

**Physical Therapist Licensing Board  
Administrative Rules Hearing  
January 20, 2012**

**MINUTES**

**Friday, January 20, 2012**

**Board Members Present:** Steve Alstot, PT, Chair; Jason Fiske, PT Vice Chair; Ruggie Canizares, PT Member; Richard Rutt, PT Member; Burke Selbst, PT Member; Jennifer Wood, PTA Member; Carol Sutton, Public Member

**Board Members Absent:** Troy Costales, Public Member

**Staff:** James Heider, Executive Director; Sherri Paru, PT, Clinical Advisor/Investigator

**Legal Counsel:** Carol Parks, AAG

The Proposed Administrative Rules Hearing was held Friday, January 20, 2012 in Room 445 of the Portland State Office Building, 800 NE Oregon Street, Portland, OR. Pursuant to OAR 848-001-0000, Notice of the Hearing with the Fiscal Impact Statement was sent to the President of the Senate; Co-Speakers of the House; the Legislative Fiscal Office; the Secretary of State's Archives Division and to all persons on the Board's Interested Parties List. Additionally, the Notice was published in the January 2012 edition of the Oregon Bulletin and notification was posted in the Winter 2011 Board Newsletter mailed to all Licensees via USPS first class postage on 12.20.11. Lastly, the Notice along with the Fiscal Impact Statement with a narrative and a copy of the proposed rule change language was also posted on the Board's website for viewing and comment by the public or interested parties.

The Hearing was convened, at 8:36 AM, by Jim Heider, Board Executive Director and Presiding Hearing Officer.

Verbal Testimony was presented by Diana Godwin, Attorney at Law and legal counsel for Oregon Physical Therapist in Independent Practice (OPTIP). The written testimonies of Dan and Danielle Nightshade and Jason Rodeghero, PT were read into the record.

After the testimony was complete, including Board consideration, questions and discussion, Mr. Heider recommended to the Board, to consider any amendments and adoption of the proposed Administrative Rule changes in Public Session. Mr. Heider adjourned the Hearing at 8:55 AM.

The Hearing is digitally recorded and stored electronically on the Board's file server. Audio copies are available, to the public or interested parties, for the administrative cost to reproduce the audio file.