

Minnesota Board of Pharmacy. Minutes.

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Minnesota Board of Pharmacy

EIGHT HUNDRED AND THIRD MEETING

At approximately 9:00 a.m., on January 20, 2010, the Minnesota Board of Pharmacy met in Conference Room A, at the University Park Plaza Building, 2829 University Avenue Southeast, Minneapolis, Minnesota, for the purpose of conducting a general business meeting. All members of the Board were in attendance. Also in attendance were the Board's Executive Director, Dr. Cody Wiberg, the Board's legal counsel, Assistant Attorney General Karen Andrews and Board of Pharmacy staff, Ms. Candice Fleming, Ms. Michele Mattila, Ms. Karen Schreiner, and Ms. Patricia Eggers. The Board's President, Mr. Gary Schneider, called the meeting to order.

The Board went into a closed session to discuss matters of a quasi-judicial nature.

The first item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Pharmacist John Benassi, who petitioned to have an unrestricted license reinstated. Mr. Benassi was present at the meeting. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information regarding Mr. Benassi's case. After a brief discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that Mr. Benassi's petition be granted and that Executive Director Dr. Cody Wiberg be empowered to sign an Order of Reinstatement on the Board's behalf. The motion passed with Ms. Kay Hanson abstaining.

The second and final item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Pharmacist Jodi Boos, who petitioned to have an unrestricted license reinstated. Ms. Boos was present at the meeting. Ms. Andrews presented the Board with background information regarding Ms. Boos' case. After a brief discussion, Mr. Jim Koppen moved and Ms. Karen Bergrud seconded that Ms. Boos' petition be granted and that Executive Director Dr. Cody Wiberg be empowered to sign an Order of Reinstatement on the Board's behalf. The motion passed.

The Board returned to general session.

The Board next discussed the minutes of the December 2, 2009. Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that the minutes of the meeting be approved. The motion passed.

Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded to approve the items on the consent agenda and to approve the consent agenda. The motion passed.

- Membership and licensure issues for 2010
 - Continue Membership in NABP.
 - Continue requiring FPGEE certification of foreign graduates.

- Continue requiring graduation from an approved college of pharmacy. (Accept the current accreditation standards of the Accreditation Council on Pharmacy Education (ACPE) and the list of approved colleges of pharmacy established by ACPE).
- New Pharmacy Applications none.
- Variances
 - Variance Committee Report approve
- Continuing Education. CEATF Reports for the period 10/13/2009 – 11/17/2009. Approve those recommended for approval and deny those recommended for denial
- Examination Committee
 - Exam Candidates Report approve

Name	Original Licensure Date	Registration Number
Pamela Rose Lensing	12/07/2009	119915
June Pharis Hall	12/28/2009	119923
Kristin J Scherber	11/25/2009	119910
Thomas R Fillman	12/07/2009	119914
Robert Ndifor Tamukong	12/07/2009	119916
Ashley Ebenhoh	12/04/2009	119918
Muslima Lawabni	12/4/2009	119917

Reciprocity Candidates Report – approve

Name	Original Licensure Date	Registration Number
Donna Benson Johnson	11/20/2009	119909
Christy Ann Martin	11/30/2009	119911
Karen M Finck	01/04/2010	119924
Dylan Paul Hall	11/30/2009	119913
Catherine Christine Hall	11/30/2009	119912
Elisabeth D R Stratton	12/10/2009	119920
Yee Won Low	12/17/2009	119921

The Board reviewed the remaining agenda for this meeting. Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Ms. Karen Bergrud seconded that the remaining agenda be approved. The motion passed.

The Board next turned its attention to <u>election of officers and designation of officials</u> for the year of 2010. For the office of President, Ms. Kay Hanson nominated Ms. Karen Bergrud. Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded the nomination. There being no further nominations, the nominations were closed and Ms. Bergrud was elected to the office of President by a unanimous ballot.

Ms. Bergrud then took over the duties of the presidency.

For the office of Vice President, Ms. Kay Hanson nominated Dr. Stacey Jassey. Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded the nomination. There being no further nominations, the nominations were closed and Dr. Stacey Jassey was elected to the office of Vice President by a unanimous ballot.

For the office of Secretary, Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq moved that Dr. Cody Wiberg be continued as the Secretary (Executive Director) of the Board of Pharmacy for the year of 2010. Mr. Gary Schneider seconded the nomination. There being no further nominations for the position, the nominations were closed and Dr. Wiberg was elected as Secretary (Executive Director) by a unanimous ballot.

For the position of Associate Director for Compliance, Mr. Gary Schneider moved that Candice Fleming be continued in that position. Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq seconded the nomination. The motion prevailed and Candice Fleming was continued in the position of Associate Director for Compliance by a unanimous ballot.

For the position of Assistant Director for Administrative Affairs, Ms. Kay Hanson moved that Patricia Eggers be continued in that position. Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded the nomination. The motion prevailed and Patricia Eggers was continued in the position of Assistant Director for Administrative Affairs by a unanimous ballot.

President Bergrud next began a discussion of <u>appointments to the Board's standing committees</u>. After a brief discussion, the following committee appointments were made:

Continuing Education Advisory Task Force - Pharmacy Board Surveyor Stu Vandenberg, Ms. Kay Hanson, and Dr. Stacey Jassey.

Committee on Professional Standards - all members of the Board will rotate through the committee meetings, two members per meeting.

Examination Committee – Kay Hanson, Cody Wiberg, Candice Fleming, and Michele Mattila will serve as the delegates to the NABP/ MPJE review sessions.

Internship Committee – Stacey Jassey, Past Board Member Donald Gibson, and Candice Fleming.

Rules and Legislation Committee - all members of the Board and all Pharmacy Board Surveyors will serve on this committee.

Variance Committee - all members of the Board will rotate through the committee meetings, two members per meeting.

HPSP – Dr. Stacey Jassey will be the Board's representative to the Health Professional Services Program.

Council of Health Boards - the President and Executive Director serve on this council.

The Board next turned its attention to new pharmacy applications that it has received since the last meeting:

 Walgreen's Pharmacy #12509 700-30th Avenue South Moorhead, MN 56560

Approve
Permanent PIC – Thomas A. Schmitz
Pending final inspection

Mr. Gary Schneider moved and Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq seconded that the application be approved. The motion passed with Dr. Stacey Jassey abstaining.

Thrifty White #776 Cold Spring, MN

Present at the meeting were Mr. Larry Lahr, City Administrator in Cold Spring and Mr. Doug Schmitz, Mayor of Cold Spring to discuss the closing of the only pharmacy in Cold Spring. Also present at the meeting are Mr. Tim Weippert, Vice President of Thrifty White Drug Store and Mr. Robert Narveson, President and CEO of Thrifty White Drug Stores. They discussed an application they presented for a temporary location in Cold Spring and a second application they presented for the location that will be closing.

Cold Spring Apothecary Cold Spring, MN

There was no representative from the company that submitted an application for this pharmacy.

Seip Drug 24 Aspen Avenue, State Highway 71 Menahga, MN 56464

There was no representative from the company that submitted the application for this pharmacy.

Thrifty White Drug Menahga, MN

Present at the meeting were Mr. Tim Weippert, Vice President of Thrifty White Drug Store and Mr. Robert Narveson President and CEA of Thrifty White Drug Stores. They discussed an application they presented for the location that will be closing.

After much discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Gary Schneider seconded that the Board staff has the authority to issue the license to whoever wins the bidding process in Menahga and the two applications for Cold Spring and to approve the temporary space for Thrifty White Drug in Cold Spring and that the approval for each one is contingent on an inspection by Board Surveyors.

The Board next discussed a proposed Continuing Professional Development pilot program for continuing education. Leading the discussion on this issue were Mr. Luke Stanke, from the University of Minnesota, and Dr. Stacey Jassey. They asked for permission to form a steering committee and to have Dr. Stacey Jassey be the Board's delegate on, and the chair of, the steering committee. Ms. Kay Hanson moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that a steering committee be formed and that Dr. Stacey Jassey be on the committee and chair the committee. The motion passed with Dr. Jassey abstaining.

The Board next discussed a follow-up on the interpretation of Minnesota Statutes §151.461. At the December 2, 2009 board meeting the Board asked Executive Director Cody Wiberg and Assistant Attorney General Karen Andrews to work on clarifying the wording of the FAQ and bring the changes to the Board. Present at the meeting were Mr. Richard Day and Ms. Gayle Belkengren to discuss the matter. Both expressed the opinion that the new wording provides the clarification that their organizations have been seeking. Dr. Stacey Jassey moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the wording on the FAQ be approved and that the amended FAQ document be placed on the Board's web site. The motion passed.

The Board next discussed a follow-up on the registration of controlled substance researchers. At the Board meeting of December 2, 2009 the Board tabled the issue and asked Dr. Wiberg to obtain a clarification concerning the rules from Ms. Andrews. The clarification states that the Board will need to accommodate both the U of M and Mayo. Mr. James Koppen moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the Board accept the attorney general's interpretation. The motion passed.

Dr. Wiberg gave the Board an update on the Guidelines for Off-site, After Regular Hours, Hospital Pharmacy Services that the Board approved at the last meeting and stated that a slight change has been made. Mr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq seconded that the change be incorporated into the Guidelines. The motion passed.

Dr. Wiberg gave the Board an update on the proposed controlled substances rules changes. No action was taken at this time.

Dr. Wiberg gave the Board an update on the proposed general rule changes. No action was taken at this time.

Dr. Wiberg next gave the Board an update on the Prescription Monitoring Program. No action was taken at this time.

Dr. Wiberg next discussed the NABP Annual meeting. Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that Karen Bergrud will be the delegate, Mr. Jim Koppen will be the alternate, and that the Board will pay the expenses for up to three members of the Board and the Executive Director to attend. The motion passed.

There being no further business requiring action by the Board, Mr. James Koppen moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion occurred at approximately 12:00 Noon p.m. Mr. Gary Schneider seconded the motion. The motion passed.

PRESIDENT

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Variance Committee Report of January 6, 2010 for Board Meeting of January 20, 2010

Attendees: Gary Schneider, Ikram-Ul-Huq, Candice Fleming, Michele Mattila, Karen Schreiner, Becky Twamley, Larry Lindberg, Gregory Kaasa, and Cindy Kern

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St. Peter

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Gregory Kaasa

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to allow the pharmacy to keep an E-kit containing antibiotics in facilities caring for mechanically ventilated patients including New Millenium Healthcare, Woodhall House, and Regent House

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to allow the pharmacy to keep a separate secure area for clerical, administrative, and nondispensing functions until the pharmacy opens

Approved - Permanently

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Policy Review:

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Teresa Bestvina
policy review of the centralized prescription processing and filling requirements
Previously Deferred
Policies Approved

New Variances:

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Albany

William Seiler

260662-001

to allow remote after hours order review and entry of Albany Area Hospital Pharmacy's physician medication orders by ePharmacy Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives)in Fargo, ND when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation **Deferred**

Within 30 days, ePharmacy Direct is required to submit a variance to add your pharmacy and you are required to submit policies and procedures that are specific to your facility. Your policies must meet the Off Site, After Regular Hours, Hospital Pharmacy Services Guidelines.

Cardinal Health Pharmacy Services LLC

Westmont, IL

Tim Larson

263447-001

to allow Cardinal Health in Westmont, IL to provide remote 24 hour pharmacy service for Virginia Regional Medical Center Pharmacy, Winona Health Services Hospital Pharmacy, and Naeve Hospital Pharmacy

Approved - Until 04/01/2011

CVS/Pharmacy #06715

Jason Cossette

Eagan

263346-003

to allow the implementation of a concierge prescription program to deliver prescriptions and OTC items to patients at their place of employment

Deferred

Within 30 days, please respond to clarify if this is a delivery to a specific business or a delivery service to any patient's place of employment

Fairview Andover Pharmacy

Andover

Shana Fischer

263115-001

to allow the pharmacy to occasionally have prescriptions available for after-hours patient pick-up at the adjacent Fairview Clinic

Variance is not required if MN rule 6800.3000 is met when the prescription is delivered to the office of the prescriber. Counseling by the pharmacist is recommended

Fairview Lakes Pharmacy Wyoming

Wyoming

Jennifer Soular

262536-004

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro SP200 Prescription Dispensing System in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

On condition that within 30 days, you resubmit policies and procedures to clarify that a pharmacist must visually check the loading

Fairview Univ Masonic Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Darcy Malard-Johnson

262967-002

to allow the delivery of prescriptions to the Fairview University Oncology Pharmacy for pick up by the patients of the oncology infusion suite

Approved - Two Years

Grand Itasca Clinic & Hospital Pharmacy

Grand Rapids

Katherine Ackerman

261457-001

to allow a pharmacy technician to document waste of controlled substances with either a pharmacist or a registered nurse

Approved - Two Years

HealthEast Bethesda Hospital Pharmacy St. Paul Kathryn Schultz 260468-006

to allow a change in the delivery process whereby HealthEast employees' prescriptions may be delivered by Healtheast Pharmacies Woodwind to the hospital pharmacy and picked up after hours

Approved – Two Years

On condition that the pharmacist dispensing counsels all new prescriptions, answers any questions on refills, and the assurance of privacy is met.

Healtheast Pharmacies Woodwind

Woodbury

Mary Theresa Christiansen

262683-001

to allow the prescriptions that were filled at Healtheast Pharmacies Woodwind to be delivered to HealthEast Woodwinds Hospital Pharmacy, HealthEast Bethesda Hospital Pharmacy, HealthEast St. John's Hospital Pharmacy, and HealthEast St.

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the pharmacist dispensing counsels all new prescriptions, answers any questions on refills, and the assurance of privacy is met.

HealthEast St. John's Hospital Pharmacy

Maplewood

Julie Most

260226-008

to allow a change in the delivery process whereby HealthEast employees' prescriptions may be delivered by Healtheast Pharmacies Woodwind to the hospital pharmacy and picked up after hours

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the pharmacist dispensing counsels all new prescriptions, answers any questions on refills, and the assurance of privacy is met.

HealthEast St. Joseph's Hospital Pharmacy

St. Paul

Jamie Sinclair

200545-007

to allow a change in the delivery process whereby HealthEast employees' prescriptions may be delivered by Healtheast Pharmacies Woodwind to the hospital pharmacy and picked up after hours

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the pharmacist dispensing counsels all new prescriptions, answers any questions on refills, and the assurance of privacy is met.

HealthEast Woodwinds Hospital

Woodbury

Gerald Jacobson

261894-005

to allow a change in the delivery process whereby HealthEast employees' prescriptions may be delivered by Healtheast Pharmacies Woodwind to the hospital pharmacy and picked up after hours

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the pharmacist dispensing counsels all new prescriptions, answers any questions on refills, and the assurance of privacy is met.

Melrose Pharmacy Inc.

Stacy Meyer

Melrose 262102-001

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro SP 200/SP 100 Robotic Prescription

Dispensing System in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, you must submit updated policies and procedures to clarify the authorized users, returning drugs to the cells, and that the pharmacist visually verifies and documents that the correct drug was added to the cell

Naeve Hospital Pharmacy

Albert Lea

Ross Martinson

200439-002

to allow the pharmacy to obtain remote 24 hour pharmacy service with Cardinal Health in Westmont, IL

Approved - Until 04/01/2011

On condition that within 30 days, Ross Martinson must sign the enclosed variance request form and return it to the Board office

Pipestone County Medical Center Pharmacy

Pipestone

Lacey Williamson

200890-001

to allow an IV chemotherapy room to be located in a non-continuous pharmacy space

Approved - Permanently

SuperiorHealth Pharmacy

Duluth

Jayson Yapel

261320-001

to allow the pharmacy to deliver patients' prescriptions to the College of St.

Scholastica Student Health Services for distribution by the Student Health Services staff

Variance is not required if MN rule 6800.3000 is met when the prescription is delivered to the office of the prescriber. Counseling by the pharmacist is recommended

Target Pharmacy T-1356

Minnetonka

Stephanie Elhard

262056-002

to allow the utilization of automated counting machines in the form of non-interfaced Baker Cassettes in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Thrifty White Drug #748

Walker

Jill Schwandt

262297-001

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro automated filling machine in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, you must submit updated policies and procedures to include the pharmacist's final check/certification of the prescription and that the return to stock of unclaimed prescriptions "reshops" must be completed by a pharmacist

Tri-County Hospital Pharmacy

Aimee Turcotte

Wadena 200546-001

to allow the pharmacist to be the pharmacist-in-charge at the Tri-County Hospital Pharmacy, Tri-County Hospital Outpatient Pharmacy, and the Tri-County Hospital

Outpatient Sebeka Telepharmacy

Denied

UVANTA Pharmacy-Minneapolis

Burnsville

Denise Engen

263113-004

to allow storage of incoming fax transmissions as an electronic image (PDF)

Deferred

until an on-site inspection can be completed.

Walgreen's #06730

Hopkins

John Jeremy Faulks

262217-003

to allow the utilization of Yuyama in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Walgreens Pharmacy #04697

Fridley

Jeffrey Brenna

261588-003

to allow the utilization of Yuyama in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

On condition that within 30 days, Jeffrey Brenna signs the enclosed copy of the variance request form and returns it to the Board office

Weber & Judd Nursing Care RX

Rochester

C. Dennis McDonough

261295-005

to allow the utilization of the PACMED automated system in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Remember to continue on-going training

New Previously Deferred:

DailyMed Pharmacy

Eden Prairie

Elizabeth Johnson

262983-004

to allow the utilization of the TCGRx 384 Automatic Tablet Packager Unit in the pharmacy

Approved - One Year

On condition that within 30 days, Elizabeth Johnson signs the enclosed copy of the variance request form and returns it to the Board office

Thrifty White Drug #727 Allison Lozeau

Waseca 259904-005

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro automated filling machine in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Extensions to Current Variances:

Hutchinson Community Hospital Pharmacy

Hutchinson

Glen Kegley

263137-003

to allow remote 24 hour order entry and review of orders from Unity Hospital

Pharmacy

Deferred - Until April meeting

Weber & Judd Nursing Care RX

Rochester

C. Dennis McDonough

261295-003

to allow the utilization of the MTS OnDemand Accuflex System in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Remember to continue to document on-going training

Winona Health Services Hospital Pharmacy

Winona

Nancy Sibert

200691-001

to allow the pharmacy to obtain remote 24 hour pharmacy service with Cardinal

Health in Westmont, IL

Approved - Until 04/01/2011

Extensions Previously Deferred:

North Country Regional Hospital Pharmacy

Bemidji

James Galloway

200888-001

to allow the use of an Automated Distribution System (ADS) in the form of a Pyxis system at an off-site location

Deferred

Within 60 days, you must submit updated policies and procedures that address a fail-safe loading/refilling of the medication at you off-site AMDS in order to meet the Boards AMDS Guidelines and Rules.

PIC Changes:

Bemidji Clinic Pharmacy Meritcare

Bemidji

Martin Kaufman

260530-001

to allow a non-contiguous pharmacy space for sterile compounding

Approved - Until May 1st or until construction is complete

CVS/Pharmacy #06811

Jamie Eastman

Plymouth 262509-001

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

CVS/Pharmacy #06811

Plymouth

Jamie Eastman

262509-001

to allow the utilization of electronic initialing during certification by the pharmacist

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Fairview Specialty Services Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Anthony Zappa

262542-002

to allow the pharmacy to share equipment, reference books, physical space, and security with the Fairview Wholesale Pharmacy

Denied

Fairview Specialty Services Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Anthony Zappa

262542-003

to allow certification utilizing medication image and electronic pharmacist certification

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Fairview Wholesale Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Eric Bergquist

262547-001

to allow the pharmacy to share equipment, reference books, physical space, and security with the Fairview Specialty Services Pharmacy

Denied

Merwin LTC Pharmacy #2

New Brighton

Jessica Androff

262219-001

to store fax transmissions as electronic documents only

Approved – Two Years

Merwin LTC Pharmacy #2

New Brighton

Jessica Androff

262219-002

to allow the utilization of the OnDemand Mechanical Filling Assistant (OMFA)in the pharmacy

Approved - One Year

On condition that within 30 days, you submit policies and procedures that meet the Automated Counting Machine Guidelines

Prairiestone Pharmacy #18

Melanie Anderson

Minneapolis 262984-002

to allow the utilization of AutoMed FastFill, QuickFill Plus, and WorkPath automated counting systems in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, you must submit updated policies and procedures that address the enclosed Automated Counting Machine Guidelines

Prairiestone Pharmacy #9

Edina

Betty Johnson

262472-001

to allow the utilization of the AutoMed FastFill, QuickFill Plus, and WorkPath automated counting system in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Within 30 days, please confirm that the pharmacist returns the medication to stock, your policies conflict. Remember to continue to document on-going training

Tri-County Hospital Outpatient Pharmacy

Wadena

Aimee Turcotte

261647-002

to allow the pharmacist to be the pharmacist-in-charge at the Tri-County Hospital Pharmacy, Tri-County Hospital Outpatient Pharmacy, and the Tri-County Hospital Outpatient Sebeka Telepharmacy

Denied

Tri-County Hosp. Outpatient Sebeka Telepharmacy Sebeka

Aimee Turcotte

263371-001

to allow the pharmacist to be the pharmacist-in-charge at the Tri-County Hospital Pharmacy, Tri-County Hospital Outpatient Pharmacy, and the Tri-County Hospital Outpatient Sebeka Telepharmacy

Denied

Unity Hospital Pharmacy

Fridley

Daniel Niznick

260414-003

to allow remote 24 hour order entry and review of orders for the Hutchinson Area Health Care

Deferred

Unity Hospital Pharmacy

Fridley

Daniel Niznick

260414-004

to allow the implementation of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in

the pharmacy

Approved - Until 07/29/2011

Walgreen's #06730 John Jeremy Faulks

Hopkins 262217-001

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Approved - Until 09/23/2010

On condition that there is an annual review and sign off of the Minnesota counseling policy for all pharmacy staff.

