

Commission of Pharmacy  
Meeting Minutes  
WEDNESDAY, July 28, 2010

Commissioners and staff present:

Steve Beaudin            deLinda Brown-Jagne, Board Administrator  
Jim Cangelosi            Steve Schwane, DCP Legal Counsel  
Edith Goodmaster  
Mary Inguanti  
William Summa, Chair  
Fred Vegliante

Others present:

Tonna Alimole	Thomas Baran
Steven Bendel	Kara Charnoski
Patricia Cutting	Rupangi Datta
Josh Devin	Jillian Dorrane
Patti Elsen	Stephani Gaburo
Chi Huynh	Danielle Lacroix
Lyna Lam	Thomas Lukose
Ian Mccoll	Maricel McDonnell
Duquesa Nacpil	Kunjal Nair
Chris Papa	Rajeev Raghavanpillai
Tracy Rosenblum	Sarah Sevigny
Steven Thai	Kristina Wilson
Chad Wojnar	Linda Zhang
Huawen Zheng	

Meeting Called to Order    State Office Building  
165 Capitol Avenue  
Rooms 117 and 119  
Hartford, Connecticut

Interview of Reciprocity Candidates

Chairman Summa provided an overview of the telephone interview including the reasons why the following questions are asked during the interview process. The questions are asked of potential licensees in order to ensure proper communication skills since the pharmacist will need to interact with patients and community members, as well as give the pharmacist an opportunity to explain his or her past experiences and disciplinary action, if any.

The questions asked by the Commission are:

1. Have you ever been before a Board?
2. Have you ever had a problem with drugs or alcohol?
3. What is Connecticut's CE requirement?
4. What is the pharmacy technician ratio for Connecticut?

5. Why are you seeking licensure in Connecticut?

Carmen Criddle  
Westbrook, CT

\*Michael Dellaquila  
Oxford, MA

\*Neeraj Gupta  
Albemarle, NC

\*Mary Patch Harrington  
Charlottesville, VA

\*Una Paek  
New York, NY

\*Anisha Patel  
Columbia, SC

\*Srikanth Popuri  
Calais, ME

\*Rajeev Raghavanpillai  
Raleigh, NC

Sarah Sevigny  
Attleboro, MA

\*Sejal Shah  
Sandusky, MI

\*Venkata Kamalakar Rao Swami  
Columbus, NJ

\*denotes telephone interview

Commission action: A motion was made by Commissioner Vegliante, seconded by Commissioner Inguanti and a vote of 6-0 was passed approving the above applicants for licensure by reciprocity.

First Time Managers

Commissioner Summa summarized the responsibilities of a first-time pharmacy manager and the reason for their appearance before the Commission. Commissioner Summa also emphasized the importance of the pharmacy manager's role as opposed to the front-store manager (in many retail settings).

Commissioner Inguanti provided first-time managers with a brief overview of reporting errors and the MedWatch program.

Appearing before the Commission as first-time managers are:

Tonna Alimole PCT.11084	CVS/Pharmacy #3719 Stamford
Kara Charnoski PCT.11453	CVS/Pharmacy #822 New Milford
Josh Devin PCT.11416	CVS/Pharmacy #2572 Stratford
Danielle Lacroix PCT.11055	Target Pharmacy #2361 Trumbull
Lyna Lam PCT.10785	Rite Aid #10346 East Hartford
Thomas Lukose PCT.11415	CVS/Pharmacy #512 Stamford
Kunjul Prajapati PCT.11372	Rite Aid #10382 Bethel
Rajeev Raghavanpillai PCT.11727	Main Street Pharmacy 4, LLC Stamford
Chad Wojnar PCT.10298	Medical Pharmacy Willimantic

#### Application for Pharmacy Internship

Sridevi Bavirisetty  
Marisol McDonnell

Commission action: The above applicants were approved for internships as foreign pharmacy graduates.

#### New Pharmacy Applications

CVS/Pharmacy #3719 11 Forest Street Stamford, CT 06901	Tonna Alimole, PIC
Main Street Pharmacy 4, LLC 166 West Broad Street Stamford, CT 06902	Rajeev Raghavanpillai, PIC (License Pending)

Shoprite Pharmacy of Stratford Patti Elsen, PIC  
250 Barnum Avenue  
Stratford, CT 06614

Commission action: A motion was made by Commissioner Goodmaster, seconded by Commissioner Inguanti and a vote of 6-0 was passed approving the above new pharmacy applications.

#### Pharmacy Relocations

Suburban Long Term Care Pharmacy, Rudy Dajie PIC  
From: 344 North Main Street, Suite 70 West Hartford, CT 06117  
To: 141 South Street West Hartford, CT 06117

Suburban Pharmacy will appear on the August 25<sup>th</sup> agenda.

#### Pharmacy Remodel

None

#### Legal Matters

DN 10-963 CVS/pharmacy #2051 (PCY.1343) permitted a pharmacy technician to work with a lapsed registration. *The Commission approved the Department-recommended \$500 fine to the pharmacy.*

DN 10-965 During a routine inspection, Drug Control cited Oxford Pharmacy (PCY.392) for multiple violations. A follow-up inspection found that several of the violations were not corrected. *The Commission approved the Department-recommended penalty of \$2,000.*

#### Request for CE Waivers, etc.

Pasquale Coppola (PCT.4148) is requesting an extension to obtain .5 hours of CE; exclusion was an oversight. *Request approved.*

James A Rancourt (PCT.5753) is requesting that his attendance at AHS ACLS Provider Course offered at Hartford Hospital be considered for 10.0 live hours toward his 2010 continuing education requirement. *Request approved.*

Suzanne Sliker (PCT.7627) is requesting an extension to obtain .5 hours of CE; exclusion was an oversight. (1.0 CE completed 7/21) *Request approved.*

### Miscellaneous

Commissioner Goodmaster provided an overview of the NABP Annual meeting.

### Approval of Minutes

Approval of June minutes

Commission action: A motion was made by Commissioner Goodmaster, seconded by Commissioner Inguanti and a vote of 6-0 was passed approving the June meeting minutes.

### Non-Resident Pharmacy Applications

Asco Healthcare LLC  
d/b/a Omnicare of Annapolis Junction  
9036 Junction Drive  
Annapolis Junction, MD 20701

Kindred Care  
1918 E. 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, Ste A  
Lawrence, KS 66046

Pharmacy Incorporated  
82 Spruce Street  
Murray, KY 42071

St. Jude Children's Research  
Hospital Pharmacy  
262 Danny Thomas Place  
Memphis, TN 38105

Triad Isotopes, Inc.  
65 Shawmut Road, Unit 8  
Canton, MA 02021

Triad Isotopes, Inc.  
108 Charlotte Avenue  
Hicksville, NY 11801

Commission action: A motion was made by Commissioner Vegliante, seconded by Commissioner Beaudin and a vote of 6-0 was passed approving the above non-resident pharmacy applications.

### Adjournment