

ND BOARD OF CLINICAL LABORATORY PRACTICE
January 12, 2021
NDBCLP Office, 2900 E. Broadway Ave., Ste. 2, Bismarck, ND
Minutes

Call to Order: The Board Chair, Jim Breen, called the meeting to order at 10:00 AM. The Board met by remote means due to COVID-19 Pandemic.

Present: Board Members: Jim Breen- Chair; Sherry Melby – Secretary; Tom Tupa; Dr. Mark Koponen; Daniel Sivak; Dwight Barth; Christie Massen.
Others: Nikki Owings, Board Office; Dave Schaibley, Legal Counsel.

Minutes: It was **moved and seconded** to approve the minutes from October 13, 2020. (Tupa/Koponen/unanimous) [Roll call: Tupa (y); Melby (y); Sivak (y); Barth (y); Koponen (y); Massen (y); Breen (y)]

Financial Report: The report was for the first seventeen months of the budget cycle, November 30, 2020. Renewal revenue was under projection. All else in line with budget.

It was **moved and seconded** to approve the report as presented. (Melby/Barth/unanimous) [Roll call: Tupa (y); Melby (y); Sivak (y); Barth (y); Koponen (y); Massen (y); Breen (y)]

Statute Review: **Licensure Qualifications (43-48-08 and 43-48-09)** – The Board will add “successfully completed the academic requirements of an educational program recognized by the board and” to 43-48-08 (1).

Scopes of Practice – The Board will continue to work on drafting language to add to 43-48-01. Definitions.

Code of Ethics – Breen will draft language to the effect, “Board may adopt a code of ethics through administrative rule” to be reviewed at next meeting.

Administrative Rules Review:

Pro-rate Initial/Reciprocity Licensure Fee (96-02-03) – It was **moved and seconded** to accept the proposed draft with pro-rating the licensure fees and increasing the renewal fees by \$10.00 and move forward with rules changes after the 2021 legislative session. (Tupa/Sivak/unanimous) [Roll call: Tupa (y); Melby (y); Sivak (y); Barth (y); Koponen (y); Massen (y); Breen (y)]

Approved Exempt Tests/Methods Requests (96-02-20-01) - It was **moved and seconded** to approve the proposed draft and move forward with rules changes after the 2021 legislative session. (Tupa/Koponen/unanimous) [Roll call: Tupa (y); Melby (y); Sivak (y); Barth (y); Koponen (y); Massen (y); Breen (y)]

Request for Exemption of Test/Method:

Quidel Sofia SARS2 Antigen Testing - It was **moved and seconded** to approve the request and add as subsection 9g of 96-02-10-01, SARS COV2.

(Massen/Melby/unanimous) [Roll call: Tupa (y); Melby (y); Sivak (y); Barth (y); Koponen (y); Massen (y); Breen (y)]

Review of Available Exams List:

It was **moved and seconded** to approve the proposed draft as presented.

(Tupa/Barth/unanimous) [Roll call: Tupa (y); Melby (y); Sivak (y); Barth (y); Koponen (y); Massen (y); Breen (y)]

Application for Provisional Permit:

Ciara Wigness- CLS/MT – The Board will wait to hear from her as to whether she set up an exam date.

Concern Regarding ND Department of Health Microbiology Lab:

Massen recused from discussion due to conflict of interest.

The Board will seek further information from the concerned party as to which specific tests were being performed by which specific individuals; job titles/positions.

Review of Licenses/Provisional Permits Issued 10/1/2020 to 12/31/2020:

It was **moved and seconded** to ratify the licenses and provisional permits issued.

(Melby/Massen/unanimous) [Roll call: Tupa (y); Melby (y); Sivak (y); Barth (y); Koponen (y); Massen (y); Breen (y)]

Board Appointments: Breen has re-applied with the Governor’s office. No word on a replacement for

Koponen; he will serve until a replacement is named.

Other:

HB1166 – A bill regarding foreign practitioners seeking licensure. Legal counsel will keep Board updated on status of bill.

Next Meeting Dates:

April 13, 2021 10:00 AM By remote means.

Adjourn:

Meeting adjourned at 11:43 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim Breen, Board Chair

Sherry Melby, Board Secretary

Licenses issued 10/1/2020 through 12/31/2020:

	Last Name	First Name	Category
1.	Gullickson	Melanie	Clinical Laboratory Technician/Medical Laboratory Technician
2.	Magyar	Adam	Specialist
3.	Myklebust	Casey	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
4.	Basnet	Sha	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
5.	Perez	Bryan	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
6.	Saycon	Kimberly Marie	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
7.	Tenai	Betty	Clinical Laboratory Technician/Medical Laboratory Technician
8.	Vaughan	Melissa	Clinical Laboratory Technician/Medical Laboratory Technician
9.	See	Kaitlyn	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
10.	Turner	Gina	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
11.	Nonato	April Joy	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
12.	Locquiao	Sherwood Anthony	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
13.	Canapi	Anna Celina	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
14.	Lacasandile	Jerome	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
15.	Kaspari	Danielle	Clinical Laboratory Technician/Medical Laboratory Technician
16.	Daigle	Erin	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
17.	Fisher	Eric	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
18.	Orton	Daniel	Clinical Laboratory Technician/Medical Laboratory Technician
19.	Borrero Sotomayor	Ashley	Clinical Laboratory Technician/Medical Laboratory Technician
20.	Cambia	Paulo Wilson	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
21.	Wright	Alicia	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
22.	Peplinski	Christine	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
23.	Gomez	Zidluck Kid	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
24.	Gaviola	Jo Hannah Maria	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
25.	Rodriguez	Roxana	Clinical Laboratory Technician/Medical Laboratory Technician
26.	Labay	Cheska Mae	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
27.	Cooper	Nancy	Clinical Laboratory Technician/Medical Laboratory Technician
28.	Java	Joanne Joy	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist
29.	Colburn	Lynzee	Clinical Laboratory Technician/Medical Laboratory Technician
30.	Roiko	Marijo	Specialist
31.	Fabregas	Lanrick James	Clinical Laboratory Scientist/Medical Technologist

Provisional Permits issued 10/1/2020 through 12/31/2020:

Harleigh Davis
Danielle Kaspari
Kylie Krone
Laila Shire
Mark Wanner
Samantha Weigel