Committee Chair Roxann Gary called the meeting to order at 5:00pm.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Molly Morse, Sue Seegers, Roxann Gary, Dorothy Canavan, James Nakasome, Kristin Engstrom, and Gillian Lewis

A Motion was made by Kristin and seconded by Dorothy to accept the minutes of the May 23, 2007 meeting.

STUDENTS Class of 2006 – 2007: Molly

   MLT Class of 2006-2007: 22 STUDENTS GRADUATED
   10 Associate Degrees
   12 Certificate of Proficiency
   5 students have already taken and passed the certification exam.

   MLT STUDENTS Class of 2007-2008
   29 students accepted into the program
   25 are full time
   4 are part time
   12 for Associate Degrees
   17 Certificate of Proficiency

Roxann talked about her positive experience reading the student essays for application into the MLT Program and recommended that other members might want to participate next year. She noted that she saw in increase in student’s writing ability in the three years that she has read applicant essays.

PHLEBOTOMY PROGRAM– Sue

Proposed phlebotomy courses leading to a Certificate of Completion” in Phlebotomy will include:
   Phlebotomy Essentials class (MLT 214)- lecture and student lab
   Lab basics class (MLT 217)
   Workkeys – softskills accessment and tutorial
   HIV/AIDS Education
   3 week phlebotomy practicum (MLT 215)

Tentative start date is Spring 2008 and another group will start Fall 2008. Ten to twelve students will be accepted for each class. Phlebotomy Program Information Meetings will be held monthly to inform and recruit potential students. The application will be posted online and available early November.
SCOPE OF PRACTICE LEVELS FOR MLT/MT – Roxann

Roxann gave a powerpoint presentation summarizing the new scope of practice proposals for MLTs/MTs.

A discussion ensued concerning job responsibilities, and continuing education and the impact on our bachelor prepared students. It was decided to send this information to Leonard and have it forwarded to as many interested parties as possible to get a consensus as to our ideas concerning these proposed CLS level of practice changes.

It was decided that we would meet again at 5-6pm, Wednesday, November 14, 2007 to discuss this further. Deadline for feedback to ASCLS regarding this proposal is March 1, 2008.

EDMONDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE – Sue

Sue discussed the new classes at EDCC in their lab assistant program to teach students waived testing. We have been able to recruit one to two students each year from EDCC.

Meeting adjourned 6:20pm

Action Items:

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<td>Next MLT Advisory meeting scheduled for Wednesday, November 14th, 2007 from 5-6pm in the Health Occupations building at Shoreline Comm. College.</td>
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<td>Roxann would email a copy (28 pages) of the “Proposed Model for Levels of Practice in CLS” to Dorothy.</td>
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<td>Dorothy would contact Leonard Kargacin (DOH) to present the topic at the November 12th CLAC meeting. Dorothy also mentioned contacting CLMA with these proposed changes.</td>
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<td>4.</td>
<td>MLT Advisory members were emailed a link to the document on the ASCLS website. Please review the proposed changes to discuss at the November meeting. You will need to be an ASCLS member to access this information. If you would like a copy of this document, please contact Roxann Gary at <a href="mailto:roxanng@psbc.org">roxanng@psbc.org</a> or Molly Morse at <a href="mailto:mmorse@shoreline.edu">mmorse@shoreline.edu</a></td>
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