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## Presidential Message

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Dear colleagues,

The Board was very busy in late spring getting ready for the Sunset Review. As you probably know, every four years the Board's office is audited and the Chiropractic Practice Act is reviewed by the legislators to see if we are in compliance with the Code. The Sunset committee evaluates how the rules and regulations are affecting the public and licensees, and review the audit submitted to them by the Examiners of Public Accounts. It is my great pleasure to announce to all licensees that the Chiropractic Board had a very good review, thanks to the hard work of the staff under the leadership of Sheila. I admire their patience in dealing with all the State requirements and the auditors that came to the board's office on several occasions to scrutinize board business and financial activities.

It is imperative that the Board does everything in its power to see that the Chiropractic Practice Act, and the Chiropractic Rules and Regulations are followed while acting with optimum professionalism, with equal respect for the public and licensees. It was very pleasant to hear the legislative panel congratulating Sheila and her staff on a job well done. Those of us who have served on the Board and individuals that attend our meetings understand their great behind the scenes effort to ensure the Board is above reproach.

Please see *Presidential Message* on page 3

## NON RENEW LIST

Please see website for list of licensees who have not completed the renewal process.

If your name is on the list please contact the Board immediately regarding license renewal.



### *Congratulations to those licensed since July 2008*

LISA D. INGRAM	OF HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA
DAVID A. LANG	OF DECATUR, ALABAMA
JAMES LOWELL MCGUIRE	OF TUSCUMBIA, ALABAMA
BOYCE ALLEN CALLAHAN	OF ANNISTON, ALABAMA
ALEXANDER SAYAS	OF FLORENCE, ALABAMA
CLAYTON ELLISON	OF LEEDS, ALABAMA

*Reminder-We have recently seen ads of companies selling equipment used for pulse light treatments. Please be advised in Alabama these can only be used by chiropractors for pain management not for cosmetic purposes.*

## Sunset Notes

Do you think regulation of your profession by the Board is necessary to protect public welfare? Over 50% agree

Do you think any of the Board's requirements are irrelevant to the competent practice of your profession? Over 50% said no

Are you adequately informed by the Board of changes to and interpretations of Board position, policies, rules and laws?  
90% said yes

Has the Board performed you licensing and renewal in a timely manner?  
100% said yes

Do you consider mandatory CE necessary for competent practice? 72% said yes

Do you think the Board and its staff are satisfactorily performing their duties?  
2 licensees said no

What do you think is the most significant issue currently facing your profession in Alabama

and what is the Board doing to address the issue?

27% did not respond to this question  
15% responded Advertising was an issue including unscrupulous advertising / police reports and overall the response was the Board was doing a good job with this issue.

32% responded Insurance coverage/ equality, etc was an issue most of you realize that this is not an area the Board has any authority / jurisdiction over. This is something associations would work to resolve.

The remaining responses felt scope of practice was an issue and that other professions were infringing on the scope or that our scope needed to be expanded to include some prescription authority.

Operating Expenditures per License/  
Permit

= \$292

Total number of licenses = 823

## Presidential Message continued

Many of you were sent a questionnaire asking your opinion on the Board's operations. After reviewing your responses, it became apparent to me and other members of the Board that many licensees are confused about the functions and duties of this state agency. Many still think that we have jurisdiction over the insurance industry, Medicare and other issues related to the daily business of a chiropractic office. The duty of the Board does not include making sure insurance contracts are fair and that the chiropractic fee schedule is in parity with the medical profession. Neither is it our responsibility to control how many visits are authorized under an insurance contract. These are issues that need to be addressed by the state chiropractic association. The Board's duties and function are to make sure that only qualified Doctors of Chiropractic practice in Alabama. It is our duty as board members to see that the Rules and Regulations are followed, and that we investigate complaints sent to the Board. So in the future, if any of you are asked to respond to a questionnaire from the Examiners, understand that there is a great difference between the function of the Chiropractic Licensing Board and the State Chiropractic Associations.

We have just started our new fiscal year and I hope that everyone took the time to renew their license. If not please do so immediately. It is easy to do online and it only takes a few minutes. If you apply by mail expect a response time of a few weeks. Remember that if you have not renewed your license by December 31, 2008, and you are still practicing and caring for patients, you will be violating the licensing rules and will have to reapply for a license. This is a costly mistake that could exceed a thousand dollars with fines and other fees. Please, do not procrastinate as it is in your best interest to act now.

