



NEVADA STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Friday, January 22, 2016
 9:09 a.m.

Board Meeting Agenda

Please Note: The Nevada State Board of Dental Examiners may 1) address agenda items out of sequence to accommodate persons appearing before the Board or to aid the efficiency or effectiveness of the meeting; 2) combine items for consideration by the public body; 3) pull or remove items from the agenda at any time. The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person. See NRS 241.030. Prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or a quasi judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual the board may refuse to consider public comment. See NRS 233B.126.

At the discretion of the Chair, public comment is welcomed by the Board, but will be heard only when that item is reached and will be limited to five minutes per person. A public comment time will also be available as the last item on the agenda. The Chair may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in his/her sole discretion. Once all items on the agenda are completed the meeting will adjourn.

Asterisks () denote items on which the Board may take action.
 Action by the Board on an item may be to approve, deny, amend, or table.*

1. Call to Order, roll call, and establish quorum

Dr. Pinther called the meeting to order and Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel conducted the following roll call:

Dr. Timothy Pinther-----PRESENT	Dr. Ali Shahrestani-----PRESENT
Dr. Byron Blasco-----PRESENT	Mrs. Leslea Villigan -----PRESENT
Dr. J Gordon Kinard-----PRESENT	Ms. Theresa Guillen ----PRESENT
Dr. Brendan Johnson-----PRESENT	Ms. M Sharon Gabriel---PRESENT
Dr. Gregory Pisani -----PRESENT	Mrs. Lisa Wark -----PRESENT (via teleconference)
Dr. Jason Champagne----PRESENT	

Others Present: John Hunt, Board Legal Counsel; Debra Shaffer-Kugel, Executive Director.

Public Attendees: Stacie Hummel, Board Accountant, Hummel & Associates; Lindsay Brock, RDH, NDHA; Caryn Solie, RDH; Xuan Thu Failing, RDH, NDHA; Richard Dragon, NDA; Parker Stremmel, Ferrari Public Affairs; Lori Benvin, NNDS; Neena Laxalt, NDHA; Lancette VanGuilder, RHD ADHA; Syd McKenzie, Oral Health NV; Chris Garvey, Oral Health NV; Shari Peterson, CSN/NDHA; Jennifer Roberts, CDCA/ADEX; William Pappas, DDS, ADEX; Benjamin Covarrubias, IPC; Robert Talley, DDS, NDA; Lynn Stewart, Assemblyman; Terri Chandler, Future Smiles; Scott Brooksby; Andrea Smith; Catherine Buckley, Inspector; Dan Royal.

Pledge of Allegiance

2. Public Comment: (Public Comment is limited to three (3) minutes for each individual)

Ms. Xuan Thu Failing read her statement, which was submitted for the record prior to meeting and included in the public documents, into the record.

Ms. Caryn Solie read a statement regarding agenda item (4). She spoke in favor of the original recommendations made by the Committee on Dental Hygiene to the Board for rule changes related to dental hygiene.

Ms. Lindsay Brock read testimony on behalf of Terry Mercer who was unable to attend. She also spoke in favor of the original recommendations made by the Committee on Dental Hygiene to the Board for rule changes related to dental hygiene.

Ms. Jennifer Roberts, on behalf of the ADEX Administration, read a statement regarding agenda item (7b), she stated that ADEX had been offered in Nevada since 2007 and that it was a patient-centered exam. She added that it was brought to her attention that the Board was going to be exploring recent changes made to the exam and hoped that the board would accept and adopt the changes.

Assemblyman Lynn Stewart of district 22 commented that he had received multiple complaints concerning Board office staff and Legal Counsel and that he wanted to bring it to the Board's attention.

Mrs. Sharon Peterson was unable to voice her comments due to an illness and submitted her written statement for the record (attached in public comments and documents book).

Tina Sue (not listed on the guest list), Secretary of the LVDA, read a statement in support of the agenda items regarding Andrea Smith and Dr. Scott Brooksby.

Terri Chandler, founder of Future Smiles, stated that she supported her colleagues at the NDHA request for reconsideration of the original recommendations made to the Board by the Committee on Dental Hygiene regarding changes to the regulations related to dental hygiene. She noted to the Board that the PHE's granted by them have made a difference in the community since implementation of PHE's. She provided the Board with additional information in relation to the work that PHE holders have done in the community. She thanked Dr. Blasco for offering his services to help a teenager in need of dental services.

