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**PRACTICE AND EDUCATION COMMITTEE
June 23, 2023
TELECONFERENCE MEETING FINAL MINUTES**

Members and staff attended this meeting remotely

Members Present	Staff Present
Jeffrey Garcia, O.D., Chair	Gregory Pruden, Interim Executive Officer
Lillian Wang, O.D.	Randy Love, Assistant Executive Officer
	Joely Walker, Enforcement Manager
Members Absent	Guests
Madhu Chawla, O.D.	On File

Link for the audio of discussions: <https://youtu.be/V0ZY48yn8gE>

1. Call to Order/Roll Call/Establishment of a Quorum

Audio of Discussion: [0:01](#)

Committee Chair, Dr. Jeffrey Garcia called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m. He performed roll call and a quorum was established. Dr. Madhu Chawla was absent.

2. Public Comment for Items Not on the Agenda

Audio of Discussion: [0:25](#)

There were no requests for public comment.

3. Discussion and Possible Approval of the March 24, 2023 Practice and Education Committee Draft Meeting Minutes

Audio of Discussion: [1:09](#)

There were no requests for public comment.

Lillian Wang moved to approve the March 24, 2023 Practice and Education Committee Draft Meeting Minutes as written. Jeffrey Garcia seconded. The Committee voted unanimously (2-0) and the motion passed.

Member	Aye	No	Abstain	Absent	Recusal
Dr. Garcia	X				
Dr. Wang	X				
Dr. Chawla				X	

4. Discussion and Possible Action on Continuing Education Course Approval Requests Pursuant to Title 16, California Code of Regulations Section 1535 (COMPLETE APPLICATIONS)

Audio of Discussion: [2:21](#)

- a. Gordon Schanzlin New Vision Institute – Dr. Alyssa Pack, OD**
 - i. Navigating IOL Selection
- b. Batra Vision Medical Group – Hedy Rodriguez**
 - i. Cystoid Macular Edema: Causes and Management
 - ii. New Technology for Cataract and Glaucoma Surgery
- c. Asian American Optometric Society – Dr. John Lee, OD**
 - i. Case Presentations
 - ii. Clinical Cases
 - iii. Fifty Shades of Grey
 - iv. Myopia Management
 - v. Treatments for Dry AM
- d. South Coast Retina – Timothy Enos**
 - i. Ocular Side Effects of Systemic Medications
- e. Asian American Optometric Society – Dr. John Lee, OD**
 - i. Advances in Diagnosis and Prediction of Progression in Glaucoma
 - ii. New Visual Field Modalities and Early Detection of Glaucoma
 - iii. SMILE and ICL
 - iv. Glaucoma: Imaging Interpretation
 - v. Minimally Invasive Glaucoma Surgery (MIGS)
 - vi. Corneal Collagen Crosslinking
 - vii. Topo Guided LASIK
- f. California Oculoplastics and Retina – Annie Lu**
 - i. Surgical Approaches to Droopy Eyelids – Thyroid Eye Disease
 - ii. A Midsummer Night’s Beam
- g. The Retina Partners – Alessandra Silva**

- i. Diagnostic OCT Interpretation
- ii. Macular Diseases I and II
- iii. Age Related Macular Degeneration
- iv. Retinal and Subretinal Lesions
- v. Retinal Vascular Diseases
- vi. Urgent Retinal Conditions

Dr. Wang noted that regarding agenda item 4.e.ii., although the provider is requesting one hour of glaucoma credit a direct correlation to glaucoma or interpretation. She questioned whether this course would fit more appropriately under general optometry? Dr. Garcia noted her point and commented that in his opinion the visual fields are specific to glaucoma. Dr. Wang clarified that she is fine with either category.

There were no requests for public comment.

Lillian Wang moved to approve all items under Agenda Item 4, a through g. Jeffrey Garcia seconded. The Committee voted unanimously (2-0) and the motion passed.

Member	Aye	No	Abstain	Absent	Recusal
Dr. Garcia	X				
Dr. Wang	X				
Dr. Chawla				X	

5. Discussion and Possible Action on Continuing Education Course Approval Requests Pursuant to Title 16, California Code of Regulations Section 1535 (ONLINE APPLICATIONS)

