2011 BOC Athletic Trainer Regulatory Conference



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Conference Overview

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8:00am Welcome

8:15am Keynote – Healthcare Regulation in a Time of Political and Financial Chaos

8:45am Best Practices – Reading Between the Lines: Will Healthcare Reform Affect Scopes

of Practice?

9:30am Best Practices – Preparing for Sunset 10:00am Break – Networking Opportunity

10:15am Best Practices – Redesigning Continuing Education in Health Professions

(Institute of Medicine)

11:15am Best Practices – Continuing Education Development

12:00pm Lunch – Networking Opportunity

1:00pm Best Practices – Discipline Reporting (National Practioners Database)

2:00pm Best Practices – Public Safety
3:15pm Break – Networking Opportunity

3:30pm Breakout Sessions – Board Member/Leadership Training

5:30pm Welcome Reception & Awards Ceremony

Saturday, July 9th

8:00am Continental Breakfast & Best Practices Roundtables – Standard Terminology

10:30am Break – Networking Opportunity

10:45am Best Practices for Standard Terminology – Thoughts and Updates from

Leading Organizations

12:10pm Conference Summary and Looking Forward to 2013

12:30pm Adjourn

Locations

Registration Mezzanine
All General Sessions Midlands

Round Table Discussions Winnebago & Flanagan Lunch Winnebago & Flanagan

Welcome Reception BOC Office - 1415 Harney Street

BOC Mission To provide exceptional credentialing programs for healthcare professionals to assure protection of the public

Registration
Located in the
Mezzanine
July 8, 2011
7:00am-4:00pm
July 9, 2011
7:00am-11:00am

Conference
Headquarters
Doubletree
Downtown
1616 Dodge Street
Omaha, NE 68102
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Conference Objectives

Participants of the 2011 BOC Athletic Trainer Regulatory Conference will:

- Foster thought-provoking discussions surrounding the future of healthcare
- Interactively discuss "Best Practices" regarding scope of practice, sunset reviews, public safety, discipline and continuing education
- Initiate discussions related to harmonizing terminology in practice acts and rules and regulations
- Provide an understanding of how contemporary regulatory issues impact the BOC, NATA and the CAATE; and how each organization contributes to the regulatory process and public protection
- Create an environment which provides participants with ample networking opportunities



Continuing Education

BOC Certified Athletic Trainers can earn up to 11.75 CEUs for their participation. Certificates of attendance will be provided at the end of the conference.

Friday, July 8th

Opening Remarks

8:00am Dave Montgomery Midlands

Keynote Speaker: "Healthcare Regulation in a Time of Political and Financial Chaos"

8:15am Moderator: Dave Montgomery Midlands

Speaker: Brad Sherman

In a time of financial and political chaos in our states and the country as a whole, how do we as regulators and healthcare professionals have any way of knowing how to move ahead? We will look at how this current milieu is affecting healthcare regulation. The speaker will attempt to pose questions that will serve as a basis for discussion during the conference.

<u>Best Practices – Reading Between the Lines: Will Healthcare Reform Affect Scopes of Practice?</u>

8:45am Moderator: Jeff Rosa Midlands

Speaker: Catherine Dower

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010, together with various advances in the market and among the professions, are driving changes in how health professionals are regulated. In particular, scopes of practice – while not specifically highlighted in the PPACA – are on the move. Policy makers and analysts are investigating the impacts the developments driven by the PPACA and other forces will have on which professions can provide which services to patients and clients in the US. Join Catherine Dower in an exploration of this critically important and timely topic.

Friday, July 8th (continued)

Best Practices – Preparing for Sunset

9:30am Moderator: Valerie Herzog Midlands

Speaker: John Parsons

The state legislative sunrise process is the first formal step toward scope of practice expansion efforts for all healthcare professions. Strategic planning and thorough preparation is necessary to ensure a successful sunrise review. The purpose of this presentation is to identify the critical components and resource requirements necessary for success. Drawing on experiences from the 2009-2010 sunrise review process in the State of Arizona, this presentation will emphasize the necessary organizational, informational, and financial resources, and will propose effective strategies for use by state athletic training leaders.