There are many issues that the Board is actively pursuing to protect the livelihood of the chiropractic profession. We are also strongly supporting efforts by Senator Ben Brooks of Mobile to have legislation enacted to protect privacy rights with regard to public records of accident victims. This is a very important issue and we hope you will support his efforts as well to protect the citizens of Alabama.

Two board members terms expire this December. Please take your responsibility very seriously and ensure that the best candidate will represent your district. The Board should not be a place for politics and personal agendas. People willing to serve on the Board should understand that it will be an extra burden on them and their family. Ask any present or past board member about the commitment required while serving on the licensing board. Most of us did not have a clue about the work to be done, the personal involvement, and the dilemma to have to discipline your peers and often your friends. This is not a good ole boy club. Once you elect your district board member, please give them your support and understanding, because the only reward and satisfaction there is in holding this position is to know that you did your best to serve the chiropractic profession.

Chiropractically yours,  
Gilles Beaumont, D.C  
President ASBCE

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## License Renewal Tips

Following are some important steps to be used when renewing your license online:

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If all documents, fees, etc. are not in by December 31 and you continue to practice you will be practicing without a license and in violation of the Chiropractic Rules and Regulations.

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1. Please be sure you have taken all hours needed **before** going online to renew.  
*If the Board office does not have all hours and a copy of your current business license before you go online, your renewal will be put in a pending status until all paperwork is received. If the paperwork is not received before October 1 a \$50 late fee will have to be mailed to the Board office (\$100 after November 1 and \$250 after December 1). If all paperwork and applicable late fees are not in by December 31 and you continue to practice you will be practicing without a license and in violation of the Chiropractic Rules and Regulations.*
2. Log on to our website [www.chiro.alabama.gov](http://www.chiro.alabama.gov)
3. Click on the online services link
4. Click on License renewal
5. Enter your license number and the last 4 digits of your social security number.
6. Follow the step by step on screen instructions.

## Steps for Receiving an Establishment Exemption from the Massage Therapy Board

We have had several questions regarding an exemption from the massage therapy board. The information below is what is required as of 06/01/08 to be submitted to their board for exemption:

1. A letter requesting an exemption from an Alabama Massage Therapy Establishment License.
2. List of all full-time, part-time, and contract employees, along with their license numbers, providing massage therapy services at the establishment.
3. Notarized statement of the primary function of the establishment.
4. Copy of all business licenses.
5. Copies of advertisements, brochures, and/or business cards of the establishment.
6. Tax Records or Financial Statements showing itemized income of all advertised services performed at the establishment.

This information and the Massage Therapy Board Law and administrative codes can be accessed on their website [www.almtbd.state.al.us](http://www.almtbd.state.al.us).

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*You should visit their site and read the law and administrative code to see if you qualify for the exemption before submitting a formal request to the board.*

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## UPCOMING



## SEMINARS

**Texas Chiropractic College** offers the following on line courses until December 2008. For information contact Bitsy Hatch, DC at 1-281-998-6028

1. "Adjunctive Physiotherapy Procedures"
2. "Ancillary Diagnostic Testing & Procedures"
3. "Chiropractic Guide to Symptoms & Disease"
4. "Chiropractic Sports Medicine"
5. "Chiropractic Treatment and Golf Injuries"
6. "Chiropractic Treatment Auto Accident Injuries"
7. "Drugs That Don't Work & Natural Therapies That Do"
8. "Ethics & Chiropractic Practice"
9. "Exercise Strength and Conditioning"
10. "Fundamentals of Clinical Nutrition"
11. "Orthopedic & Neurologic Evaluation"
12. "Pain Management"
13. "Professional Boundaries & Chiropractic Practice"
14. "Professional Boundaries"
15. "Risk Management and Documentation Strategies"
16. "Sports Injuries"
17. "Weight Loss Management: Fitness & Nutrition"

**Palmer Institute for Professional Advancement** offers the following ON-LINE courses until December 2008. For information contact Sharon Whitney at 1-563-884-5715.

