

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
COMMISSION OF PHARMACY
March 15, 2017

10:00 a.m. The regular meeting of the Commission of Pharmacy was called to order by Commissioner Summa. The meeting was held in Plaza North Room C & D, 450 Columbus Boulevard, Hartford, CT

Commissioners Present: William Summa, Chairperson
Steve Beaudin
Richard Carbray
Edith G. Goodmaster
Mary Inguanti

Staff Present: Heather Hoynes, Board Administrator

Interview of Reciprocity Candidate(s)

The following candidate(s) were interviewed over the telephone and attested that the information provided was true and accurate to the best of their belief and understood that any misrepresentation of the facts could result in a fine and/or denial of pharmacist licensure in Connecticut.

Babatope Ajiboye	Reciprocity from Rhode Island
Metodija Andonov	Reciprocity from Florida
Rachel Bain	Reciprocity from New York
Christopher Goody	Reciprocity from Rhode Island
Clifford Kanarick	Reciprocity from New York
Phong Kieu	Reciprocity from Massachusetts
Kerri Mccarty	Reciprocity from Massachusetts
Nancy Mcilvaine	Reciprocity from New Jersey
Rina Patel	Reciprocity from Illinois
Tara Raymaakers	Reciprocity from Virginia
Rosanna Rensing	Reciprocity from New York
Pamela Rewers	Reciprocity from Indiana
Brett Rigel	Reciprocity from Massachusetts
Elissa Sheridan	Reciprocity from South Carolina

Commission Action: Commissioner Beaudin moved, seconded by Commissioner Carbray and passed by a vote of 4-0 to accept the above application(s) for licensure by reciprocity.

Request(s) for Pharmacy Internship(s)

Francoise Basso appeared before the Commission of Pharmacy to request a pharmacy internship. The Commission of Pharmacy granted Francoise Basso permission to apply for a pharmacy internship.

New Pharmacy Application(s)

CVS Pharmacy #11007

123 Church Street

New Haven, CT 06510

Kimberly Shapiro, Pharmacy Manager

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to approve the above request for a new pharmacy premise provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

Hartford Pharmacy II

57 Park Street

Hartford, CT 06106

Praveen Dhulipalla, Pharmacy Manager

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to approve the above request for a new pharmacy premise provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

Hartford Pharmacy III

33 New Britain Ave.

Hartford, CT 06106

Harshav Raval, Pharmacy Manager

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to approve the above request for a new pharmacy premise provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

Main Street RX

266 South Main ST. Suite D-2

Newtown, CT 06470

Roy Ciarlo, Pharmacy Manager

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to approve the above request for a new pharmacy premise provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

Corus Pharmacy
606 West Ave. Suite 2A
Norwalk, CT 06850
Lynda Lorenzo-Rowland, Pharmacy Manager

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to approve the above request for a new pharmacy premise provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

Pharmacy Relocation(s)

Professional Home Care Services

From:	To:
104 Sebethe Drive	106 Sebethe Drive Suite A
Cromwell, CT	Cromwell, CT
06416	06416

Stanley Checko, Pharmacy Manager

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to approve the above relocation request provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

Pharmacy Remodel(s)

CVS Pharmacy #2140
526-530
Waterbury, CT 06702

Commission Action: The above Pharmacy did not show for the meeting.

Quality Care Drug
33 Main Street
Centerbrook, CT 06409

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to approve the above pharmacy remodel plans provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

Pfizer New Haven Clinical Research Unit
1 Howe Street
New Haven, CT 06511

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to approve the above pharmacy remodel plans provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

Wal-Mart Pharmacy
970 Toringford Street
Torrington, CT 06790

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to approve the above pharmacy remodel plans provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

CVS Pharmacy #2573
1425 Barnum Ave.
Stratford, CT 16614

Commission Action: The above Pharmacy did not show for the meeting.

Sam's Club Pharmacy
3465 Berlin Turnpike
Newington, CT 06111

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to approve the above pharmacy remodel plans provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

CVS Pharmacy #2099
479 Blue Hills Ave.
Hartford, CT 06112

Commission Action: Commissioner Carbray moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to approve the above pharmacy remodel plans provided all the requirements set forth in the Connecticut Pharmacy and Drug Laws as enforced by the Commission of Pharmacy are met.

Price Chopper Pharmacy
251 Kennedy Drive Suite A
Putnam, CT 06260

Commission Action: The above Pharmacy did not show for the meeting.

Legal Matters

Case Number 2016-1246 Kristen L. Cyr

Attorney Antonio Santoro presented this case. No Commissioner 'stepped down'. This case involved Licensee had been investigated by the Drug Control Division of the Department of Consumer Protection for failing to comply with a prior settlement agreement entered into between the Licensee and the Department. This agreement calls for a three year extension of the monitoring program with an end date of 1/25/2020, in particular and where applicable paragraphs six, seven, eight and thirteen, referenced in the settlement agreement entered into between the Licensee and the Department.

Commission Action: Commissioner Beaudin moved, seconded by Commissioner Carbray and passed by a vote of 4-0 to accept and approve the aforementioned settlement agreement.

Case Number 2016-1422 Walgreens Pharmacy #07585

Attorney Antonio Santoro presented this case. No Commissioner 'stepped down'. This case involved Licensee had been investigated by the Drug Control Division of the Department of Consumer Protection for failing to store controlled substances in such a manner as to prevent theft and diversion and failed to report controlled substance loss within 72 hours. This agreement calls for a \$2500.00 dollar civil penalty.

Commission Action: Commissioner Beaudin moved, seconded by Commissioner Inguanti and passed by a vote of 4-0 to accept and approve the aforementioned settlement agreement.

