

TEXAS STATE BOARD OF ACUPUNCTURE EXAMINERS
EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
JANUARY 11, 2002

The meeting was called to order at 9:36 a.m. by Chairman, Dee Ann Newbold, L.Ac. Committee members present were Marshall Voris, L.Ac.; and Claire H. Smith. Jerry Walker, Deputy Executive Director; General Counsel; Jennifer Soffer, J.D., Assistant General Counsel; Tim Speer, Manager, Acupuncture/Physician Assistant Division; and various other staff were also present.

Agenda item #2, regarding requests for approval of continuing acupuncture education, was considered. Dr. Voris moved, Ms. Smith seconded, and the motion passed to recommend to the full Board that the courses provided by the American College of Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine, Houston, Texas: Medical Ethics (English Only); Treatment of Chronic Fatigue Syndrome with TCM (English); Western and Oriental Medical Views on Rheumatoid Arthritis and Osteoarthritis (English & Chinese); TCM Viewpoint on Menopause and its correlation with Western Medicine (English & Chinese); Most Useful Tongs Special Points, Location, and Application (English & Chinese); Allergic Rhinitis (Hay Fever) (English & Chinese); Etiology, Differentiation, and Treatment of Migraine Headache (English & Chinese); TCM Diagnosis and Treatment of Eczema (English & Chinese); and Sports Medicine from Western Perspective as an Introduction Guiding to TCM Traumatology (English & Chinese) be approved, Dr. Newbold was recused.

Next the committee reviewed the courses submitted for approval by the International Institute of Integrative Medicine (Distance Learning). Dr. Voris was recused from voting on these items.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to recommend to the full Board to approve History of Medical Paradigms for two general credit hours.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to recommend to the full Board to approve Ears, Eyes, Nose and Throat for three general credit hours.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to recommend to the full Board to approve Integrative Message Techniques for one general credit hour.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to recommend to the full Board to approve Auricular Therapy Diagnosis in Psychology for three general credit hours.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to recommend to the full Board to approve Oncology in 3rd World for three general credit hours.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to recommend to the full Board to approve Cardiology in 3rd World for three general credit hours.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to recommend to the full Board to approve Bioenergetics upon verification that instructor is a licensed acupuncturist.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to recommend to the full board to approve Hygiene Practices.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to deny General Medical Sciences and Microbiology for CAE credit.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to deny Topics of Internal Medicine, Cardiology and Gastroenterology for CAE credit.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to deny Pediatrics for CAE credit.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to deny Obstetrics and Gynecology for CAE credit.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to deny Chiropractic Introduction for CAE credit.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to deny Introduction to Neurophychology for CAE credit.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to recommend to the full Board to approve Neuromeditation for three general credit hours.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to recommend to the full Board to approve Ethical Considerations for three ethic credit hours.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to deny Emergency Medicine for CAE credit.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to deny Topics in Orthopedics for CAE credit.

Ms. Smith moved, Dr. Newbold seconded, and the motion passed to recommend to the full Board to approve Integrative Pharmacology for three herbal credit hours.

There being no further business, **Dr. Voris moved, Ms. Smith seconded, and the motion passed to adjourn the meeting at 10:46 a.m.**