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STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

Presidential Message

Dear colleagues and clinic owners:

Hopefully by the time you read this newsletter you have successfully renewed your license. For those of you who have not, time is ticking, and late fees are accumulating. The online renewal process is simple. If you run into a problem, just remember your Board staff is always here ready to help you.

This will be my final year on the Board. In my four terms on the Board I have worked with great Doctors and staff, and seen some incredible changes. In 1994 the Board headquarters had just moved from Robertsdale to Clanton. Initially there was a huge back log of complaints that needed to be processed. (Some of you remember the advertising rule!) Luckily the Board had just hired a new awesome Administrative Assistant that helped us work through them. She is still with us and is now our Executive Director. Alabama chiropractors are lucky to have her, and her name is Sheila Bolton.

At that time the Board did not have a dedicated Board Attorney. The Attorney

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REMINDER

**Please see the website for a list of licensees and clinics
who have not completed the renewal process.**

**If your name is on the list please contact the Board
immediately regarding license / permit renewal. It's not
too late. There is still time to renew your license/ permit
and prevent it from being automatically suspended.**

**NOTE: If you are able to login and pay do not send any hours or your
Business License to the board. If the online application allows you to complete
and make payment we do not need any additional hours or your Section 136
Business License. Also, do not fax and email the same
documents and then call to be sure we received them as this slows the process.**



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Congratulations to Those licensed Since July 2019



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Alabama Association of Regulatory Boards

Sheila Bolton, ASBCE Executive Director, sits on the Board of Directors for the Alabama Association of Regulatory Boards and has for several years. The association is open to any consumer protection agency that issues professional or occupational licenses to individuals or companies conducting business in Alabama. To learn more about the AARB visit their new website <https://alabamaboards.org/>.

Board Quarterly Performance Report

Applications Sent	14
Transcripts Processed	43
New License Issued	7
License Verifications	231
Complaints Received	2
Disciplinary Hearings	1
Outgoing Correspondence	1453
Continuing Education Reviewed	67

Presidential Message Continued:

General would assign us one. The problem was that as soon as we were able to educate them about chiropractic and get them up to speed, they would move on. In the late 90's we were able to convince the AG we needed a permanent Board Attorney. Jim Ward has been with us ever since and he is an invaluable asset to Chiropractic and your Board.

Amy Deavers is our #1 Administrative Assistant. She handles the online applications; she collects and compiles all the necessary information for complaint investigations. She is also in charge of putting the newsletter together. In addition, she drafts each meeting agenda and gathers all the material needed. Then, she does the meeting minutes. She is a huge contributor to a smooth operating Board.

Ashley Stewart is our newest Board employee. She typically hides in her office and does all the data entry for the Board. (It is a lot!) In addition to this she processes all initial license / permit applications, seminar applications, mail, files and answers the phone.

The Board also has contracts with an investigator (Scott Brasher), a hearing officer (James Hampton), and a Director of Wellness Program (Dr. Michael Garver). It is my sincere hope you never have to meet these three!

In closing I would like to say that it has been a privilege and an honor to work with so many different Board doctors and great employees. Know that they all have worked hard to represent you and to protect the public of this great State.

Sincerely,
Dr. Greg Kuhlmann
Geaux Tigers!



Condolences

Dr. Alicia Farrell Barton —Dr. Barton studied Chiropractic at Palmer Chiropractic College and received her Alabama license in 2005. She practiced in Gulf Shores, AL.

The Board and staff send condolences to the family and friends of Dr. Barton .

Online Seminars

The seminars listed below have been approved by the Alabama Board for CCE

Chiro Credit offers the following ONLINE courses. For information contact Paul Powers at 1-860-463-9003.

- 1."ACCREDITED TRAINING FOR THE NATIONAL REGISTRY OF CERTIFIED MEDICAL EXAMINERS 301"
- 2."ACUPUNCTURE 400-461"
- 3."ALABAMA CHIROPRACTIC LAW 201"
- 4."ALABAMA CHIROPRACTIC LAW 201-202"
- 5."ATHLETIC TIPS CERTIFICATION SEMINAR"
- 6."BIOMECHANICS 222-225"
- 7."BREATHING ESSENTIALS 201-204"
- 8."CONCUSSION 201-202"
- 9."FAAA BASIC MED PHYSICIAN TRAINING"
- 10."NEUROLOGY 128-129"
- 11."NUTRITION 148-154"
- 12."PHYSICAL THERAPY 101"
- 13."X-RAY 154-158"

Cleveland University-Kansas City offers the following ONLINE courses. For information contact Christina Brillante at 1-631-241-6717.

