TEMPORARY LICENSES
(Issued since last board meeting)

CVS #17523
Andrew Miller

St Rose Dominican Hospital
Michael Ta

MountainView Hospital
Stephen Chromi
Margrit Sheldon

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James Kim
Mr. Larry Pinson  
Executive Secretary  
Nevada Board of Pharmcy  
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Reno, Nevada 89509

Dear Mr. Pinson:

Thank you for your presentation to the Governor’s Prescription Drug Summit Planning Committee on June 21. Combating prescription drug abuse in Nevada is one of my top priorities and the planning meeting’s forum helped us to identify key issues in the state. This allows us to begin the important conversations regarding how to best address prescription drug abuse in our communities. The information you provided was very educational and your insights will be very useful in informing the agenda for the Prescription Drug Summit set for late August.

Prescription drug abuse and overdose death will continue to be a public health crisis unless leaders in the public and private sectors come to together to work toward solutions. The Summit will be an important step in that process. Thank you again for taking the time to present to the committee.

Sincerely regards,

BRIAN SANDOVAL  
Governor
NEVADA STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

ACTIVITIES REPORT

JUNE 1, 2016 BOARD MEETING HELD IN RENO, NEVADA

This report is prepared and presented to keep interested legislators and others abreast of the activities of the Nevada State Board of Pharmacy. Following is a summary of the June, 2016 Board meeting.

Licensing Activity:

- 14 licenses were granted for Out-of-State MDEG (Medical Devices, Equipment and Gases) companies.
- 1 license was granted for a Nevada MDEG company & 1 tabled.
- 22 licenses were granted for Out-of-State pharmacies, pending receipt of a favorable inspection for all compounding pharmacies.
- 15 licenses were granted for Out-of-State wholesalers, one pending staff inspection.
- 7 licenses were granted for Nevada pharmacies.
- 4 licenses were granted for pharmacists pending provision of further information.
- 1 pharmacist license to reciprocate to Nevada was approved after exam violations were vetted.
- 1 license was granted and 1 denied for pharmacy technicians (the denied one for substance abuse).

Disciplinary Actions:

- Pharmacy SW was fined $5K plus admin fees for employing an unlicensed pharmacy manager for 62 days and required to revise their P&P to prevent further employment of unlicensed personnel. Pharmacist SB was further disciplined.
- Physician DF had his controlled substance registration suspended, then stayed and put on probation for 5 years while undergoing recovery for diversion of controlled substances for personal use.

Other Activity:

- The usual Board business reports were given, including recent and future speaking engagements; reports on national meetings; and collaboration with other state agencies.
- Personnel review was conducted by the Executive Secretary as well Executive Secretary evaluation by the Board.
- Election of officers was held.
- A presentation was heard by staff from a pharmacy tech school requesting the Board to consider mandatory PT certification.
PUBLIC HEARING:

A. Amendment of Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 639.921 Sharing of information between two or more pharmacies. The proposed amendment would allow for the sharing of information concerning prescriptions between the computerized system of two or more pharmacies that are commonly owned or contractually related.

B. Amendment of Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 639.955 Imposed fines for not transmitting information regarding the dispensing of controlled substances. The proposed amendment provides a penalty for the failure to transmit certain information concerning the dispensing of controlled substances.