

AGENDA

STATE OF CONNECTICUT STATE BOARD OF NATUREOPATHIC EXAMINERS

Friday, December 5, 2008 at 8:30 AM

Department of Public Health
410 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, CT
2nd Floor, Conference Room E

CALL TO ORDER

I. Minutes

Review and approval of the minutes of the September 12, 2008 meeting.

II. Department of Public Health Updates

Investigations Update

Gary Griffin, Investigations Supervisor

III. Schedule Meeting dates for 2009

IV. Additional Agenda Items

ADJOURN

The Connecticut State Board of Natureopathic Examiners held a meeting on September 12, 2008 at the Department of Public Health, 410 Capitol Avenue, Second Floor Conference Room E, Hartford, Connecticut.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Jonathan S. Raistrick, ND, Chairman – *via telephone*
Jonathan E. Goodman, ND - *via telephone*
James Dillman – *via telephone*

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: None

ALSO PRESENT: Jeffrey A. Kardys, Board Liaison
Gary Griffin, Practitioner Investigation Unit, DPH

Dr. Raistrick called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

I. MINUTES

The minutes from the April 4, 2008 meeting were reviewed. Dr. Goodman made a motion seconded by Mr. Dillman to approve the minutes. The motion passed unanimously.

II. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH UPDATES

Investigations Update

Gary Griffin, Investigations Supervisor, Department of Public Health reported that two cases have been referred to the Department's Legal Office for further review.

III. ADDITIONAL AGENDA ITEM

Dr. Raistrick raised the topic of a seminar in the Science and Application of Laser Therapy that is offered by the Irradia Medical Laser Systems & Education.

The Board discussed that although these seminars are open to natureopathic physicians, the use of lasers by natureopathic physicians in Connecticut, pursuant to an opinion of the Attorney General, is not within the scope practice. Therefore, natureopathic physicians in Connecticut should not use this seminar towards fulfillment of continuing education requirements.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 8:52 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jonathan S. Raistrick, ND, Chairman
Connecticut State Board of Natureopathic Examiners