BOARD OF ACUPUNCTURE
Professional and Vocational Licensing Division
Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs
State of Hawaii

A G E N D A

Date: April 7, 2022

Time: 1:00 p.m.

In-Person Meeting Location: Queen Liliuokalani Conference Room
HRH King Kalakaua Building
335 Merchant Street, First Floor
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

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1. Call to Order

2. Approval of Board Minutes of the February 3, 2022 Meeting

3. Executive Officer's Report

   a. Update on SB2276 SD2 HD2 - Makes comprehensive updates to chapter 436E, Hawaii Revised Statutes, regarding acupuncture practitioners to reflect

modernized scopes of practice, titles, and licensing and renewal requirements. Beginning with the renewal for the licensing biennium commencing 7/1/2025, requires licensees to obtain thirty hours of continuing education per licensing biennium. Allows the board of acupuncture to issue licenses by reciprocity. Effective 7/1/2060. (HD2)

b. Microneedling response from Board of Barbering and Cosmetology

c. Department of Health (DOH) letter update regarding lab testing

d. SCR 134 & SR 118 - REQUESTING THAT THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS SUPPORT THE PASSAGE OF H.R. 4803, THE ACUPUNCTURE FOR OUR SENIORS ACT OF 2021, WHICH WOULD AMEND TITLE XVIII OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR ACUPUNCTURIST SERVICES UNDER THE MEDICARE PROGRAM.

4. Applications

The Board may move into Executive Session to consider and evaluate personal information relating to individuals applying for licensure in accordance with Section 92-5(a)(1), Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS"), and/or to consult with the Board's attorney on questions and issues pertaining to the Board's powers, duties, privileges, immunities, and liabilities in accordance with Section 92-5(a)(4), HRS.

a. Ratifications

<u>Acupuncturists</u>

ACU 1370 DANIELLE BENSON
ACU 1371 MICHIKO USUI
ACU 1372 ASHLEY MARIE AMAS
ACU 1373 GRACE SUH COSCIA
ACU 1374 GREG ANDREW LIVINGSTON
ACU 1375 KELLY LYNN BAUCUM

b. Applications

<u>Acupuncturists</u>

None

5. New Business

a. Continuing education rules and definitions in the rules of practice of advanced acupuncture medicine

b. Formation of permitted interaction group: Drafting continuing education rules and definitions in the rules of practice of advanced acupuncture medicine

6. Ongoing Business

a. None

7. Next Meeting:

Thursday, June 2, 2022
1:00 p.m.
Princess Likelike Room

8. Adjournment

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