Note: No vote may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020)

***3. Election of Officers -NRS 631.160 (For Possible Action)**

***(a) Board President – (For Possible Action)**

MOTION: Dr. Blasco made the motion to nominate Dr. Pinther to be reappointed as Board President. Motion was seconded by Dr. Champagne. All were in favor of the motion.

***(b) Board Secretary-Treasurer (For Possible Action)**

MOTION: Dr. Champagne made the motion nominate Dr. Blasco to be reappointed as Board Secretary/Treasurer. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani. All were in favor of the motion.

***4. Notice of Hearing for the Intent to Act for the Adoption of Proposed Permanent Regulations (RI19-15) of the Nevada State Board of Dental Examiners Nevada Administrative Code Chapter 631 related to the practice of dentistry and dental hygiene and proposed regulation changes and/or Amendments to the following regulations; Schedule of Fees (NAC 631.029); Address Notification (NAC 631.150) Duties delegable to Dental Hygienists (NAC 631.210) and Duties delegable to Dental Assistants (NAC 631.220) (For Possible Action)**

Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel updated the newer Board members on the history of how the regulations proposed for adoption came to fruition. Dr. Shahrestani inquired on who would determine the types of x-rays needed. The Board clarified that the dentist would be the one to make the determination of x-rays to be taken. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel asked Ms. Failing to clarify her request. Ms. Failing stated that the original regulations proposed would allow for both the dental assistants and dental hygienists to take x-rays, for hygienist to be able to assess the x-rays, prior to a patient being seen by the dentist. She asked that the Board reconsider the Committee on Dental Hygiene's original

recommendations that would allow for a dental hygienist to take x-rays and perform treatment on a patient prior to a patient being examined by the dentist. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that the regulation currently does not permit a dental assistant or dental hygienist to take x-rays prior to a new patient being seen by the dentist, or if a patient of record had not been seen by the dentist in the past 18 months. She clarified that any dental assistant and/or dental hygienist currently taking x-rays prior to a patient being seen by a dentist would be a clear violation of the regulation as it currently stands. Further, that the proposed changes, once adopted and enacted, would then permit for such delegated duties to be permitted. Mr. Hunt advised the Board of their options for a motion. Dr. Pisani stated that there were some areas that were ambiguous. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel noted to the board that the Committee on Dental Hygiene held a workshop to go over the proposed changes, and brought forward the recommendations to the Board for approval at the November 2015 meeting. Further, that at the meeting, the board members went through each regulation and addressed and discussed changes and amendments, if any, and approved the language to move forward to be presented to the LCB. She stated that the language proposed for approval, was the language approved by the LCB.

MOTION: Ms. Guillen made the motion to hold another workshop to revisit NAC 631.210 (dental hygiene) only. Motion was seconded by Mrs. Villigan. Discussion: Dr. Kinard asked that Ms. Guillen clarify the specific areas to be revisited. Ms. Guillen stated that she specifically wanted to revisit the anesthetic and prophylactic portions. She amended her motion to host another workshop to revisit NAC 631.210 to discuss specifically the implementation of a treatment plan, the administration of local anesthetic and nitrous oxygen analgesia under authorization for existing and new patients. Mrs. Villigan agreed to amend her second. Roll call vote: (Yes= in favor of Motion/ No= nay)

Dr. Timothy Pinther-----no	Dr. Ali Shahrestani-----yes
Dr. Byron Blasco-----yes	Mrs. Leslea Villigan -----yes
Dr. J Gordon Kinard-----no	Ms. Theresa Guillen -----yes
Dr. Brendan Johnson-----yes	Ms. M Sharon Gabriel----yes
Dr. Gregory Pisani -----yes	Mrs. Lisa Wark -----no
Dr. Jason Champagne-----no	

Motion passed; Committee on Dental Hygiene to hold a workshop to revisit items mentioned in the motion.

***5. Executive Director's Report (For Possible Action)**

***a. Minutes-NRS 631.190 (For Possible Action)**

(1) Board Meeting – 11/20/2015 (For Possible Action)

MOTION: Ms. Guillen made the motion to approve. Motion was seconded by Dr. Champagne. All were in favor of the motion.