1. "Case Studies in Chiropractic Cervical Spine 1"
2. "Ethical Issues in Chiropractic Practice"
3. "Immunizations: Making Informed Choices"
4. "Nutritional Interventions Course 1"
5. "Outcome Measures in Chiropractic"
6. "Patient Care in Radiology"
7. "Professional Boundaries & Chiropractic Practice"
8. "Risk Management & Record Keeping"
9. "Role of Chiropractic in the Legal Process"
10. "Special Population – The Female Patient"
11. "Soft Tissue Care in Chiropractic"
12. "The Spine in Sports"

**National University of Health Sciences** offers the following ONLINE course until December 2008: For information contact Jonathan R. Soltys, DC at 1-630-889-6622.

1. "Blocking Procedures in Chiropractic"
2. "Cartilage Support Supplements in the Treatment of Osteoarthritis"
3. "Foundations of Whole Food Nutrition"
4. "Integrating Functional Medicine in Clinical Practice"
5. "Introduction to MRI"

6. "Nutrition for Musculoskeletal Trauma"
7. "Nutrition & Supplements for Gastro Intestinal Disorders"
8. "Overcoming Weight Loss Resistance"
9. "Radiation Safety"
10. "The Four Biggies of X-Ray Quality"
11. "The Subluxation Challenge / the Treatment Case Study"
12. "Vascular Disease"

**University of Bridgeport / Chiro Credit** offers the following ONLINE course until December 2008: For information contact Paul Powers, DC at 1-860-463-9003.

1. "Neurology"
2. "Nutrition"
3. "Physical Diagnosis"
4. "Physical Therapy"
5. "Soft Tissue Injuries"

**Data Trace Publishing / Logan College** offers the following Home Study course until December 2008: For information contact Carolyn Harding at 1-410-494-4994.

1. "OUM Chiropractic Program"

**Parker College of Chiropractic** offers the following ONLINE course until December 2008: For information contact Tereasa Wright at 1-800-266-4723.

1. "Nutritional Considerations for Patients with Osteoporosis"

**Southern California University Health Science / Functional Medicine** offers the following ONLINE course until December 2008: For information contact Melea Fields at 1-562-902-3379.

1. "Functional Diagnostic Medicine Training Program"

**New York Chiropractic College** offers the following ONLINE course until December 2008: For information contact Rosemarie Burrafato at 1-516-796-5923.

1. "Acupuncture – Eight Extraordinary Meridians"
2. "Acupuncture in the Treatment of Premenstrual Syndrome"
3. "Acupuncture – Treatments of Psycho Emotional Disturbance"
4. "Chiropractic Back School Module 1"
5. "Chiropractic Back School Module 2"
6. "Chiropractic Back School Module 3"
7. "Chiropractic Back School Module 4"

# Upcoming Seminars Near Alabama

**National University of Health Sciences** presents "ACCC/CFS 2008 Annual Conference" for 28.25 hours on October 2 -4, 2008 in Oakbrook, IL. For more information contact Jonathan R. Soltys, D.C. at 630-889-6622.

**Mississippi Chiropractic Association** presents "Chiro Practical Rehab" for 12 hours on October 4-5, 2008 in Jackson, MS. For more information contact Vickie Webb at 601-276-3336.

**Parker College of Chiropractic** presents "Scoliosis 2008 Series-Florida Part I" for 12 hours on October 4-5, 2008 in Kissimmee, FL. For more information contact Teresa Wright at 800-266-4723.

**Life Chiropractic College West** presents "Wellness Practice Certification Program Module 4" for 12 hours on October 4-5, 2008 in Duncanville, TX. For more information contact Kendra L. Holloway, D.C. at 510-780-4508.

**Palmer Institute of Professional Advancement** presents "Palmer College West Homecoming" for 18 hours on October 10-11, 2008 in San Jose, CA. For more information contact Sharon Whitney at 563-884-5715.

**Life Chiropractic College West** presents "Combining the Art, Science and Philosophy of Gonstead Chiropractic" for 12 hours on October 10-11, 2008 in Hayward, CA. For more information contact Kendra L. Holloway, D.C. at 510-780-4508.

**Palmer Institute of Professional Advancement** presents "Activator Methods Session 1-3" for 12 hours on October 11-12, 2008 in Minneapolis, MN & Phoenix, AZ. For more information contact Sharon Whitney at 563-884-5715.

**Life University** presents "Quintessential Applications Session 9" for 12 hours on October 11-12, 2008 in Marietta, GA. For more information contact Leila Russell-Tatum at 770-426-2753.

**Texas Chiropractic College** presents "Drugs that Don't Work and Natural Therapies That Do" for 6 hours on October 11, 2008 in Tampa, FL. For more information contact Bitsy Hatch at 281-998-6028.

