

MASSAGE THERAPY TECHNICAL
ADVISORY COMMITTEE

5800 West Tenth Street
Little Rock, AR

MEETING MINUTES of
September 10, 2018

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT

Alan Anderson, Chairman

Stephenie Cooke

Chris Lovelace

Jessica Tolliver

John Brochu

PROCEEDINGS (beginning 9:00 a.m.)

Call to Order

Roll Call

Approval of previous minutes - Motion by Brochu, Seconded by Tolliver -- Motion passed

Continuing Education Applications

*Approved upon motion and second:

1. Introduction To Tuning Fork Therapy
5. 123 Facial Massage
6. Ethics for Massage Therapists: A Comprehensive Overview

*Approved pending receipt of permission to use copyrighted material:

4. Bowenwork, An Introduction to Wellness In Your Hands

*Tabled, need to resubmit with revisions:

2. Acute and Chronic Pain - Upper Body -
Goes beyond the scope of massage therapy rules, goes into medical advice, massage therapists cannot give medical or nutrition advice.

Need to change language regarding bruising.

3. Speed of Strikes and Tempo - Upper Body
Definitions used in application are medical definitions, outside the scope of the rules of massage therapy. Need to remove information regarding myocytosis.

Ad hoc Committee has not met since the last meeting, so there is nothing to report, other than attempting to schedule another meeting.

Program Update Kelley Kersey

Discussion of membership on Massage Therapy Technical Advisory Committee - received information from 28 interested individuals

Names were submitted to the Board of Health, new members should have received letter reflecting their appointments. There will be a training for the new members to be scheduled.

Next meeting December 10 - 9:00 a.m.

Meeting adjourned 9:40 a.m.