- 1."ACCIDENT RECONSTRUCTION—CAUSALITY, BODILY INJURY, FORCE COEFFICIENTS..."
- 2."BIOMECHANICS, NEUROLOGY OF THE CHIROPRACTIC SPINAL ADJUSTMENT & DOCUMENTATION"
- 3."CONCUSSION AND TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY"
- 4."ELECTRODIAGNOSTICS- ELECTROMYOGRAM NERVE CONDUCTION VELOCITY"
- 5."EVALUATION & MANAGEMENT"
- 6."FORENSIC DOCUMENTATION"
- 7."IMPAIRMENT RATING—SPINE & NERVOUS SYSTEM"
- 8."INTERPROFESSIONAL HOSPITAL BASED SPINE CARE"
- 9."MANAGING & TRIAGING CASES, EARLY STROKE DIAGNOSIS, DC VS PT & ENSURING CHIRO"
- 10."MEDICAL LEGAL INSURANCE DOCUMENTATION: COLOSSUS TO THE COURTROOM"
- 11."MILD TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY—TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY—CONCUSSION"
- 12."MRI SPINE CREDENTIALING"
- 13."MRI SPINE INTERPRETATION BASICS"
- 14."ORTHOPEDIC TESTING"
- 15."PATIENT INTAKE, HISTORY & EXAMINATION"
- 16."PERSONAL INJURY BOOT CAMP"
- 17."PRIMARY SPINE CARE"
- 18."PRIMARY SPINE CARE 2"
- 19."PRIMARY SPINE CARE 7— SPINAL BIOMECHANICAL PATHOLOGY & COLLABORATIVE MANAGEMENT"
- 20."SPINAL BIOMECHANICAL ENGINEERING"
- 21."SPINAL DISK & LIGAMENTS NEUROLOGY & PATHOLOGY"
- 22."SPINAL TRUAMA PATHOLOGY"
- 23."STROKE ANATOMY & EVALUATION FOR CHIROPRACTORS & MANUAL MEDICINE SPECIALISTS"
- 24."TESTIFYING, DOCUMENTATION, & ETHICAL MEDICAL—LEGAL RELATIONSHIPS"
- 25."THE NEUROLOGY OF CHIROPRACTIC CARE & LIGAMENT PATHOLOGY FROM TRAUMA"
- 26."TRIAGING THE TRAUMA & NON TRAUMA PATIENT"
- 27."UTILIZING RESEARCH IN CLINICAL PRACTICE"

Data Trace Publishing offers the following ONLINE courses. For information contact Rachel Miller at 1-410-494-4994.

- 1."DC TRACTS VOLUME 29 ISSUE 3: METABOLIC SYNDROME"
- 2."DC TRACTS VOLUME 29 ISSUE 4: CHRONIC PAIN MANAGEMENT"

DChours.com offers the following ONLINE courses. For information contact Debbie Brendler at 1-800-811-0269 or click DChours.com

- 1."ALABAMA BOARD RULES AND REGULATIONS 2 HOURS"
- 2."BASIC CASE MANAGEMENT"
- 3."BASIC MRI PART 1"
- 4."BASIC MRI PART 2"
- 5."BASIC MRI PART 3"

- 6."CERVICOGENIC HEADACHES"
- 7."CHIROPRACTIC ETHICS"
- 8."COMMUNICABLE DISEASES / OSHA STANDARDS"
- 9."CONDITIONS OF THE DISC PART 1"
- 10."CONDITIONS OF THE DISC PART 2"
- 11."CONDITIONS OF THE DISC PART 3"
- 12."DIGESTION & ABSORPTION"
- 13."DOCUMENTATION"
- 14."FOOD & INFLAMMATION"
- 15."FUNCTION BASED CARE PART 1"
- 16."FUNCTION BASED CARE PART 2"
- 17."HEALTHCARE COMPLIANCE"
- 18."INSURANCE CODING"
- 19."INTRODUCTION TO COMMUNICABLE DISEASES"
- 20."MIGRAINE HEADACHES"
- 21."PASSIVE CARE MODALITIES PART 1"
- 22."PASSIVE CARE MODALITIES PART 2"
- 23."POST TRAUMA HEADACHES"
- 24."PROFESSIONAL BOUNDARIES"
- 25."RADICULOPATHY: PATIENT ASSESSMENT"
- 26."SEXUAL BOUNDARIES"
- 27."SPINAL DECOMPRESSION"
- 28."SPINAL PAIN SYNDROMES"
- 29."TENSION TYPE HEADACHES"
- 30."THE NEUROLOGY OF PAIN"
- 31."TRIGGER POINT THERAPY"
- 32."UNDERSTANDING WHIPLASH PART 1"
- 33."UNDERSTANDING WHIPLASH PART 2"