Audio of Discussion: [5:55](#)

a. Coastal Vision Medical Group – Manny Monroy

- i. The Time Has Come for Custom Lens Replacement
- ii. Diabetic Retinopathy
- iii. Raising the Bar in Laser Vision Correction: Topography Guided LASIK
- iv. Specialty Contact Lens Fitting Considerations Pre and Post Corneal Cross-Linking
- v. EVO Implantable Collamer Lens: Who’s Getting It and Why?
- vi. From the Case Files of a Glaucoma Detective
- vii. No Need for Misery When Examining the Periphery
- viii. Customizing the IOL to My Glaucoma Patient

b. Asian American Optometric Society – Dr. John Lee, OD

- i. Glaucoma Lasers in Optometric Practice

- ii. Glaucoma or Not – A Diagnostic Dilemma of Normal Tension Glaucoma
- c. Coastal Vision Medical Group – Manny Monroy**
 - i. Refractive Considerations in the Glaucoma Patient
 - ii. Updates on Diabetic Retinopathy
 - iii. Advances in Glaucoma Management
 - iv. Choosing from the Refractive Surgery Menu in “Borderline Cases”
 - v. Why Would I Choose ICL Instead of LASIK
 - vi. The Droopy Eyelid 101
 - vii. Cornea Before Cataract? Optimizing the Ocular Surface for Cataract Surgery
- d. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**
 - i. Challenging Cases in Cornea and External Disease
- e. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**
 - i. Expect the Unexpected
- f. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**
 - i. Individualizing Treatment with Newer Glaucoma Medication
- g. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**
 - i. Pterygium: Can We Do Better Than Autografts?
- h. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**
 - i. Ocular Allergy
- i. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**
 - i. Interventional Glaucoma – The Time is Now
- j. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**
 - i. Field of Confidence
- k. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**
 - i. Assessing Pharmacological Options for Treatment
- l. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**
 - i. Surgical Pearls for Trabecular Bypass Stents to Reach “20/Happy”
- m. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**
 - i. Happy Vision in Patients with Concurrent Glaucoma and Cataract
- n. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**
 - i. Don’t Miss the MIGS Boat
- o. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**
 - i. The Laser in GLAucoma Care
- p. Harvard Eye Associates – Erica Arrington**

- i. Name that Nerve
- q. Livermore Optometry Group – Dr. Steven Faith, OD**
 - i. Anterior Segment Grand Rounds
- r. Alejandra Reyes – Dr. Neda Jam, OD**
 - i. Practical Retina: Best Practices to Keep Your Patient Safe
 - ii. Detecting Keratoconus – How to Use and Interpret Reports on Anterior Segment Tomography
 - iii. Optic Neuritis: Multiple Sclerosis and Beyond
 - iv. Idiopathic Intracranial Hypertension: What is It, How to Diagnose It and the Best Way to Treat It

Dr. Wang commented that item 5.e.i. did not talk much about glaucoma although the provider is requesting 1.5 hours of glaucoma credit. She believes it would be more appropriately categorized as ocular disease. Dr. Wang also noted that for item 5.o.i. the PowerPoints were missing. It had a very short description and a 5-question quiz but no slides. Dr. Garcia agreed that ocular disease would be a better fit for Agenda Item 5.e.i.

There were no requests for public comment.

Lillian Wang moved to approve the course in Agenda Item 5 a through r as amended. Jeffrey Garcia seconded. The Committee voted unanimously (2-0) and the motion passed.

Member	Aye	No	Abstain	Absent	Recusal
Dr. Garcia	X				
Dr. Wang	X				
Dr. Chawla				X	

6. Discussion and Possible Action on Continuing Education Course Approval Requests Pursuant to Title 16, California Code of Regulations Section 1536 (KAISER APPLICATIONS)

Audio of Discussion: [11:47](#)

- a. Kaiser Permanente – Dr. Alisha Truong, OD**
 - i. A Fast Case to Review Slow Vision
 - ii. Uveitis

There were no requests for public comment.

Lillian Wang moved to approve Agenda Items 6.a.i. and 6.a.ii. Jeffrey Garcia seconded. The Committee voted unanimously (2-0) and the motion passed.

Member	Aye	No	Abstain	Absent	Recusal
Dr. Garcia	X				
Dr. Wang	X				
Dr. Chawla				X	

7. Discussion and Possible Action on Continuing Education Course Approval Requests Pursuant to Title 16, California Code of Regulations Section 1536 (INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS)

Audio of Discussion: [13:03](#)

- a. **UC Davis Eye Center – Dr. Tina Zeng, OD**
 - i. Retina Grand Round

There were no requests for public comment.

Lillian Wang moved to send Agenda Item 7.a.i. back to the provider for completion and then resubmit for approval. Jeffrey Garcia seconded. The Committee voted unanimously (2-0) and the motion passed.

Member	Aye	No	Abstain	Absent	Recusal
Dr. Garcia	X				
Dr. Wang	X				
Dr. Chawla				X	

8. Future Agenda Items

Audio of Discussion: [14:24](#)

Drs. Wang and Garcia did not have future agenda item requests.

There were no requests for public comment.

9. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 1:16 p.m.