## ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION ILLINOIS DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

## **BOARD OF ACUPUNCTURE**

Meeting Date: May 14, 2013 Meeting Convened: 10:43 a.m. Meeting Adjourned: 12:23 p.m.

Meeting Location: IDFPR Chicago Office

James R. Thompson Center

Room 9-171A

Board Members Present: Claudette Baker, Chairperson

Patricia Faivre, Vice-Chairperson

Jason Bussell, Member David Miller, M.D., Member Pamela Olson, D.C., Member

Lixin Sha, Member

Staff Members Present: Todd Robertson, Board Liaison

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
Introductions	Todd Robertson introduced himself to the Board. Todd is the new Board Liaison and Manager of the Medical Licensing Unit.	The Board members introduced themselves and welcomed Todd.
Election of Officers	Jason Bussell made a motion to nominate Claudette Baker as Chairperson. Dr. David Miller seconded the motion.  Dr. David Miller made a motion to nominate Patricia Faivre as Vice-Chairperson. Jason Bussell seconded the motion.	Claudette Baker was elected as Chairperson and Patricia Faivre was elected as Vice- Chairperson by unanimous votes.
Approval of Minutes	The Board reviewed the open minutes from the November 13, 2012 meeting.	Motion to approve open minutes as amended. (Bussell/Miller) Motion carried unanimously.

Rules Revisions	Todd Robertson went over the previous recommendations that have been discussed by the Board including:  Section 1140.10 Definitions Revise "Acupuncturist" definition to include a person who practices acupuncture and is licensed by the Division under the Acupuncture Practice Act.	Dr. David Miller and Patricia Faivre, Rules Committee members, will continue to work on proposed changes to the Rules and revisions may be discussed at the next meeting.
	Section 1140.90 Continuing Education:	
	2) Change maximum number of hours for CE self- study to 8 hours;	
	6) Change maximum number of hours for related programs to 8 hours;	
	Add 7) NCCAOM approved hours (online or in person) maximum of 8 hours.	
	Section1140.100 Unprofessional Conduct Add sexual misconduct to line 15-16.	
Dry Needling	The Board members discussed the practice of dry needling by physical therapists. The opinion of the Board is that dry needling exactly matches the definition of acupuncture and should only be performed by persons licensed under the Acupuncture Practice Act.	

Application Review		
Nicole Suzanne Hohmann Out of State CE Approval	The Board reviewed the application and supporting documentation.	Approved Action Sheet No. 131078
Thomas John Hurrle Out of State CE Approval	The Board reviewed the application and supporting documentation.	Approved Action Sheet No. 131079
Kurt P. Redmond Out of State CE Approval	The Board reviewed the application and supporting documentation.	Approved Action Sheet No. 131080
James William Sullivan Out of State CE Approval	The Board reviewed the application and supporting documentation.	Approved Action Sheet No. 131081
Ilwa Kim Application for Licensure	The Board reviewed the application and supporting documentation.	Approved Action Sheet No. 131082
Chong Sun Kwon Application for Licensure	The Board reviewed the application and supporting documentation.	Approved Action Sheet No. 131083
Anna Grace Simms Application for Licensure	The Board reviewed the application and supporting documentation.	Approved Action Sheet No. 131084
Saterra Vishnu Guest Instructor	The Board reviewed the application and supporting documentation.	Approved* Action Sheet No. 131085  * Subsequent to review, the Division found that the applicant meets the requirements for Guest Instructor set forth in Section 1140.35 of the Rules for the Administration of the Acupuncture Practice Act.  No license will be issued under these provisions.
Adjournment	No further discussion.	The Board meeting was adjourned at 12:23 p.m.