'First Time' Pharmacy Manager(s)

Commissioner Summa provided a summary of the responsibilities that a first-time pharmacy manager has and appreciated their appearance before the Commission. Commissioner Summa emphasized the importance of the pharmacy manager's role in contrast to the front-store manager (in many retail settings). Some responsibilities include leadership, technician registration, license renewals, and prescription error reporting.

Commissioner Inguanti provided a brief overview of the Med Watch program and discussed properly reporting prescription errors.

Xhensila Alickolli	CVS Pharmacy- Danbury
Susan McDivett	Stop & Shop Pharmacy – Putnam
Arnold Hitoaliaj	CVS Pharmacy – Norwalk
Rebecca Smith	CVS Pharmacy – Georgetown
Sabrina Griswold	Arrow Pharmacy – Hartford
Ewelina Furgal	CVS Pharmacy – New Britain
Joshua Bliss	Walgreens – Stamford
Ledia Bakalli	Walgreens – Ridgefield
Chong Gui Zhao	Walgreens – Greenwich
Paulina Trzcinka	Rite Aid - New Haven
Lauren Schwartz	Rite Aid – Cheshire
Daniel Michalak	Rite Aid – East Hartford
Brianne Nichols	Hartford HealthCare Pharmacy – Hartford
Jessica Patel	Walgreens – East Haven

Sandy Ehmer
Ama Adadjo
David Miner
Iwona Zalewska
Despina Topalis

Walgreens – Bristol
Walgreens – Manchester
Walgreens – Vernon
Walgreens – Southington
CVS Pharmacy - Hebron

Request(s) for Continuing Education Program Approval

NY/NJ HIDTA and the Connecticut State Police
Heroin and Opioid Prevention and Investigation,
7.5 Live CEU's includes one hour on pharmacy/drug law
April 03, 2017, Connecticut Police Academy

Commission Action: Commissioner Beaudin moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to accept Commissioner Inguanti's recommendation to approve the above continuing education program.

NY/NJ HIDTA and the Connecticut State Police
New Drugs 2017: Flakka, Honey Oil, U-47700, W-18, Furyl, Fentanyl,
Liquid Spice and more,
7.5 Live CEU'S includes one hour on pharmacy/drug law
June 06, 2017, Connecticut Police Academy

Commission Action: Commissioner Beaudin moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to accept Commissioner Inguanti's recommendation to approve the above continuing education program.

Connecticut Prevention Network, National Prevention Week,
Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services
Northeast Communities Against Substance Abuse
Southeastern Regional Action Council
Benzodiazepines: The Opium of the Masses, 3 Live CEU's
April 21, 2017, Hartford Health System Support Norwich

Commission Action: Commissioner Beaudin moved, seconded by Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to accept Commissioner Inguanti's recommendation to approve the above continuing education program.

Request(s) for Non-Resident Pharmacy Approval

Animal Health International, Inc. – Lancaster, PA
ARX, Accurate Rx Specialty Pharmacy – Kew Gardens, NY
ASP Cares – McAllen, TX
Avella of Deer Valley Inc. – Phoenix, AZ
Big Bend Pharmacy, LLC – Memphis, TN
Cadi Health, LLC – Miami, FL
Calhoun Compounding Pharmacy – Salem, OR
Canyon Medical Pharmacy, Inc. – Centennial, CO
Carepoint Rx – Bensalem, PA
Coast to Coast Inc. – Wellington, FL

CRx Specialty Solutions – Natchitoches, LA
Duncan Specialty Pharmacy – Mayfield, KY
Expedien RX Pharmacy – Sanford, FL
Farma Pharmaceuticals Inc. – Glendale, CA
Gaston Pharmacy #2 – Dallas, TX
Heart of America Pharmacy, LLC – Grandview, MO
Helping Hand Pharmacy, LLC – Katy, TX
Keystone Choice Pharmacy, LLC – Easton, PA
Nate’s Pharmacy – Staten Island, NY
Pill Pack Miami – Doral, FL
Pinnacle Pharmacy Solutions, LLC – Tempe, AZ
Receipt Pharmacy #101 – Riverview, FL
Rite Care Pharmacy – Sugar Land, TX
Riverside Scripts Pharmacy, LLC – Milford, NJ
Rosemont Specialty Pharmacy – Orlando, FL
Schraft’s 2.0 – Cedar Knolls, NJ
Scripts Rx Pharmacy – Chicago, IL
Sherman Pharmacy 2, Inc. – Ridgewood, NY
Spruce Rx pharmacy LLC – Cedarhurst, NY
Stat Rx Pharmacy INC – Bronx, NY
TPS, LLC – Fultondale, AL
Tailor Made Compounding, LLC – Nicholasville, KY
University of Chicago Medical Center DCAM Outpatient Pharmacy – Chicago
Commission Action: Commissioner Inguanti moved, seconded by
Commissioner Carbray and passed by a vote of 4-0 to accept the above
non-resident pharmacy applications.
MediSuite – Cary, NC
Nex Med Pharmacy – Bronx, NY
Commission Action: Commissioner Inguanti is requesting additional
documents for the above non-resident pharmacy applications for further
review.

Approval to Accept Commission of Pharmacy Meeting Minute(s)

January 18, 2017

Commission Action: Commissioner Inguanti moved, seconded by
Commissioner Goodmaster and passed by a vote of 4-0 to accept the
above Commission of Pharmacy Meeting Minutes.

There being no further business, Commissioner Summa adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully Submitted,

William Summa

William Summa, Chairperson

Prepared by,

Heather Hoynes

Heather Hoynes, Board Administrator