Walgreens #09795

St. Paul

Daniel Teich

260544-002

to allow the utilization of the Yuyama automated dispensing machine in the pharmacy Approved – Two Years

Walgreens Pharmacy #04882

Inver Grove Heights

Mohammed Harfoush

261699-002

to allow the utilization of the automated Baker APS System in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, you must submit revised policies and procedures per your corporate policies which do not allow returns to cells and include on-going training

Walgreens Pharmacy #05080

Eden Prairie

Matthew Hartman

262024-001

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Approved - Until 09/23/2010

On condition that there is an annual review and sign off of the Minnesota counseling policy for all pharmacy staff. This policy must emphasize new prescription counseling where the pharmacist reviews the patient profile, certifies the prescription, and stamps the prescription to signify the required counseling. Corporate must also acknowledge that pharmacists will not be disciplined if, based on sound professional judgment, they op out of remote verification

Walgreens Pharmacy #05080

Eden Prairie

Matthew Hartman

262024-003

to allow the utilization of Yuyama in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

PIC Previously Deferred:

None

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263115-001

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Fairview Lakes Pharmacy Wyoming

Wyoming

Jennifer Soular

262536-004

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro SP200 Prescription Dispensing System in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

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Fairview Univ Masonic Pharmacy

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262967-002

to allow the delivery of prescriptions to the Fairview University Oncology Pharmacy for pick up by the patients of the oncology infusion suite

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Stacy Meyer

Melrose

262102-001

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Albert Lea

Ross Martinson

200439-002

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Approved - Until 04/01/2011

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Pipestone County Medical Center Pharmacy

Pipestone

Lacey Williamson

200890-001

to allow an IV chemotherapy room to be located in a non-continuous pharmacy space

Approved - Permanently

SuperiorHealth Pharmacy

Duluth

Jayson Yapel

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Allison Lozeau 259904-005
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Approved – Two Years

Extensions to Current Variances:

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Hutchinson

Glen Kegley

263137-003

to allow remote 24 hour order entry and review of orders from Unity Hospital

Pharmacy

Deferred - Until April meeting

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Rochester

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Denied

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Melanie Anderson

Minneapolis 262984-002

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Deferred

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Prairiestone Pharmacy #9

Edina

Betty Johnson

262472-001

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Approved - Two Years

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Tri-County Hospital Outpatient Pharmacy

Wadena

Aimee Turcotte

261647-002

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Denied

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263371-001

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Daniel Teich

260544-002

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Mohammed Harfoush

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Deferred

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Walgreens Pharmacy #05080

Eden Prairie

Matthew Hartman

262024-001

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Walgreens Pharmacy #05080
Matthew Hartman
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Approved – Two Years

PIC Previously Deferred:

None

Variance Committee Report of January 6, 2010 for Board Meeting of January 20, 2010

Attendees: Gary Schneider, Ikram-Ul-Hug, Candice Fleming, Michele Mattila, Karen Schreiner, Becky Twamley, Larry Lindberg, Gregory Kaasa, and Cindy Kern

Meeting Appointments:

10:30

St. Peter Regional Treatment Center Phcy.

St. Peter

Cynthia Kern

200815-003

to allow the pharmacy to supply an emergency kit for the Willmar Community Behavioral Health Hospital (CBHH) and the Child and Adolescent Behavioral Health Facility in Willmar

Approved - 6 Months

On condition that within 30 days, you send in revised policies and procedures that include immediate notification to St Peter's pharmacy of the use of the e-kit and medications supplied by Rice Memorial that are not available in the e-kit. The Board expects you to have an automated medication distribution system with an interface to the patient's profile in place as soon as possible

1:00

Becky Twamley

Brainerd

The local family planning facility

Pending

to allow a pharmacist to work by collaborative agreement to dispense medications in the family planning clinic environment

Denied

1:30

Rx Express

Mounds View

261420-004

Gregory Kaasa to allow the pharmacy to keep an E-kit for hospice patients at the Pillars, the Lodge on Natchez, the Lodge on Summit Oaks, and Birchwood House

Approved - Two Years

On condition there continues to be 24 hour nursing service, central medication storage, and that unit dose for all medications are utilized in the e-kit and DEA regulations are met for receipt and labeling of controlled substance prescriptions

Rx Express

Mounds View

Gregory Kaasa

261420-005

to allow the pharmacy to keep an E-kit containing antibiotics in facilities caring for mechanically ventilated patients including New Millenium Healthcare, Woodhall House, and Regent House

Approved - One Year

On condition that there is 24 hour nursing service and central medication storage. With your next renewal be sure to include statistics on the use of the antibiotics

Rx Express Gregory Kaasa Mounds View 261420-006

to allow the pharmacy to keep a separate secure area for clerical, administrative, and nondispensing functions until the pharmacy opens

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same and there are no pharmacy technician functions in this area until the pharmacist arrives

Policy Review:

DailyMed Pharmacy Indianapolis, IN
Teresa Bestvina
policy review of the centralized prescription processing and filling requirements
Previously Deferred
Policies Approved

New Variances:

Albany Area Hospital Pharmacy

Albany

William Seiler

260662-001

to allow remote after hours order review and entry of Albany Area Hospital Pharmacy's physician medication orders by ePharmacy Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives)in Fargo, ND when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Deferred

Within 30 days, ePharmacy Direct is required to submit a variance to add your pharmacy and you are required to submit policies and procedures that are specific to your facility. Your policies must meet the Off Site, After Regular Hours, Hospital Pharmacy Services Guidelines.

Cardinal Health Pharmacy Services LLC

Westmont, IL

Tim Larson

263447-001

to allow Cardinal Health in Westmont, IL to provide remote 24 hour pharmacy service for Virginia Regional Medical Center Pharmacy, Winona Health Services Hospital Pharmacy, and Naeve Hospital Pharmacy

Approved - Until 04/01/2011

CVS/Pharmacy #06715

Jason Cossette

Eagan 263346-003

to allow the implementation of a concierge prescription program to deliver prescriptions and OTC items to patients at their place of employment

Deferred

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Andover

Shana Fischer

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Minneapolis

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Minnesota Board of Pharmacy

EIGHT HUNDRED AND FOURTH MEETING

At approximately 9:00 a.m., on March 17, 2010, the Minnesota Board of Pharmacy met in Conference Room A, at the University Park Plaza Building, 2829 University Avenue Southeast, Minneapolis, Minnesota, for the purpose of conducting a general business meeting. All members of the Board were in attendance with the exception of Ms. Kay Hanson and Mr. James Koppen. Also in attendance were the Board's Executive Director, Dr. Cody Wiberg, the Board's legal counsel, Assistant Attorney General Geoffrey Karls and Board of Pharmacy staff, Ms. Candice Fleming, Mr. Leslie Kotek, Ms. Karen Schreiner, and Ms. Patricia Eggers. The Board's President, Ms. Karen Bergrud, called the meeting to order.

The Board went into a closed session to discuss matters of a quasi-judicial nature.

The first item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of <u>Pharmacist James Folden</u>, who has completed the requirements of his 2008 Order. Mr. Folden was present at the meeting. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information regarding Mr. Folden's case. After a brief discussion, Mr. Gary Schneider moved and Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq seconded that Mr. Folden be granted an unconditional license and that Executive Director Dr. Cody Wiberg be empowered to sign an Order of Unconditional License on the Board's behalf. The Board wishes Mr. Folden well in future endeavors. The motion passed.

The second item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Pharmacist Kathryn Raths, who has completed the requirements of her 2007 Order. Ms. Raths was present at the meeting. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information regarding Ms. Rath's case. After a brief discussion, Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Mr. Gary Schneider seconded that Ms. Raths be granted an unconditional license and that Executive Director Dr. Cody Wiberg be empowered to sign an Order of Unconditional License on the Board's behalf. The Board wishes Ms. Raths well in future endeavors. The motion passed.

The third item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of <u>Technician Dorothy Boerboom</u>, who has completed the requirements of her 2006 Order. Ms. Boerboom was present at the meeting. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information regarding Ms. Boerboom's case. After a brief discussion, Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq moved and Ms. Stacey Jassey seconded that Ms. Boerboom be granted an unconditional registration and that Executive Director Dr. Cody Wiberg be empowered to sign an Order of Unconditional Registration on the Board's behalf. The Board wishes Ms. Boerboom well in future endeavors. The motion passed.

The fourth item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Mr. Robert Duffee. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information on the case and with a proposed Stipulation and Consent Order (SCO). The SCO was developed subsequent to a conference held with Mr. Duffee on January 27, 2010, at

which allegations of chemical dependency were considered. The proposed SCO has been agreed to and signed by Mr. Duffee. After a discussion, Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the Board accept the proposed SCO and that Mr. James Koppen and Dr. Wiberg be empowered to sign the order on the Board's behalf. The motion passed.

The fifth item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Pharmaceutical Returns and Owner Mark Andrew Goetz. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information on the case and with a proposed Stipulation and Consent Order (SCO). The SCO was developed subsequent to a conference held August 19, 2009, wherein Mr. Goetz did not appear nor did he inform the Board that he would not be appearing, at which allegations of chemical dependency were considered. The proposed SCO has been agreed to and signed by Mr. Goetz. After a discussion, Mr. Gary Schneider moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that the Board accept the proposed SCO and that Ms. Kay Hanson and Dr. Wiberg be empowered to sign the order on the Board's behalf. The motion passed.

The sixth item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Ms. Michel Pobuda. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information on the case and with a proposed Stipulation and Consent Order (SCO). The SCO was developed subsequent to a conference held with Ms. Pobuda on August 19, 2009, at which allegation that, when she was pharmacist-in-charge, the technicians were not adequately supervised and that there was a substantial shortage of controlled substances. The proposed SCO has been agreed to and signed by Ms. Pobuda. After a discussion, Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq seconded that the Board accept the proposed SCO and that Dr. Jassey and Dr. Wiberg be empowered to sign the order on the Board's behalf. The motion passed.

The seventh item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Reciprocity Candidate Katy Vesel. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information on the case and with a proposed Stipulation and Consent Order (SCO). The SCO was developed by mail without trial of any issue or fact regarding allegations that she was practicing pharmacy in the state of Minnesota without a license. The proposed SCO has been agreed to and signed by Ms. Vesel. After a discussion, Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that the Board accept the proposed SCO and that Ms. Kay Hanson and Dr. Wiberg be empowered to sign the order on the Board's behalf. The motion passed.

The eighth and final item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Mr. Ryan Grafft. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information on the case. Mr. Grafft practiced pharmacy as an intern in the state of Minnesota without being registered as an intern. Dr. Stacey Jassey moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that Mr. Grafft register as an intern in the state of Minnesota, complete the manual, send in the appropriate forms to receive credit for the hours, minus 80 hours to be consistent with prior policy. The motion passed.

The Board returned to general session.

The Board next discussed the minutes of the January 20, 2010. Mr. Gary Schneider moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the minutes of the meeting be approved. The motion passed.

Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded to approve the items on the consent agenda and to approve the consent agenda. The motion passed.

- New Pharmacy Applications.
 - Central Pharmacy 402 Faxon Road Norwood, MN 55368

Temporary PIC John Marsden Approve pending final inspection and naming of permanent PIC

 Fairview Pharmacy Blaine 10961 Club West Parkway Blaine, MN 55449

> Temporary PIC Michael Wagner Approve pending final inspection and naming of permanent PIC

 Fairview Ridge Valley Pharmacy 4151 Willowwood Street SE Prior Lake, MN 55372

Temporary PIC Kathy Paulsen Approve pending final inspection and naming of permanent PIC

 MeritCare Bemidji North Pharmacy 1611 Anne Street NW Bemidji, MN 56601

PIC listed on application James M. Wille Approve pending final inspection and confirmation of permanent PIC

United Community Pharmacy

2500 New Brighton Blvd. St. Anthony, MN 55418

Temporary PIC Mikhail Epshteyn Approve pending final inspection and naming of permanent PIC

Variances

- Variance Committee Report approve
- Continuing Education. CEATF Reports for the periods 11/18/2009 – 01/12/2010 and 01/13/2010 – 02/09/2010. Approve those recommended for approval and deny those recommended for denial
- Examination Committee
 - Exam Candidates Report approve

Name	Original Licensure Date	Registration Number	
Elma Georges Haber	02/02/2010	119930	
Anne C Gorder	02/08/2010	119931	
Jeremy Daniel Rogosheske	01/06/2010	119925	

Reciprocity Candidates Report - approve

Name	Original Licensure Date	Registration Number	
Julie Marie Bubach	03/01/2010		
Steven Robert Sell	03/01/2010	119936	
Lawrence T Walsh	02/18/2010	119932	
Matthew William Ray	02/18/2010	119933	
Suzanne L Stepaniuk	02/18/2010	119934	
Cari Lynn Davis	01/11/2010	119926	
Jennifer Ann O'Grady	03/04/2010	119937	
Thomas Victor Antilley	01/29/2010	119929	
Dibrell Wade Williams	01/29/2010	119928	

The Board reviewed the remaining agenda for this meeting. Mr. Gary Schneider moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that the remaining agenda be approved. The motion passed.

The Board next turned its attention to new pharmacy applications that it has received since the last meeting:

 Walgreen's Pharmacy #13163 18 SE 10th Street Grand Rapids, MN 55744

> Permanent PIC Kendra Snell Approve pending inspection by Board Surveyor

Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Mr. Gary Schneider seconded that the application be approved. The motion passed with Dr. Stacey Jassey abstaining.

The Board next discussed variances and policies deferred to the Board.

- Rochester Methodist Hospital
 - o Electronic documentation of RPh certification
 - Allow technician to participate in controlled substances destruction

Mr. Gary Schneider moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the variance be approved permanently as long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same. The motion passed.

- St. Mary's Hospital, Rochester
 - o Electronic documentation of RPh certification
 - Allow technician to participate in controlled substances destruction

Ikram-UI-Huq moved and Mr. Gary Schneider seconded that the variance be approved permanently as long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same. The motion passed.

- ◆ Immanuel St. Joseph's (Mankato), Lake City Medical Center, Waseca Medical Center, Springfield Medical Center, St. James Medical Center, and Fairmont Medical Center
 - After-hours remote order entry

Mr. Gary Schneider moved and Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq seconded that the variance be approved for one year. The motion passed

- ePharmacist Direct (Fargo), Albany Area Hospital
 - o After-hours remote order entry

Present at the meeting were Mr. William Seiler, consultant pharmacist at the Albany Area Hospital Pharmacy, and Mr. Howard Kenna, pharmacy director at St.

Gabriel's Hospital in Little Falls. Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that the variance be approved until 7/29/2010 (when ePharmacist Direct's others variances expire) subject to there being an on-site inspection/consult in Albany and the policies on high risk drugs be completed. The motion passed.

United Community Pharmacy

 Have Pharmacist Michael Epshteyn serve as Pharmacist-incharge at two pharmacies (United Community Pharmacy and the Regency Hospital of Minneapolis) until a new Pharmacist-incharge can be hired.

Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Mr. Gary Schneider seconded that the variance be approved until they hire a permanent pharmacist-in-charge, have an initial inspection, and until an opening date has been determined, which is not to exceed six months. The motion passed

◆ Delora Ann Pufall

Exemption to FPGEE Certification

Dr. Stacey Jassey moved and Mr. Gary Schneider seconded that the variance be deferred and that Dr. Cody Wiberg discuss this situation with NABP and bring it to the next meeting. The motion passed

The Board next discussed a proposed Continuing Professional Development pilot program for continuing education. Leading the discussion was Ms. Kristen Janke, from the University of Minnesota, and Dr. Stacey Jassey. They gave an update on the progress that the steering committee has made. No formal action was taken at this time.

Dr. Wiberg informed the Board that the controlled substances rules were adopted on March 13, 2010. No action was taken at this time.

Dr. Wiberg gave the Board an update on the proposed general rule changes. No action was taken at this time.

Dr. Wiberg next gave the Board an update on the Board's budget legislation. No action was taken at this time.

Dr. Wiberg next gave the Board an update on the following pharmacy related legislation.

- o S.F. 895 H.F. 1640 Prescription drug education program establishment. No action was taken at this time.
- S.F.1237 H.F. 1641- Drug and medical device manufacturers and distributors gift ban to physicians and drug formulary committee members

and payments to practitioner's disclosure. No action was taken at this time.

- S.F. 1568 H.F. 1217 Minnesota Safe Drug Disposal Act of 2009. No action was taken at this time.
- H.F. 3213 Adding Tramadol to Schedule IV. No action was taken at this time.
- S.F.1137 H.F. 1320 Antiepileptic Drug Substitution Prohibited. Mr. Kevin Goodnough, president of the Epileptic Foundation, was present at the meeting. Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq seconded that the amended amendment be supported.

Dr. Wiberg next gave the Board an update on the Prescription Monitoring Program. Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that the Board support the proposed legislation.

Dr. Wiberg next discussed the NABP Annual meeting. No action was taken at this time.

There being no further business requiring action by the Board, Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion occurred at approximately 12:40 PM. Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded the motion. The motion passed.

PRESIDENT

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Variance Committee Report of February 24, 2010 for Board Meeting of March 17, 2010

Attendees: Karen Bergrud, Candice Fleming, Les Kotek, and Karen Schreiner

New Variances:

Arrowhead Pharmacy

Grand Marais

Robert Sample

263022-004

to allow filled prescriptions to be stored in a locked cabinet in a non-contiguous space from the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Coborn's Pharmacy

Sartell

Stacey Fristad

261225-001

to allow the pharmacy to store their records at an off site location

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Stacey Fristad must also fill out the copy of the enclosed Certificate of Professional

Responsibility form and return it to the Board office

ePharmacist Direct

Fargo, ND

Shelley Doherty-Johnsen

263413-001

to allow remote after hours order review and entry of Albany Area Hospital Pharmacy's physician medication orders by ePharmacist Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives)in Fargo, ND when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Deferred to the Board

HealthEast Bethesda Hospital Pharmacy

St. Paul

Kathryn Schultz

260468-007

to allow a change in the delivery process whereby HealthEast employees'

prescriptions may be delivered by Healtheast Pharmacies Downtown to the hospital pharmacy and picked up after hours

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

HealthEast St. Joseph's Hospital Pharmacy

St. Paul

Jamie Sinclair

200545-008

to allow the utilization of the Connect-Rx, Robot-Rx, and MedCarousel dispensing systems in the pharmacy

Approved - One Year

On condition that within 30 days, you send in revised policies and procedures detailing an improved process for the pharmacist's verification & certification of prepackaged dosages for the Robot

HealthEast St. Joseph's Hospital Pharmacy

St. Paul

Jamie Sinclair

200545-009

to allow a change in the delivery process whereby HealthEast employees' prescriptions may be delivered by Healtheast Pharmacies Downtown to the hospital pharmacy and picked up after hours

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

HealthPartners Coon Rapids Pharmacy

Coon Rapids

Richard Sorensen

260796-004

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding having a pharmacist check the original labeled container from which medication is withdrawn

Approved - One Year

On condition that within 30 days, you send in revised policies and procedures that clarify the individuals authorized to fill automation and how pharmacist certification is documented

With your next renewal, you must send in the actual training documentation

HealthPartners Refill Center Pharmacy

Eden Prairie

Jeff Scott

261550-006

to allow the utilization of the MailRx computer system with imagery and electronic pharmacist certification in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Lake City Medical Center MHS

Lake City

Kelly Kennedy

261637-001

to allow remote after hours order review and entry of Lake City Medical Center's physician medication orders by Immanuel St. Joseph's when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Deferred to the Board

Long Term Care Assoc. Pharmacy

St. Cloud 261631-003

to allow the pharmacy to store their records at an off site location

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Omnicare - Minnesota

Crystal

Carisa Finke

Trace Roller

261366-011

to allow the utilization of an on demand unit dose packaging machine in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that address required documentation by a pharmacist certifying refilling of the packing machine

Our Lady of Good Counsel Home Pharmacy

St. Paul

Jodi Chaffin

200706-003

to allow more than six single doses of controlled substance narcotic analgesics to be included in the emergency-kit for hospice cancer patients

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Our Lady of Good Counsel Home Pharmacy

St. Paul

Jodi Chaffin

200706-004

to allow lorazepam (Ativan) and zolpidem (Ambien) to be included in the emergencykit for hospice cancer patients

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Owatonna Pharmacy Care

Owatonna

Carol Daley

261565-001

to allow you to keep an E-kit for hospice patients in their homes for their use as instructed by either the hospice nurse or pharmacist

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the Schedule II controlled substance is handled according to DEA regulations for labeling the individual patient's prescription and your policies reflect how you receive and label Schedule II prescriptions

PharMerica

Fridley

Kevin Johnson

261548-010

to allow the storage of incoming fax transmissions as an electronic image (PDF)

Approved – Two Years

In addition, you need to follow the DEA regulations

Prairiestone Pharmacy #1 St. Louis Park Jeffrey Walling 262999-003

to allow the pharmacy to store aging records in a locked closet that is located in the same facility, but not in the pharmacy itself

Variance is not required as long as two years of prescription records are in the licensed pharmacy

Rochester Methodist Hospital Pharmacy

Rochester

Karen Bergrud

200540-012

to allow the pharmacy to implement an electronic documentation of pharmacist certification of patient specific doses dispensed for inpatient administration

Deferred to the Board

Shopko Pharmacy #2021

Mankato

Mark Siebels

262797-002

to allow the utilization of the Parata DDS in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Remember to document training and errors due to automation

St. Mary's Hospital Pharmacy

Rochester

Kevin Dillon

201162-009

to allow the pharmacy to implement an electronic documentation of pharmacist certification of patient specific doses dispensed for inpatient administration

Deferred to the Board

Stearns Vet Outlet Store Inc.

Melrose

Jeffrey Sawyer

261819-003

to allow the Stearns Vet Outlet Store, Inc. to operate as a telepharmacy to the Melrose Pharmacy

Approved - One Year

On condition that you follow the telepharmacy guidelines where a pharmacist must visit the site weekly and takes all verbal orders

With your next renewal, the Board's Variance Committee requests that you include documentation of your on-site visits

Stearns Vet Outlet Store Inc.

Melrose

Jeffrey Sawyer

261819-004

to allow an exemption to the Board's rule regarding having certain equipment

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Stearns Vet Outlet Store Inc.

Jeffrey Sawyer

Melrose 261819-005

to allow an exemption to the Board's rule regarding space and a private consultation

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Stearns Vet Outlet Store Inc.

Melrose

Jeffrey Sawyer

261819-006

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding printing the medication description on the label as long as the manufacturer's original container is dispensed

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same and the original manufacturer's container is labeled

Target Pharmacy T-220

Eden Prairie

Sandra Seifert-Pederson

260159-002

to allow the utilization of an automated counting machine, in the form of non-interfaced Baker cassettes, in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Target Store T-2449

Waconia

Brenda Keske

263240-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved - One Year

On condition that a system demonstration inspection occurs by a Board inspector at a live site as soon as possible

Target Store T-2449

Waconia

Brenda Keske

263240-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved - One Year

On condition that a system demonstration inspection occurs by a Board inspector at a live site and you submit your policies and procedures to the Board office as soon as possible

Thrifty White Drug #729

Crookston

Jodee Folden

259983-002

to allow the utilization of a ScriptPro Robot in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

On condition that within 30 days, you send in revised policies and procedures to include on-going documented training and if allowing returns to automation, the pharmacist must pour out the contents of the prescriptions for certification

United Hospital Pharmacy

St. Paul 200452-005

Lisa Gersema

to allow the pharmacy to omit required labeling information from the outpatient labels for chemotherapy products that are provided to another Allina Hospitals & Clinics facility and administered by the nursing staff

Approved - One Year

On condition that within 60 days, you comply with labeling requirements. You must also send in revised policies and procedures to address the following: 1.) proper labeling possibly utilizing auxiliary label; 2.) patient profile DUR; and 3.) delivery standards.

