

Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation

Division of Professional Regulation

Illinois Board of Pharmacy

Open Minutes

Date: January 12, 2010
Call to Order: 9:30 a.m.
Location: Illinois Division of Professional Regulation
James R. Thompson Center
100 W. Randolph, Suite 9-171 b & c
Chicago, Illinois
Adjournment: 10:45 a.m..

Board Members Present: Sudhir C. Manek, R.Ph., Chairperson
Robert Anselmo, R.Ph., Vice-Chairperson
Philip Burgess R.Ph., Member
Gordon John Mazzotti, R.Ph., Member
Mahendra Khatau, R.Ph., Member
Yatin M. Shah, M.D., Member
Ned Milenkovich, J.D., R.Ph., Member

Board Members Absent: Joe Conover, Member
Olena Maleckyj, R.Ph., Member

Staff Members Present: Kim Scott, Board Liaison
Scott Golden, Health Related Prosecutions
Daniel A. Kelber, Senior Legal Counsel
Kristine Gleason, Office of Legal Counsel

Guests Present: Scott Meyer, ICHP
Kristen Goliak, UIC - COP
Mike Patton, IPHA
Henry Gould, IPHA
LaTonya Norwood, Cook County Health &
Hospital System
Avery Spunt, Midwestern University
Bill Hockam, CVS Pharmacy
Vik Gadre, CVS Pharmacy
Donna Kay, R.Ph., Hinsdale Hospital
Rod Presnel, Medco
Darren Gettings, Medco
Janardhan Narayanan, Medco
Jason Perry, CVS Caremark

Arun Doshu, Vilzi Rx., Inc.
 Paul Wachit, Meijer
 Mariam M. Smith, Chicago State University
 Lindsay Hallquist, UIC Student/ICHP
 Melissa Whittle, Target
 Joel Pietniga, Target
 Mark Rauman, Target

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
Welcome and Introductions	Mr. Manek welcomed everyone to the meeting of the Board and asked everyone to introduce themselves.	Board, staff and guests introduced themselves.
Agenda Review	Board reviewed the agenda for the January 12, 2010 meeting.	Subsequent to review, the Board agreed to the agenda, and added Medco to the agenda for the January 12, 2010 meeting.
Board Member Update and/or Changes	There were no changes to be made on the Board contact information.	
Medco Presentation	<p>Board reviewed the Medco Illinois project.</p> <p>Darren Gettings, Medco, presented a slide presentation to the Board in support of their request for a variance.</p> <p>Mr. Gettings further explained the operation and how the inventory counting would be taken.</p> <p>The Board asked several questions on how the operation will be operated. They will utilize the current pharmacy computer system with a different product structure.</p> <p>Mr. Gettings answered the Board's questions regarding the proposed operation.</p> <p>This is a pilot program</p>	Mr. Anselmo made a motion to accept Medco's request for a variance. Mr. Milenkovich seconded the motion. Motion carried.

	<p>taking place in Illinois only. There will be no Controlled Substance licenses involved.</p> <p>Program is a voluntary participation by the pharmacies involved.</p> <p>The pilot program will be for six months.</p>	
NABP Meeting	<p>Mr. Manek discussed the NABP meeting and who was going.</p> <p>Mr. Manek discussed the appearance of the ACPE.</p> <p>Mr. Scott stated that they could send the information to him via email for the next meeting.</p>	<p>Mr. Anselmo nominated Mr. Manek to be the voting delegate. Mr. Anselmo will be the alternate.</p>
District IV Meeting	<p>Mr. Burgess reported on the 3 Resolutions that were passed at the District IV meeting.</p> <p>Mr. Burgess distributed the Resolution for Board review and discussion.</p> <p>Mr. Milenkovich felt that the meeting was very constructive and informative.</p>	
Minutes	<p>Mr. Scott advised and apologized to the Board that the November 10, 2009 minutes were not ready; however, they would have them for the March 9, 2009 meeting.</p>	
FY 2010 Meeting Dates	<p>The Board reviewed the FY 2010 meeting dates. Mr. Scott advised the Board that all Springfield meetings would convene at 10:30 and the Chicago meetings would convene at 9:30.</p>	<p>The FY 2010 meeting dates were entered and accepted.</p>
Renewals	<p>Mr. Scott updated the Board on the renewal process.</p>	