(2) Telephone Conference Call Meeting-12/03/2015 (For Possible Action)

MOTION: Dr. Champagne made the motion to. Motion was seconded by Ms. Guillen. All were in favor of the motion.

(3) Anesthesia Subcommittee Meeting 12/15/2015 (For Possible Action)

MOTION: Ms. Guillen made the motion to approve. Motion was seconded by Dr. Champagne. All were in favor of the motion.

b. Financials-NRS 631.180 (For Possible Action)

(1) Review Balance Sheet and Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Balances for fiscal period July 1, 2015 through November 2015

Mrs. Hummel stated that the Board was tracking well with their budget. She clarified for Dr. Pinther due to AB89 removing the 5-year validation requirement for WREB applicants, she highly anticipated an influx of WREB applicants.

c. Licenses Granted: Dental and Dental Hygiene November 1, 2015 thru December 31, 2015

November 2015

DENTAL LICENSEES:

Name	Lic No	Lic Date
Nathan G Adams DMD, MD	S2-142C	11/10/2015
Michael A Gladwell DMD, MD	S2-143C	11/10/2015
Soonki Lee DMD	6724	11/25/2015
Jeffrey Y Lu DDS	6723	11/25/2015
Richard D Talbot DMD, MS	S3-280	11/25/2015

DENTAL HGYIENE LICENSEES:

Name	Lic No	Lic Date
Heather M Sproul RDH	102107	11/25/2015
Nikola G Weaver RDH	102099	11/25/2015

December 2015

DENTAL LICENSEES:

Name	Lic No	Lic Date
Paul C C Lee DDS	6727	12/09/2015
Nakyong Ju DDS	6730	12/23/2015
Christine Young DMD	6728	12/23/2015

DENTAL HGYIENE LICENSEES:

Name	Lic No	Lic Date
Melissa Castillo RDH	102142	12/09/2015
Shauna Cheney RDH	102138	12/23/2015
Jannette K Gomez RDH	102140	12/23/2015
Jessica A Poulsen RDH	102134	12/23/2015

Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that the list of new licensees were available for viewing on the Board website.

***d. Approval for Disciplinary Screening Officers-NRS 631.190 (For Possible Action)**

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| (1) Rick Thiriot, DDS - DSO Coordinator | (11) Jason Ferguson, DDS | (21) Thomas Myatt, DDS |
| (2) Lynn Broisy, DMD | (12) A Ted Twesme, DDS | (22) Gary Braun, DMD |
| (3) J Stephen Sill, DMD | (13) Joyce Herceg, RDH | (23) Edward Gray, DMD |
| (4) Tina Brandon-Abbatangelo, DDS | (14) Donna Hellwinkel, DDS | (24) Mark Degen, DDS, MD |
| (5) Bradley Roberts, DDS | (15) James E Jones, DDS | (25) Gary Geracci, DDS |
| (6) Edward Herschaft, DDS | (16) Kenneth Lang, DDS | (26) Sharon G. Peterson, RDH |
| (7) Larry Frugoli, DMD | (17) Dawn McClellan, DDS | |
| (8) Michael Webberson, DDS | (18) Michael Squitieri, DDS | |
| (9) Dennis Arch, DDS | (19) David Welmerink, DDS | |
| (10) Dwight Meierhenry, DDS | (20) Bradley Strong, DDS | |

MOTION: Dr. Blasco made the motion to approve. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani. All were in favor of the motion.

***e. Approval for Anesthesia Evaluators-NRS 631.190 (For Possible Action)**

General Anesthesia Evaluators	Conscious Sedation Evaluators
(1) Lowell K Anderson, DMD	(11) Michael G Almaraz, DDS
(2) Michel J Daccache, DDS	(12) Jon P Galea, DDS
(3) Steven E DeLisle, DDS	(13) Ryan S Gifford, DDS
(4) Edward J Gray, DMD, MD	(14) Dawn L McClellan, DDS
(5) Brendan G Johnson, DDS	(15) Jade A Miller, DDS
(6) Thomas P Myatt, DDS	(16) Daniel K Moore, DDS
(7) Patrick A O'Connor, DDS	(17) Joshua L Saxe, DDS
(8) Amanda Jo Okundaye, DDS	(18) Paul D Schwarz, DMD
(9) Mont M Ringer, DDS	(19) Perry T. Francis, DDS
(10) Albert T Twesme, DDS	(20) Gilbert A Trujillo, DDS
(11) Gary Geracci, DDS	(21) David J Trylovich, DDS
(12) Blaine D. Austin, DDS	(22) Jason E Ferguson, DDS

MOTION: Dr. Pisani made the motion to approve. Motion was seconded by Dr. Blasco. All were in favor of the motion.