Walgreens Pharmacy #07188

Hilltop

Jeffrey Simmons

260257-003

to allow the utilization of automated Baker Counting Cells in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Walgreens Pharmacy 1490

Minnetonka

260232-003

to allow the utilization of Baker Cassettes in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Bruce Whitehouse

New Variances Deferred:

Albany Area Hospital Pharmacy

Albany

William Seiler

260662-001

to allow remote after hours order review and entry of Albany Area Hospital Pharmacy's physician medication orders by ePharmacist Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives)in Fargo, ND when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Deferred to the Board

Melrose Pharmacy, Inc.

Melrose

Stacy Meyer

262102-001

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro SP 200/SP 100 Robotic Prescription Dispensing System in the pharmacy

Approved - One Year

Thrifty White Drug #748

Walker

Jill Schwandt

262297-001

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro automated filling machine in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Extensions to Current Variances:

Abbott-NW Medical Building Pharmacy

Minneapolis

James Cicchese

200961-001

to allow you to keep an E-kit for hospice patients in their homes for their use as instructed by either the hospice nurse or pharmacist

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the Schedule II controlled substance is handled according to DEA regulations for labeling the individual patient's prescription and your policies reflect how you receive and label Schedule II prescriptions

Fairview Lakes Health Services Pharmacy

Wyoming

Mark Nelson

261510-002

to allow the pharmacist to be pharmacist-in-charge at both Fairview Lakes Health Services Pharmacy and Hazelden Center City Pharmacy

Approved - One Year

On condition that there is an on-going evaluation of workflow trends and consistent staffing at the Hazelden facility

Hazelden-Center City Pharmacy

Center City

Mark Nelson

261471-002

to allow the pharmacist to be pharmacist-in-charge at both Fairview Lakes Health Services Pharmacy and Hazelden Center City Pharmacy

Approved - One Year

On condition that there is an on-going evaluation of workflow trends and consistent staffing

HealthCare Pharmacy

Coon Rapids

Michelle Germscheid

260412-001

to allow you to keep an E-kit for hospice patients in their homes for their use as instructed by either the hospice nurse or pharmacist

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the Schedule II controlled substance is handled according to DEA regulations for labeling the individual patient's prescription and your policies reflect how you receive and label Schedule II prescriptions

Healtheast Pharmacies Downtown

St. Paul

Denise Mike

262682-002

to allow a change in the delivery process whereby HealthEast employees' prescriptions may be delivered to the hospital pharmacy and picked up by HealthEast employees who are employed at St. Joseph's Hospital

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Healtheast Pharmacies Downtown

St. Paul Denise Mike 262682-003

to allow a change in the delivery process whereby HealthEast employees' prescriptions may be delivered to the hospital pharmacy and picked up by HealthEast employees who are employed at Bethesda Hospital

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Lakeland Vet Pharmacy

Eden Prairie

Barry Zoss

261466-001

to allow exemption from the Board's rule regarding having a pharmacist on duty at all times

Approved – Permanently

On condition that the current pharmacy practice does not change and that the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Onamia Drug Inc.

Onamia

Edward Huppler

261311-001

to allow the utilization of a telepharmacy in Garrison

Approved - One Year

On condition that you follow the telepharmacy guidelines where a pharmacist must visit the site weekly and takes all verbal orders

With your next renewal, the Board's Variance Committee requests that you include documentation of your on-site visits

Our Lady of Good Counsel Home Pharmacy

St. Paul

Jodi Chaffin

200706-002

to allow both oral and injectable hydromorphone and morphine sulfate to be included in the emergency-kit for hospice cancer patients

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same and you meet the federal DEA regulations

Ritchie Medical Plaza Pharmacy

St. Paul

Arvid Nielsen

260818-001

to allow you to keep an E-kit for hospice patients in their homes for their use as instructed by either the hospice nurse or pharmacist

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the Schedule II controlled substance is handled according to DEA regulations for labeling the individual patient's prescription and your policies reflect how you receive and label Schedule II prescriptions

Rochester Methodist Hospital Pharmacy

Rochester 200540-001

Karen Bergrud

to allow a licensed healthcare provider and/or registered pharmacist to waste controlled substances with a registered pharmacy technician witness, instead of two licensed individuals

Deferred to the Board

Rum River Drug Gilbert Olson Cambridge 261558-001

to allow you to keep an E-kit for hospice patients in their homes for their use as instructed by either the hospice nurse or pharmacist

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the Schedule II controlled substance is handled according to DEA regulations for labeling the individual patient's prescription and your policies reflect how you receive and label Schedule II prescriptions

St. Mary's Hospital Pharmacy

Rochester

Kevin Dillon

201162-003

to allow a licensed healthcare provider and/or registered pharmacist to waste controlled substances with a registered pharmacy technician witness, instead of two licensed individuals

Deferred to the Board

Target Pharmacy T-862

Chanhassen

Christine Joyce

261056-001

to allow the utilization of an automated counting machine, in the form of non-interfaced Baker cassettes, in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

United Hospital Pharmacy

St. Paul

Lisa Gersema

200452-001

to allow the utilization of the Tech-Check-Tech program in accordance with MSHP's guidelines

Approved - One Year

On condition that within 60 days, you respond in writing with your facility's procedure/process for your department's orientation to Tech-Check-Tech in order to verify that you meet the MSHP's guidelines for TCT and requests a copy of the article referred to in your P & T minutes. The Board is asking that you provide a gap analysis when your medication distribution system will include failsafe bar-coding in the following areas: 1.) the use of an NDC based barcode for refilling or loading automated distribution systems; 2.) the use of a patient bedside barcode; and 3.) the bar-coded medications are returned to the pharmacy via barcode to the medication storage bins

Walgreens Pharmacy #4119

Natasha Hennessy

Minneapolis 260675-002

to allow the utilization of the Yuyama automated counting device in the pharmacy

Approved - One Year

On condition that within 30 days, you send in revised policies and procedures to include pharmacist final prescription certification

West Health Campus Pharmacy

Plymouth

Lisa Thelen-Bachmeier

261148-001

to allow you to keep an E-kit for hospice patients in their homes for their use as instructed by either the hospice nurse or pharmacist

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the Schedule II controlled substance is handled according to DEA regulations for labeling the individual patient's prescription and your policies reflect how you receive and label Schedule II prescriptions

Extensions to Current Variances Deferred:

North Country Regional Hospital Pharmacy

Bemidji

James Galloway

200888-001

to allow the use of an Automated Distribution System (ADS) in the form of a Pyxis system at an off-site location

Approved - Two Years

On condition that you work towards product barcode scanning at patient bedside

PIC Changes:

Allina Community - Apple Valley

Apple Valley

Mark Decker

262655-001

to allow you to keep an E-kit for hospice patients in their homes for their use as instructed by either the hospice nurse or pharmacist

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the Schedule II controlled substance is handled according to DEA regulations for labeling the individual patient's prescription and your policies reflect how you receive and label Schedule II prescriptions. Mark Decker must also fill out the copy of the enclosed Certificate of Professional Responsibility form and return it to the Board office

Cub Pharmacy #1950/790

Gregory Schmit

Bloomington 263360-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1950/790

Bloomington

Gregory Schmit

263360-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1643/782

Champlin

Mark Newman

262619-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1643/782

Champlin

Mark Newman

262619-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1633/709

Plymouth

Michelle Schulz

261670-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1633/709

Plymouth

Michelle Schulz

261670-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

CVS/Pharmacy #07110

Stacy Gaugert

Andover 262505-003

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking of the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification in the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Long Term Care Assoc. Pharmacy

St. Cloud

Trace Roller

261631-002

to allow the utilization of DocuTrack to manage and store documentation

electronically in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

In addition, you need to follow the DEA regulations

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy

Rochester

Brent Ferguson

260408-001

to allow the utilization of the scanned image and bar code technology for certification using the Optifill II automated system in the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy

Rochester

Brent Ferguson

260408-002

to allow the pharmacist to label the investigation sponsor supplied drug container according to investigational drug standards instead of labeling with a physical description

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy

Rochester

Brent Ferguson

260408-003

to allow the pharmacy to provide central dispensing activities for other pharmacies within the Mayo system

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Omnicare - Minnesota

Crystal

Carisa Finke

261366-001

to allow the nursing staff, employed by Omnicare-Minnesota, to assist pharmacists with monthly inventory of emergency kits at long-term care facilities

Approved - Two Years

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same and the nursing staff is given quidelines for the review of the E-kit

Omnicare - Minnesota

Carisa Finke

Crystal 261366-002

to allow the pharmacy to automatically exchange emergency kits on a twice-weekly basis

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Omnicare - Minnesota

Crystal

Carisa Finke

261366-003

to allow the pharmacy to provide emergency stock of medications to the following detoxification/treatment centers: Cedar Ridge, Hazelden Center for Youth and Families, Meadow Creek, and Twin Town Treatment Center

Approved - One Year

With your next renewal, send statistics on your usage of the emergency medications

Omnicare - Minnesota

Crystal

Carisa Finke

261366-005

to allow the pharmacy to increase the number of single doses of certain controlled substance narcotic analgesics for use in emergency kits located in sub-acute or transitional care units they service

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Omnicare - Minnesota

Crystal

Carisa Finke

261366-007

to allow the utilization of an AutoMed Packaging Device in the pharmacy to fill prescriptions for designated Assisted Living Facilities

Approved - Two Years

With your next renewal, you must send in training documentation and any errors due to the AutoMed Packaging Device

Omnicare - Minnesota

Crystal

Carisa Finke

261366-008

to allow the utilization of the Pyxis automated dispensing device at Masonic Healthcare Center

Approved - One Year

On condition that within 30 days, you send in revised policies and procedures that meet the Board of Pharmacy's guidelines for AMDS and clarify if access is limited through an interfaced patient profile system

Omnicare - Minnesota

Carisa Finke

Crystal 261366-009

to allow the pharmacy to provide an emergency supply kit of medications to the Lake Owasso's intermediate care facility

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Omnicare - Minnesota

Crystal

Carisa Finke

261366-010

to allow the utilization of Omnicell an automated dispensing device in the sub-acute nursing facility

Approved - One Year

On condition that within 30 days, you send in revised policies and procedures that meet the Board of Pharmacy's guidelines for AMDS and clarify if access is limited through an interfaced patient profile system

Tri-County Hospital Outpatient Pharmacy

Wadena

Aimee Turcotte

261647-001

to allow you to institute a telepharmacy project linking the Sebeka Clinic with their pharmacy and to expand the variance to allow the dispensing of prescription medication to the general public in Sebeka

Approved - One Year

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

United Hospital Outpatient Pharmacy

St. Paul

Richard Leone

260524-001

to allow you to keep an E-kit for hospice patients in their homes for their use as instructed by either the hospice nurse or pharmacist

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the Schedule II controlled substance is handled according to DEA regulations for labeling the individual patient's prescription and your policies reflect how you receive and label Schedule II prescriptions

Walgreens Pharmacy #05685

Burnsville

Nancy Nguyen

261902-002

to allow the utilization of Baker cells in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Walgreens #11125 Jeffrey Shapiro Hibbing 263021-001

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Approved - Until 9/23/2010

On condition that there is an annual review and sign off of the Minnesota counseling policy for all pharmacy staff. This policy must emphasize new prescription counseling where the pharmacist reviews the patient profile, certifies the prescription, and stamps the prescription to signify the required counseling. Corporate must also acknowledge that pharmacists will not be disciplined if, based on sound professional judgment, they op out of remote verification

Walgreens Pharmacy #2142

St. Paul

Eddie Huie

260609-001

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Approved - Until 9/23/2010

On condition that there is an annual review and sign off of the Minnesota counseling policy for all pharmacy staff. This policy must emphasize new prescription counseling where the pharmacist reviews the patient profile, certifies the prescription, and stamps the prescription to signify the required counseling. Corporate must also acknowledge that pharmacists will not be disciplined if, based on sound professional judgment, they op out of remote verification

Walgreens Pharmacy #2142

St. Paul

260609-002

Eddie Huie

to allow the utilization of Yuyama in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

PIC Changes Deferred:

Walgreens Pharmacy #04882 Mohammed Harfoush Inver Grove Heights

Mohammed Harfoush 261699-002 to allow the utilization of the automated Baker APS System in the pharmacy

Approved – Two Years

Minnesota Board of Pharmacy

EIGHT HUNDRED AND FIFTH MEETING

At approximately 9:00 a.m., on May 12, 2010, the Minnesota Board of Pharmacy met in Conference Room A, at the University Park Plaza Building, 2829 University Avenue Southeast, Minneapolis, Minnesota, for the purpose of conducting a general business meeting. All members of the Board were in attendance with the exception of Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq. Also in attendance were the Board's Executive Director, Dr. Cody Wiberg, the Board's legal counsel, Assistant Attorney General Geoffrey Karls and Board of Pharmacy staff, Ms. Candice Fleming, Mr. Leslie Kotek, Ms. Karen Schreiner, and Ms. Patricia Eggers. Assistant Attorney General Nathan Hart was also in attendance to advise the Board on one of the cases heard during the closed quasi-judicial session. The Board's President, Ms. Karen Bergrud, called the meeting to order.

The first item on the Board's agenda was to congratulate Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq on his reappointment to the Board as a public member and to welcome to Ms. Laura Schwartzwald, who was appointed to replace outgoing pharmacist member Gary Schneider.

The Board went into a closed session to discuss matters of a quasi-judicial nature.

The first item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Pharmacist Michael DeBernardi. Mr. DeBernardi was not present at the meeting. Mr. Karls presented information on behalf of the disciplinary panel. Mr. Nathan Hart advised the Board on the case. Members who participated in the Complaint Review Panel and Dr. Wiberg left the meeting room so the Board could deliberate. Mr. James Koppen moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded that the Findings of Fact, Conclusions, and Final Order be approved as written. The motion passed.

The second item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Pharmacist Jessica Growette, who has completed the requirements of her 2007 Order. Ms. Growette was present at the meeting. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information regarding Ms. Growette's case. After a brief discussion, Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that Ms. Growette be granted her petition for unrestricted license and that Executive Director Wiberg be empowered to sign an Order of Reinstatement for Unconditional License on the Board's behalf. The motion passed. The Board wished Ms. Growette well in future endeavors.

The third item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Pharmacist Susan Ahlquist, who has completed the requirements of her 2004 Order. Ms. Ahlquist was present at the meeting. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information regarding Ms. Ahlquist's case. After a brief discussion, Ms. Kay Hanson moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that Ms. Ahlquist be granted her petition for unrestricted license and that Executive Director Wiberg be empowered to sign an Order of Unconditional Registration on the Board's behalf. The motion passed. The Board wished Ms. Ahlquist well in future endeavors.

The fourth item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Mr. Lance Lundstad who is requesting that his 2007 Stipulation and Order be amended to allow him to work alone. Mr. Lundstad was present at the meeting. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information regarding Mr. Lundstad's case. After a brief discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded that Mr. Lundstad be allowed to work alone and be a pharmacist-in-charge and that Executive Director Wiberg be empowered to sign an amended Order on the Board's behalf. The motion passed.

The fifth and final item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of <u>Pharmacist Robin Sanders</u>. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information on the case and with a proposed Stipulation and Consent Order (SCO). The SCO was developed subsequent to conferences held on November 18, 2009 and on January 27, 2010, wherein Mr. Sanders agreed to voluntarily surrender his license for a minimum of three years. The proposed SCO has been agreed to and signed by Mr. Sanders. After a discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the Board accept the proposed SCO and that Mr. James Koppen and Dr. Wiberg be empowered to sign the order on the Board's behalf. The motion passed.

The Board returned to general session.

The Board next discussed the minutes of the March 17, 2010. Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the minutes of the meeting be approved. The motion passed.

Mr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded to approve the items on the consent agenda and to approve the consent agenda. The motion passed.

- o New Pharmacy Applications.
 - Thrifty-White
 202 North Central Avenue
 Duluth, MN 55368

Temporary PIC Approve pending receipt of an application and fee, final inspection, and naming of permanent PIC

- Variances
 - Variance Committee Report approve

- Continuing Education. CEATF Reports for the periods 02/10/2010 – 03/09/2010. Approve those recommended for approval and deny those recommended for denial
- o Examination Committee
 - Exam Candidates Report approve

Certificate Number	Name	Original Licensure Date	Registration Number
10569	Ronald Scott Anderson	04/15/2010	119946
10567	Amber Lee Smith	03/26/2010	119944
10577	Jared Joel Anderson	04/23/2010	119950
10562	Ni Annie Tchao	03/08/2010	119938
10572	Marcin W Puto	4/20/2010	119949

Reciprocity Candidates Report – approve

Certificate Number	Name	Original Licensure Date	Registration Number
10566	Robert P Brower II	03/18/2010	119943
10565	Mukulika Biswas	03/18/2010	119942
10563	Betty Carol Farmer	03/11/2010	119939
10573	William D Wrigley	04/26/2010	119951
10575	Anthony J Ratzsch	04/26/2010	119953
10574	Corey Alan Samson	04/26/2010	119952
10576	Kerry L Zelinski	04/26/2010	119954
10571	Matthew Kolb	04/19/2010	119948
10570	Katy Ann Vesel	04/19/2010	119947
10564	Diane Marie Orville	03/11/2010	119940
10568	Satyam Patel	04/05/2010	119945
10578	Parvia Kanika Ahmed	05/04/2010	119955

The Board reviewed the remaining agenda for this meeting. Dr. Stacey Jassey moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that the remaining agenda be approved. The motion passed.

The Board next discussed variances and policies deferred to the Board.

- Econodrug, Ottertail, MN
 - Telepharmacy
 - o Equipment

Present at the meeting was Mr. Nathan Seip. Ms. Candice Fleming provided the Board with background information concerning this variance request. After much discussion, Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the variance be approved for one year. The motion passed with Mr. James Koppen and Ms. Stacey Jassey voting in opposition.

- Unity Outpatient Pharmacy, Fridley, MN
 - Allow hospital pharmacist to cover outpatient pharmacy between 11PM – 7AM

Present at the meeting were Mr. Jason Meier, Regional Manager; Ms. Bonnie Senst, Director of Pharmacy at Allina Hospital Pharmacy; Mr. Dan Niznick, Pharmacist-in-charge of the Inpatient Pharmacy, Mr. Robert Arndt, Pharmacist-in-charge at the Outpatient Pharmacy, and Ms. Ann Byre, Director for Allina Community Pharmacies. After much discussion, Ms. Kay Hanson moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded that the variance be approved for one year. The motion passed with Mr. Jim Koppen voting in opposition. After further discussion, Ms. Kay Hanson amended her motion that they provide workload information at the time of the renewal. Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded. The amendment to the motion passed with Mr. Jim Koppen voting in opposition.

- · Regions Outpatient Pharmacy, St. Paul, MN
 - Allow licensure of outpatient & hospital pharmacies in same space

After much discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the variance be approved permanently with the condition that Regions will need to separately address the issue that one pharmacist cannot cover both areas without an additional variance being granted by the Board. The motion passed.

- Delora Ann Pufall
 - Exemption to FPGEE Certification

Ms. Delora Pufall was present at the meeting. Dr. Wiberg gave the Board information he received from NABP. Dr. Stacey Jassey moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that the variance be denied but directed Dr. Wiberg to contact the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy to find out if there is some manner in which Ms. Pufall could qualify for participation in the Foreign Pharmacy Graduate Examination Committee process. The motion passed.

The Board next listened to a presentation by Talyst about that company's InSiteRx™ Remote Dispensing System. Mr. Dave Doane, a licensed pharmacist in Washington State and an employee of Talyst; Jason Spears, an employee in

technology at Talyst, and Ms. Mary Johnson, from the Minnesota VA Hospital, were present at the meeting. No action was taken at this time. Talyst was made aware that each pharmacy that wants to use their system will need to seek approval of the necessary variance requests.

Dr. Wiberg gave the Board an update on the proposed general rule changes. No action was taken at this time.

Dr. Wiberg next gave the Board an update on the competing versions of budget legislation that are being considered by the Legislature. Under the Governor's proposed budget, all health licensing boards would experience a 3% reduction in their operating budgets. The Senate and House bills would take the 3% from reserves, rather than operating budgets. No action was taken at this time.

Dr. Wiberg next gave the Board an update on the following pharmacy related legislation:

- S.F. 895/H.F. 1640 Prescription drug education program establishment.
 This legislation has apparently died for this session.
- S.F.1237/H.F.1641 Drug and medical device manufacturers and distributors gift ban to physicians and drug formulary committee members and payments to practitioner's disclosure. This legislation has apparently died for this session.
- o S.F. 1568/H.F. 1217 Minnesota Safe Drug Disposal Act of 2009. This legislation passed and was signed into law by the Governor.
- H.F. 3213 Adding Tramadol to Schedule IV. This legislation has apparently died for this session.
- o S.F.1137/H.F. 1320 Antiepileptic Drug Substitution Prohibited. This legislation passed and was signed into law by the Governor. Executive Director Wiberg reached an agreement with the proponents of this legislation on a compromise. Rather than placing restrictions on substitution for this class of drugs, the final language empowers the Board to adopt rules restricting such substitution but only if the U.S. Food and Drug Administration determines that there are safety concerns.

Dr. Wiberg next gave the Board an update on the Prescription Monitoring Program. No action was taken at this time.

Dr. Wiberg next discussed proposed changes to the NABP constitution and bylaws that will be discussed at that organization's annual meeting. No action was taken at this time.

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Dr. Wiberg next discussed the District V meeting. No action was taken at this time.

There being no further business requiring action by the Board, Mr. James Koppen moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion occurred at approximately 2:26 PM. Ms. Kay Hanson seconded the motion. The motion passed.