**Logan College of Chiropractic** presents "SORSI 2008 SOT and Cranial Technique Symposium" for 28 hours on October 15-19, 2008 in St. Louis, MO. For more information contact Ralph Barrale, D.C. at 800-842-3234.

**Sherman College of Straight Chiropractic** presents "Fall Lyceum" for 14 hours on October 17-19, 2008 in Spartanburg, SC. For more information contact Rebecca Clusserath at 864-578-8770.

**Sherman College of Straight Chiropractic** presents "Atlas Orthogonal Advanced" for 13 hours on October 17-19, 2008 in Atlanta, GA. For more information contact Beth Ogle at 864-578-8770.

**Palmer Institute of Professional Advancement** presents "Activator Methods Session 1-3" for 12 hours on October 18-19, 2008 in Atlanta, GA. For more information contact Sharon Whitney at 563-884-5715

**Life Chiropractic College West** presents "Wellness Practice Certification Program Module 4" for 12 hours on October 18-19, 2008 in Portland, OR. For more information contact Kendra L. Holloway, D.C. at 510-780-4508.

**Parker College of Chiropractic** presents "Scoliosis 2008 Series-Florida Part II" for 12 hours on October 18-19, 2008 in Kissimmee, FL. For more information contact Teresa Wright at 800-266-4723.

**New York Chiropractic College** presents "Sacro Occipital Technique – Clinical Symposium" for 28 hours on October 23-26, 2008 in Dallas, TX. For more information contact Rosemarie Burrafato at 516-796-5923.

**Palmer Institute of Professional Advancement** presents "Pettibon Pediatrics Seminar" for 12 hours on October 25-26, 2008 in Seattle, WA. For more information contact Sharon Whitney at 563-884-5715.

**Southern California University of Health Sciences** presents "Our Toxic World" for 11 hours on October 25-26, 2008 in Atlanta, GA. For more information contact Melea Fields at 562-902-3379.

**Palmer Institute of Professional Advancement** presents "Activator Methods Session 1-3" for 12 hours on October 18-19, 2008 in Newark, NJ. For more information contact Sharon Whitney at 563-884-5715



### **ALABAMA LAW HOURS AVAILABLE ONLINE 24/7**

**DC Online** presents "Alabama Rules and Regulations" available **On Line**. For information and registration contact William Moreau, DC at 1-712-260-2507. (This seminar provides the required hours in Alabama Law.) (These may be taken in addition to the 6 hours in approved online courses allowed each year.)

**NOTE: Only 6 hours may be taken on-line / home study per year.**

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#### *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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### **THANK YOU FOR YOUR POSITIVE COMMENTS.**

Stasi Bara writes "...thanks for taking the shackles off for the advertising. Please let the board know they are doing a good thing."

Rock McCord says "...thanks for all your hard work and for making the renewal process easier"

## Can a Chiropractor refer to a PT?

Chiropractors can designate themselves as chiropractic physicians, but are not considered to have physician status with regard to state law. Physician in the context of Alabama Law means a medical or osteopathic doctor. The PT law is very clear that it means a referral must come from someone that practices medicine or surgery and chiropractors do not. The other problem is that PT's might not be able to get reimbursement from the insurance carrier if the referral comes from a chiropractor.

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## Disciplinary Actions

Not too long ago the Alabama Chiropractic Practice Act was amended to allow non licensed individuals or entities to own in whole or in part a chiropractic practice if a permit is properly obtained. However possessing such a permit does not allow the permit holder to practice chiropractic or become involved in decision making concerning the diagnosis, care or treatment of your patients. Only those with a license to practice chiropractic are allowed to do so.

Based on a complaint received by the Board, the Board recently was successful in obtaining an injunction from a circuit court stopping and preventing a non licensed permit holder from practicing chiropractic to include involvement in the type and frequency of treatment for patients.

