

ADVISORY BOARD FOR RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY MINUTES

Wednesday, November 30, 2005, 1:00 p.m.

6603 West Broad Street
Board Room 4, 5th Floor
Richmond, Virginia

The Advisory Board for Radiologic Technologist did not have a quorum to conduct business.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mary Loritsch, R.T.
Elizabeth Meixner, R.T.

MEMBERS ABSENT: Roberta Heffernan, R.T. Chair
Robert Goldschmidt, M.D.
LaChele Gray

STAFF PRESENT: William L. Harp, M.D., Executive Director
Ola Powers, Deputy Executive Director, Licensing
Elaine Yeatts, Senior Regulatory Analyst
Eusebia Joyner, Recording Secretary

GUEST PRESENT: Jeff Legg, PhD
Pam Shelton, Southside Regional Medical Center
Arnold Beresh, VA Podiatric Medical Association (VPMA)
Michele Beresh, VPMA
Joyce Hawkins, VSRT

Public Comments

Dr. Beresh discussed the possibility of putting a course for Rad Tech Limited, Podiatry into a CD ROM Format. He mentioned that Blake Zobell, DPM, MS would work with VPMA to consider the internet-based education process and also be available to answer any questions. A copy of the CD ROM demo disk was given to the advisory board members for review and circulation.

Mr. Legg distributed Radiologist Assistant Role Delineation and practice issues to the members. Dr. Harp suggested that he study the information provided and include this item on the agenda for the February meeting.

1. Regulations

Ms. Yeatts presented a regulatory chart for the Board's information. She explained the possibility of a fee increase, mentioned the new regulations on Standards of Professional Conduct, and announced the regulation of licensed midwives in December 2005.

2. Executive Order 97 Revised Temporary Licenses

Dr. Harp explained the Executive Order to grant temporary licenses to individuals displaced by hurricanes Katrina and Rita. He stated that the license would be good for one year and issued as promptly as possible.

3. Newsletter

Dr. Harp related that all seven advisory boards should have their own newsletter in order to better communicate with licensees. All licensees would be informed about the newsletter with a postcard. Dr. Harp also said that he hoped to have the first draft of this newsletter by the 8th of February 2006 at the next meeting. All newsworthy items need to be submitted to Eusebia Joyner for collection.

4. Website

Dr. Harp asked the Board members to review the online frequently asked questions, update or revise, and submit to Ola Powers.

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING: February 8, 2006

Mary Loritisch, RT (R)

William L. Harp, M.D., Executive Director

Eusebia L. Joyner, Recording Secretary