PRESIDENT

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Variance Committee Report of April 21, 2010 for Board Meeting of May 12, 2010

Attendees: Jim Koppen, Stacey Jassey, Candice Fleming, Les Kotek, Karen Schreiner, Jill Stryskowski, Jason Meyers, Robert Arndt, Dan Niznik, Ann Byre, Bonnie Senst, Amy Simons, Brad Carlson, and Diane Alexander

Meeting Appointments:

10:00

Unity Community Pharmacy

Robert Arndt 260415-004

to allow outpatient prescription processing from Unity Hospital Pharmacy by the 11-7 night pharmacist with a hospital technician

Deferred to the Board

10:00

Unity Hospital Pharmacy Fridley

Daniel Niznick 260414-005

to allow outpatient prescription processing for Unity Community Pharmacy by the hospital 11-7 night pharmacist with a hospital technician

Deferred to the Board

10:00

Hutchinson Community Hospital Pharmacy

Hutchinson

Fridley

Glen Kegley

263137-003

to allow remote 24 hour order entry and review of orders from Unity Hospital

Pharmacv

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

10:00

Unity Hospital Pharmacy

Fridley

Daniel Niznick

260414-003

to allow remote 24 hour order entry and review of orders for the Hutchinson Area Health Care

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter.

11:15

Children's Hospitals and Clinics of MN Retail

Minneapolis

Amy Simons

263375-001

to allow the dispensing of prescriptions from the outpatient pharmacy to the surgery department via a tube system that utilizes a webcam for patient counseling and a hand held device for capturing signatures and payments electronically

Approved - One Year

On condition that there is an on-site inspection to verify that the counseling area meets the required assurance of privacy

Policy Review:

11:30

Allina Hospital & Clinics

Minneapolis

Bonnie Senst

Relabeling hospital medication at discharge and future with e-prescribing

Recommendation for Board Guidelines

New Variances:

Allina Community Pharmacies – PEI

Minneapolis

Jay Dahlstrom

262251-004

to allow the pharmacist-in-charge to be PIC at both Phillips Eye Institute and Allina Community Pharmacies - PEI Pharmacy - (The original variance was deferred on 7/18/07 and never updated.)

Approved - Permanently

On condition that the DEA regulations are met and as long as the pharmacist-incharge remains the same

Breen's Pharmacy, Inc.

Benson

Vyke Breen

205638-001

to allow the inclusion of Lorazepam 0.5 mg tablets in the emergency kit

Approved - Permanently

On condition that the DEA regulations are met for emergency use

Cash Wise Pharmacy #9

Waite Park

Holly Senn

260398-003

to allow the utilization of the PharmAssist Symphony Plus System in the pharmacy -(Original variance expired on 2/28/10.)

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the policies are revised to meet the counting machine guidelines where a pharmacist verifies the replenishment and returns to stock

Coborn's Pharmacy Little Falls
Gary Sperl 261254-003

to allow the utilization of the PharmAssist Symphony Plus System in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the policies are revised to meet the counting machine guidelines where a pharmacist verifies the replenishment and returns to stock

Coborn's Pharmacy

Little Falls 261254-004

Gary Sperl

to allow the storage of pharmacy records to be at an off-site location

Variance is not required as long as two current years of prescriptions are kept in the licensed pharmacy as required by statute.

Coborn's Pharmacy

St. Cloud

Kelly Larson

261083-001

to allow the storage of pharmacy records to be at an off-site location

Variance is not required as long as two current years of prescriptions are kept in the licensed pharmacy as required by statute.

Coborn's Pharmacy

Foley

Stephen De Stephano

261544-001

to allow the pharmacy to store their records at an off site location

Variance is not required as long as two current years of prescriptions are kept in the licensed pharmacy as required by statute.

CVS Pharmacy #1129

Robbinsdale

Jessica Reiter

262880-003

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification - (Previous variance expired on 2/28/08.)

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Glacial Ridge Hospital Pharmacy

Glenwood

Mindi Jorgenson

200995-002

to allow Mindi Jorgenson to temporarily be the pharmacist-in-charge at both Glacial Ridge Hospital Pharmacy and Cannon Falls Medical Center until the new PIC is able to start at Glacial Ridge in June

Approved - Until 7/1/2010 or until the new pharmacist-in-charge is trained in

Hazelden-Center City Pharmacy Center City Mark Nelson 261471-003

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding having compounding equipment

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge and the practice remains the same

HCMC R-L Pharmacy Minneapolis **Brian Howard** 262931-003

to allow the utilization of the Tech-Check-Tech program in the pharmacy

Deferred

Requesting information for the next meeting

HealthEast St. John's Hospital Pharmacy Maplewood 260226-009 Julie Most

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the

pharmacv

Approved - One Year

On condition that you follow the guidelines

HealthEast Woodwinds Hospital Gerald Jacobson

to allow a 1:2 preceptor to intern ratio

Approved - Permanently

Woodbury 261894-006

The Medicine Shoppe Pharmacy Mendota Heights Daniel Koski 261221-001

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro SP 200 Robotic Prescription Dispensing System in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

On condition that within 30 days, you send in revised policies and procedures to include documented annual training

Pro Pharmacy Anne Schneider to allow a 1:2 preceptor to intern ratio Approved – Permanently

St. Paul 263462-001 Regions Hospital Outpatient Pharmacy St. Paul Craig Harvey 261218-005

to allow two licensed pharmacies (the inpatient and outpatient) to operate out of the same secure pharmacy space

Deferred to the Board

Regions Hospital Pharmacy (IP) St. Paul Lori Amborn 200443-003

to allow two licensed pharmacies (the inpatient and outpatient) to operate out of the same secure pharmacy space

Deferred to the Board

Sleepy Eye Medical Center Hosp. Phcy. Sleepy Eye Randall Armbruster 261747-002

to allow the technician to work at times when the pharmacist is not present - (Original variance expired on 5/10/07.)

Approved - One Year

On condition that the technician signs off annually on allowable duties and the pharmacist-in-charge and the technician remain the same

St. Francis Medical Center Pharmacy Breckenridge Lori Meyer 261077-003

to allow a licensed healthcare provider and/or registered pharmacist to waste controlled substances with a registered pharmacy technician witness, instead of two licensed individuals

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

St. Joseph's Area Health Services Park Rapids
Scott Kosel 261076-003

to allow a licensed healthcare provider and/or registered pharmacist to waste controlled substances with a registered pharmacy technician witness, instead of two licensed individuals

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Target Pharmacy T-820 Coon Rapids Jessica Sewalson 260911-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved - One Year

On condition that a system demonstration inspection occurs by a Board inspector at the live site as soon as possible

Target Pharmacy T-820

Jessica Sewalson

Coon Rapids 260911-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved - One Year

On condition that a system demonstration inspection occurs by a Board inspector at the live site as soon as possible

Walgreens #12509

Moorhead

Thomas Schmitz

263492-001

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Approved - Until 9/23/2010

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Walgreens Pharmacy #05048

Amy Miller

Hastings 261748-003

to allow the utilization of the Baker APS system in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 12/12/08.)

Approved - Two Years

Walgreens Pharmacy #10188

Woodbury

Nathan Jacobson

260876-003

to allow the utilization of the Yuvama in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

New Variances Deferred:

CVS/pharmacy #7406

Woodbury

Craig Oberg

263384-002

to allow the utilization of electronic initialing during certification by a pharmacist in

your pharmacy

Variance is not required as long as the certifying pharmacist hand initials according to CVS policy. Remember that the Board of Pharmacy rules require the pharmacist to counsel on all new prescriptions and refusal must be to pharmacist and documented

Extensions to Current Variances:

Cash Wise Pharmacy #9

Waite Park

Holly Senn

260398-002

to allow the operation of a pneumatic tube system drive through that is connected to the building that houses the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that address counseling on prescriptions

Fairview Northland Regional Hospital

Princeton

Lance Swearingen

200450-009

to allow remote after hours order review and entry of Pine Medical's physician medication orders by Fairview Northland Medical Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Approved - Until 12/02/2010

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

HealthEast Bethesda Hospital Pharmacy

St. Paul

Kathryn Schultz

260468-001

to allow remote after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by HealthEast St. Joseph's Hospital Pharmacy for HealthEast Bethesda Hospital Pharmacy

Deferred

The Board would like you to attend the next Variance meeting on June 23rd to explain the average time for orders to get profiled for the nurse to be able to withdraw the medications from the AMDS patient's profile

HealthEast St. John's Hospital Pharmacy

Maplewood

Julie Most

260226-005

to allow the utilization of the McKesson Robot-RX system in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that address pharmacist certification of prepackaged doses for the Robot (not from memory) by image or other method

HealthEast St. Joseph's Hospital Pharmacy

St. Paul

Jamie Sinclair

200545-002

to allow remote after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by HealthEast St. Joseph's Hospital Pharmacy for HealthEast Bethesda Hospital Pharmacy

Deferred

The Board would like you to attend the next Variance meeting on June 23rd to explain the average time for orders to get profiled for the nurse to be able to withdraw the medications from the AMDS patient's profile

HealthEast Woodwinds Hospital

Woodbury Gerald Jacobson 261894-003

to allow the utilization of Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved – One Year

On condition that you continue to follow the guidelines

Lakeview Community Pharmacy

Stillwater

Marcia McGowan

262751-001

to allow the utilization of the Parata Robotic Dispensing Machine in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Littlefork Medical Pharmacy

Littlefork

Gretchen Bonik

200302-001

to allow the pharmacist to be the PIC in two different pharmacy locations

Deferred

Within 30 days, respond to any changes and current compliance with the last inspection at Littlefork

Meritcare North Pharmacy

Bemidji

Gretchen Bonik

262302-001

to allow the pharmacist to be the PIC in two different pharmacy locations

Within 30 days, respond to any changes and current compliance with the last inspection at Littlefork

Merwin LTC Pharmacy #3

Cambridge

Deborah Frazey

262284-002

to allow storage of incoming fax transmissions as an electronic image (PDF)

Approved - Two Years

On condition that you meet the DEA regulations

Regions Hospital Pharmacy

St. Paul

Lori Amborn

200443-001

to allow the utilization of the Tech-Check-Tech program in the pharmacy

Approved – One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

St. Cloud Hospital Pharmacy

St. Cloud

Mary Phipps

200440-002

to allow the utilization of Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE)in the

pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Thrifty White Drug #37 Wilma Certain

Perham 260284-003

to allow oral Lorazepam and other oral psychiatric medications to be included in the emergency kit at the State Operated Community Behavioral Health Hospital located in Wadena

Approved - Two Years

On condition that you meet the DEA regulations concerning controlled substances

Thrifty White Pharmacy #765

Renville

Rebecca McCleery

262594-001

to allow the utilization of a telepharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated technician policies and procedures, documentation for refusal of counseling, and prescription volumes for the last year

Wal-Mart Pharmacy #10-3624

Monticello

Shelly Zierdt

262626-001

to allow prescription drive-thru pick-up at a site location which is not attached to the licensed pharmacy utilizing pneumatic tube and camera video link

Approved - One Year

As long as the pharmacist counsels on all prescriptions

Walgreens Pharmacy #6714

Coon Rapids

Jitka Sirucek

260395-002

to allow the utilization of the Baker APS counting cells in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that meet Walgreens' Corporate policies where no returns are allowed to the cells

Extensions to Current Variances Deferred:

None

PIC Changes:

Coborn's Pharmacy

Gary Sperl

Little Falls 261254-002

to allow the operation of a pneumatic tube system drive through that is connected to the side of the building that houses the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that include counseling on all prescriptions

Cub Pharmacy #1638/745

Coon Rapids

Anna Carlson

262213-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1638/745

Coon Rapids

Anna Carlson

262213-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1917/639

Eden Prairie

Suzanne Stepaniuk

260886-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1917/639

Eden Prairie

Suzanne Stepaniuk

260886-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Phillips Eve Institute Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Jay Dahlstrom

260484-001

to allow the pharmacist-in-charge to be PIC at both Phillips Eye Institute and Allina Community Pharmacies - PEI Pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as you meet the DEA regulations and the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Pine Medical Center Sandstone
Gina Roth Sandstone

to allow remote after hours order review and entry of Pine Medical's physician medication orders by Fairview Northland Medical Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Approved - Until 12/02/2010

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Rainbow Foods Pharmacy #8803

St. Louis Park

Sharon Feinstein

263385-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

St. Cloud Metro Treatment

St.Cloud

Daniel Dixon

262696-001

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding space and security

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

St. Cloud Metro Treatment

St. Cloud

Daniel Dixon

262696-002

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding equipment

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

St. Cloud Metro Treatment

St. Cloud

Daniel Dixon

262696-003

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding a pharmacist being on duty at all times while the pharmacy is in operation

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

St. Cloud Metro Treatment

St. Cloud

Daniel Dixon

262696-005

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding having a pharmacist supervise support personnel at all times while the pharmacy is in operation

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Target Pharmacy T-694

Steven Darnell

Woodbury 260877-001

to allow the utilization of automated counting machines in the form of non-interfaced Baker cassettes in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that address the automated counting machine guidelines

Walgreen's #02769

White Bear Lake

Christina Weber

260852-002

to allow the utilization of the Yuyama automated counting device in the pharmacy Approved – Two Years

Walgreen's #02769

White Bear Lake

Christina Weber

260852-001

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Approved - Until 9/23/2010

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Walgreen's Pharmacy #828

Richfield

Hanh Trieu

200881-002

to allow the utilization of the automated Yuyama Vial Filling machine in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Walgreen's Pharmacy #828

Richfield

Hanh Trieu

200881-001

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Approved - Until 9/23/2010

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Walgreens Pharmacy 1737

Minneapolis

Andrew Marjala

200876-001

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Approved - Until 9/23/2010

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Walgreens Pharmacy 2509

Kerstin Hartzler

Edina 260810-001

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Approved - Until 9/23/2010

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Walgreens Pharmacy 2509

Edina

Kerstin Hartzler

260810-003

to allow the utilization of Baker Cells in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

PIC Changes Deferred:

Prairiestone Pharmacy #18

Minneapolis

Melanie Anderson

262984-002

to allow the utilization of AutoMed FastFill, QuickFill Plus, and WorkPath automated counting systems in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that include annual training and pharmacists certification of loading medication and returns to stock

Minnesota Board of Pharmacy

EIGHT HUNDRED AND SIXTH MEETING

At approximately 9:00 a.m., on July 14, 2010, the Minnesota Board of Pharmacy met in Conference Room A, at the University Park Plaza Building, 2829 University Avenue Southeast, Minneapolis, Minnesota, for the purpose of conducting a general business meeting. All members of the Board were in attendance. Also in attendance were the Board's Executive Director, Dr. Cody Wiberg, the Board's legal counsel, Assistant Attorney General Geoffrey Karls, and Board of Pharmacy staff, Ms. Candice Fleming, Mr. Stuart Vandenberg, Ms. Michele Mattila, and Ms. Patricia Eggers. The Board's President, Ms. Karen Bergrud, called the meeting to order.

The Board went into a closed session to discuss matters of a quasi-judicial nature.

The first item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Pharmacist Thomas Kriz, who has completed the requirements of his 2008 Order. Mr. Kris was present at the meeting. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information regarding Mr. Kriz' case. After a brief discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that Mr. Kriz be granted his petition for unrestricted license and that Executive Director Wiberg be empowered to sign an Order of Reinstatement for Unconditional License on the Board's behalf. The motion passed. The Board wished Mr. Kriz well in future endeavors.

The second item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of <u>Pharmacist Julie Connell</u>. The Board tabled this item due to the fact that Ms. Connell did not appear.

The Board returned to general session.

The Board next discussed the minutes of the May 12, 2010. Mr. Ikrum-Ul-Huq moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that the minutes of the meeting be approved. The motion passed.

Mr. Ikrum-UI-Huq moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded to approve the items on the consent agenda and to approve the consent agenda. The motion passed.

- Consent Agenda
 - o New Pharmacy Applications.
 - CVS Pharmacy 316-15th Avenue SE Minneapolis, MN 55455

Temporary PIC Veljko Gucic

Approve pending final inspection and naming of permanent PIC

 DegDeg's Carepoint Pharmacy 2711 Franklin Avenue Minneapolis, MN 55406

Temporary PIC Mowlid Balayah Approve pending final inspection

 Lake Region Cancer & Research Center 3908 South Cascade Fergus Falls, MN 56537

Temporary PIC Brett Leitch Approve pending final inspection and naming of permanent PIC

 North Memorial Pharmacy – Maple Grove 9825 Hospital Drive Maple Grove, MN 55369

Permanent PIC Candace Nguyen Approve pending final inspection

 Parkview Pharmacy @ WSU 175 Mark Street - WSU Winona, MN 55987

Permanent PIC Dan Sullivan Approve pending final inspection

- Variances
 - Variance Committee Report approve
- Continuing Education. CEATF Reports for the periods 03/10/2010 – 06/08/2010. Approve those recommended for approval and deny those recommended for denial
- Examination Committee
 - Exam Candidates Report approve

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Certificate Number	Name	Registration Number
10652	Christa M Nordlum	120031
10660	Chelsey L Carlson	120039
10676	Aaron George Brummer	120055
10591	Lucas Bradley Glarum	119968
10602	Ilya M Danelich	119979
10653	Beth Ann Zerr	120032
10657	Kari Ann Gaalswyk	120036
10675	Cara Rae Counter	120054
10674	Jonica Jean Hazaert	120053
10636	Ling Xu	120016
10596	Delford Ilara Doherty	119973
10604	Marit C Lindquist	119981
10594	Allison Jo Boddy	119971
10601	Nicole K Olson	119978
10603	Kari Lynn Eason	119980
10622	Jennie Marie Walby	120001
10654	Heidi E Schultz	120033
10658	Corey J Leinum	120037
10659	Kari Ann S Torma	120038
10621	Jennifer M Wilson	119999
10651	Michael Max Zyvoloski	120030
10590	Beau Brenden Haugrud	119967
10663	Robert J Choiniere	120042
10640	Tasha N Bekkerus	120020
10647	Kristen R Chisholm	120026
10619	Sean Nicholas McLister	119997
10613	Jacob Langness	119989
10605	Alexander Kindem Berg	119982
10588	Sofia A Byman	119965
10617	Kyle Jay Heller	119995
10626	Julie Ann Anderson	120005
10633	Brent James Vesta	120012
10599	Mathew K Hupila	119976
10600	Shawn B Zander	119977
10611	Preethi Krishnan	119991
10638	Meghan M Kelly	120018
10631	David Peter Reardon	120010
10656	Wade Michael Strop	120035
10661	Ryan Wesley Milbrandt	120040
10649	Brianne Marie Burmeister	120028

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10592	Amanda Kathleen Boo	119969
10637	Matthew P Lillyblad	120017
10632	Tien M Vuong	120011
10612	Lucas Alan Darling	119990
10593	Paul Alan Karow	119970
10664	Abigail Eileen Frank	120043
10589	Alyssa Rose Carlson	119966
10662	Thomas J Lofgren	120041
10648	Alex Leo Burchill	120027
10618	Matthew John Schille	119996
10620	Jacalyn Ann Laketa	119998
10630	Katherine Joan Hines	120009
10671	Anthony Baokim Tran	120050
10655	Melissa Medina Palomo	120034
10650	Carla Dawn Meyer	120029
10668	Amanda Marie Pasche	120047
10665	Benjamin W Fritchman	120044
10628	James Edgar Bischoff	120007
10597	Barbara Jean Egan	119974
10584	Virginia Eliason	119961
10579	Eric Graham Dorr	119956
10616	Jessica A Grassmann	119994
10623	Taya Marie Staples	120002
10644	Troy Harold Anderson	120023
10645	Amarnath Reddy Malladi	120024
10666	Alison Rapacz Knutson	120045
10669	Virginia Talcott Howe	120048
10635	Beth Marie Kauffman	120015
10634	Jenifer Lynn Morgan	120013
10629	LaNell G Staroba	120008
10624	Margaret Wallace	120003
10615	Stacy Louise Bates	119993
10614	Paul Heim	119992
10643	Elizabeth Mary Brisk	120022
10667	Kelly M Sederstrom	120046
10642	Jesse Earl Bandelin	120021
10677	Nicole Ann Engelmeyer	120000
10625	Jacob Carl Nelson	120004
10678	Laura E Brinster	120014
10639	Casey Charles Halcrow	120019
10646	Nellie E Berkenpas	120025

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10595	Stacey Lynn Rewitzer	119972
10598	Megan Witucki	119975
10679	Jenna L Bryce	119988
10670	Diane Michelle Deslauriers	120049
10672	Jacob Michael Maderich	120051
10673	Amanda Leigh Ersland	120052

Reciprocity Candidates Report - approve

Certificate Number	Name	Registration Number
10585	Jonathan O Schock	119962
10627	Melissa Goff	120006
10582	Jill M Mader	119959
10610	Darcy Kay Fuehrer	119987
10580	Matthew Jason Thunselle	119957
10587	Beata J Przebinda	119964
10609	Candace Louise Haugtvedt	119986
10608	Cassidy Beach	119985
10606	Brandon Haas	119983
10586	Martine H Antell	119963
10607	Daniel P Blakeley	119984
10583	Sarah Ann Cooper	119960
10581	Jamie L Jacobson	119958

The Board reviewed the remaining agenda for this meeting. Dr. Stacey Jassey moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the remaining agenda be approved. The motion passed.

The Board next discussed variances and policies deferred to the Board.

Delora Pufall

Request for variance to M.R. 6800.1250

Due to the fact that Ms. Pufall did not attend the meeting, the motion was not reconsidered.

Ken Buckley

o Request for exemption to Board Internship reporting policy After a discussion, Jr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the variance be approved pending Mr.

Buckley advising Dr. Wiberg on who his preceptor was so that Dr. Wiberg can request the preceptor to submit a signed and notorized affidavit stating that the preceptor did, in fact, fax the Progress Report Affidavit to the board in a timely manner and that they received a confirmation that the fax was sent. The motion passed with Mr. Carlton Crawford, Ms. Stacey Jassey, and Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq. Ms. Karen Bergrud voted to approve the motion. The motion passed.

· Jayne Reading Carter

o Variance to M.R. 6800.1300, subpart 4

After a discussion, Dr. Stacey Jassey moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded that the variance request be granted and that Ms. Carter be required to complete 800 hours of internship prior to being allowed to take the MPJE examination. The motion passed.

Susan McDermott

o Variance to M.R. 6800.1300, subpart 4

After a discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the variance request be granted and that Ms. McDermott be required to complete 800 hours of internship prior to being allowed to take the MPJE examination. The motion passed.