Break - Networking Opportunity

10:00am Midlands Foyer

Best Practices – Redesigning Continuing Education in Health Professions (Institute of Medicine)

10:15am Moderator: Anna August Midlands

Speaker: Wendy Rheault

The Institute of Medicine released a report in 2009 entitled- *Redesigning Continuing Education in the Health Professions*. The fundamental recommendations will be reviewed. The report recommends that an inter-professional continuing education (CE) institute be developed and charged with overseeing comprehensive change in the way CE is conducted, financed, regulated and evaluated.

Best Practices - Continuing Professional Development

11:15am Moderator: Anna August Midlands

Speakers: Mark Doughty & David Berry

Mark Doughty - Changes in BOC CE Requirements

The BOC Standards Committee was charged with reviewing CE requirements to maintain BOC certification and making recommendations for changes to the BOC Board of Directors. An overview of the process that was used to make these recommendations, the proposed changes and the implementation timeline, if accepted, will be presented. Included will be a breakdown of the proposed categories with recommended content and compliance parameters.

David Berry - Task Force on Continuing Professional Education Report

The Task Force on Continuing Professional Education was charged several years ago to devise a longitudinal study to examine the effects of CE on professional competence as well as examine credential members, CE trends and behavior patterns. We are currently in the final phase of this multi-year process answering four main research questions to date. The purpose of this update session will be to highlight these research findings regarding CE and professional competence.

Friday, July 8th (continued)

<u>Lunch – Networking Opportunity</u>

12:00pm Winnebago & Flanagan

<u>Best Practices – Discipline Reporting (National Practitioners Database)</u>

1:00pm Moderator: Ron Walker Midlands

Speaker: Bill West

Participants will be provided with an overview of the National Practitioner Data Bank and how Section 1921 of the *Social Security Act* has expanded querying and reporting requirements. Educational scenarios will be offered to ensure that attendees increase their understanding in reporting and querying responsibilities to the Data Bank. Any profession-specific trends or guidelines will be discussed as available. Other topics include information on the Healthcare Integrity and Protection Data Bank, Continuous Query, and current initiatives of the Division of Practitioner Data Banks.

Best Practices - Public Safety

2:00pm Moderator: Tim McLane Midlands

Speakers: BJ Maack - Athletic Safety in Schools Vicky Graham - Brain Injuries Greg Rose - Heat Illness Brian Robinson - ATs in Secondary Schools

The sole purpose of state regulation is public protection. In this discussion, each panelist will present one or more examples of best practices in the areas noted, with follow-up discussion among the panelists and the audience. Each speaker will focus on activities, statutes, and initiatives that have been shown to be effective in protecting the safety of the public in areas relating to the practice of athletic training.

3:15pm Midlands Foyer Notes

Friday, July 8th (continued)

Breakout Sessions (two 45-minutes sessions)

3:30pm

Moderator: Greg Rose

Speakers: David Montogmery & Keith Gardner

Midlands/Winnebago & Flanagan

Dave Montgomery - Board Member/Leadership Training

Dave Montgomery is an administrator within the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services. Over his 35-year career, he has specialized in the regulation of health professionals and the organization and re-engineering of regulatory systems.

Since its inception in 1985, he has led the Nebraska Credentialing Review (407) sunrise process, and has been recognized internationally for the excellence of Nebraska's program. He has also recently concluded leadership of a multi-year project to re-engineer the regulation of health-related professions and facilities in Nebraska. Montgomery also serves as Executive Director for the Nebraska State Board of Health, which appoints members to 25 professional regulatory boards and approves all rules and regulations for those boards.

A former national president of the Council on Licensure, Enforcement and Regulation (CLEAR), Montgomery has served on that body's Board of Directors and has chaired several committees. He was instrumental in developing CLEAR's Executive Leadership Program for Regulators and continues to serve as faculty for that program and the Board Member Training Program.

Montgomery provides speaking and consultation services to organizations that are exploring ways to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of their professional regulatory programs.

Keith Gardner - Legislative/Regulatory Relations

Keith Gardner was appointed to serve as Governor Susana Martinez's chief of staff after serving in the New Mexico state House for 6 years representing District 66 and the people of Chaves, Eddy, Lea and Roosevelt Counties.

In this capacity, he served as the body's minority whip, advocating on behalf of pro-business initiatives, government efficiency, transparency, and ethics reform.

Gardner lived in Roswell for 17 years prior to teaming up with Martinez. He is also a small business owner and managing partner of Sprint Sports Rehabilitation Clinic - a practice he built after earning a degree from New Mexico State University in athletic training education.