	<p>Mr. Scott further advised the Board that all pharmacies will be a Retail Pharmacy (054) when they renew their licenses.</p> <p>All Pharmacy Technicians that fall within the two year parameter of January 1, 2008 will need to mail in their renewals along with proof of student status or certification before they are allowed to renew their licenses. We will accept a copy of their certification from the school. All others will be able to renew their licenses over the internet, phone or otherwise.</p> <p>Board asked several questions concerning the renewal process for the Pharmacy Technicians.</p> <p>Mr. Scott answered their questions.</p> <p>Mr. Scott advised the Board that there were 1782 pharmacy technicians that needed to submit proof of certification and that there are 472 non 054 pharmacies that would have their licenses switched when they renew their license.</p>	
<p>Rules Update</p>	<p>Daniel Kelber, Senior Legal Counsel, advised the Board that the 2nd notice was being filed today.</p> <p>Mr. Kelber explained the process once a 2nd notice has been files to the Board.</p> <p>He further stated the in March 2010, it would most likely be filed with Index at SOS.</p>	

	<p>Mr. Kelber explained what comments were received and the minor changes that were made as a result of the comments.</p>	
<p>Legislative Update</p>	<p>Mike Patton, IPHA, stated that there was nothing much going on due to the General Assembly not being in session.</p> <p>Mr. Patton stated that he is receiving a lot of questions concerning continuing education and the new requirements for pharmacy technicians. He is also receiving a lot of questions regarding e-prescribing.</p> <p>Mr. Patton discussed a number of problems that he has received regarding the 90 day prescriptions for CII prescriptions.</p> <p>Mr. Kelber attempted to explain the law relating to CII prescriptions and the 90 day supply.</p> <p>Mr. Patton is working with DHS to make changes in the Controlled Substance Rules to include Pharmacists within the description for practitioners.</p> <p>March 10, 2010 is Pharmacy Legislation Day.</p>	
<p>Pharmacy Prosecution Report</p>	<p>Scott Golden, Health Related Prosecutions, reviewed the Prosecution statistics with the Board.</p> <p>Mr. Golden stated the number 1 issue is the pharmacy technician diversions.</p> <p>Mr. Golden answered several questions regarding</p>	

	Prosecution from the member's data bank.	
Ilyas Y. Patel Course of Clinical Instruction Action Sheet # 100006	Board reviewed Ilyas Y. Patel's request for approval of his Course of Clinical Instruction.	Mr. Burgess made a motion to defer Ilyas Y. Patel's course of clinical instruction for additional information. Mr. Anselmo seconded the motion. Motion carried.
Abeer Ali Qandil Course of Clinical Instruction Action Sheet #100008	Board reviewed Ilyas Y. Patel's request for approval of his Course of Clinical Instruction.	Mr. Anselmo made a motion to accept Abeer Ali Qandil's course of clinical instruction. Mr. Milenkovich seconded the motion. Motion carried.
Rania G. Hanna Remedial Training Action Sheet #100009	Board reviewed Rania G. Hanna's remedial training.	Mr. Khatau made a motion to approve Rania G. Hanna' remedial training. Mr. Anselmo seconded the motion. Motion carried.
Controlled Substance Act	Mr. Burgess asked where the rewriting of the Controlled Substance Act was. Mr. Kelber replied that they needed to work on the Controlled Substance and the Wholesale Act and that both are a major rewrite. Mr. Burgess stated that his fear is that we are out of step with the many changes that the DEA has made. Mr. Kelber explained that the Controlled Substance Act was the same as the DEA.	
Adjournment		Mr. Burgess made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 10:45 a.m. Mr. Milenkovich seconded the motion. Motion carried.