PharmaTrust™ MedCenter presentation

Present at the meeting were Mr. Matt Sneller, Vice President of Pharmacy Affairs with PharmaTrust, and Ms. Deborah Keaveny, pharmacy owner who submitted variances to use the PharmaTrust MedCenter System at Keaveny LTC Pharmacy. DirectCare Pharmacy (a subsidiary of PharmaTrust) intends to operate the PharmaTrust MedCenter Systems that are located in hospitals and clinics to dispense outpatient prescriptions directly to the patients. DirectCare Pharmacy intends to open a closed door pharmacy in the Minneapolis-St. Paul area staffed with pharmacists to remotely dispense prescriptions utilizing the PharmaTrust MedCenter System. After much discussion, it was determined that Mr. Sneller should meet with the Executive Director and Board of Pharmacy Surveyors to come up with guidelines for these machines.

Keaveny LTC Pharmacy

- New application and variance request for a telepharmacies in clinics in Belgrade and Eden Valley, MN using PharmaTrust™ MedCenter System.
 - Keaveny Drug MedCenter #1 505 Nelson Avenue Belgrade, MN 56313
 - Keaveny Drug MedCenter #2 248 Park Avenue Eden Valley, MN 55329

Present at the meeting was Ms. Deborah Keaveny. After much discussion and after asking for Ms. Keaveny's permission, Mr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Ikrum-Ul-Huq seconded that the variance request be deferred until the next variance meeting.

- Thrifty-White Telepharmacy Variances
 - o Clearbrook
 - o Fertile
 - Karlstad
 - o Renville

After a discussion regarding the telepharmacy services to the above locations from the Fargo, ND site, Mr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the variance be approved until the September 2010 Board meeting and direct staff to inform Thrifty White of the deficiencies that were found during the inspection by the inspectors and to inform Thrifty that they will need to present plans to correct these deficiencies prior to the Board meeting. The motion passed.

- Rochester Methodist
 - Variance to M.R. 6800.3200. Variance Committee recommends approval for 2 years

Present at the meeting were Ms. Karen Bergrud, Pharmacist-in-charge at Rochester Methodist. Presiding over this discussion was Dr. Stacey Jassey. After much discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the variance be approved for six months, during which time Ms. Bergrud will change the policies to eliminate the tech-check-tech wording and work with the Board on alternative scanning. The motion passed with Ms. Karen Bergrud abstaining.

 Variance to M.R. 6800.3950, M.R. 6800.7520. Variance Committee recommends permanent approval on condition that DEA requirements are met.

After some discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the variance be approved permanently on condition that DEA requirements are met. The motion passed with Ms. Karen Bergrud abstaining.

Ms. Bergrud again stepped in as president.

Dr. Stacey Jassey next presented the Board with information on the CPD Steering Committee. No action was taken at this time.

The Board received a request from Mr. Kurt Hanna, a citizen of the state of Minnesota, requesting that the Board engage in the rule-making process for the purpose of rescheduling marijuana from Schedule I to Schedule II. After much discussion, Ms. Laura Schwartzwald moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that staff has the authorization to deny engaging in the rule-making process.

Dr. Wiberg informed the Board as to the status of the Statement of Need and Reasonableness (SONAR). No action was taken at this time.

Dr. Wiberg then asked the Board to approve a new Authorizing Resolution as follows:

RESOLVED, that Cody Wiberg, the Executive Director of the Board Of Pharmacy, is hereby granted the authority and directed to sign and to give the Notice of the Board's Intent To Adopt Rules using Alternate Notices of whether a hearing will be held governing Pharmacy Practice and Drug Wholesaling, including Definitions, Applications for Pharmacy Licenses, Pharmacy License Categories, Transfers of Pharmacy Ownership, Pharmacy Counseling Areas, Supervision of Pharmacy Areas, Automated Counting Devices, Closing a Pharmacy. Applications for Pharmacist Licensure, Drug Manufacturer and Wholesaler Licensure, Registration of Pharmacy Technicians, Training and Educational Requirements for Pharmacy Technicians, Pharmacy Work Conditions, Unprofessional Conduct, Continuous Quality Improvement Programs, Answering Machines and Electronic Voice Recording Devices, Compounding, Prospective Drug Reviews, Patient Profiles, Transfer of Prescriptions between Pharmacies, Prepackaging and Labeling, Radiopharmaceutical Labeling, Veterinary Prescription Drug Labels, Interns and Preceptors, Consulting Services to Licensed Nursing Homes, Emergency Kits, Pharmaceutical Services Policies, Variances, and Medical Gas Distributor Registrations, Minnesota Rules, 6800.0100 et. seq. to all persons who have registered their names with

the Board for that purpose and publish the Notice and rules in the State Register, and to perform any and all acts incidental thereto.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that, if there are fewer than 25 outstanding hearing requests, Cody Wiberg, the Executive Director of the Board of Pharmacy, is hereby granted the authority and directed to sign the Order Adopting Rules and to perform any and all acts incidental thereto.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that, if there are 25 or more outstanding hearing requests, Cody Wiberg, the Executive Director of the Board of Pharmacy, is hereby granted the authority and directed to act as the Board's representative at the hearing and to perform any and all acts incidental thereto.

After some discussion, Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that Dr. Wiberg be authorized to make some changes to the rules. The motion passed.

After some more discussion, Ms. Laura Schwartzwald moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the resolution be approved. The motion passed.

Dr. Wiberg next asked the board for permission to begin the rule-making process for the purpose of amending the state's schedules of controlled substances. After some discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that Dr. Wiberg be granted authorization to begin the rule-making process. The motion passed.

Dr. Wiberg next presented the Board with an update on the Board's budget. No action was necessary.

Ms. Eggers next presented the Board with information she has received on a new travel procedure that the state will begin using. No action was necessary at this time.

Mr. Keith Hovland next introduced Ms. Sojourner Killingsworth to the Board and together they updated the Board on the Minnesota Prescription Monitoring Program. No action was taken at this time.

The Board next discussed the NABP/AACP District V Meeting in Iowa. No action was taken at this time.

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There being no further business requiring action by the Board, Mr. James Koppen moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion occurred at approximately 2:24 PM. Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded the motion. The motion passed.

PRESIDENT

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Variance Committee Report of June 23, 2010 for Board Meeting of July 14, 2010

Attendees: Stacey Jassey, Kay Hanson, Candice Fleming, Michele Mattila, Stu Vandenberg, Karen Bergrud, Mindi Jorgenson, Jamie Sinclair, Kathryn Schultz, Matt Sneller, Deborah Keaveny, Jill Strykowski, Daniel Niznick, Scott Dickson, Doug Smith, Emily Austin, Holly Nestegard, Patty Haack, and Mona Hohman

Meeting Appointments:

10:00

St. Mary's Hospital Pharmacy

Kevin Dillon

Rochester 201162-010

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Mary's Hospital Pharmacy for Cannon Falls Medical Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - Until 02/01/2011

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Cannon Falls Medical Center

Mindi Jorgenson

Cannon Falls 262762-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Mary's Hospital Pharmacy for Cannon Falls Medical Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - Until 02/01/2011

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

11:30

Regina Medical Center Pharmacy

Hastings

Jenifer Watters

200308-003

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by Unity Hospital Pharmacy for Regina Medical Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - Six Months

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Unity Hospital Pharmacy

Fridley

Daniel Niznick

260414-006

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by Unity Hospital Pharmacy for Regina Medical Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - Six Months

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

1:00

HealthEast St. Joseph's Hospital Pharmacy

St. Paul

Jamie Sinclair

200545-002

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by HealthEast St. Joseph's Hospital Pharmacy for HealthEast Bethesda Hospital Pharmacy when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - Two Years

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

HealthEast Bethesda Hospital Pharmacy

St. Paul

Kathryn Schultz

260468-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by HealthEast St. Joseph's Hospital Pharmacy for HealthEast Bethesda Hospital Pharmacy when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved – Two Years

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

1:30

PharmaTrust - DirectCare Pharmacv

Bloomington

Matt Sneller

Pending

to allow the pharmacy to provide telepharmacy service in Minnesota

Deferred to the Board

Keaveny LTC Pharmacy #210

Cokato

Deborah Keaveny

263430-001

to allow the pharmacy to manage a telepharmacy in Belgrade, MN and to not have a pharmacist on duty at all times

Deferred to the Board

2:00 (Conference call 630-776-1364)

Cardinal Health Pharmacy Services, LLC

Westmont, IL

Timothy Larson

263447-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by Cardinal Health in Westmont, IL for Virginia Regional Medical Center, Winona Health Services Hospital, Naeve Hospital, and the Sanford Hospitals located in Luverne, Jackson, Canby, and Worthington when the hospital pharmacies are closed from normal business hours

Approved - One Year

On condition that there is an on-site inspection of the camera equipment at one of the Sanford sites

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Sanford Canby Medical Center Canby
Dean Fenenga 260420-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders for Sanford Canby Medical Center by Cardinal Health in Westmont, IL

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Sanford Hospital Luverne Pharmacy

Luverne

Emilly Eben

200294-002

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders for Sanford Hospital Luverne by Cardinal Health in Westmont, IL

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Sanford Jackson Medical Center

Jackson

Holly Nestegard

202400-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders for Sanford Jackson Medical Center by Cardinal Health in Westmont, IL

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Sanford Regional Hospital Worthington

Worthington

Patricia Haack

200547-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders for Sanford Regional Hospital Worthington by Cardinal Health in Westmont, IL

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

New Variances:

Abbott Northwestern Hospital Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Kristine Gullickson

201004-003

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the DEA regulations are met

Cash Wise Clinic Pharmacy

Willmar

Dennis Schaefbauer

261616-003

to allow the utilization of the PharmAssist Symphony Plus System in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 09/10/2009.)

Approved - Two Years

Cash Wise Pharmacy

Ricky Hurd

Owatonna 260962-003

to allow the utilization of the PharmAssist Symphony Plus Workflow System in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 06/06/2008.)

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that meet the Board's guidelines

Cash Wise Pharmacy

Hutchinson

Laura Longie

261002-003

to allow the utilization of PharmAssist Symphony Plus Workflow and Automated Dispensing System with barcode scanning and with prescription imagery in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 06/04/2009.)

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that meet the Board's guidelines

Cub Pharmacy #1935/764

St. Paul

Jonathan Rechtiene

262408-003

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier - (Original variance expired on 09/10/2009.)

Approved - Permanently

Cub Pharmacy #1935/764

St. Paul

Jonathan Rechtiene

262408-004

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication - (Original variance expired on 09/10/2009.)

Approved - Permanently

CVS/pharmacy #3205

Minneapolis

Kara Engleka

263414-001

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

Fairview Compounding Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Gary Carlson

262526-003

to allow the pharmacy to maintain a non-contiguous storage space for supplies

Approved - Permanently

Fairview Home Infusion

Minneapolis

Charles Cooper

262531-001

to allow the pharmacy to maintain a storage space located within an adjacent pharmacy

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Fairview Infusion Services Minneapolis
Michael Doyle 263532-001

to allow Fairview Infusion Services to share equipment with Fairview University Clinic **Denied**

You may reapply to not have non-sterile compounding equipment for your pharmacy

Fairview Pharmacy Services

31 different locations

Lisa Ganske

to allow certification utilizing medication image and electronic pharmacist certification Approved – One Year

Fairview Ridges Hospital Pharmacy

Burnsville

Craig Else

260113-003

to allow the utilization of the Tech-Check-Tech program in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 09/19/2008.)

Deferred

Fairview University Clinic Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Timothy Boonstra

262549-003

to allow Fairview Infusion Services to share equipment with Fairview University Clinic **Denied**

First Choice Pharmacy

Gaylord

Jill Reinhardt

262566-002

to allow the utilization of a telepharmacy from Gaylord to Henderson - (Original variance expired on 12/6/07.)

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

HCMC FMC Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Gretchen Smaciarz

262113-003

to allow the filling of refills from all four HCMC pharmacy locations, even if the original prescription was filled in one of the other HCMC pharmacy locations (the request being these transactions are treated as refills rather than prescription

Variance is not required as long as you meet the MN Rule 6800.4075 for central fill pharmacies

HCMC G-1 Pharmacy

Mark Holtan

Minneapolis 262928-002

to allow the filling of refills from all four HCMC pharmacy locations, even if the original prescription was filled in one of the other HCMC pharmacy locations (the request being these transactions are treated as refills rather than prescription

Variance is not required as long as you meet the MN Rule 6800.4075 for central fill pharmacies

HCMC P-1 Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Heather Renteria

261234-002

to allow the filling of refills from all four HCMC pharmacy locations, even if the original prescription was filled in one of the other HCMC pharmacy locations (the request being these transactions are treated as refills rather than prescription

Variance is not required as long as you meet the MN Rule 6800.4075 for central fill pharmacies

HCMC R-L Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Brian Howard

262931-004

to allow the filling of refills from all four HCMC pharmacy locations, even if the original prescription was filled in one of the other HCMC pharmacy locations (the request being these transactions are treated as refills rather than prescription

Variance is not required as long as you meet the MN Rule 6800.4075 for central fill pharmacies

Lake Region Cancer Research Center

Fergus Falls

Brett Leitch

Pending

to allow the pharmacist to be the pharmacist-in-charge at 2 locations

Approved - Six Months

Lake Region Cancer Research Center

Fergus Falls

Brett Leitch

Pending

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding having the equipment necessary to maintain a non-hazardous drug mixing area

Approved - Permanently

Lake Region Cancer Research Center

Fergus Falls

Brett Leitch

Pending

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding having the required amount of square footage in the pharmacy

Approved - One Year

On condition that your space meets the MN Rules regarding counter space, lighting, and space that safely meets the workload for patient prescriptions

Main Street Pharmacy Osseo
Randall Hohbein 260532-001

to allow the utilization of Baker cells in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that meet the Board's guidelines

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy

Rochester

Brent Ferguson

260408-004

to allow the pharmacy to operate in a non-continuous space

Denied

Merwin IV & Specialty Pharmacy

New Hope

Mark Brugman

262734-001

to allow the implementation of the CPR+ computer system in the pharmacy for storing and organizing patient information electronically

Approved – One Year

On condition that any original paper hard copy prescription is maintained for two years to meet MN Statute 151.211

Omnicare - Minnesota

Crystal

Carisa Finke

261366-012

to allow the utilization of a document imaging computer system in the pharmacy in the form of ESKER (automated electronic document delivery) and Image Now (document imaging)

Approved - One Year

On condition that any original paper hard copy prescription is maintained for two years to meet MN Statute 151.211

Owatonna Hospital

Owatonna

Jeffrey Bouman

260447-003

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the DEA regulations are met

Phillips Eye Institute Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Jay Dahlstrom

260484-004

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved – Permanently

As long as the DEA regulations are met

Progressive Healthcare

Bemidji 261121-001

Jennifer Hazelton

to allow the pharmacy to keep additional IV fluids and supplies in the IV supply kits that they provide to sub-acute patients in long term care facilities

Denied

The prescription medications must be labeled with patient specific information

St. Mary's Medical Center Pharmacy

Duluth

Jillene Cernohous

200207-002

to allow the utilization of the Tech-Check-Tech program in the pharmacy

Denied

The Tech-Check-Tech program may only be approved for individual unit dose daily cart fill or automation distribution

Target Pharmacy T-100

Minnetonka

Ryan Vitzthum

259861-002

to allow the utilization of non-interfaced Baker cassettes in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 02/28/2008.)

Approved - Two Years

Target Pharmacy T-1351

Rochester

James Johnson

262014-002

to allow the utilization of non-interfaced Baker cassettes in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 02/28/2008.)

Approved - Two Years

Target Pharmacy T-1375

Minneapolis

Tony Grier

262053-004

to allow the utilization of non-interfaced Baker cassettes in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Target Pharmacy T-3

Crystal

Lori Borchardt

200195-002

to allow the utilization of non-interfaced Baker cassettes in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 10/18/2008.)

Approved - Two Years

Target Pharmacy T-643

Apple Valley

Rykart Sharpe

260713-002

to allow the utilization of non-interfaced Baker cassettes in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 09/13/2008.)

Approved - Two Years

Target Pharmacy T-659

Bret Steffen

Baxter 260798-002

to allow the utilization of an automated counting machine in the form of non-interfaced Baker cassettes in the pharmacy- (Original variance expired on 2/28/08.)

Approved - Two Years

Target Pharmacy T-68

St. Paul

Amber Turrentine

205422-003

to allow the utilization of non-interfaced Baker cassettes in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 10/15/2009.)

Approved - Two Years

Thrifty White Drug #731

Bemidji

David Robinson

260388-002

to allow the pharmacy to operate a non-contingent drive-thru utilizing a pneumatic tube system

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that include counseling for all prescriptions

Thrifty White Drug #747

Clearbrook

Coralyn Strodtman

262269-001

to allow the utilization of a telepharmacy

Deferred to the Board

Walgreens #06447

Mounds View

Karen Gams

262031-002

to allow the utilization of Yuyama in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Walgreens #06489

Walgreens #07812

Shakopee

Elana Rosen

261993-003

to allow the utilization of Yuyama in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Rogers

Aaron Theis

262372-003

to allow a utilization of Baker cells in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 07/16/2009.)

Approved - Two Years

Walgreens #13163 Kendra Snell

Grand Rapids 263503-001

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Approved - Until 09/23/2010

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Walgreens Pharmacy #2196

Minneapolis

Justin Richard

260545-003

to allow the utilization of Baker counting cells in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 03/05/2009.)

Approved - Two Years

New Variances Deferred:

Omnicare - Minnesota

Crystal

Carisa Finke

261366-011

to allow the utilization of an on demand unit dose packaging machine in the pharmacy

Approved- One Year

Extensions to Current Variances:

Albany Area Hospital Pharmacy

Albany

William Seiler

260662-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by ePharmacist Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives) in Fargo, ND for Albany Area Hospital in Albany when the above hospital pharmacy is closed after normal

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that include the pharmacists' scheduled 5 day a week pharmacy service

Buffalo Hospital Pharmacy

Buffalo

Dawn Hagen

200454-002

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the DEA regulations are met

Cambridge Medical Center Pharmacy Cambridge Scott Skelton 200635-004

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the DEA regulations are met

East Side Family Clinic Pharmacy

St. Paul

May Lo

263192-002

to allow accountability in the prescription filling process for technicians and pharmacists with unique individual daily barcodes

Approved - Permanently

ePharmacist Direct Shelley Doherty-Johnsen Fargo, ND 263413-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by ePharmacist Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives) in Fargo, ND for St. Mary's Innovis in Detroit Lakes, LifeCare Medical Center in Roseau, St. Francis Health Care in Breckenridge, Lakewood Health Center in Baudette, St. Gabriel's Hospital in Little Falls, St. Joseph's Hospital in Park Rapids, and the new addition of Albany Area Hospital in Albany when the above hospital pharmacies are closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - One Year

On condition that the hours of coverage do not include vacation coverage and Albany responds with 5 day a week pharmacy service

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

First Choice Pharmacy of Henderson

Henderson

Jill Reinhardt

262694-002

to allow the utilization of a telepharmacy from Gaylord to Henderson

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Int'l Falls Memorial Hospital Assoc. dba

International Falls

Richard Peterson

201049-002

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by Professional Pharmacy Associates for Falls Memorial Hospital when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Goodrich Pharmacy St Francis

Michelle Johnson

St. Francis 262083-001

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro 200 automated dispensing machine in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

On condition that the training is on-going

Lakewood Health Pharmacy

Baudette

Thomas Mio

261569-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by ePharmacist Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives)in Fargo, ND for Lakewood Health Pharmacy when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

LifeCare Medical Center

Roseau

Judy Mattson

259998-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by ePharmacist Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives)in Fargo, ND for LifeCare Medical Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Medsave Family Pharmacy

Bemidji

Richard Chernugal

259951-002

to allow the utilization of the McKesson Pharmacy Navigator Workflow System and the Parata Robotic Dispensing System (RDS) in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Mercy Hospital Pharmacy

Coon Rapids

Brent Kosel

260411-002

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the DEA regulations are met

New Ulm Medical Center Pharmacy

New Ulm

Reid Horning

260416-003

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the DEA regulations are met

Park Nicollet Pharmacy St. Louis Park Kim McClarnon 260794-001

to allow the utilization of ScriptPro SP 200 in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that address if improvements have occurred due to errors and that meet the AMCM guidelines

Professional Pharmacy Associates Waupaca, WI Matt Sanger 263394-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by Professional Pharmacy Associates for Falls Memorial Hospital when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Rochester Methodist Hospital Pharmacy Rochester
Karen Bergrud 200540-006

to allow Mayo Clinic Rochester to utilize physician order imaging/scanning technology in the hospital pharmacy setting

Deferred to the Board

Rochester Methodist Hospital Pharmacy Rochester
Karen Bergrud 200540-011

to allow the utilization of automated technology for prepacking unit dose for patient specific doses and for filling medstation-specific Pyxis machines in the pharmacy

Deferred to the Board

St. Francis Regional Medical Center Pharmacy Shakopee Margaret Schmidt 200746-002

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the DEA regulations are met

St. Olaf Pharmacy Blooming Prairie
Nancy Cope

Blooming Prairie
263437-001

to allow the operation of the St. Olaf Pharmacy in Austin to telepharmacy to the St. Olaf Pharmacy in Blooming Prairie

Approved – One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

St. Francis Medical Center Pharmacy

Lori Meyer

Breckenridge 261077-002

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by ePharmacist Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives) in Fargo, ND for St. Francis Medical Center in Breckenridge when the above hospital pharmacy is

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

St. Gabriels Hospital Pharmacy

Little Falls

Howard Kenna

201045-004

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by ePharmacist Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives)in Fargo, ND for St. Gabriel's Hospital when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

St. Joseph's Area Health Services

Park Rapids

Scott Kosel

261076-002

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by ePharmacist Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives)in Fargo, ND for St. Joseph's Area Health Services when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter The Variance Committee suggests a possible expansion of hours

St. Mary Regional Health Center

Detroit Lakes

Linda Sethre

261628-003

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by ePharmacist Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives) in Fargo, ND for St. Mary Regional Health Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter The Variance Committee suggests a possible expansion of hours

St. Mary's Hospital Pharmacy

Rochester

Kevin Dillon

201162-008

to allow the utilization of automated technology for prepacking unit dose for patient specific doses and for filling medstation-specific Pyxis machines in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

St. Mary's Hospital Pharmacy

Kevin Dillon

Rochester 201162-004

to allow Mayo Clinic Rochester to utilize physician order imaging/scanning technology in the hospital pharmacy setting

Approved - Permanently

As long as the DEA regulations are met

St. Mary's Hospital Pharmacy

Rochester

Kevin Dillon

201162-002

to allow two pharmacy technicians to waste and witness excess controlled substances returned to the pharmacy from anesthesiology

Approved - Two Years

As long as MPCA and DEA regulations are met

St. Olaf Pharmacy

Austin

Rick Knoll

260579-001

to allow the operation of the St. Olaf Pharmacy in Austin to telepharmacy to the St.

