



State of Arizona Acupuncture Board of Examiners

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NOTICE AND AGENDA OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE ARIZONA ACUPUNCTURE BOARD OF EXAMINERS

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Arizona Acupuncture Board Of Examiners (Board) and to the general public that the Board will hold a regular meeting open to the public on:

Wednesday, January 25, 2012, at 1:00 p.m.

1400 West Washington

Conference Room B-1

Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Title 2 of the Americans with Disability Act (ADA) prohibits the Board from discriminating on the basis of disability in its public meetings. Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation by calling the Board office at 602-542-3095. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

During the course of the meeting, the Board, upon a majority vote of a quorum of the members, may hold an executive session for the purposes of obtaining legal advice from the Board's attorney on any matter listed on the agenda pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03 (A) (3). The executive session will be held immediately after the vote and will not be open to the public.

The agenda is subject to change up to 24 hours prior to the meeting. The Board Chairperson reserves the right to change the order of the items on the agenda, except for matters set for a specific time.

Board Members:

Toni Bennalley, L.AC., Chairperson

Ross Adelman, Consumer Member

Maureen Bronson, Consumer Member

Woohyung Cho, L.AC., Professional Member

Christopher M. Clair, Consumer Member

Dianne Darcy, L.AC., Professional Member

Robert L. Gear, Jr., NMD, DC, Professional Member

Patricia E. Martin, L.AC., Professional Member

Alan H. Scott, DO, Professional Member

Staff: Pete Gonzalez, Executive Director

Legal Counsel: Marc Harris, Assistant Attorney General

AGENDA

The Agenda for the meeting is as follows:

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Introduction of New Board Member: Alan Scott**
3. **Declaration of Conflicts of Interest**
4. **Discussion and Approval of Minutes**

December 5, 2011 Board Meeting Minutes

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE LISTED FOR BOARD REVIEW, DISCUSSION, AND LEGAL ACTION

5. **Professional Business**
 - A. Discussion of Procedures for Election of Board Officers
 - B. Election of Board Chairperson pursuant to A.R.S. §32-3902(D)
 - C. Election of Board Secretary pursuant to A.R.S. §32-3902(D)
 - D. Review and Adoption of 2012 Fees pursuant to A.R.S. §32-3927
6. **Discussion and Possible Adoption of Position Statement/Substantive Policy Statement on Dry Needling**

(Upon a vote of the majority of a quorum, the Board may go into Executive Session on the following item(s), pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2) to review and discuss records exempt by law from public inspection, including the receipt and discussion of information or testimony that is specifically required to be maintained as confidential by state or federal law.)

7. **Consideration of Auricular Acupuncture Training Program**

Auricular Acupuncture Training Program application has been submitted by the Phoenix Institute of Herbal Medicine and Acupuncture for board review.

8. **Complaints/Investigations**

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Complaint #2012-07 (Unlicensed to Practice) re: Henry Ojeniyi—Natural Health Works Clinic

Complaint #2012-08 (Unprofessional Conduct) re: Jing Liu, L.AC.

Complaint #2012-09(Outside of Scope) re: Puquan Xiao, L.AC.

Complaint #2012-10(Outside of Scope) re: Qingsong Xiao, L.AC.

9. Applications for Licensure (without self-disclosures)

- A. Jill E. Storch-Tolentino
- B. Teresa M. Geissler
- C. Jennifer L. Parks
- D. Kristina M. Sherman
- E. Shuyuan Hong
- F. Daljit S. Sachdev
- G. Jamie M. Szybala
- H. Rebecca A. Coatsworth
- I. Kimberly A. Olson-McMaster
- J. Karreen N. Martin

10. Applications for Auricular Certificate (without self-disclosures)

- A. Robyn M. Snyder
- B. Sarai S. Darbandi

11. Other Applications/ Requests - Continuing Education

- A. “Keys to the Kingdom: How Everything in the Body is Connected to Everything Else” provided by Mary J. Rogel, Ph.D., L.Ac. for 15 hours on February 4 & 5 and 7 hours for February 6 in Phoenix, Arizona.
- B. “Core Formulas in Chinese Herbal Medicine: The Surest and Easiest Way to Understand Chinese Herbal Formulas” provided by Joseph Garner, L.AC. for 15 hours on February 18-19, 2012 in Phoenix, Arizona.
- C. “Introduction to Traditional Chinese Medicine” provided by Qingsong Xiao, L.AC. for 8 hours on January 14 and November 2, 2012 in Scottsdale, Arizona.
- D. “Theory and Practice of Bian Stone Therapy I” provided by Qingsong Xiao, L.AC. for 8 hours on January 15, March 24, July 21, and November 3, 2012 in Scottsdale, Arizona.
- E. “Theory and Practice of Bian Stone Therapy II” provided by Qingsong Xiao for 8 hours on January 16, March 25, July 22, and November 4, 2012 in Scottsdale, Arizona. The course will also be taught in Beijing, China on April 22, May 19, September 22, and October 20, 2012.

- F. “Theory and Practice of Qi Gong—Level 1” provided by Qingsong Xiao, L.AC. for 8 hours on March 11 and December 9, 2012 in Scottsdale, Arizona.
- G. “Theory and Practice of Qi Gong—Level II” provided by Qingsong Xiao, L.AC. for 8 hours on June 10, 2012 in Scottsdale, Arizona.
- H. “Theory and Practice of Reiki Healing—Level 1” provided by Tara Hoffman for 8 hours on March 10 and December 8, 2012 in Scottsdale, Arizona.
- I. “Theory and Practice of Reiki Healing—Level II” provided by Tara Hoffman for 8 hours on June 9, 2012 in Scottsdale, Arizona.
- J. “Theory and Practice of Acupuncture Magnet Therapy—Level 1” provided by Qingsong Xiao, L.AC. for 8 hours on February 18 and June 23, 2012 in Scottsdale, Arizona.
- K. “Theory and Practice of Acupuncture Magnet Therapy—Level II” provided by Qingsong Xiao, L.AC. for 8 hours on February 19 and June 24, 2012 in Scottsdale, Arizona.

12. Executive Director Report

The report will include a review of information regarding Board and office activities, and may include an update on the following:

- Budget
- Licensing Statistics
- Website activity
- Summary of Current Events
- Reports as required by the State of Arizona

13. Future Meeting Dates

February 22, 2012
 March 28, 2012

14. Call to the Public

The Board may make an open call to the public during the meeting, subject to reasonable time, place, and manner restrictions, to allow individuals to address the Board on any issue within its jurisdiction. Those wishing to address the Board should fill out a speaker request form. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.01 (H), members of the Board are not allowed to discuss or take legal action on matters raised during an open call to the public unless the matters are properly noticed for discussion and legal action. However, the Board may ask staff to review a matter or may ask that a matter be placed on a future agenda.

15. Discussion of Items to be placed on a future meeting agenda

16. Adjournment

POSTED: January 18, 2012 at 1:00 p.m.