DC Online offers the following ONLINE courses. For information contact Karen Moreau at 712-260-2507 or click DC Online

- 1."ACTIVE CARE FOR THE LUMBAR SPINE FOR THE HEALTHCARE PROVIDER"
- 2."ALABAMA BOARD RULES AND REGULATIONS 2 HOURS"
- 3."ALABAMA BOARD RULES AND REGULATIONS 4 HOURS"
- 4."ANKLE, LEG & FOOT"
- 5."ASSESSMENT & MANAGEMENT OF THE HIP FOR THE HEALTHCARE PROVIDER"
- 6."BLOODBORNE PATHOGENS AND COMMUNICABLE DISEASE"
- 7."CASE BASED APPROACH TO SOFT TISSUE INJURY"
- 8."IMMUNIZATION: MAKING INFORMED CHOICES"
- 9."PHYSICAL ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT OF THE KNEE"
- 10."PROBIOTICS: TODAY'S RESEARCH"
- 11."PROFESSIONAL BOUNDARIES"
- 12."SOFT TISSUE CARE IN CHIROPRACTIC"
- 13."SPECIAL POPULATIONS: THE OSTEOPOROTIC PATIENT"

Fetterman Events offers the following ONLINE courses. For information contact Kris Fetterman at 517-983-2060.

- 1."INFLAMMATION & FOOD SENSITIVITIES"

Life West offers the following ONLINE courses. For information contact Laurie Isenberg at 510-780-4508.

- 1."3Ms: ALL ABOUT METHYLATION, MITOCHONDRIA, & METABOLISM"
- 2."BALANCING THE TWO BRAINS"
- 3."CHIROPRACTIC, COLIC AND THE MICROBIOME OF CHILDREN"
- 4."CHIROPRACTIC, INTEROCEPTION & ENURESIS"
- 5."DERAILED: THE HIJACKING OF OUR CHILDREN'S NEURODEVELOPMENT"
- 6."FOSTERING OPTIMAL NEURODEVELOPMENT THROUGH CHIROPRACTIC: PRIMITIVE & POSTURAL"
- 7."KNEE PAIN"
- 8."LOW BACK PAIN"
- 9."NECK PAIN"
- 10."SERIOUS DISORDERS MAXQUERADING AS MUSCULOSKELETAL PAIN"
- 11."TIES THAT BIND: THE ABC'S FO TETHERED ORAL TISSUES"

National University offers the following ONLINE courses. For information contact Jenna Glenn at 1-630-889-6622.

- 1."FLEXION INTOLERANT LUMBAR SPINE SUCCESS 2019"
- 2."FOUNDATIONS OF FUNCTIONAL MEDICINE"

Online Seminars Continued

3. "LOWER LIMB BIOMECHANICS & ORTHOTIC TREATMENT"
4. "SAGGITAL PLANE FUNCTIONAL & IT'S RELATIONSHIP TO CHRONIC FOOT PAIN"
5. "TISSUE STRESS MODEL & ORTHOTIC THERAPY"

New York Chiropractic offers the following ONLINE courses. For information contact Cynthia Logatto at 516-796-5923.

1. "FUNCTIONAL NUTRITION"
2. "MILITARY ACCESS PROGRAM"
3. "NUTRITION TO SUPPORT NEURO-INFLAMMATION"

Parker University offers the following ONLINE courses. For information contact William Smith at 1-800 266-4723.