Olaf Pharmacy in LeRoy and Blooming Prairie

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

St. Olaf Pharmacy - Leroy

LeRoy

James Crussel

263370-001

to allow the operation of the St. Olaf Pharmacy in Austin to telepharmacy to the St. Olaf Pharmacy in LeRoy

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Target Pharmacy T-1352

Chaska

Frederick Chomilo

262054-001

to allow the utilization of Baker cassettes in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send your errors and training documentation to the Board

Target Pharmacy T-2200

Fridley

William Johnson

262879-002

to allow the utilization of non-interfaced Baker cassettes in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Target Pharmacy T-240

Brooklyn Center

Robert Stroncek

260311-001

to allow the utilization of non-interfaced Baker cassettes in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send your errors and training documentation to the Board

Target Pharmacy T-931

Joel Adamic

Stillwater 261140-001

to allow the utilization of automated Baker cell cassettes in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send your errors and training documentation to the Board

Thrifty Nystrom Drug #739

Brainerd

Brian Haug

261492-002

to allow the inclusion of oral Lorazepam, other psychiatric drugs, and antibiotics in the emergency kit at the State-Operated Community Behavioral Health Hospital in Baxter

Approved - One Year

Thrifty White Drug #742

Morris

Jenny Gibson

262006-001

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro SP200 automated counting machine in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Thrifty White Drug #746

Bagley

Steven Beltz

262270-002

to allow the utilization of ScriptPro SP 100 in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Thrifty White Drug #750

Fertile

Dianna Erickson

262300-002

to allow the utilization of a telepharmacy

Deferred to the Board

Thrifty White Drug #756

Karlstad

Michael Lasalle

262514-002

to allow the utilization of a telepharmacy

Deferred to the Board

United Hospital Pharmacy

St. Paul

Lisa Gersema

200452-004

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the DEA regulations are met

Unity Hospital Pharmacy

Fridley

Daniel Niznick

260414-004

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the DEA regulations are met

Extensions to Current Variances Deferred:

Thrifty White Pharmacy #765

Rebecca McCleery

Renville 262594-001

to allow the utilization of a telepharmacy

Deferred to the Board

PIC Changes:

Cash Wise Pharmacy #9

Waite Park

Jason Franke

260398-003

to allow the utilization of the PharmAssist Symphony Plus System in the pharmacy -

(Original variance expired on 2/28/10.) - (Conditions)

Deferred

Within 30 days, send updated policies and procedures that meet the Board's guidelines and include pharmacist certification

Cub Pharmacy # 1640/768

Savage

Cecelia Byers

262352-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved - Permanently

Cub Pharmacy # 1640/768

Savage

Cecelia Byers

262352-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved - Permanently

Cub Pharmacy #1632/691

Monticello

Angela Maas

261596-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved - Permanently

Cub Pharmacy #1632/691

Angela Maas

Monticello 261596-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved - Permanently

Cub Pharmacy #1928/701

Shakopee

Rachael Wentworth

261594-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved - Permanently

Cub Pharmacy #1928/701

Shakopee

Rachael Wentworth

261594-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital

image of the medication

Approved - Permanently

CVS Pharmacy #1683

Brooklyn Center

Rebecca Cebuhar

262719-001

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

CVS Pharmacy #241

Farmington

Paula Opheim

263104-001

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

CVS/Pharmacy #05996

Minneapolis

Ada Stasny

262507-002

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

CVS/Pharmacy #07060

St. Paul

Michelle Lorentz

262508-002

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

Fairmont Medical Center - Mayo Health

Janel Buseman

Fairmont 200992-001

to allow staff pharmacists the ability to enter after hours medication orders from a remote location

Approved - Until 02/01/2011

HealthPartners Riverside Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Michael Beck

260748-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved – Permanently

HealthPartners Riverside Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Michael Beck

260748-003

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

HealthPartners Riverside Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Michael Beck

260748-004

to allow the utilization of the electronic initialing during certification by the pharmacist

Approved - Permanently

North Country Regional Hospital Pharmacy

Bemidii

Rvan Lee

200888-001

to allow the use of an Automated Distribution System (ADS) in the form of a Pyxis

system at an off-site location

Approved - Two Years

North Country Regional Hospital Pharmacy

Bemidji

Ryan Lee

200888-002

to allow the utilization of electronic scanning of physician's original orders

Approved - Permanently

As long as the DEA regulations are met

St. Paul Metro Treatment Center

Roseville

Jeffrey Chomiuk

261485-001

to allow an exemption to the Board's rule regarding having a pharmacist on duty at all times

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

St. Paul Metro Treatment Center

Jeffrey Chomiuk

Roseville 261485-005

to allow an exemption to the Board's rule regarding having certain equipment

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

St. Paul Metro Treatment Center

Roseville

Jeffrey Chomiuk

261485-002

to allow unit doses of Methadone to be prepared at Whitney Labs for St. Paul Metro

Treatment Center

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Walgreens #12592

Fergus Falls

Raymond Traut

263374-001

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Approved - Until 09/23/2010

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

West Side Comm Health Services Pharmacy

St. Paul

Oscar Benavidez

262084-002

to allow accountability in the prescription filling process for technicians and pharmacists with unique individual daily barcodes

Approved - Permanently

West Side Comm Health Services Pharmacy

St. Paul

Oscar Benavidez

262084-003

to allow an exemption to the Board's rule regarding maintaining compounding equipment

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge and the pharmacy practice remain the same

West Side Comm Health Services Pharmacy

St. Paul

Oscar Benavidez

262084-001

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro SP 200 Robotic Prescription Dispensing

System in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days send updated policies and procedures to meet automated counting machine guidelines

PIC Changes Deferred:

Cash Wise Pharmacy #9 Jason Franke

Waite Park 260398-002

to allow the pharmacy to operate a pneumatic tube system drive through that is connected to the building that houses the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

Coborn's Pharmacy

Little Falls

Gary Sperl

261254-002

to allow the operation of a pneumatic tube system drive through that is connected to the side of the building that houses the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

Target Pharmacy T-694

Woodbury

Steven Darnell

260877-001

to allow the utilization of automated counting machines in the form of non-interfaced Baker cassettes in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Minnesota Board of Pharmacy

EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTH MEETING

At approximately 9:00 a.m., on September 15, 2010, the Minnesota Board of Pharmacy met in Conference Room A, at the University Park Plaza Building, 2829 University Avenue Southeast, Minneapolis, Minnesota, for the purpose of conducting a general business meeting. All members of the Board were in attendance. Also in attendance were the Board's Executive Director, Dr. Cody Wiberg, the Board's legal counsel, Assistant Attorney General Geoffrey Karls, and Board of Pharmacy staff, Ms. Candice Fleming, Mr. Stuart Vandenberg, Mr. Leslie Kotek, and Ms. Patricia Eggers. The Board's President, Ms. Karen Bergrud, called the meeting to order.

The Board went into a closed session to discuss matters of a quasi-judicial nature.

The first item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was a hearing in the case of pharmacist Michel Pobuda. Her case came before the Board due to an alleged violation of her disciplinary order. Ms. Pobuda was not present at the hearing. Mr. Hart, the Board's advising attorney, presented the Board with instructions. At that point, Dr. Wiberg, Dr. Jassey, Ms. Kay Hanson and Mr. Karls left the hearing so that the Board could deliberate. Mr. Hart advised the Board on legal requirements and the options available. After a discussion, Mr. Jim Koppen moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded that the Board accept the Findings of Fact, Conclusions, and Final Order proposed by the Complaint Review Panel. Ms. Karen Bergrud will sign the Findings of Fact, Conclusions, and Final Order. The motion passed

The second item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Mr. Daniel Jonas, who petitioned the Board for reinstatement of his suspended license. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information regarding Mr. Jonas' case. Mr. Jonas was present at the meeting and presented information in support of his petition. After a brief discussion, Ms. Laura Schwartzwald moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that Mr. Jonas' request be denied. The motion passed.

The third item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Pharmacist Laura Mahlendorf, who petitioned the Board to have certain conditions removed from her disciplinary order. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information regarding Ms. Mahlendorf's case. Ms. Mahlendorf was present at the meeting and presented information in support of her petition. After a brief discussion, Ms. Kay Hanson moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded that Ms. Mahlendorf's order be amended wherein part E, paragraph 2 G & H are removed and paragraph I is modified to reflect that the prohibition against being a traveler or temporary pharmacist be lifted and replaced by a prohibition that prevents her from working for more than one employer simultaneously or a temporary staffing agency and that Executive Director Dr. Cody Wiberg be empowered to sign a new Order on the Board's behalf. The motion passed.

The fourth item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of pharmacist Amy Swanson, who petitioned to have an unrestricted license reinstated. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information regarding Ms. Swanson's case. Ms. Swanson was present at the meeting and presented information in support of her petition. After a brief discussion, Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that Ms. Swanson's petition be granted and that Executive Director Cody Wiberg sign an Order of Unconditional License on the Board's behalf. The motion passed.

The fifth item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Mr. Gregory Schouweiler. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information on the case and with a proposed Stipulation and Consent Order (SCO). The SCO was developed subsequent to a conference held with Mr. Schouweiler on August 18, 2010, at which an allegation of failing to certify prescriptions and conduct quality assurance checks on prescriptions according to board rules and an allegation of dispensing a controlled substance for a family member without a legal prescription were considered. The proposed SCO has been agreed to and signed by Mr. Schouweiler. After discussion, Ms. Kay Hanson moved and Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq seconded that the Board accept the proposed SCO and that Dr. Wiberg be empowered to sign the order on the Board's behalf. The motion passed.

The Board returned to general session.

The Board next discussed the minutes of the July 14, 2010. Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that the minutes of the meeting be approved. The motion passed.

Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded to approve the items on the consent agenda and to approve the consent agenda. The motion passed.

- Consent Agenda
 - o New Pharmacy Applications.
 - Coborn's Pharmacy #2042 1010 E. Enterprize Drive Belle Plaine, MN 56011

Temporary PIC Thomas DeBoer Approve pending final inspection and naming of permanent PIC

 Goodrich Pharmacy Fridley Suite 180 480 Osborn Road Fridley, MN 55432 Temporary PIC Scott Benson Approve pending final inspection and naming of permanent PIC

 Sam's Club Pharmacy 10-8183 207 County Road 120 Sartell, MN 56377

Permanent PIC Darin Bucholz Final inspection done by Candice Fleming on 8/19/10 Approve

- o Variances
 - Variance Committee Report approve
- Continuing Education. CEATF Reports for the periods 7/01/2010 – 08/10/2010. Approve those recommended for approval and deny those recommended for denial
- Examination Committee
 - Examination Candidates Report approve

Certificate Number	Name	Original Licensure Date	Registration Number
10680	Kelly Jean Marrs	07/02/2010	120056
10681	Melissa A Siers	07/02/2010	120057
10682	Mary Jo Vierkant	07/02/2010	120058
10683	Jenna Senora Phelps	07/02/2010	120059
10684	Jennifer J Ellison	07/02/2010	120060
10685	Kathryn Belle Nordick	07/02/2010	120061
10687	Ashlee Nicole Kinzel	07/02/2010	120063
10688	Katherine M Deering	07/02/2010	120064
10689	Daniel Carroll Wahl	07/02/2010	120065
10690	Luke Thomas Merkel	07/02/2010	120067
10691	Pamela S Ekern	07/02/2010	120068
10692	Yevgeniya Rabets	07/02/2010	120069
10693	Alida Erin Casey	07/02/2010	120070
10694	Brenna Marie Kane	07/02/2010	120071
10696	Jay Jangsoo Yun	07/02/2010	120073

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10697	Katherine Marie Backes	07/02/2010	120074
10699	Christine S Zenzen	07/06/2010	120076
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10701	Heather Marie McGinnis	07/06/2010	120078
10702	Lindsey C Yzermans	07/06/2010	120079
10703	Jennifer May Sparrow	07/06/2010	120080
10704	John C Sandstrom	07/06/2010	120081
10705	Jill Nicole Condon	07/06/2010	120082
10706	Erin Ann Olson	07/06/2010	120083
10707	Lynn Renae Herbranson	07/06/2010	120085
10708	Ashley R Gray	07/06/2010	120086
10709	John Thomas Krier	07/06/2010	120087
10710	Christine M Johnson	07/06/2010	120088
10711	Angella Marie Hegdahl	07/07/2010	120089
10712	Heather Leigh Lorenz	07/08/2010	120090
10713	Hatice Lavonne Gagne	07/07/2010	120091
10714	Jenny L Rivera	07/07/2010	120092
10715	Kelly M Gulbrandson	07/07/2010	120093
10716	Anna E Battcher	07/08/2010	120094
10717	Krista Lee Huot	07/08/2010	120095
10718	Lucas E Swingley	07/08/2010	120096
10719	Megan Anne Clairmont	07/07/2010	120097
10720	Dianna Tevy Seng	07/08/2010	120098
10721	Whitney Jean Goede	07/08/2010	120099
10722	Kristen Briana Zorich	07/08/2010	120100
10725	Christopher A Olson	07/09/2010	120103
10726	Kathryn V Pedersen	07/09/2010	120104
10727	Cortney B Hindahl	07/09/2010	120105
10728	Timothy James Mitzen	07/09/2010	120106
10729	Siri Waytulonis	07/09/2010	120107
10730	Maureen Odile Hickey	07/09/2010	120108
10731	Jeong Min Ym	07/09/2010	120109
10732	Kristen Melius	07/09/2010	120110
10733	Anna A Christensen	07/12/2010	120111
10734	Danielle M Hirsch	07/12/2010	120112
10735	Bhushan Gadam	07/12/2010	120113
10736	Kari L Ridlehoover	07/12/2010	120114
10737	Eddu Oparie-Addoh	07/12/2010	120115
10738	Lauren Elizabeth Haak	07/12/2010	120116
10739	Jennifer Rae Lissick	07/12/2010	120117
10740	Rebecca L R Guenther	07/12/2010	120118

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10741	Mark Janku	07/12/2010	120119
10742	Jennifer Susan Steel	07/12/2010	120120
10743	Tessa Lynn Lahr	07/13/2010	120121
10744	Tiffany Leigh Schmidt	07/13/2010	120122
10745	Laura Rebecca Hansen	07/13/2010	120123
10746	Allison Leigh Schons	07/13/2010	120124
10747	William J Planton	07/14/2010	120125
10748	Kristina Degiovanni	07/14/2010	120126
10749	Katherine E King	07/14/2010	120127
10750	Brittany Joy Allen	07/15/2010	120128
10751	Kristin J Slocum	07/15/2010	120129
10752	Tara Kathleen Piastowski	07/15/2010	120130
10753	Laura L Pollak	07/16/2010	120131
10754	April M Sondag	07/16/2010	120132
10755	Vanessa L Fischer	07/16/2010	120133
10756	Kayla Schroeer	07/16/2010	120134
10757	Jill Marie Topeff	07/16/2010	120135
10758	Paul C Morales	07/16/2010	120136
10759	Amy Marie Kauffman	07/16/2010	120137
10760	Sara Ann Metzer	07/19/2010	120138
10761	Rachel Patrice Baker	07/19/2010	120139
10762	Thao T Nguyen	07/19/2010	120140
10763	Tyler W Waller	07/20/2010	120141
10764	Jessica K Hummel	07/20/2010	120142
10765	Samuel Annor Oduro	07/21/2010	120143
10766	Megan Marie Pruter	07/21/2010	120144
10767	Kai G Viergutz	07/21/2010	120145
10768	Jennifer Delia Chudy	07/21/2010	120146
10769	Jena Koshaish	07/23/2010	120147
10770	Anastasiya N Shtulman	07/23/2010	120148
10771	Clay Funkhouser	07/23/2010	120149
10772	Philip Valdes	07/23/2010	120150
10773	Lindsey A Sorn	07/26/2010	120151
10774	James Gregory Cross	07/26/2010	120152
10775	Andrew Joseph Thoreson	07/26/2010	120153
10776	Melissa Lea Nelson	07/27/2010	120154
10777	Douglas T Wunderich	07/27/2010	120155
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10778	Okere	07/27/2010	120156
10779	Theresa Anne Emond	07/28/2010	120157
10780	Jason Lloyd Moore	7/28/2010	120158

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10781	Ross Andrew Narloch	07/28/2010	120159
10782	Lindsey Rae Wrigley	07/28/2010	120160
10786	Jill S Streiff	07/30/2010	120164
10787	Alex O'Brien Hasek	07/30/2010	120165
10788	Corrine Lynne Webster	07/30/2010	120168
10789	Susan Jackie Van Loon	07/30/2010	120167
10790	Nicole E DeSchepper	07/30/2010	120166
10791	Elvis Dinga Gwanyalla	08/02/2010	120169
10792	Kingsly N Fombe	08/02/2010	120170
10793	Bryan C McCarthy Jr	08/03/2010	120171
10794	Joshua Woods	08/05/2010	120172
10797	Alexia Jess Knick	08/06/2010	120175
10798	Josef W Czerniecki	08/09/2010	120176
10799	James Michael Mikula	08/09/2010	120177
10800	Anna Tu Tran	08/09/2010	120178
10801	Courtney Jo Smith	08/09/2010	120179
10802	Jema Lynn Marsolek	08/10/2010	120180
10803	Faith E Wentzel	08/11/2010	120181
10804	Nicholas Blaine Dunbar	08/11/2010	120182
10805	Nicholas Blaine Dunbar	08/11/2010	120182
10806	Jacob Peter Reuter	08/13/2010	120183
10807	Kristen Marie Francis	08/16/2010	120184
10808	James Oscar LaBerge	08/17/2010	120185
10809	Luke Richard Palmer	08/17/2010	120186
10810	Jennifer S Chen	08/18/2010	120187
10811	Michael M Sulzbach	08/20/2010	120188
10812	Tony Jerry Abraham	08/20/2010	120189
10818	Elizabeth Burchill	08/23/2010	120194
10819	Matthew Scott Ditmore	08/24/2010	120195
10820	Brandon J Bloomgren	08/27/2010	120196
10821	Maari Lynn Loy	08/30/2010	120197
10822	Lisa M Hlavenka	08/30/2010	120198
10823	Elliot D Klapperich	09/01/2010	120199
10824	Matthew H Kramer	7/2/2010	120066
10825	Laura Akerman	7/6/2010	120084

Reciprocity Candidates Report - approve

Certificate Number	Name	Original Licensure Date	Registration Number
10686	Charles Lloyd Barr, Jr.	07/02/2010	120062
10695	Megan Rose Leloux	07/02/2010	120072
10698	Zachary J. Pollock	07/02/2010	120075
10723	Amanda Victoria Woloszyn	07/09/2010	120101
10724	Danielle Amy Cherrill	07/09/2010	120102
10783	Angela Lynn Karls	07/29/2010	120161
10784	Lisa S Lange	07/29/2010	120162
10785	Katherine Anne Miller	07/29/2010	120163
10795	Joanna Michelle Roberg	08/06/2010	120173
10796	Rinaben P Patel	08/06/2010	120174
10813	Andrea N Nedved	08/20/2010	120190
10814	Brian G Lounsbery	08/20/2010	120191
10815	Brian G Lounsbery	08/20/2010	120191
10816	Ihuoma N Eseonu	08/20/2010	120192
10817	Brittney Meyer	08/20/2010	120193

The Board reviewed the remaining agenda for this meeting. Ms. Laura Schwartzwald moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that the remaining agenda be approved with an addition regarding NABP. The motion passed.

Dr. Stacey Jassey updated the board on the CPD Steering Committee. No action was taken at this time.

At this time the Board reviewed the Guidelines for Dispensing with Remote Distribution via Telepharmacy. Ms. Candice Fleming explained the changes to the Guidelines. After much discussion, that board tabled the guidelines and asked that staff look at the Illinois, Missouri, and North Dakota statutes and regulations to revamp the guidelines in #26 and #27and bring them back to the next meeting.

The Board next reviewed two pharmacies and their variances that came before the full Board:

 Keaveny Drug MedCenter #1 333 Washburne Avenue Belgrade, MN 56312

Permanent PIC Deborah Keaveny

Ms. Deborah Keaveny and Mr. Matt Sneller were present at the meeting. After much discussion Mr. James Koppen moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the variances to M.R. 6800.0700 and 6800.2150 and the new pharmacy application be approved with the variances approved for one year on condition that the pharmacist-in-charge visits the remote pharmacy weekly. The motion passed.

 Park Nicollet Clinic Sterile Compounding Pharmacy 3800 Park Nicollet Blvd.
 St. Louis Park, MN 55416

Temporary PIC Julie Beckman

After much discussion Mr. Ikram-Ul-Huq moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that the variance to M.R. 6800.1050 and the new pharmacy application be approved and the variance be approved permanently. The motion passed.

Variances and policies that were deferred to the Board by the Variance Committee:

- Park Nicollet Clinic Sterile Compounding Pharmacy
 - Request for variance to M.R. 6800.1050

See motion above under the new pharmacy application.

- ◆ Fairview Pharmacies (31 Requests)
 - Request for variance to M.R. 6800.3100

Ms. Lisa Ganske was present at the meeting. Ms. Laura Schwartzwald moved and Dr. Stacey Jassey seconded that the variances be approved for one year on condition that the two pharmacist certification process must occur within one licensed pharmacy. The motion passed.

- Rochester Methodist Pharmacy
 - Variance to M.R. 6800.3200

Dr. Jassey temporarily took over as chair of the meeting. Ms. Karen Bergrud explained the changes that they have made to policies and procedures regarding this variance request. Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that the variance be approved for two years. The motion passed with Ms. Karen Bergrud abstaining.

- Thrifty White Pharmacy (4)
 - Variance to M.R. 6800.3100 for Clearbrook, Fertile, Karlstad, & Renville

Present at the meeting was Mr. Tim Weippert. Ms. Candice Fleming discussed the variance and stated concerns that Pharmacy Board Surveyors noted during their inspections. Mr. Weippert addressed these concerns. Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the variance above and the variance for the 4:1 technician: pharmacist ratio at the Central Fill in Fargo, ND, which didn't go before the Variance Committee meeting, be approved for one year. The conditions remain unchanged from those which were required for Thrifty White's previous telepharmacy variance approvals. The motion passed.

- Walgreens Pharmacies (138 Variances for Vision)
 - Variance to M.R. 6800.3100

Tony Fields, Market Pharmacy Director, and Greg Boll were present at the meeting. Ms. Candice Fleming discussed the variance and stated the concerns that the Surveyors and the Executive Director have. After much discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded that the variance be approved until the November board meeting to allow time for Walgreens to supply the Board with requested information. The motion passed with Dr. Stacey Jassey abstaining.

