

Medical Memo

STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

A report on Board activities prepared as an information service for licensees

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J. Alfred Rider, M.D.

Rider Appointed To Medical Board

Dr. J. Alfred Rider was recently appointed to the Board of Medical Examiners by Governor Ronald Reagan. Dr. Rider is Director of the gastrointestinal research laboratory of Franklin Hospital Foundation in San Francisco.

He received his medical degree from the University of Chicago School of Medicine in 1944 and was awarded a Ph.D. in pharmacology from that University in 1951. He later taught medicine at the same university.

He has contributed research and medical articles to the U.S. Food & Drug Administration, Journal of the American Medical Association, Encyclopedia Bri-

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New Phones Installed to Serve You Better

The Board of Medical Examiners has installed a new telephone system for your convenience. New telephone numbers for the Board are as follows:

- Complaints, Files, Records (916) 322-5030
- Physician, Surgeon and Podiatrists Applications (916) 322-5040
- Hearing Aid Dispensers, Physical Therapists, Psychologists, Speech Pathologists, Audiologists and Medical Corporations Information . . . (916) 322-5043

Callers in the Los Angeles area may call the Sacramento Board office using the following toll free numbers:

- (213) 620-4270 connects with 322-5030
- (213) 620-2477 connects with 322-5040
- (213) 620-3301 connects with 322-5043

Please note these numbers for quick reference.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON LICENSE RENEWAL SURVEY RESULTS

License renewal procedures for California physician and surgeon licentiatees this year included a comprehensive questionnaire relating to the scope and type of medical care available in the state.

"It is important for us to have an accurate profile of Board licensees if we are to provide adequate services," Harold E. Wilkins, M.D., Board President, said. Dr. Wilkins added that surveys will continue to be conducted as a method of collecting data to support Board programs and policies.

Following are some selected results of the survey:

Response	
Surveys distributed	75,000
Responses	59,750

Of the 59,790 or 80% responding, the following results were obtained:

Area of Practice	
California	35,611
Other states	22,808

Education	
Practicing in California	
Educated in California	13,618
Educated in other states	19,314
Foreign medical graduates	2,859

Practicing in other states	
Educated in California	4,181
Educated in other states	17,869
Foreign medical graduates	975

Practice	
California	
Full-time	30,999
Part-time	2,944

Other States	
Full-time	20,830
Part-time	1,668

Retired	
From California practice	1,866
From practice in other states	316

Specialties	California practice	Other states practice
Allergy	312	263
Anesthesiology	1,717	975
Dermatology	669	598
Family Practice	2,126	1,242
General Practice	4,822	1,460
Internal Medicine	5,679	3,204
Neurology	448	362
Neurosurgery	344	246
Obstetrics - Gyn.	2,173	1,351
Ophthalmology	1,234	1,415
Orthopedic Surgery	1,443	1,098
Otolaryngology	707	563
Pathology	1,093	810
Pediatric	2,250	1,204
Plastic Surgery	281	271
Preventive Medicine	191	182
Psychiatry	3,201	2,503
Public Health	332	180
Radiology	1,809	1,804
Surgery	2,525	1,691
Thoracic & Cardio-logical Surgery	297	215
Urology	738	581
Other	1,523	848
Totals*	35,914	23,066

*Does not include 733 NO responses and 37 INVALID responses for a grand total of 59,750.

BOARD BUSINESS

Disciplinary Actions — June 1974 — August 1974

Boris Arnov, M.D., Los Angeles, CA	June 21, 1974	Revoked, Stayed, Probation 10 Yrs. Terms & Conditions
Dwight F. Babcock, M.D., Los Angeles, CA	July 19, 1974	Revoked
Robert C. Browning, Visalia, CA	June 19, 1974	Revoked, Stayed, Probation 5 Yrs. Terms & Conditions
Hugh H. Crawford, M.D., Los Angeles, CA	June 19, 1974	Revoked, Stayed, Probation 7 Yrs. Terms & Conditions
John Good, M.D., Corona Del Mar, CA	August 29, 1974	Revoked
Byron P. Howells, M.D., Senora, Mexico	July 19, 1974	Revoked Stayed, Probation 5 Yrs. Terms & Conditions
Warren Jacobs, M.D., Los Angeles, CA	August 30, 1974	Revoked, Stayed, Probation 3 Yrs. Terms & Conditions
Allan Jacobson, M.D., Los Angeles, CA	June 19, 1974	Revoked, Stayed, Probation 10 Yrs. Terms & Conditions
Clifford Kamen, Jr., M.D., Castro Valley, CA	July 19, 1974	Revoked, Stayed, Probation 5 Yrs. Terms & Conditions
Harold M. Klem, M.D., Los Angeles, CA	August 30, 1974	Suspended Prob. 1 Yr. with Terms & Conditions
→ Ralph G. Korljan, M.D., San Pedro, CA	August 29, 1974	Revoked
Byron P. Krebs, M.D., San Francisco, CA	July 10, 1974	Revoked
Norman Lloyd, M.D., Los Angeles, CA	June 19, 1974	Revoked, Stayed, Probation 5 Yrs. Terms & Conditions
→ Woodrow Weiss, M.D., Torrance, CA	July 17, 1974	Revoked, Stayed, Probation 7 Yrs. Terms & Conditions

There were three restorations of licenses denied, two restored fully and one probation for termination denied.

MEETING AND EXAMINATION DATES

October and November, 1974

Board Meeting (joint meeting with all committees), November 17	San Diego
Board Examinations (oral and oral/clinical for physicians and surgeons), November 16	San Diego
DRC I, October 15-17	San Francisco
DRC III, October 29-30	Chico
DRC III, October 31	Sacramento
DRC IV, November 12-13	Los Angeles
DRC IV, November 14	San Diego
DRC V, November 19-20	Visalia
Hearing Aid Dispensers Meeting, October 3	Los Angeles
Hearing Aid Dispensers Meeting, November 16	San Diego
Physical Therapy Meeting, October 18	Sacramento
Physical Therapy Meeting, November 22	Los Angeles
Physician's Assistant and Nurse Practitioner Meeting, November 7	Palm Springs
Podiatry Meeting, October 10-11	Sacramento
Podiatry Meeting, November 16	San Diego
Psychology Meeting, October 26-27	San Francisco

**MARY BENNETT
NEW PT MEMBER**

Mary Bennett, RPT, MA, replaces Frank O'Neill, as the newest member of the Physical Therapy Examining Committee. Miss Bennett currently holds a position as Associate Professor and Director of the Physical Therapy Education Program at California State University at Northridge. A licensed physical therapist, Miss Bennett is a 1945 graduate of Willamette University at Salem Oregon and received her master's degree in 1952 from USC.

DR. RIDER APPOINTED

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tannica and numerous other scientific organizations and publications.

His many affiliations include being a Fellow of the American College of Physicians, President of the Children's Brain Diseases Foundation and Fellow, American College of Gastroenterology.

Dr. Rider succeeds Dr. Julius Levine who resigned.

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