***f. Approval for Infection Control Inspectors-NRS 631.190 (For Possible Action)**

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| (1) John L Aramini, DDS | (10) Joshua M Ignatowicz, DMD | (19) Gail M Corthell, RDH |
| (2) Lynn A Brosy, DMD | (11) Nelson D Lasiter, DMD | (20) Linda L Fairley, RDH |
| (3) John C DiGrazia, DDS | (12) Gordon J Murray, DDS | (21) Elvera L Kajans, RDH |
| (4) Bradley A Ditsworth, DMD | (13) Brett A Noorda, DMD | (22) Betty L McGuire, RDH |
| (5) Stephen N Fleming, DDS | (14) William P O'Gara, DDS | (23) George F Rosenbaum, DDS |
| (6) Rickey L Grant, DMD | (15) Pamela J Patten, DDS | (24) Brad A Wilbur, DDS |
| (7) Steven W Hall, DDS | (16) Mary M Bosnos, RDH | (25) James McKernan, RDH |
| (8) Christine L Haskin, DDS | (17) Kathryn M Bruce, RDH | |
| (9) Donna Jo Hellwinkel, DDS | (18) Catherine B Buckley, RDH | |

MOTION: Dr. Pisani made the motion to approve. Motion was seconded by Dr. Kinard. All were in favor of the motion.

***g. Authorized Investigative Complaint-NRS 631.360 (For Possible Action)**

- (a) Dr Y-NRS 631.3475(1) and NAC 631.155 (For Possible Action)

Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel went over the alleged violations.

MOTION: Dr. Pisani made the motion to authorize the investigation. Motion was seconded by Dr. Blasco. All were in favor of the motion.

- (b) Dr Z- NRS 631.330, NRS 631.395 (7) and NAC 631.173 (For Possible Action)

Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel went over the alleged violations.

MOTION: Dr. Pisani made the motion to authorize the investigation. Motion was seconded by Dr. Champagne. All were in favor of the motion.

***6. Board Counsel's Report (For Possible Action)**

***a. Legal Actions/Lawsuit(s) Update (For Possible Action)**

- (1) District Court Case(s) Update

Mr. Hunt stated that it was the Board's responsibility to protect the due process of all licensees. He reminded the board members that should they be contacted regarding any matters to be sure to refer them to the board office or to him, so as to remain unbiased. He added that should they ever have any questions regarding an agenda item to please contact him at his office.

Mr. Hunt stated that there was no pending litigation. He briefly discussed the matter of Andrea Smith for the illegal practice of dental hygiene, and stated that the court ruled in favor of the Board.

***b. Consideration of Stipulation Agreements (For Possible Action)**

Mr. Hunt addresses the Board members and reminded them that they are to try and protect the public and to try and be remedial. For the newer Board members, he explained the complaint process, what leads to stipulation agreements, and the steps and options available.

- (1) Gregory Edwards, DDS (For Possible Action)

Mr. Hunt went over the provisions of the proposed stipulation agreement. He noted that Dr. Edwards had legal counsel at the time of entering into the stipulation agreement.

MOTION: Dr. Pisani made the motion to accept the stipulation agreement for Dr. Edwards. Motion was seconded by Dr. Blasco. All were in favor of the motion.

(2) Jay K Selznick, DMD, MD (For Possible Action)

Mr. Hunt went over the provisions of the proposed stipulation agreement. Mr. Hunt noted that Dr. Selznick chose not to be represented by independent counsel.

MOTION: Dr. Pisani made the motion to accept the stipulation agreement for Dr. Selznick. Motion was seconded by Dr. Champagne. Dr. Pinther noted to the Board that Dr. Selznick had recently presented himself to his dental practice seeking referrals; Dr. Pinther noted further that though no other topics were discussed, he had no prior knowledge of the pending stipulation agreement that Dr. Selznick had with the Board. Therefore, he would be abstaining from voting on this agenda matter. All were in favor of the motion; Dr. Pinther abstained.