- PharmaTrust™ MedCenter See Keaveny Drug discussion above.
- ◆ Moustafa Hassan Intern Registration
 - o Transfer Student qualifying for intern status

Mr. Moustafa Hassan was present at the meeting and presented information in support of his variance request. Mr. James Koppen moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded that he be allowed to register as an intern. The motion passed.

◆ Karl Wetzsteon Reciprocity Application

Mr. Wetzsteon has worked in the pharmaceutical industry but has never worked as a pharmacist. Mr. Wetzsteon would like to do a license transfer to Minnesota without taking the NAPLEX examination. Dr. Stacey Jassey moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the variance request be granted pending completion of 480 hours of internship and the successful completion of the MPJE examination.

Criminal Sexual Conduct Issue

Dr. Wiberg provided the Board with some background information concerning this issue. Mr. Karls, from the Attorney General's office, informed the board on what the statute involves. (Certain changes to the way in which some health licensing boards handle licensees who have been convicted of criminal sexual misconduct). Ms. Laura Schwartzwald moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the Board support the amending of the statutes to include other health licensing boards, including the Board of Pharmacy. The motion passed.

Proposed rule changes

Dr. Wiberg informed the Board that he has completed the SONAR on the large rule package and all required information has been sent to the Governor's office for action. No action was taken by the Board.

Dr. Wiberg also provided information to the board controlled the proposed Controlled Substance Rule package, which would place synthetic cannabinoids in Schedule I of the state's controlled substances scheduls. After some discussion, Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded that the following resolution be approved. The motion passed.

"RESOLVED, that Cody Wiberg, the Executive Director of the Board Of Pharmacy, is hereby granted the authority and directed to sign and to give the Notice of the Board's Intent To Adopt Rules without a public hearing governing the Scheduling of Controlled Substances, Minnesota Rules 6800.4210 et seq. to all persons who have registered their names with the Board for that purpose and publish the Notice and rules in the State Register, and to perform any and all acts incidental thereto.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that, if there are fewer than 25 outstanding hearing requests, Cody Wiberg, the Executive Director of the Board of Pharmacy, is hereby granted the authority and directed to sign the Order Adopting Rules and to perform any and all acts incidental thereto.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that, if there are 25 or more outstanding hearing requests, Cody Wiberg, the Executive Director of the Board of Pharmacy, is hereby granted the authority and directed to act as the Board's representative at the hearing and to perform any and all acts incidental thereto."

Update on Board's budget legislation

Dr. Wiberg updated the board on budget planning for the upcoming biennium. The consensus of the Board was to have Dr. Wiberg begin work on a budget proposal that includes a fee increase.

The Board next discussed Office Administration:

Update on Board's budget

See discussion above under "Update on Board's budget legislation".

Additional fee for on-line processing

Dr. Wiberg provided information to the Board concerning the fees that the Board has to pay when pharmacists and technicians renew their licenses and registrations online. No action was taken at this time.

The board next discussed miscellaneous items:

Update on Prescription Monitoring Program

Mr. Keith Hovland and Ms. Sojourner Killingsworth provided the Board with an update concerning the MN PMP Program. No action was taken at this time.

NABP/AACP District V Meeting

The Board determined that it would discuss this next month.

Patient Profile & DUR review

This topic was tabled until the next Board meeting.

Zipnosis

Dr. Wiberg and Ms. Kay Hanson explained Zipnosis to the Board members. Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that until the Board does further investigation of Zipnosis the Board will not discipline a pharmacist, under the provisions of Minnesota Rules 6800.2250, who chooses not fill a Zipnosis prescription. The motion passed.

NABP Meeting for Kay Hanson

Ms. Kay Hanson advised the Board that she would discuss this at the next meeting.

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There being no further business requiring action by the Board, Ms. Laura Schwartzwald moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion occurred at approximately 2:30 PM., Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded the motion. The motion passed.

PRESIDENT

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Variance Committee Report of August 25, 2010 for Board Meeting of September 15, 2010

Attendees: Stacey Jassey, James Koppen, Cody Wiberg, Michele Mattila, Karen Schreiner, Les Kotek, Stuart Vandenberg, Candice Fleming, Tim Affeldt, Brent Ferguson, Harlan Langstraat, Lisa Ganske, Anthony Zappa, Matt Sneller, Debra Keaveny, Kirk Peterson, Marilyn Eelkema, Lindsay Sorge, Zeinab Ammar, and Mark Olshansky

Meeting Appointments:

10:00

Walgreens Pharmacies State Wide Greg Boll 138 variances

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Deferred to the Board

10:30

Keaveny Drug

Debra Keaveny & Matt Sneller

to allow telepharmacy to utilize PharmaTrust equipment

Belgrade

Pending

Deferred to the Board

11:00

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy Rochester Brent Ferguson 260408

Space plan approval for a pharmacy remodel

Approved - 6 months

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy Rochester
Brent Ferguson 260408-005

to allow the use of the scanned image to verify and check prescription validity

Approved - Permanently

On condition that the QA is performed per MN Rule 6800.3950

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy Rochester
Brent Ferguson 260408-006

to allow the Mayo Clinic Security staff to have access to the pharmacy in emergency situations when the pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation **Denied**

2:00

United Community Pharmacy Corporation Zeinab Ammar and Mark Olshansky

to allow the delivery of medications to Home Health Care, Inc. so their licensed nurses can deliver the medications directly to the patients on their scheduled visits **Approved - One Year**

On condition that the patients are given freedom of choice, drugs are properly and securely stored, and the policies are updated to the Board recommendations

Policy Review:

2:30

Fairview

Policy review of future off-site workflow in the prescription filling process

New Variances:

Albert Lea Medical Center Outpatient

Albert Lea 261534-002

St. Anthony

263509-001

Leo Held

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Albert Lea Medical Center Outpatient

Albert Lea

Leo Held

261534-003

to allow the use of the scanned image to verify and check prescription validity

Approved - Permanently

As long as the DEA requirements are met

Bemidji Clinic Pharmacy Meritcare

Bemidji

Martin Kaufman

260530-002

to allow certification utilizing medication image and electronic pharmacist certification with use of EnterpriseRx in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send detailed policies to clarify the security of each individual's computer password or personal barcode for signing on and off the computer. The policies should include accountability of each individual who completes any part of the filling process. The policies should also detail where the pharmacist will document the refusal of counseling of new prescriptions to meet the requirement of MN Rule 6800.0910

Cook County North Shore Hospital

Deidre LaRock-Muggley

Grand Marais 200296-002

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Luke's Hospital Pharmacy for Cook County North Shore Hospital when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - Until 4/1/2011

On condition that cameras are utilized by the pharmacist to certify medications removed for patient after hours in Grand Marais and/or that a profiled interfaced AMDS is installed as soon as possible

Hunt's Long Term Care

Rochester

Mary Steffen

261334-001

to allow the inclusion of specific medications in the emergency kit

Approved - Permanently

Innovative Pharmacy Solutions

Anoka

Steven Simenson

Pending

to allow a shared pharmacy space with Goodrich Pharmacy and to allow the pharmacy to operate as a separate licensed closed door pharmacy when Goodrich Pharmacy is closed

Approved - Permanently

On condition that the medication and records are stored in a separate locked cabinet and the pharmacist-in-charge signs the variance request

Mattson Pharmacy

Roseau

Dean Mattson

201190-001

to allow the utilization of ScriptPro in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy - Baldwin

Rochester

Crain Hill

260848-003

to allow the Mayo Clinic Security staff to have access to the pharmacy in emergency situations when the pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Denied

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy - Baldwin

Rochester

Craig Hill

260848-002

to allow the use of the scanned image to verify and check prescription validity

Approved – Permanently

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy - Eisenberg Corinne Mohr

Rochester 262170-002

to allow the use of the scanned image to verify and check prescription validity

Approved - Permanently

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy - Eisenberg

Rochester

Corinne Mohr

262170-003

to allow the Mayo Clinic Security staff to have access to the pharmacy in emergency situations when the pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Denied

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy Mary Brigh

Rochester

Wendy Burgess

262169-002

to allow the use of the scanned image to verify and check prescription validity

Approved - Permanently

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy Mary Brigh

Rochester

Wendy Burgess

262169-003

to allow the Mayo Clinic Security staff to have access to the pharmacy in emergency situations when the pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Denied

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy Northeast

Rochester

Adam Ewald

262409-003

to allow the Mayo Clinic Security staff to have access to the pharmacy in emergency situations when the pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Denied

Mayo Clinic Pharmacy-Northwest

Rochester

Randall Roggow

261542-003

to allow the Mayo Clinic Security staff to have access to the pharmacy in emergency situations when the pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Denied

MeritCare Bemidji 1611 North Pharmacy Bemidji James Wille 263522-001

to allow certification utilizing medication image and electronic pharmacist certification with use of EnterpriseRx in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send detailed policies to clarify the security of each individual's computer password or personal barcode for signing on and off the computer. The policies should include accountability of each individual who completes any part of the filling process. The policies should also detail where the pharmacist will document the refusal of counseling of new prescriptions to meet the requirement of MN Rule 6800.0910

MeritCare Detroit Lakes Pharmacy Detroit Lakes
David Brenk Detroit Lakes

to allow certification utilizing medication image and electronic pharmacist certification with use of EnterpriseRx in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send detailed policies to clarify the security of each individual's computer password or personal barcode for signing on and off the computer. The policies should include accountability of each individual who completes any part of the filling process. The policies should also detail where the pharmacist will document the refusal of counseling of new prescriptions to meet the requirement of MN Rule 6800.0910

Meritcare Moorhead Pharmacy Moorhead James Link 260272-001

to allow certification utilizing medication image and electronic pharmacist certification with use of EnterpriseRx in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send detailed policies to clarify the security of each individual's computer password or personal barcode for signing on and off the computer. The policies should include accountability of each individual who completes any part of the filling process. The policies should also detail where the pharmacist will document the refusal of counseling of new prescriptions to meet the requirement of MN Rule 6800.0910

Meritcare North Pharmacy Bemidji Gretchen Bonik 262302-002

to allow certification utilizing medication image and electronic pharmacist certification with use of EnterpriseRx in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send detailed policies to clarify the security of each individual's computer password or personal barcode for signing on and off the computer. The policies should include accountability of each individual who completes any part of the filling process. The policies should also detail where the pharmacist will document the refusal of counseling of new prescriptions to meet the requirement of MN Rule 6800.0910

MeritCare Thief River Falls Jessica Olson

Thief River Falls 263123-003

to allow certification utilizing medication image and electronic pharmacist certification with use of EnterpriseRx in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, send detailed policies to clarify the security of each individual's computer password or personal barcode for signing on and off the computer. The policies should include accountability of each individual who completes any part of the filling process. The policies should also detail where the pharmacist will document the refusal of counseling of new prescriptions to meet the requirement of MN Rule 6800.0910

MeritCare Thief River Falls

Thief River Falls

Jessica Olson

263123-002

to allow the utilization of ScriptPro 2000 automated counting machine in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 1/30/09.)

Deferred

Within 30 days, send in updated policies and procedures to meet the Board's guidelines. Please include current employee training documentation and any errors or improvements due to the automation

Omnicare - Minnesota

Crystal

Carisa Finke

261366-013

to allow the utilization of a Pyxis automated distribution system in the long term care facility

Deferred

Within 30 days, send in updated policies and procedures that include the correct name of the AMDS throughout the policies. In the policies, further detail the pharmacist's certification of the medication before it is loaded into the AMDS, include a list of the medications with their quantities and par-levels. The procedures should verify that the DEA federal requirements are met including the DEA224 registration

PHS Pharmacy

Roseville

Jill Liebers

261390-002

to allow clinical documentation work to be completed in an area located outside of the pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the practice and the pharmacist-in-charge both remain the same

Rice Memorial Hospital Pharmacy

Willmar

Carnita Allex

200457-001

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding pharmacist certification of barcoded unit dose in AMDS

Denied

St. Cloud Hospital Infusion Pharmacy

Jennifer Hagen

St. Cloud 262071-002

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding space

No variance is needed

St. Cloud Hospital Infusion Pharmacy

St. Cloud

Jennifer Hagen

262071-003

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding having certain equipment

Approved - Permanently

Thrifty White Drug #736

Thief River Falls

Michael LaSalle

261151-003

to allow the utilization of ScriptPro SP100 in the pharmacy - (Originally deferred on 12/3/08)

Approved - Two Years

See proposed rules

Tracy Hospital Pharmacy

Tracy

Jean Metcalf

201199-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders for Tracy Hospital Pharmacy by Cardinal Health in Westmont, IL

Approved - Until 7/14/2011

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter including the utilization of cameras

Walgreens Pharmacy #02460

Cambridge

Charles Lander

262434-002

to allow the utilization of Yuyama Cv 54 (cell type) counting system in the pharmacy

Approved - One Year

On condition that within 30 days, the policies are updated and sent to include annual on-going training for employees and the pharmacists personally verifying and certifying the filling of the cells

Westbrook Health Center

Westbrook

Maria Grogan

262168-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders for Westbrook Health Center by Cardinal Health in Westmont, IL

Approved - Until 7/14/2011

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter including the utilization of cameras

New Variances Deferred:

Cash Wise Pharmacy

Owatonna Ricky Hurd 260962-003

to allow the utilization of the PharmAssist Symphony Plus Workflow System in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 06/06/2008.)

Approved - Two Years See proposed new rules

Cash Wise Pharmacy

Hutchinson 261002-003

Laura Longie

to allow the utilization of PharmAssist Symphony Plus Workflow and Automated Dispensing System with barcode scanning and with prescription imagery in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 06/04/2009.)

Approved - Two Years See proposed new rules

Extensions to Current Variances:

Buffalo Hospital Pharmacy

Buffalo

Dawn Hagen

200454-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Francis Regional Medical Center for Buffalo Hospital when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Deferred

Attendance at the next Variance Meeting is requested to explain why the pharmacy has not expanded their hours of service

Cambridge Medical Center Pharmacy

Cambridge

Scott Skelton

200635-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Francis Regional Medical Center for Cambridge Medical Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Fond Du Lac Cair Pharmacy

Duluth

Peggy Haselow

260913-001

to allow the utilization of ScriptPro 200 in the pharmacy

Will have specific requirements listed in the letter needed for approval

Mashkiki Waakaaigan Pharmacy Minneapolis Bryan Paulson 263031-002

to allow the utilization of ScriptPro 200 in the pharmacy

Denied

Will have specific requirements listed in the letter needed for approval

New Ulm Medical Center Pharmacy New Ulm Reid Horning 260416-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Francis Regional Medical Center for New Ulm Medical Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Deferred

Attendance at the next Variance Meeting is requested to explain why the pharmacy has not expanded their hours of service

Northland Pharmacy Duluth

Bruce Jessen 261419-001

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro SP200 dispensing system in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

On condition that there is on-going annual training

Owatonna Hospital Owatonna
Jeffrey Bouman 260447-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Francis Regional Medical Center for Owatonna Hospital when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Deferred

Attendance at the next Variance Meeting is requested to explain why the pharmacy has not expanded their hours of service

St. Luke's Hospital Pharmacy Duluth Gina Lemke 200442-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Luke's Hospital for member hospitals located in Cloquet, Moose Lake, Cook, Ely, Two Harbors, Big Fork, Aitkin, Deer River, and Grand Marais when the hospital pharmacies are closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - Until 4/1/2011

On condition that a camera is utilized by the pharmacist to certify medications removed for patient in Grand Marais for after hours services and/or that a profiled interfaced AMDS is installed as soon as possible in Grand Marais

Thrifty White Drug #741 William Bonach

Hibbing 261920-002

to allow the utilization of a Parata Robotic Delivery System in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

On condition that within 30 days, the Board receives revised policies to meet the Board guidelines that include annual on-going training, no drug returns to stock or where only a pharmacist may return drugs to stock if the pharmacist checks for uniformity of contents of all medications distributed using the automation

Walgreens Pharmacy #02316

Brooklyn Park

Jessica Berger

262448-004

to allow the utilization of the Yuyama Vial Filling Machine in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

On condition that there is documented annual training

Extensions to Current Variances Deferred:

Albany Area Hospital Pharmacy

Albany

William Seiler

260662-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by ePharmacist Direct (Catholic Health Initiatives) in Fargo, ND for Albany Area Hospital in Albany when the above hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - Until 7/14/2011

Littlefork Medical Pharmacy

Littlefork

Gretchen Bonik

200302-001

to allow the pharmacist to be the PIC in two different pharmacy locations

Approved - One Year

Meritcare North Pharmacy

Bemidji

Gretchen Bonik

262302-001

to allow the pharmacist to be the PIC in two different pharmacy locations

Approved - One Year

Park Nicollet Pharmacy

St. Louis Park

Kim McClarnon

260794-001

to allow the utilization of ScriptPro SP 200 in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Target Pharmacy T-931 Stillwater
Joel Adamic 261140-001
to allow the utilization of automated Baker cell cassettes in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Walgreens Pharmacy #6714 Coon Rapids
Jitka Sirucek 260395-002
to allow the utilization of the Baker APS counting cells in the pharmacy
Approved – Two Years

PIC Changes:

Allina Community - Apple Valley
Mark Decker

Apple Valley
262655-003

to allow the utilization of the RX3000 computer system by Pharmacy Computer Services, Inc. (PCSI) in the pharmacy

Approved - One Year

Will have specific requirements listed in the letter needed for approval

Cub Pharmacy #1636/749 Shorewood
Tasha Bekkerus 262341-001
to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1636/749 Shorewood Tasha Bekkerus 262341-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

CVS/pharmacy #3205 Minneapolis Cheng Lo 263414-001

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

CVS/Pharmacy #3562 Eden Prairie Kenneth Black 263256-001

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Fairmont Medical Center - Mayo Health Fairmont
Janel Buseman 200992-002

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by Immanuel St. Joseph Hospital for Fairmont Medical Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - Until 3/17/2011

Will have specific requirements listed in the letter needed for approval

Fairview Specialty Services Pharmacy Minneapolis Anthony Zappa 262542-003

to allow certification utilizing medication image and electronic pharmacist certification

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Good Samaritan Medical Clinic Dispensary Rochester Gregory Brunn Pending

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding having certain equipment in the pharmacy

Denied

Grand Itasca Clinic & Hospital Pharmacy Grand Rapids
Theresa Fox 261457-001

to allow a pharmacy technician to document waste of controlled substances with either a pharmacist or a registered nurse

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Min-No-Aya-Win Clinic Pharmacy Cloquet
Tiffany Elton 260425-001

to allow the utilization of ScriptPro 200 in the pharmacy

Denied

Will have specific requirements listed in the letter needed for approval

Phillips Eye Institute Pharmacy Minneapolis
Jay Dahlstrom 260484-002

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Francis Regional Medical Center for Phillips Eye Institute when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Approved - One Year

The Board recommends opening one hour earlier

Prairiestone Pharmacy #16

Bloomington

Lisa Hynes

262985-002

to allow the utilization of the AutoMed FastFill, QuickFill Plus, and WorkPath automated counting systems in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

On condition that there is documented annual training

St. Cloud Hospital Infusion Pharmacy

St. Cloud

Jennifer Hagen

262071-001

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

On condition that there is documented annual training

St. Francis Regional Medical Center Pharmacy

Shakopee

Janell Schultz

200746-002

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Physician Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

St. Francis Regional Medical Center Pharmacy

Shakopee

Janell Schultz

200746-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Francis Regional Medical Center for Owatonna, Buffalo, New Ulm, Cambridge, Phillips Eye Institute, and River Falls, Wisconsin when the hospital pharmacies are closed from normal business hours of operation

Approved - One Year for Cambridge and Phillips Eye Institute

Deferred for Owatonna, Buffalo, and New Ulm

Attendance at the next Variance Meeting is requested to explain why Owatonna, Buffalo, and New Ulm pharmacies have not expanded their hours of service. Include present staffing at your site to cover the after-hours service

Target Pharmacy T-1356

Minnetonka

Bryan Buechel

262056-002

to allow the utilization of automated counting machines in the form of non-interfaced Baker Cassettes in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

PIC Changes Deferred

Cash Wise Pharmacy #9 Jason Franke Waite Park 260398-003

to allow the utilization of the PharmAssist Symphony Plus System in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 2/28/10.)

Approved - Two Years
See proposed new rules

St. Paul

West Side Comm Health Services Pharmacy Oscar Benavidez

262084-001

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro SP 200 Robotic Prescription Dispensing

System in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

See proposed new rules

Minnesota Board of Pharmacy

EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTH MEETING

At approximately 9:00 a.m., on November 10, 2010, the Minnesota Board of Pharmacy met in Conference Room A, at the University Park Plaza Building, 2829 University Avenue Southeast, Minneapolis, Minnesota, for the purpose of conducting a general business meeting. All members of the Board were in attendance, with the exception of Ms. Karen Bergrud. Also in attendance were the Board's Executive Director, Dr. Cody Wiberg, the Board's legal counsel, Assistant Attorney General Karen Andrews, and Board of Pharmacy staff, Ms. Candice Fleming, Ms. Michele Mattila, Ms. Karen Schreiner, and Ms. Patricia Eggers. The Board's Vice-President, Dr. Stacey Jassey, called the meeting to order.

The Board went into a closed session to discuss matters of a quasi-judicial nature.

The first item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of pharmacist <u>Julie Connell</u>, who petitioned to have an unrestricted license reinstated. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information regarding Ms. Connell's case. Ms. Connell was present at the meeting and presented information in support of her petition. After a brief discussion, Ms. Laura Schwartzwald moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that Ms. Connell's petition be granted and that Dr. Wiberg be empowered to sign an Order of Unconditional License on the Board's behalf. The motion passed.

The second item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of Mr. James Koski. Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information on the case and with a proposed Stipulation and Consent Order (SCO). The SCO was developed subsequent to a conference held with Mr. Koski on August 18, 2010, at which an allegation of unprofessional conduct was discussed. The proposed SCO has been agreed to and signed by Mr. Koski. After discussion, Mr. Carlton Crawford moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the Board accept the proposed SCO and that Dr. Wiberg be empowered to sign the order on the Board's behalf. The motion passed with Ms. Laura Schwartzwald abstaining.

After a discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq seconded that the Board grant the Executive Director authority to sign non-disciplinary Stipulations to Cease Practice. The motion passed.

The third and final item of a quasi-judicial nature to come before the Board was the case of pharmacist <u>Angie Schimming.</u> Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with background information on the case and with a proposed Stipulation and Consent Order (SCO). The SCO was developed subsequent to a conference held with Ms. Schimming on August 18, 2010, at which allegations of chemical dependency were discussed. The proposed SCO has been agreed to and signed by Ms. Schimming. After discussion, Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded that the Board accept

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the proposed SCO and that Dr. Wiberg be empowered to sign the order on the Board's behalf. The motion passed.