To those who work in a practice owned in whole or part by a non licensed permit holder and to those permit holders please understand and comply with the required boundaries to avoid any enforcement action by the Board. Clinic owners may make decisions on clinic operations such as determining office hours, whether or not a service may be provided as free or discounted, but may not make clinical decisions regarding the diagnosis, care or treatment of your patients (the owner may discuss the treatment with the DC but the ultimate treatment and procedure is the DC's decision)

Paul Hood, DC (Daphne, Alabama) License # 2081 Consent order dated September 24, 2008-assessing fines of \$2,500.00 and cost of \$500.00- -guilty of violating § 34-24-166(b)(14) for continuing to practice after license lapsed and § 34-24-166(b)(3)unprofessional conduct. Dr. Hood must renew his license for 2009, 2010, and 2011 no later than September 30 of each of these years. License to practice on probation for a period of 3 years subject to compliance with terms of consent order.

**These rules were adopted and became effective September 24, 2008.  
Please place a copy in your Office Master Copy of the Rules and  
Regulations to avoid future violations of the rules.**

190-X-1-.18 Fees. Fees shall be as follows:

- 1) License Application Fee \$75.00  
An application fee not to exceed \$150.00 shall be required of all applicants for licensure. The exact fee shall be set from time to time by resolution of the Board.
- 2) Exam Application Fee \$150  
An applicant must complete the application form and pay a fee of \$150 pursuant to Rule 190-X-2-.02.
- 3) Original License \$50  
Upon completion of all requirements for licensure and payment of the license issuance fee of not more than \$50.00 as set from time to time by resolution of the Board, an applicant shall be issued a license.
- 4) Clinic Owner Non Licensed \$75  
An applicant for a permit shall submit to the Board an application as prescribed by the Board, along with a permit fee to be established by the Board.
- 5) License Replacement \$25  
The fee for any replacement license shall be \$25.00
- 6) Renewal-Active \$200  
A fee not exceeding \$300.00 to be fixed by rule of the Board is required for annual license renewal. The renewal fee is \$200.00.
- 7) Renewal-Retired \$100  
The annual fee for maintenance of a retired license may not be more than one-half that provided in 190-X-2-.11(4) for an active license.
- 8) Renewal-Inactive \$100  
The annual fee for an inactive license shall be one-half of the amount required by 190-X-2-.11(5)
- 9) Late Fees for Licensees and Clinic Owner Non Licensed \$50-250  
The late penalty for renewal during the month of October is fifty dollars (\$50), for renewal during the month of November is one hundred dollars (\$100) and for renewal during the month of December is two hundred and fifty dollars (250).
- 10) Reinstatement \$100  
In the event any licensee allows his / her license to lapse past December 31 and desires to return to active practice, he / she must apply to the Board for a reinstatement of the license and must submit to the Board a reinstatement fee of \$100.00 together with all back fees including the highest late renewal penalty.
- 11) Preceptor Doctor \$25/month (\$75/quarter)  
Contribute \$25.00 monthly (payable the first quarter with the preceptor application and thereafter quarterly in advance) to the Alabama State Board of Chiropractic Examiners to defray expense of administration of this program only when the Preceptor actually has a extern or intern in the office.
- 12) Disciplinary Fines \$500-2,000 per violation  
The Board may impose a fine not to exceed \$2,000 for each violation off any of the following provisions of law governing the practice of chiropractic or any rule adopted pursuant thereto (Class A violations))

1. Section 34-24-166(b)(1);
2. Section 34-24-166(b) (2);
3. Section 34-24-166(b)( 3);
4. Section 34-24- 166(b)(4);
5. Section 34-24-166(b){5};
6. Section 34-24-166(b)(6);
7. Section 34-24-166(b) (9);
8. Section 34-24-166(b)(10);
9. Section 34-24-166(b)(11); and
10. Section 34-24-166(b)(12);

The Board may impose a fine not to exceed \$1,000 for each violation of any of the following provisions of law governing the practice of chiropractic or any rule adopted pursuant thereto (Class B violations):

1. Section 34-24-166(b)(7); and
2. Section 34-24-166(b)(8);

The Board may impose a fine not to exceed \$500 for each violation of any of the following provisions off law governing the practice of chiropractic or any rule adopted pursuant thereto (Class C violations):