(3) Erin Wilson, RDH (For Possible Action)

Mr. Hunt went over the provisions of the proposed stipulation agreement.

MOTION: Mrs. Villigan made the motion to accept the stipulation agreement for Ms. Wilson. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani. All were in favor of the motion.

***c. Request to reduce or eliminate the investigation costs and attorney fees associated with the District Court Case for the unlicensed practice of dental hygiene and issuance of Permanent Injunction–NRS & NRS 622 (For Possible Action)**

(1) Andrea Smith

Mrs. Smith stepped forward. Mrs. Villigan stated that in reading the correspondence from Ms. Smith that she was asking that the charges be dropped. Mr. Hunt replied that the charges against Mrs. Smith were resolved in district court and that the costs assessed were ruled by the court in an injunction. Mrs. Smith provided a signed affidavit to the Board members (provided as public document) which she read aloud. Mr. Hunt noted to the Board that a district court judge on a higher burden of proof found Mrs. Smith guilty of practicing dental hygiene illegally. Mrs. Smith stated that she believed her privacy was violated when she was investigated prior to the board authorizing an investigation. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel explained to Mrs. Smith that when an individual is not a licensee, the Board must seek their civil remedy, which is to seek injunctive relief in district court. Dr. Blasco inquired if the sum for reimbursement was an amount established by the court. Mr. Hunt affirmed that the \$27,000 reimbursement fees was established by the court. Mrs. Smith asked that the Board, please, forgive part, if not all, fees.

MOTION: Dr. Pisani made the motion to deny reducing or forgiving the fees established by the court. Motion was seconded by Dr. Kinard. Roll Call Vote: (Yes= in favor of motion/ No= nay)

Dr. Timothy Pinther-----yes	Dr. Ali Shahrestani-----yes
Dr. Byron Blasco-----yes	Mrs. Leslea Villigan -----yes
Dr. J Gordon Kinard-----yes	Ms. Theresa Guillen -----yes
Dr. Brendan Johnson-----yes	Ms. M Sharon Gabriel-----yes
Dr. Gregory Pisani -----yes	Mrs. Lisa Wark -----yes
Dr. Jason Champagne-----yes	

Motion was agreed to; denial of request to reduce or forgive investigation costs and attorney fees.

***d. Request to reduce investigation costs and attorney fees pursuant to Paragraph 7 of the Board's Order dated August 10, 2015 (For Possible Action)**

(1) L. Scott Brooksby, DDS

Dr. Brooksby was present and stepped forward. Mr. Hunt noted to Dr. Brooksby that any information submitted to the board may be used against him. Dr. Brooksby read a statement to the board (submitted as additional public information). Mr. Hunt and Dr. Brooksby exchanged comments regarding the complaint process and the complaint that lead to his stipulation agreement. Dr. Pisani commented that Dr. Brooksby chose not to be represented by counsel, though he had every opportunity to seek counsel. Mrs. Wark stated that the Board, by unanimous decision, voted to accept the stipulation agreement and, therefore, did not believe the Board should reduce the fees owed for reimbursement.

MOTION: Mrs. Wark made the motion to deny reducing the investigation costs and attorney fees. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani. Roll Call Vote: (Yes=to deny reduction of costs and fees/ No=nay)

Dr. Timothy Pinther-----yes	Dr. Ali Shahrestani-----yes
Dr. Byron Blasco-----yes	Mrs. Leslea Villigan -----yes
Dr. J Gordon Kinard-----yes	Ms. Theresa Guillen -----yes
Dr. Brendan Johnson-----yes	Ms. M Sharon Gabriel-----yes
Dr. Gregory Pisani -----yes	Mrs. Lisa Wark -----yes
Dr. Jason Champagne-----yes	

Motion was agreed to; Request to reduce investigation fees and attorney costs was denied.

MOTION: Dr. Blasco made the motion to take a recess. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani. All were in favor.

Recess: 11:07 a.m.

Returned from Recess: 11:21 a.m.

