



AK PT/OT Board - Continuing Competency Mtg - September 8, 2025

Alaska Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing
Monday, September 8, 2025 at 10:00 AM AKDT to 12:00 PM AKDT
Juneau - Zoom

Meeting Details:

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Agenda

1. Call to Order/Roll Call 10:00 AM

Committee Members: Rebecca Dean, Valerie Phelps, and Jonathan Gates

Continuing Competency/Education – Purpose: Better access to information to assist in clarifying statutory/regulatory guidelines as it applies to public safety and review the continuing professional practice and alternatives requirements and continuing education requirements for physical therapy and occupational therapy and make suggestions for modernization to the board.

2. Review/Approve Agenda 10:05 AM

3. Approve Minutes from 06/12/2025 10:10 AM

4. Public Comment 10:15 AM

5. Board Correspondence 10:25 AM

6. Action Items - Prioritized 10:40 AM

A. Goal 3.B - Streamline PT Licensing - Transcript requirement

Draft language approved by committee - make recommendation to the PHY Board at October 2-3, 2025 meeting.

B. Goal 4.A - Review/Revise CE requirements as needed + Goal 4.B - Develop Additional CE Opportunities

- Discussion/brainstorming to continue on development of additional CE opportunities. Need to discuss minimum/maximums for each category; total hours requirement; mandatory versus allowed; definition of CE requirement (12 AAC 54.410(c) and 12 AAC 54.710(d)) consistent w/industry standards i.e. contact hours vs. PDUs, etc.

- Need to look at revision/deletion of ½ requirement in 12 AAC 54.410(b) and 12 AAC 54.710(c) as well as exclusion of CPR and employer courses in 12 AAC 54.410(e) and 12 AAC 54.710(f).

C. Goal 2.B - Informed Consent

Informed Consent – The work on Informed Consent continues at a national level in the FSBPT Informed Consent Task Force. Goal 2.B previously tabled for discussion until results of draft language and supporting documents are approved nationally and distributed.

6/3/2025 - FSBPT Informed Consent Resources approved by FSBPT board and posted on their website at <https://www.fsbpt.org/Free-Resources/Regulatory-Resources/Informed-Consent>

D. Jurisprudence Questionnaire update

Jurisprudence Questionnaire Update tabled from last meeting. Completion of SB74 - PT Compact Licensure regulations project needed to incorporate any necessary questions related to fingerprinting/background reports, compact licensure, etc.

E. Goal 2.A - Update FAQs on PT/OT website

Tabled from last meeting.

7. Item from Regulations Committee 08/02/2024 mtg.

Possible awareness campaign for telehealth visits - Patients always have the right to see your license. Best practice to include license# and title OT/OTA or DPT/PTA in your Zoom listing so it's very clear what your credentials are. Ideas - Patients' Rights brochure (similar to what is given when you are admitted to the hospital) and included on website.

8. Next Steps

11:55 AM

9. Adjourn

12:00 PM