1. Section 34-24-166(b)(13);
2. Section 34-2 4-166(b)(14);
3. Section 34-24-166(b)(15); and
4. Section 34-24-166(b)(16)

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| 13) Disciplinary Costs   | Up to \$8000 per guilty count |
| The Board may impose costs in the amount of up to \$8,000, in connection with any hearing held in connection with the refusal of a license pursuant to Code of Ala. 1975, 34-24-166(a).  |                               |
| 14) Annual Directory   | \$50                          |
| The Board shall publish annually a directory listing all persons licensed to practice chiropractic in Alabama. Copies of the directory shall be made available from the executive secretary at cost, which cost shall be estimated and set from time to time by resolution of the Board. |                               |
| 15) CCE Provider/Course Approval Application   | \$50/per module               |
| 16) 5 Year CCE History   | \$25 per licensee             |
| 17) Licensee Listing (paper list)  | \$40                          |
| 18) Mailing Labels (paper)   | \$55                          |
| 19) License Verification   | \$10                          |
| Any licensee who requires written verification of his / her Alabama license may request certification upon payment of a fee of \$10 each.  |                               |
| 20) Copy of Rules  | \$50                          |
| 21) Copies   | .50 cents/page plus postage   |
| 22) NSF Fee  | Max allowed by law            |
| 23) Pursuant to code of Alabama 1975, 8-8-15, this fee must accompany any check, or other negotiable instrument drawn on a bank or other depository institution and made payable to the Board, if the instrument is not paid or is dishonored by the institution.                        |                               |
| 24) Fee to resend Mail   | \$25                          |
| 25) Proposed Rule Subscription   | \$10 (annual subscription)    |

Author ASBCE

Effective: 6/2008

Authority: 34-24-144; 34-24-16(e); 34-24-166(c)(1)

RULE 190-X-2-.05 Examination Required.

## (1) National Board Examination.

- (a) Each applicant who matriculated into chiropractic college after January 1, 1973, must pass parts one and two of the examination administered by the National board of Chiropractic Examiners, as a prerequisite for application for licensure in the State of Alabama and (b) or (c),
- (b) Each applicant must pass parts three and four of the examination administered by the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners or
- (c) A chiropractor who has actively practiced in another state for the last 3 years without adverse disciplinary action must pass the Special Purposes Examination of Chiropractic (SPEC) test administered by the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners-

## (2) Alabama Board Examination. Each applicant must pass an examination administered by the Board.

- (a) Subjects. Applicants will be tested on State laws and regulations governing the practice of chiropractic
- (b) Passing Grade. A score of seventy - five percent is required for passing the examination.
- (c) Re-examination.
1. An applicant must complete the application form and pay a fee of \$150 pursuant to Rule 190-X-2-.02.
2. An applicant must pass this Board
- (d) Scores Released. The Board shall notify each examinee of the examination results by mail within 30 days of the examination.

The Board has established certain combinations of examinations, which are acceptable for licensure. These combinations are as follows:

- (a) NBCE Parts I, II, III and IV and Alabama Board Examination on State Laws and regulations. Or,
- (b) NBCE Parts I, II, and SPEC examination and Alabama Board Examination on State Laws and regulations.

Effective: 3/6/90, (c)(1) amended 1/97, amended 7/12/97, amended 2/98, amended 8/2001, (2)(c) amended 6/2008

Authority: 34-24-160; 34-24-161; 34-24-144; 34-24-165

## New Board Policies

Policy # 2008081421 Any board member will be allowed to monitor any approved seminar at no cost to the Board or the Board member in order to verify course content.

Policy # 2008081422 Any available and willing Board member or authorized representative will be allowed to present for any approved seminar the Alabama law hours and must be compensated by the sponsor the state allowable travel expense and per diem but may not receive any additional money from the sponsor.

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## Condolences

Dr. Daniel O. Kornegay. Dr. Kornegay graduated Carver School of Chiropractic in 1954 and received his Alabama license May 2, 1960. Dr. Kornegay lived and practiced in Opelika. The Board and staff send condolences to the family and friends of Dr. Kornegay.

### DATES TO CALENDAR

The Board will meet in Orange Beach, AL on the following dates:  
October 9-11, 2008.

The Board will meet in Clanton, Alabama on the following dates:  
November 21, 2008

### 2008 State Holidays

The Board office will be closed on the following:

*Columbus Day / Fraternal Day/ American Indian Heritage Day..... October 13*  
*Veterans Day..... November 11*  
*Thanksgiving.....November 27*  
*Christmas Day.....December 25*  
*New Year's Day.....January 1, 2009*

### 8 Qualities to remember when you are selecting the board candidate you want to elect

1. Integrity
2. Service
3. Sacrifice
4. Vision
5. Commitment
6. Consumer Advocacy
7. Diversity and Inclusiveness
8. Fairness and Balance

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