

WEST VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE
Complaint Committee Meeting Minutes
July 13, 2025

A meeting of the West Virginia Board of Medicine Complaint Committee was held at 101 Dee Drive, Charleston, West Virginia, on the 13th day of July 2025, beginning at 12:30 p.m.

The following Committee members were present:

Angela A. Mayfield, Complaint Committee Chair
David A. Mullins, MD
Radhakrishna Kukkillaya, MD

The following Board member was present:

Jonathan P. Lilly, MD, President

The following Committee member was absent:

Chris Tipton, PA

The following Staff members were present:

Mark A. Spangler, MA
Jamie S. Alley, Esquire
Greg S. Foster, Esquire
Leslie A. Thornton, CMBI
Jacob W. Spradling

CALL TO

ORDER Ms. Mayfield called the meeting to order and thanked Dr. Lilly for agreeing to participate in the consideration of one matter on the Committee's Agenda to secure a quorum. Dr. Mullins previously declared a conflict with respect to Complaint No. 25-04-W. Dr. Lilly participated in this matter by designation. The Committee elected to take this matter out of turn for convenience.

Dr. Mullins declared a conflict with regard to Complaint No. 25-04-W. Dr. Mullins disclosed that his close personal friendship may create an appearance of partiality or bias. Dr. Mullins then left the meeting room.

EXECUTIVE

SESSION Dr. Kukkillaya made a motion that the Public Session be recessed in order to enter into Executive Session, pursuant to W. Va. Code § 6-9A-4(b)(4) and (6), and § 30-3-6, to discuss pre-probable cause disciplinary matters, matters effecting a license, and information that, if disclosed, would constitute an unwarranted invasion of privacy. Dr. Lilly seconded the motion, the motion carried, and the Committee entered into Executive Session.

PUBLIC

SESSION The Committee re-entered Public Session.

Dr. Lilly moved that the Committee close Complaint No. 25-04-W. Dr. Kukkillaya seconded the motion, and the motion carried. Having completed discussion and action upon the matter in which Dr. Mullins declared a conflict, Dr. Mullins returned to the meeting room and was present for the remainder of the meeting. Dr. Lilly left the meeting at this time and was absent for the remainder of the meeting.

**APPROVAL
OF**

MINUTES Dr. Lilly made a motion to approve the minutes of the May 4, 2025 Complaint Committee meeting and the June 17, 2025 special meeting. Dr. Mullins seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

BOARD

COUNSEL REPORT Mr. Foster provided an update with respect to the Consent Orders offered by the Committee. Since the May meeting, a fully executed Consent Order has been entered with respect to each of the following licensees:

CONSENT ORDERS		
Licensee	Entry Date	Summary and Terms
John Cherian, MD Complaint No. 24-101-W	May 20, 2025	This licensee was fined \$500.00 for administering testosterone in his office to patients without registering as a controlled substance dispensing practitioner.

James Alan Akins, MD Complaint No. 25-24-W	June 18, 2025	Due to violating his 2023 Consent Order, this licensee's medical license was suspended, with the suspension immediately stayed and his license placed on probation for a minimum of three years. He was also publicly reprimanded, fined \$5,000.00, and required to complete additional CME on testosterone treatment and medical ethics.
Scott Allen Gilchrist, MD Complaint No. 25-05-W	June 18, 2025	This licensee was fined \$500.00 for administering Ketamine in his office to patients without registering as a controlled substance dispensing practitioner.
Russell Stephen Lee-Wood, MD Complaint No. 25-26-W	June 18, 2025	This licensee was publicly reprimanded for the conduct that led to his license being disciplined in another state, related to his supervision of a physician assistant.

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COMPLAINT COMMITTEE

ACTIONS Dr. Mullins moved that the Committee take the following actions:

CLOSURES

25-11-W	Brownhilda Ntangwen Santo, MD
25-15-W	Gregory Lee Spears, MD
25-18-W	Iwan Sugiharto Nyotowidjojo, MD
25-16-A	Stanley Manuel Pamfilis, MD
25-12-W	Mario Jack Vela, MD
25-10-W	Irving Ye, MD
25-17-J	Sarika Vimal Bagree, MD
25-37-H	Marcus Santiago Cervantes, MD
24-104-M	Daniel Bruce Jovanovich, MD
25-13-F	John Allen McKnight, MD
25-03-C	Prasadarao B. Mukkamala, MD
25-22-R	Rohit Patel, MD
25-20-B	Gregory Michael Peters, MD
25-29-P	Yancy Scott Short, MD
24-12-W	William Lee Harris, MD

INITIATED COMPLAINTS

25-56-W
25-57-W
25-58-W
25-59-W
25-60-W

Dr. Kukkillaya seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

Dr. Mullins moved that the Committee seek authority from the Board to issue Consent Orders or Amended Consent Orders in five ongoing matters. Dr. Kukkillaya seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT There being no further business, the Complaint Committee determined by consensus to adjourn.



Angela A. Mayfield
Chair of the Complaint Committee