The Board returned to general session.

The Board next discussed the minutes of the September 15, 2010 meeting. Mr. Ikram-UI-Huq moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the minutes of the meeting be approved. The motion passed.

Mr. James Koppen moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded to approve the items on the consent agenda and to approve the consent agenda. The motion passed.

Consent Agenda

- o New Pharmacy Applications.
 - Alliance Pharmacy Care, Inc. 1239 Payne Avenue, Suite 202 St. Paul, MN 55130

Permanent PIC Bee Her Approve pending final inspection

 Costco Pharmacy #1087 14050 Burnhaven Drive Burnsville, MN 55337

> Temporary PIC Deborah Vranesh Approve pending final inspection and naming of permanent PIC

 Curt's Long-Term Care Pharmacy 1615 West Main Street, Suite B Albert Lea, MN 56007

Permanent PIC Michael G. White Approve pending final inspection and naming of permanent PIC

 CVS Pharmacy #5920 600 Central Avenue St. Michael, MN 55376

Permanent PIC Kimberly Emerson Approve pending final inspection.

 Genoa Healthcare Pharmacy 1401 East First Street Duluth, MN 55805

Temporary PIC William Schommer Approve pending final inspection and naming of permanent PIC

 Novacek's Healthmart Pharmacy 122 State Highway 11 E Greenbush, MN 56726

Permanent PIC Karen J. Novacek Approve pending final inspection

 Fairview Red Wing Outpatient Pharmacy 701 Fairview Blvd Red Wing, MN 55066

Temporary PIC Dave Miller Approve pending final inspection and naming of permanent PIC

Variances

- Variance Committee Report approve
- o Continuing Education.
 - CEATF Reports for the periods 8/11/2010 10/12/2010.
 Approve those recommended for approval and deny those recommended for denial
 - Approve the following program as a CE program that meets the CE requirement for preceptors.
 - Prescription Errors and Their Legal Consequences: Best Practices for Prevention

o Examination Committee

Exam Candidates Report – approve

Certificate Number	Name	Registration Number	
10834	Million Yosef Woldemariam	120210	
10843	Mariette Sourial	120221	
10844	Solomon Siaw Baah	120222	

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10827	Denise L Cantwell	120202
10842	Tara M Wilcox	120220
10830	John William Jepperson	120206
10839	Clayton J Miller	120217
10841	Hoaibac B Nguyen	120219
10832	John M Hammill	120208
10845	Laura Beth Behm	120223
10831	Quynh Huong Nguyen	120207

Reciprocity Candidates Report – approve

Certificate Number	Name	Registration Number
10840	Tamalisa Al-Sultan	120218
10833	Michelle L Hessel	120209
10837	Judy A. Kutchman	120214
10836	Joseph C. Caputo	120213
10838	Marilyn L. Wininger	120215
10835	Donell J. Adam	120212

The Board reviewed the remaining agenda for this meeting. Mr. Carleton Crawford moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that the remaining agenda be approved. The motion passed.

At this time Mr. Carleton Crawford presided over the meeting for Ms. Stacey Jassey.

The Board next reviewed a pharmacy that came before the full Board:

 Walgreen's Pharmacy #13463 1112 Civic Center Drive NW Rochester, MN 55901

Permanent PIC Dennis Thackeray Approve pending final inspection

Ms. Kay Hanson moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that the motion be approved with Dr. Stacey Jassey abstaining.

At this time Dr. Stacey Jassey resumed presiding over the meeting.

Variances and policies that were deferred to the Board by the Variance Committee:

- Rochester Methodist Hospital. PIC Karen Bergrud. Technician witnessing of controlled substance waste returned to pharmacy.
 Variance and Policy Committee recommends approval for two years.
- ◆ Rochester Methodists Hospital. PIC Karen Bergrud. Tech-check-tech. Variance and Policy Committee recommends approval for two years.

Ms. Kay Hanson moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the variances be approved as recommended by the Variance and Policy Committee. The motion passed.

At this time Mr. Carleton Crawford presided over the meeting for Ms. Stacey Jassey.

- Walgreens Pharmacies (138 Variances for Vision)
 - Variance to M.R. 6800.3100

Present at the meeting were Mr. Jeff Bruneteau, Marketing Vice-President; Mr. Dan Luce, National Director Pharmacy Affairs; Mr. Duane Pinon, Walgreen's Attorney and Mr. Greg Boll, Pharmacy Supervisor. After much discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the variances be approved on condition that Walgreen's annually retrain staff on counseling and that they continue to guarantee that disciplinary action is not taken against pharmacists who do not use the system. The motion passed with Dr. Stacey Jassey abstaining.

At this time Dr. Stacey Jassey resumed presiding over the meeting.

The Board next discussed Medication Reconciliation. Present at the meeting was Ms. Kelly Hadsall, pharmacist at North Memorial Hospital Pharmacy, and Mr. Brian Howard, In-patient Pharmacy Manager from Hennepin County Medical Center. After much discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Ms. Kay Hanson seconded that the Board formally state that it has concluded that medication reconciliation is a judgmental task, which therefore cannot be done by a pharmacy technician. (Since Minnesota Statutes do not allow technicians to perform tasks that require professional judgment). The motion passed.

At this time the Board returned to the last variance.

Phillips Neighborhood Clinic

Present at the meeting was Mr. Tom Larson, Associate Dean of Clinical Affairs at the College of Pharmacy. After some discussion, Mr. James Koppen moved and Ms. Laura Schwartzwald seconded that the variance be approved for twelve months on condition that the dispensing is done only in the setting of Phillips Neighborhood Clinic and that a physician and supervising pharmacist be on duty. The motion passed.

Monica Fiedler, Program Manager of the Health Professional Services Program (HPSP), next presented the Board with information regarding the use of HPSP. No action was necessary.

Dr. Wiberg next discussed the revised Remote Distribution via Telepharmacy Guidelines. Dr. Wiberg suggested that we not update the guidelines and we consider variance requests on a case by case variance request. No action was taken at this time.

Mr. Matt Sneller next talked to the Board about PharmaTrust and InstyMeds. No action was taken at this time.

Dr. Wiberg next discussed the general rules package. The Governor's office has asked the board to drop the language on work conditions prior to moving forward with the general rules package. Ms. Laura Schwartzwald moved and Mr. Carleton Crawford seconded that the Board remove that language from the general rules package and move forward. The motion passed.

Dr. Wiberg next discussed the Controlled Substances rules package. The Governor's office approved the package and the proposed rule changes and the Notice of Intent to Adopt Rules were published in the State Register on July 26, 2010. The Board received seventeen requests for a rules hearing during the first nine days of the comment period. Dr. Wiberg is requesting that the Board withdraw the rules and have the legislature handle this issue. Ms. Kay Hanson moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that the package be withdrawn. The motion passed.

The Board next discussed a clarification for Interns working in special settings. Mr. Tom Larson, Associate Dean, and Mr. Don Uden, Instructor, from the College of Pharmacy, were present at the meeting. After much discussion regarding students participating in educational programs, such as immunizations and health fairs, it was determined that this issue should go before the Internship Committee.

The Board next discussed Office Administration:

Executive Director Evaluation

Pat Eggers will mail out evaluation forms, please have it back to the committee prior to December 17, 2010.

Biennial Report to the Governor

This is a standard report that the Board of Pharmacy does each even numbered year. No action was taken at this time.

· Update on Board's budget proposals

Dr. Wiberg presented the Board with information concerning the change item requests submitted to Minnesota Management and Budget for approval. The Board authorized staff to propose these changes at a meeting earlier this year. The Board will be requesting a fee increase and an increase in its appropriation in order to replace a surveyor who retired, support the Board's portion of the Prescription Monitoring Program, and for a small agency increase.

◆ 2011 Meeting Dates

Ms. Kay Hanson moved and Mr. James Koppen seconded that the proposed dates be approved. The motion passed.

The board next discussed miscellaneous items:

Update on Prescription Monitoring Program

At this time, Ms. Barbara Carter, PMP Manager, presented an update of the PMP. No action was necessary.

NABP/AACP District V Meeting

Dr. Wiberg, Dr. Stacey Jassey, and Ms. Kay Hanson gave the Board an update of what happened at NABP/AACP District V Meeting.

There being no further business requiring action by the Board, Mr. Carleton Crawford moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion occurred at approximately 2:20 PM. Mr. James Koppen seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Stages Jassey Pharms

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Variance Committee Report of October 20, 2010 for Board Meeting of November 10, 2010

Attendees: Carleton Crawford, Karen Bergrud, Candice Fleming, Michele Mattila, Karen Schreiner, Pam Motzko, Mark Nelson, Mike Pietig, Marvin Seppela MD, Carl Woetzel, Bonnie Senst, Margret Schmidt, Janelle Schultz, and Jeff Bowman and Reid Horner via teleconference

Meeting Appointments:

10:00

Fairview Southdale Hospital Pharmacy

Edina

Carl Woetzel

261547-001

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Prescriber Order Entry (CPOE) system for Hazelden Center for Youth and Families (HCYF) located in Plymouth

Approved - One Year

Fairview Southdale Hospital Pharmacy

Edina

Carl Woetzel

261547-003

to allow remote site prescription order entry with interface to Pyxis (AMDS) at Hazelden Center for Youth and Families (HCYF) in Plymouth. FSD needs DEA waiver approval

Approved - One Year

Conditional requirements listed in the approval letter

10:15

Fairview Lakes Health Services Pharmacy

Wyoming

Mark Nelson

261510-003

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by Fairview Lakes Health Services Pharmacy for Hazelden-Center City Pharmacy when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Fairview Lakes Health Services Pharmacy

Wyoming

Mark Nelson

261510-004

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Prescriber Order Entry (CPOE) system for Hazelden-Center City Pharmacy after normal business hours

Approved - One Year

Hazelden-Center City Pharmacy

Center City

Mark Nelson

the pharmacy

261471-005

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Prescriber Order Entry (CPOE) system in

Approved - One Year

Hazelden-Center City Pharmacy Center City
Mark Nelson 261471-004

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by Fairview Lakes Health Services Pharmacy for Hazelden-Center City Pharmacy when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

11:00

St. Francis Regional Medical Center Pharmacy Janell Schultz

Shakopee 200746-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Francis Regional Medical Center for Owatonna, Buffalo, New Ulm, Cambridge, Phillips Eye Institute, and River Falls, Wisconsin when the hospital pharmacies are closed from normal business hours of operation

Approved - Until 9/15/2011

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Buffalo Hospital Pharmacy

Buffalo

Dawn Hagen

200454-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Francis Regional Medical Center for Buffalo Hospital when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Approved - Until 9/15/2011

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Owatonna Hospital

Owatonna

Jeffrey Bouman

260447-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Francis Regional Medical Center for Owatonna Hospital when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Approved - Until 9/15/2011

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

New Ulm Medical Center Pharmacy

New Ulm

Reid Horning

260416-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by St. Francis Regional Medical Center for New Ulm Medical Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal business hours of operation

Approved - Until 9/15/2011

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Policy Review:

Genoa Healthcare MN, LLC St. Paul Jeffrey Prosch and Ken Henjum 262961-003

review of central fill policies

Resend policies for review that address drug delivery that is secure to prevent diversion. Notify the Board of the pharmacies covered by central fill and the staffing at all of the pharmacy sites

New Variances:

Austin Medical Center Hospital Pharmacy Austin

Robert Holt 201021-001

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by Austin Medical Center Hospital Pharmacy for Naeve Hospital Pharmacy when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Coborn's Pharmacy Elk River Ryan Froelich 261580-001

to allow the storage of records at an off-site facility

Variance is not required per MN Rule 6800.3950 Subp. 3

Coborn's Pharmacy #29 Albertville
Mary LaPlant 262195-002

to allow the storage of records at an off-site facility

Variance is not required per MN Rule 6800.3950 Subp. 3

Cub Pharmacy #1604/632 Apple Valley Edward Findell 260831-003

to allow the pharmacy to operate a non-contiguous drive-thru

Deferred

Within 30 days, send in updated policies and procedures that address pharmacist mandatory counseling on all prescriptions via camera (audio/visual) as per the Telepharmacy guidelines. You must also meet the privacy guidelines for the drive-thru and schedule an on-site inspection with a Board surveyor

CVS Pharmacy #0663 Apple Valley
Molly Gunkelman 262915-001

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

CVS Pharmacy #3344

Molly Peterson

Shakopee 263013-001

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

CVS/Pharmacy #01747

Chanhassen

Betsy Huck

263351-002

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification - (Previous variance expired on 12/06/2007.)

Approved - Permanently

CVS/pharmacy #2978

Minneapolis

Catherine Wain

263565-001

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

DL Pharmacy

Detroit Lakes

Thomas Boock

263266-003

to allow certification utilizing medication image and electronic pharmacist certification and to allow the separation of the prescription certification process by more than one pharmacist on site

Approved - One Year

On condition that within 30 days, you submit updated policies and procedures that address computer security relating to signing on and off the computer system

Econofoods Pharmacy #330

Northfield

Ellen Ray

200644-001

to allow the pharmacy to operate a non-contiguous drive-thru

Deferred

Within 30 days, send in updated policies and procedures that address pharmacist mandatory counseling on all prescriptions as per the Telepharmacy guidelines.

Fairview Andover Pharmacy

Andover

Shana Fischer

263115-004

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

Fairview Compounding Pharmacy

Gary Carlson 262526-004

to allow Fairview Home Infusion Pharmacy to share select space and equipment with Fairview Compounding Pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Fairview Home Infusion

Minneapolis

Minneapolis

Alexandra Demello

262531-002

to allow Fairview Home Infusion Pharmacy to share select space and equipment with Fairview Compounding Pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Genoa Healthcare MN, LLC

St. Paul

Jeffrey Prosch

262961-002

to allow the pharmacy to pre-package medications with the Kirby Lester KL25 **Variance is not required** if you follow MN Rules 6800.3200 and 6800.3350 for prepackaging. The Board recommends that you have policies and procedures that address training, cross contamination, and that labels must include the beyond use date

Geritom Medical Inc. Pharmacy

Bloomington

Thomas Smith

261375-002

to allow the utilization of the Auto Med packaging machine in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, submit policies and procedures that follow the Automated Counting Machine guidelines and USP 661 multi-day packaging

Geritom Medical Inc. Pharmacy

Bloomington

Thomas Smith

261375-003

to allow the delivery of medications to Recovery Health, Inc. so their licensed nurses can deliver and administer the medications directly to the patients

Deferred

Within 30 days, submit policies and procedures that address delivery, security, and storage

Hunt Silver Lake Drug

Rochester

David Kohler

260949-002

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro automated dispensing machine in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

On condition that within 30 days, you send updated policies and procedures that clarify your statement "when tablet description is not available", as this must be on the label

Naeve Hospital Pharmacy Albert Lea Ross Martinson 200439-003

to allow remote pharmacy after hours order review and entry of physician medication orders by Austin Medical Center Hospital Pharmacy for Naeve Hospital Pharmacy when the hospital pharmacy is closed after normal business hours of operation

Approved – One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Renville County Hospital Pharmacy Olivia

200309-001 Gary Lohmeyer to allow no sterile compounding environment only immediate use

Denied

The Board cannot grant a variance to federal law and you must follow USP 797.

Outsourcing of IVs must be patient specific from a licensed pharmacy

Renville County Hospital Pharmacy Olivia

200309-002 Gary Lohmeyer

to allow an exemption from the Board's rule regarding having a pharmacist on duty

Deferred

Within 30 days, submit revised policies and procedures with specific requirements listed in the letter

Two Harbors SuperiorHealth Pharmacy Roger McDannold 204933-001

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro SP200 in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Thief River Falls Thrifty White Drug #736 Michael Lasalle 261151-004

to allow the pharmacist to be the pharmacist-in-charge at the Thrifty White Drug #736 in Thief River Falls and the Thrifty White Drug #756 in Karlstad

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Thrifty White Drug #756 Karlstad Michael Lasalle 262514-003

to allow the pharmacist to be the pharmacist-in-charge at the Thrifty White Drug #736 in Thief River Falls and the Thrifty White Drug #756 in Karlstad

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Tri-County Hospital Pharmacy Wadena
Aimee Turcotte 200546-002

to allow the utilization of the Computerized Prescriber Order Entry (CPOE) in the pharmacy

Approved - One Year

On condition that within 30 days, you send updated policies and procedures that define the authorized personnel who may order medications and under what conditions

Unity Community Pharmacy

Fridley

Robert Arndt

260415-005

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro 200 Robotic Prescription Dispensing System in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, submit revised policies and procedures that address the Automated Counting Machine guidelines

Walgreens #1751

Maplewood

Ryan Fuder

263168-002

to allow the utilization of the Yuyama automated dispensing machine in the pharmacy

Approved – Two Years

Walgreens Pharmacy #2767

Plymouth

Gina Will

260937-003

to allow the utilization of the Yuyama Vial Filling automated counting machine in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 07/16/2009.)

Approved - Two Years

Walgreens Pharmacy #3832

Brooklyn Park

Jessica Bayer

200867-003

to allow the utilization of the Yuyama vial filling automated counting machine in the pharmacy - (Original variance expired on 01/30/2009.)

Approved - Two Years

New Variances Deferred:

Thrifty White Drug #731

Bemidii

David Robinson

260388-002

to allow the pharmacy to operate a non-contingent drive-thru utilizing a pneumatic tube system

Deferred

Within 30 days, submit revised policies and procedures to clarify counseling on prescriptions. The Board has only approved drive-thrus with audio/video equipment and counseling on all prescriptions

Extensions to Current Variances:

Avera Marshall Reg. Med. Ctr. Phcy. Dept.

Marshall

Evert Olesen

200532-001

to allow remote after hours order review and entry of Avera Marshall Regional Medical Center's physician medication orders by Avera McKennan Hospital and University Health Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal

Approved - One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Avera McKennan Hospital Pharmacy

Sioux Falls, SD

Andrea Darr

263452-001

to allow remote after hours order review and entry of Avera Marshall Regional Medical Center's physician medication orders by Avera McKennan Hospital and University Health Center when the hospital pharmacy is closed from normal

Approved – One Year

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Fairview Oxboro Pharmacy

Bloomington

Laurie Deegan

262535-002

to allow the certification of the prescription using an electronic image of the medication

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Fond Du Lac Cair Pharmacy

Duluth

Peggy Haselow

260913-001

to allow the utilization of ScriptPro 200 in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, submit revised policies and procedures that meet the Automated Counting Machine guidelines, address returns to the device, and remove all reference to tech-check-tech

Goltz Pharmacy

Winona

Daniel Goltz

200338-001

to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro SP 200 automated dispensing system in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Mashkiki Waakaaigan Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Bryan Paulson

263031-002

to allow the utilization of ScriptPro 200 in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, submit revised policies and procedures that meet the Automated Counting Machine guidelines, address returns to the device, and remove all reference to tech-check-tech

Min-No-Aya-Win Clinic Pharmacy

Cloquet 260425-001

Tiffany Elton

to allow the utilization of ScriptPro 200 in the pharmacy

Deferred

Within 30 days, submit revised policies and procedures that meet the Automated Counting Machine guidelines, address returns to the device, and remove all reference to tech-check-tech

Rochester Methodist Hospital Pharmacy

Rochester

Karen Bergrud

200540-003

to allow the utilization of the Tech-Check-Tech program in the pharmacy

Deferred to the Board

Rochester Methodist Hospital Pharmacy

Rochester

Karen Bergrud

200540-004

to allow two pharmacy technicians to witness and waste the excess controlled substances they have retrieved per policy

Deferred to the Board

St. Mary's Hospital Pharmacy

Rochester

Kevin Dillon

201162-002

to allow two pharmacy technicians to witness and waste the excess controlled substances they have retrieved per policy

Approved - Two Years

Walgreens Pharmacies

State Wide

Greg Boll

138 variances

to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Deferred to the Board

Walgreens Pharmacy #06995

St. Paul

Allan Steil

262221-002

to allow the utilization of Baker cells/cassettes in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Extensions to Current Variances Deferred:

Target Pharmacy T-240

Brooklyn Center

Robert Stroncek

260311-001

to allow the utilization of non-interfaced Baker cassettes in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

PIC Changes:

Cub Pharmacy # 1913/621

Minneapolis

Gary Matson

260606-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy # 1913/621

Minneapolis

Gary Matson

260606-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1600/661

Maple Grove

Mark Newman

261058-002

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1600/661

Maple Grove

Mark Newman

261058-003

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1643/782

Champlin

Mohamed Karim

262619-001

to allow pharmacist certification by use of biometric identifier

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Cub Pharmacy #1643/782

Champlin

Mohamed Karim

262619-002

to allow pharmacist certification of the prescription medication with use of the digital image of the medication

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

CVS/Pharmacy #07117

Ryan Pederson

Minneapolis 262672-002

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

CVS/Pharmacy #07175

White Bear Lake

Sara Lueken

263343-003

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

On condition that within 30 days, you submit updated policies and procedures that include tablet description on the label

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

CVS/Pharmacy #5311

Delano

Kimberly Emerson

263162-001

to allow the utilization of the computer system's medication image in place of checking the manufacturer's stock bottle during final certification

Approved - Permanently

On condition that within 30 days, you submit updated policies and procedures that include tablet description on the label

Renewal will have specific requirements listed in the approval letter

Fairview Home Infusion

Minneapolis

Alexandra Demello

262531-001

to allow the pharmacy to maintain a storage space located within an adjacent pharmacy

Approved - Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Fairview Specialty Services Pharmacy

Minneapolis

Jami Schell

262542-003

to allow certification utilizing medication image and electronic pharmacist certification

Approved – Permanently

As long as the pharmacist-in-charge remains the same

Prairiestone Pharmacy #12

Eagan

Nancy Harrison

262471-001

to allow the utilization of the AutoMed FastFill, QuickFill Plus, and WorkPath automated counting systems in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Sterling Drug
Denise Harris
201216-003
to allow the utilization of the ScriptPro SP200 robot in the pharmacy
Approved – Two Years

Walgreens Pharmacy #13685 Roseville
Susan Canniff 261045-003
to allow the utilization of the Yuyama automated machine in the pharmacy

Approved - Two Years

Walgreens Pharmacy #13685 Roseville
Susan Canniff 261045-001
to allow the utilization of the VISION imaging and workload balancing system and central fill labeling requirements in the pharmacy

Deferred to the Board

PIC Changes Deferred:

None