

**Education Committee Meeting
September 9, 2011
Oregon School of Massage**

Attendance

Committee Members:

Lisa Barck Garofalo, Chair
Nick Chrones, LMT
Pam Pennington, LMT
Steve Davis, LMT

Board Members & Staff:

Kathy Calise, Board Chair
Kate Coffey, Executive Director
Christine West, Policy Analyst

By Phone: David Fredrickson, LMT and John Combe, LMT

Absent: Jen Brady, LMT and Jaylene Lewis, LMT

Public: Todd Pennington

CALL TO ORDER - Barck Garofalo called the meeting to order at 10:02 am.

INTRODUCTIONS: Present at time of introductions Barck Garofalo, Chrones, Pennington, Calise, and Coffey; Combe and Fredrickson by phone; Davis arrived a few minutes late.

MINUTES - August 5 minutes were approved with no changes.

PUBLIC COMMENTS - None at this time

MODEL CURRICULUM REVIEW

AMENDMENTS STANDARD V:

KNOWLEDGE:

- 1 - No changes - Understand massage and bodywork applications and resulting effects.
- 2 - Understand historical and theoretical context of disciplines practiced.
- 3 - Understand and describe types of manual soft tissue techniques and their functions/purposes.
- 4 - Understand and describe basic energy theories and systems of bodywork.
- 5 - Understand and describe the application of tools and contraindications for use.
- 6 - Understand and describe the effects of thermal applications and contraindications for use.
- 7 - Understand and describe the use of topical preparations and contraindications for use.
- 8 - Understand and describe the use of safe and functional draping.
- 9 - Understand and describe functional assessment techniques.
- 10 - Understand and describe postural assessment, range of motion evaluation and gate analysis.

Break returned at 11:00, Pennington was called away.

Combe had to leave at 11:20

AMENDMENTS STANDARD V continued:

SKILLS:

- 1 - No changes - Demonstrate appropriate and professional draping techniques.
- 2 - Demonstrate safe and appropriate client positioning based on specific client needs.
- 3 - Demonstrate use of manual soft tissue techniques and describe their proper use and function.
- 4 - Demonstrate varying rhythms/pace, depth, stroke sequences, and flow/continuity for specific applications and adjust for intended outcomes.
- 5 - No changes - Demonstrate use of tools/equipment as applicable.
- 6 - Demonstrate use of verbal and non-verbal communication about specific applications and their intended outcomes to gain and respond to client consent and feedback.
- 7 - Demonstrate safe application of thermal and topical substances.
- 8 - Demonstrate functional palpation and tissue assessment skills.
- 9 - Demonstrate basic functional postural assessment and range of motion evaluation.

ABILITIES:

1. Demonstrate active and reflective listening during the treatment session.
2. No changes - Perform and assessment procedure and interpret findings as they relate to the selection and application of techniques to address treatment goals.
3. Obtain & interpret baseline & post-treatment objective palpation assessments.
4. No Change - Apply techniques based on treatment plan as determined from evaluation of the assessment findings or as directed by referring provider(s).
5. Document subjective and objective findings, treatment goals, treatment and treatment outcomes.
6. Synthesize information obtained in a client interview and assessment to determine the indications, contraindications and precautions for massage and bodywork treatment and/or appropriate referral.
7. Formulate a progressive treatment plan based on assessments addressing short- and long-term goals (when applicable) and appropriately apply treatment to obtain intended outcomes.

OTHER BUSINESS -

Reviewed the Credentialing Review rule, the following are the changes that will be suggested to the Board from this committee:

334-010-0009

Credentialing Review

(1) The Board may grant a license to applicants who have legally practiced massage and/or bodywork outside of the State of Oregon after successful completion of the practical and jurisprudence examinations, the written examination and upon a credentialing review.

(a) Credentialing review shall be submitted on the approved Board of Massage forms (Credentialing Review), submitted with official transcripts and/or certificates as proof of completion.

(A) Of the 200 Anatomy, Physiology, Pathology and Kinesiology hours required, 120 hours minimum must be from certified class

instruction. Of the 200 hours required, up to 80 contact hours of prior continuing education in the subject areas may apply.

(i) Official Transcripts or Certificates of Completion shall be documented on the approved Board of Massage form: Credentialing Review.

(B) Of the 300 Massage Theory and Practical Application, Clinical Practice, Business Development, Communication and Ethics, and Sanitation hours required, 140 hours minimum must be from certified class instruction. Of the 300 hours required up to 120 contact hours of prior continuing education in the subject areas may apply. Of the 300 hours required, up to 40 hours of practical work experience as identified in OAR 334-001-0060(24) may apply.

(i) Practical Work Experience shall be documented on the approved Board of Massage forms: Credentialing Review and Work Experience Verification Worksheet.

(2) Credentialing Review applications shall be accompanied by:

(a) Current Credentialing Review fee and

(b) Any additional documentation required by the Board.

PUBLIC COMMENTS - Todd Pennington suggested that all students are introduced to gate analysis.

Next meeting 10-12pm, October 7, 2011

Homework - review Standard VI and VII

Adjourned at 12:07.