Gardner hails from Reserve, a small, western town in New Mexico. He spent 2 years serving as a missionary for the Church of Latter Day Saints in Spain and is happily married to his wife, Stephanie. The couple has four children and a dog named Sweetie.

WELCOME RECEPTION & AWARDS CEREMONY

5:30pm

BOC Office 15th & Harney Street

2011 Award Recipients

The Paul Grace Leadership Award



The Paul Grace Leadership Award was established by the BOC Board of Directors in 2005 to recognize individuals who have excelled in developing, designing and/or implementing programs or practices that have contributed to the mission of the BOC.

Bernadette Olson, EdD, ATC, has been a BOC Certified Athletic Trainer for 23 years and an active volunteer and advocate for the BOC for the majority of that time having various roles as an examiner for the BOC exam, Role Delineation Panelist, Home Study Reviewer, Athletic Trainer Director, Vice President and President. She has also held leadership positions for the Mid-America Athletic Trainers' Association/District V and has worked on

the College and University Student Athletic Trainer Committee. Olson's vision, leadership, friendship and mentoring abilities are remarkable and appreciated by the BOC.

Olson obtained her bachelor's degree from the University of Delaware, master's degree at the University of Virginia and doctorate at the University of South Dakota. Named Athletic Trainer of the Year by the South Dakota Athletic Trainers' Association, Olson is an assistant professor at South Dakota State University.

The Public Advocacy Award



The Public Advocacy Award is designed to recognize an individual, group or organization who has demonstrated leadership in protecting athletic training consumers.

Rusty McKune, MS, ATC, has been involved with legislative and regulatory efforts since 1998 when he organized the *Nebraska State Practice Act and Statutes for Athletic Training*. He was the spearheading force in inviting athletic trainers to assist in the development of the bill's first draft, constantly communicating with lobbyists, meeting with Senators and testifying.

As President of the Nebraska State Athletic Trainers' Association, McKune has continued moving forward with regulatory proceedings and was instrumental in the development of LB260, *The Concussion Awareness Act*. This bill was created to protect young athletes and provide them with the appropriate medical care before returning to play. The bill passed rounds of debate unopposed and was approved by Nebraska's Governor Dave Heineman on April 14, 2011. The Nebraska State Athletic Trainers' Association Governmental Affairs history is reflective of McKune's leadership and dedication to the profession of athletic training and to protecting the public.

McKune is a BOC volunteer and was recently awarded the George F. Sullivan Athletic Trainer of the Year Award. McKune is the Head Athletic Trainer at the University of Nebraska at Omaha and a graduate of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Saturday July 9th

<u>Continental Breakfast</u> <u>Best Practices Roundtables – Standard Terminology</u>

8:00am Moderators: ATRCA Panel Winnebago & Flanagan

Leader: Mike Chisar

Break - Networking Opportunity

10:30am Winnebago & Flanagan

Foyer

Best Practices for Standard Terminology - Thoughts and Updates from Leading Organizations

10:45am Moderator: Kurt McClurg Winnebago & Flanagan

Speakers:

Marty Baker – NATA

Mike Chisar – NATA Governmental Affairs Committee Sara Brown – NATA Executive Committee on Education

> Micki Cuppett – CAATE Pete Koehneke – BOC

Conference Summary and Looking Forward to 2013

12:10pm Kurt McClurg Winnebago & Flanagan

The BOC Board of Directors and staff would like to thank everyone who was involved with creating and implementing the 2011 BOC Athletic Trainer Regulatory Conference.

Athletic Trainer Regulatory Conference Advisory Panel

Dave Montgomery, Co-Chair, Nebraska • Kurt McClurg, Co-Chair, Ohio
Anna August, California • Greg Rose, Kentucky • Jeff Rosa, Ohio • Kristin Burris, Delaware
Tim McLane, Florida • Ron Walker, Oklahoma • Valerie Herzog, Utah

Speakers/Leaders

Marty Baker • David Berry • Sara Brown • Mike Chisar • Micki Cuppett
Mark Doughty • Catherine Dower • Keith Gardner • Vicky Graham
Dave Montgomery • BJ Maack • John Parsons • Wendy Rheault
Brian Robinson • Greg Rose • Brad Sherman • Bill West

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