1. "ACTIVATE YOUR ATHLETE'S POTENTIAL WITH LASER THERAPY 2019"
1. "BOUNDARIES WITH PATIENTS: CONFIDENTIALITY & SEXUAL MISCONDUCT"
2. "CARING FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETE 2019"
3. "CASE LAW & LEGISLATIVE UPDATE FOR CHIROPRACTORS 2019"
4. "CHIRO HISTORY—HOW CHIROPRACTIC WAS AHEAD OF MAINSTREAM MEDICINE 100 YEARS AGO 2019"
5. "CRYING, COLIC, CONFUSION, CATASTROPHE 2019"
6. "DOCUMENT THE WAY THE AUDITOR WANTS YOU TO 2019"
7. "DOCUMENTING, CODING AND RISK MANAGEMENT 2019"
8. "ENERGY RICH COMMUNICATION 2019"
9. "FAMILY CHIROPRACTIC CARE FIRST"
10. "FROM THE GROUND UP 2019"
11. "FULLY RESOLVE 99% OF YOUR MEDICARE PROBLEMS & FEARS 2019"
12. "FUNCTIONALLY PROGRESSIVE REHAB FOR THE CHIROPRACTOR 2019"
13. "HOW SUBLUXATION AFFECTS THE IMMUNE SYSTEM 2019"
14. "IMPROVING PATIENT OUTCOMES WITH FUNCTIONAL BLOOD CHEMISTRY 2019"
15. "INTRODUCTION TO FUNCTIONAL TAPING 2019"
16. "MOVEMENT FX—FUNCTIONAL MOVEMENT EVALUATION & REHAB FOR CHIROPRACTORS 2019"
17. "NEUROLOGY OF THE SUBLUXATION—HOW SYMPTOMS DEVELOP/HOW THE ADJUSTMENT WORKS 2019"
18. "NEUROPATHY 2019"
19. "NUTRITION & SUBLUXATION COMPLEX 2019"
20. "NUTRITION DURING THE 3 PHASES OF CHIROPRACTIC CARE 2019"
21. "NUTRITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR PATIENTS WITH OSTEOPOROSIS 2019"
22. "PRACTICE FIT—FAILURE NOT REQUIRED—ALIGNING SUBLUXATION SCIENCE—OFFICE PROCEDURES"
23. "REPORT OF UNUSUAL FINDINGS 2019"
24. "SECRETS OF SCAPULA DYNAMICS IN SHOULDER CONDITIONS, INJURIES , & SYNDROMES 2019"
25. "SOCIOLOGY POPULATION HEALTH & PUBLIC DISCOURSE 2019"

26. "STRESS FACTORS—THE NEW SCIENCE BEHIND STRESS, HORMONAL DISRUPTION, & CHRONIC PAIN"
27. "SUCCESSFUL INTEGRATION OF CHIROPRACTIC IN THE ATHLETIC TRAINING ROOM—GAME DAY"
28. "SUPPLEMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR THE ATHLETE 2019"
29. "THE DIZZY PATIENT—WHAT EVERY CHIROPRACTOR NEEDS TO KNOW 2019"
30. "THE LUMBAR MRI CLINICAL PRACTICE - SYSTEMATIC INTERPRETATION 2019"
31. "THE MODERN DAY CHIROPRACTOR" 2019
32. "THE NEUROLOGY OF THE STRESS RESPONSE 2019"
33. "THE NEW SCIENCE OF CHIROPRACTIC PHILOSOPHY — THE POWER OF HEALING FOODS 2019"
34. "THE PRENATAL PROTOCOL 2019"
35. "TMJ—UNLOCK THE UNTAPPED MARKET FOR NEW PATIENTS 2019"
36. "TODAY'S IMAGING-WHAT IS NORMAL 2019"
37. "UNDERSTANDING THE POWER OF CHIROPRACTIC 2019"
38. "WHEN PHILOSOPHY & MEDICAL NECESSITY COLLIDE 2019"
39. "YOUR BODY BETTER NOW 2019"

SCUHS offers the following ONLINE course. For information contact Elizabeth Robledo at 562-902-3373.

1. "FUNCTIONAL DIAGNOSTIC MEDICINE TRAINING PROGRAM—MODULE 3"

Texas Chiropractic College offers the following ONLINE courses. For information contact Beverly Crumrine at 281-998-5711.

1. "CASE STUDIES 201-203"
2. "COMMON LABORATORY TESTING"
3. "MYK SYSTEM LOWER BODY ONLINE"
4. "MYK SYSTEM UPPER BODY ONLINE"

The Wise DC offers the following ONLINE course. For information contact Nicol McFadden at 503-251-5719.

1. "PEDIATRIC HEALTH CARE"

University of Western States offers the following ONLINE courses. For information contact Ingrid Haugeard at 1-503-251-5719.

1. "ANCILLARY DIAGNOSTIC TESTING PROCEDURES"
2. "CHIROPRACTIC GUIDE TO SYMPTOMS AND DISEASE"
3. "CLINICAL POSTURE PRACTICE ONLINE COURSE"
4. "CURRENT TRENDS IN CHIROPRACTIC PRACTICE HEALTH CARE"
5. "GERIATRIC HEALTH CARE"
6. "GUIDE TO ACUPUNCTURE & PAIN MANAGEMENT"
7. "GUIDE TO CONTEMPORARY WEIGHT LOSS & FITNESS"
8. "PAIN MANAGEMENT"
9. "POSTURE & BALANCE ASSESSMENT, REHABILITATION, & MOTOR CONTROL EXERCISE ONLINE"

*The Rules and Regulations
allow you to take up to 6 online hours
plus your required 2 or 4 in AL Law.*



Upcoming Seminars

The seminars listed below have been approved by the Alabama Board for CCE

Fetterman Events presents the following courses. For information contact Kris Fetterman at 517-983-2060.