***7. New Business** (For Possible Action)

- *a. Review, Discussion and Modification of the Advisory Opinion issued by the Board on November 20, 2015 regarding the administration of Botox, dermal fillers by dental hygienist pursuant to NRS 631.310 & NAC 631.210** (For Possible Action)

Mr. Hunt noted that when giving the advisory opinion at the previous board meeting, the original requests were inquiring whether a prosthodontist could administer botox and dermal fillers, and at the request of Dr. Johnathan White, then expanded the discussion to include general dentists. He further noted that the advisory opinion somehow expanded the scope to include dental hygienists. He commented that subsequently to the meeting it was noted to him that pursuant to current regulations, dental hygienists' scope of duties and practice was clearly defined, and therefore, made it impermissible for dental hygienists to administer botox and dermal fillers.

MOTION: Dr. Blasco made the motion to amend the original Advisory Opinion issued on November 20, 2015, to exclude dental hygienists from administering botox, dermal fillers, or other injectables until such time that it becomes a duty delegable to dental hygienists' in statute and/or regulation. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani. Discussion: Dr. Johnson stated his concerns for the records with regards to complications and being able to adequately treat those complications. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel noted to the Board that the Continuing Education Committee would be holding a meeting in the near future to create criteria with similar parameters to those for laser education. All were in favor of the motion.

- *b. Review, Discuss and Approval/Rejection of clinical changes to the ADEX dental and dental Hygiene examinations pursuant to NRS 631.240 and NRS 631.300** (For Possible Action)

Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that a few board members requested for current exam information be provided to the Board for review and approval of any changes as required pursuant to NRS 631.240 and NRS 631.300. She stated that any clinical changes had to be approved by the Board. Further, that Dr. Larry Champagne provided correspondence regarding changes prior to the meeting since he could not be present. Dr. William Pappas was present on behalf of ADEX and was able to explain some of the changes discussed for possible changes, and spoke on the changes that were implemented. Mr. Hunt stated that based upon statement from Dr. Pappas and the statute, he recommended that the board approve the changes and that they request that the board be provided changes yearly for review and approval. Dr. Pappas stated that he would be pleased to not only provide a document listing and explaining changes made, but also a PowerPoint presentation yearly.

MOTION: Dr. Pisani made the motion to approve the changes and request that henceforth ADEX is to provide the Board changes made to the exam annually. Motion was seconded by Dr. Blasco. All were in favor of the motion.

- *c. Approval for Board to recommend Examiners to the Western Regional Examining Board -NRS 631.190** (For Possible Action)

- (1) Rick Thiriot, DDS
- (2) Caryn Solie, RDH

MOTION: Dr. Kinard made the motion to approve. Motion was seconded by Dr. Champagne. All were in favor of the motion.

***d. Approval of Public Health Endorsement – NRS 631.287 (For Possible Action)**

- (1) Melissa L Argueta Gatica, RDH – Seal Nevada South Program

Dr. Blasco stated that he reviewed the application and recommended approval.

MOTION: Dr. Pisani made the motion to approve. Motion seconded by Dr. Champagne. All were in favor of the motion.

- *e. Request the Board grant approval for a reevaluation of a temporary conscious sedation permit pursuant to NAC 631.2235 (2 and 3) and request to reinstate his/her temporary conscious sedation permit for the evaluation and to remain active upon successful passing the evaluation. (For Possible Action)**

***(a) Dr Y**

Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that when the board issues a temporary conscious sedation or general anesthesia permit, it is only valid for 90 days until the office can be evaluated. However, that if a site does not pass an evaluation, the permit automatically expired. Therefore, the applicant was requesting that the Board reinstate the permit to allow for administration only on the day of the re-evaluation.

MOTION: Dr. Kinard made the motion to reinstate the temporary permit to be valid on the day of the re-evaluation only, and upon successfully passing, that the Board grant a permanent permit. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani. All were in favor of the motion.

MOTION: Dr. Kinard made the motion to go out of agenda order to item (7h). Motion seconded by Dr. Pisani. All were in favor of the motion.

- *h. Appointment of Maria “Sharon” Gabriel, RDH to the following Resource Groups-NRS 631.190 (For Possible Action)**

- (1) Continuing Education
(2) Committee on Dental Hygiene
(3) Infection Control

MOTION: Ms. Guillen made the motion to approve. Motion was seconded by Dr. Kinard. All were in favor of the motion.

- *i. Appointment of Brendan Johnson, DDS to the following Resource Groups-NRS 631.190 (For Possible Action)**

- (1) Specialty Resource Group
(2) Chair of Anesthesia Resource Group

MOTION: Dr. Kinard made the motion to approve. Motion was seconded by Dr. Blasco. All were in favor of the motion.

