall, Executive Director