"Leaky Gut-Leaky Brain & Visceral Treatments" 12 hours December 7 in Atlanta, GA.

GCA presents the following course. For information contact Carly Sharec at 770-723-1100.

"107th Annual Fall Conference" 19 hours October 18-20 in Atlanta, GA.

ICPA presents the following courses. For information contact Siobhan Nield at 610-565-2360.

"Developmental Neurobiology" 12 hours November 23-24 in Atlanta, GA.

"Mastery of Chiropractic Principles & Practice" 12 hours October 5-6 in Daytona, FL.

Life University presents the following courses. For information contact Shay Coffey at 770-426-2753.

"Diagnosis & Treatment by Manual Methods" 15 hours October 12-13 in Marietta, GA.

"CCEP Module 5-Rehabilitation of the Extremities" 15 hours October 12-13 in Marietta, GA.

"CCEP Module 6 - Extremity Adjustment" 15 hours November 2-3 in Marietta, GA.

"Fall CE 2019" 320 hours October 2-6 in Marietta, GA.

Life West presents the following course. For information contact Laurie Isenberg at 510-780-4508.

"MLX Science & Certainty" 11 hours October 3-5 in Orlando, FL.

Logan College presents the following course. For information contact Ralph Barrale, DC at 800-842-3234.

"Class IV Laser Therapy in Clinical Practice" 8 hours October 19 and December 14 in Franklin, TN.

National University presents the following courses. For information contact Jenna Glenn at 630-889-6622.

"FMT Basic & FMT Performance" 16 hours October 12-13 in Birmingham, AL and October 26-27 in Atlanta, GA.

"Tissue Certification & FMT Blades Advanced" 12 hours October 10-11 in Lafayette, GA.

Northwestern Health Sciences presents the following courses. For information contact Kathy Tainter at 952-885-5446.

"Back in Balance" 12 hours November 9-10 in Atlanta, GA.

"Limitless with Advanced" 12 hours October 26-27 in Orlando, FL.

Palmer presents the following courses. For information contact Elaina Hammond at 563-258-3229.

"Activator Methods Chiropractic Technique - Clinical Topics" 8 hours October 26 in Atlanta, GA.

"Activator Methods Chiropractic Technique - Extremities" 8 hours October 26 in Atlanta, GA.

"Activator Methods Chiropractic Technique-Fundamentals" 8 hours October 26 in Atlanta, GA.

Sherman presents the following courses. For information contact Jillian Kersh at 864-578-8770.

"Advanced Atlas Orthogonal" 12 hours October 19-20 in Atlanta, GA.

"Florida Chiropractic Society - St. Petersburg" 21 hours November 2-3 in St. Petersburg, FL.

"Pierce Results Systems Basic" 12 hours October 18-19 in Tampa, FL.

Texas Chiropractic presents the following course. For information contact Lisett Fernandez 281-998-5711.

"Laboratory Analysis in the Chiropractic Practice" 12 hours November 23-24 in Atlanta, GA.

The Institute of Clinical Excellence presents the following course. For information contact Alan Fredendall at 735-752-9799.

"Lumbar Spine Management" 16 hours October 5-6 in Homewood, AL.

Turning Point Logistics presents the following course. For information contact Angel Tribuno at 770-605-1218.

"CBP Drop Table Adjusting" 12 hours November 16-17 in Atlanta, GA.

University of Bridgeport College of Chiropractic presents the following courses. For information contact Eileen Herlihy-Santiago at 203-576-4880.

"New Research with Practical Applications" 12 hours October 26-27 in Atlanta, GA and November 9-10 in Ft. Meyers, FL.

New Policy

The Board has a new policy which requires a licensee who is suspended to submit their business license and required continuing education prior to September 30th in order to avoid renewal late fees and penalties if / when the suspension is lifted.

2019 State Holidays

Dates to Calendar

Board meetings:



October 17-18 (Hearings)
Clanton Board Office

November 22, 2019 (Hearings)
Clanton Board Office

December 13, 2019
Clanton Board Office

The Board Office will be closed on the following:

Columbus Day	October 14
Veteran's Day	November 11
Thanksgiving Day	November 28
Christmas Day	December 25

OUR MISSION

To regulate and license doctors of chiropractic in order to protect the people of Alabama.

OUR VISION

To ensure the people of Alabama will receive professional, ethical and quality care in utilizing chiropractic services to maximize health benefits.

OUR VALUES

Excellence, integrity, communication and ethics.

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