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ACNB Annual Report for 2022

The American Chiropractic Neurology Board, Inc. (ACNB) would like to update you on the various activities of the ACNB for the year 2022.

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ACNB certification with the National Commission for Certifying Agencies (NCCA) and with International Accreditation Service (IAS) has been maintained with annual reports submitted in 2022 and accepted by both certifying agencies. The ACNB remains the only chiropractic certifying agency certified by both the NCCA and IAS.

The ACNB website reconstruction was finished in early 2022. The Doctor Locator on the website is more efficient. Please log-in to you're your public information profile and contact April Cousins with any needed updated information which will be publicly available in Doctor Locator.

The 2022 ACNB examination was administered twice in 2022. In June, the written and practical exams were administered at Dr. Gail Henry's office in Houston and Dr. William Farrell's office in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada. In October the written examination was administered online by live remote proctoring with Prolydian. The practical exams were administered in November at Dr. Gail Henry's office and Dr. William Farrell's office.

The executive director for the ACNB, April Cousins, was instrumental in working with Prolydian to get the written examination information formatted and working on their internet program for remote administration. We are so very grateful to her for the work she put in to get the ACNB written examinations online.

The passing rate for the written examination 62.5%. In June, the passing rate for the written examination was 100%. In October, the passing rate for the written examination was 40%. The exam surveys collected at the end of the exam from the candidates revealed all candidates rated the written examination as a good and fair examination for the specialty in neurology. 2 of 5 candidates taking the written examination online by remote proctoring reported trouble logging into the examination resulting in a late start.

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In review of the video tapes from Prolydian, the problem with the log-in was candidate error, not a problem from Prolydian. This was the first administration of the written examination via online live proctoring and the number of candidates taking the exam was small. The ACNB does not expect the online administration of the written examination to be problematic for candidates who understand and follow instructions. One candidate took the practical examination in June and five candidates took the practical examination in November. All six passed the practical examination. We welcome seven new members to the ACNB Diplomate registry.

The annual examinations are constructed based on the blueprint from the Job Analysis that was completed in 2019. Our examination committee for the written examination constructed new items and new cases for the examination. The time devoted to helping us with the examination construction is deeply appreciated each year. New members to our examination committees are very welcomed. If you are interested in earning CE credits by participating in examination construction, please contact April Cousins at executivedirector@acnb.org.

Deborah Schnipke, with ACE Ventures, performs the psychometric scoring and technical reporting for the annual examinations. The ACNB is very grateful to her for her expertise.

The final statistics for the American Chiropractic Neurology Board, Inc. after the 2022 examinations are as follows:

Number ever Certified = 1273

Number Certified under The DACNB examination = 932

Number Current with recertification = 637

Taking the June 2022 Written Exam = 3

Passing the June 2022 Written Exam = 3

Taking the October 2022 Written Exam = 5

Passing the October 2022 Written Exam = 2

Passing Percentage for the 2022 Written Examination= 62.5%

Taking the June 2022 Practical Exam = 1

Passing the June 2022 Practical Exam = 1

Taking the November 2022 Practical Exam = 5

Passing the November 2022 Practical Exam = 5

Passing Percentage for the Practical Examination= 100%

New Diplomates (those passing both Written and Practical Examinations in 2022) = 7

The financial statement for the Fiscal Year ending September 30, 2022 is on the following pages of this annual report. It is your recertification fee that maintains your ACNB board and provides the operating dollars to securely manage the work of the ACNB, examination construction and administration. We want to thank you for your continued passion for the specialty in neurology and staying current with continued education and clinical applications that benefit our communities worldwide.

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The ACNB board directors congratulate you on your achievements and continued service to your community with your specialty in functional/neurological rehabilitation. The ACNB is the sole credentialing agency recognized by the ACA, NCCA, and IAS for certification in the specialty of neurology in the chiropractic profession. The Board encourages you to become involved in the ACA Council on Neurology to further the specialty in Chiropractic Neurology. Below are links to the ACA and ACA Council on Neurology and contact information for Bethany Clifton with the ACA who will be able to answer questions on the ACA Council on Neurology registration.

If we may be of service to you in any way, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Dr. Gail Henry, DC, DABCN, DACNB, DAAPM, FACFN Vice President, ACNB

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