MOTION: Dr. Kinard made the motion to return to agenda order. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani. All were in favor of the motion.

- *f. Approval for Anesthesia-Permanent Permit – NAC 631.2233 (For Possible Action)**

- (1) Conscious Sedation (For Possible Action)
a. Frederick J John, DMD
b. Christopher T Spillers, DMD

Dr. Blasco stated that he reviewed the application and recommended approval.

MOTION: Dr. Kinard made the motion to approve. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani. All were in favor of the motion; Dr. Blasco abstained.

(2) General Anesthesia (For Possible Action)

- a. Jesse J Falk, DMD
- b. Matthew J Krieger, DMD

Dr. Blasco stated that he reviewed that applications and recommended approval.

MOTION: Dr. Pisani made the motion to approve. Motion seconded by Ms. Guillen. All were in favor of the motion; Dr. Blasco and Dr. Johnson abstained.

*g. Approval for a 90-Day Extension of Anesthesia Permit – NAC 631.2254(2)
(For Possible Action)

*(1) General Anesthesia (For Possible Action)

- a. Nathan G Adams, DMD, MD
- b. Michael A Gladwell, DMD, MD

MOTION: Dr. Blasco made the motion to approve. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani. All were in favor of the motion.

*8. Resource Group Reports

*a. Legislative and Dental Practice (For Possible Action)

(Chair: Dr. Pinther; Dr. Champagne; Dr. Blasco; Dr. Kinard; Ms. Guillen, Mrs. Wark)

Dr. Pinther indicated that there was no report at this time.

*b. Legal and Disciplinary Action (For Possible Action)

(Chair: Dr. Kinard; Dr. Pisani; Dr. Blasco; Dr. Shahrestani, Mrs. Villigan; Mrs. Wark)

Dr. Kinard indicated that there was no report at this time.

*c. Examinations Liaisons (For Possible Action)

*(1) WREB Representatives (For Possible Action)
(Dr. Blasco)

Dr. Blasco reported that he will be attending the DERB meeting in the upcoming weeks, and therefore would provide a report at the March board meeting. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel noted to the Board that with the end of Ms. Caryn Solie's term, that the board needed to appoint a dental hygiene member to represent the board at the HERB meetings. It was suggested that Ms. Gabriel be appointed. Ms. Gabriel accepted the appointment to be the board representative at the HERB meetings.

*(2) ADEX Representatives (For Possible Action)
(Dr. Kinard)

Dr. Kinard indicated that there was no report at this time.

*d. Continuing Education (For Possible Action)

(Dr. Blasco, Chair; Dr. Shahrestani, Dr. Pisani; Mrs. Villigan)

Dr. Blasco stated that a committee needed to be schedule to discuss continuing education requirements for botox training for dentists.

*e. Committee of Dental Hygiene (For Possible Action)

(Chair: Ms. Guillen; Mrs. Villigan; Dr. Shahrestani)

Ms. Guillen stated that they will be scheduling a workshop to revisit to proposed language in R119.

Ms. Guillen also reported that she was present for the Sunset Committee meeting but had to leave early. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that the Sunset committee requested for additional information to be submitted, however, she noted that their key issue appeared to be the investigation costs, which she believed derived from the complaints noted earlier by Assemblyman Stewart. She stated that she was working on providing the committee with a breakdown of attorney fees and investigation costs.

- *f. Specialty (For Possible Action)
(Chair: Dr. Pisani; Dr. Pinther)

Dr. Pisani stated that there was no report at this time, and welcomed Dr. Johnson to the Board.

- *g. Anesthesia (For Possible Action)
(Dr. Pinther; Dr. Champagne; Dr. Kinard)

Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that there were changes in AB89 regarding the regulations for anesthesia, which required them to be revamped. She noted that the Anesthesia subcommittee held a meeting and began discussing potential changes they would like to see made. She gave a brief summary of the direction that the Subcommittee appeared to be heading in.

- *h. Infection Control (For Possible Action)
(Chair: Mrs. Villigan; Dr. Blasco; Dr. Champagne; Dr. Pisani; Mrs. Wark)

Mrs. Villigan read a brief summary that Dr. Steven Hall, the appointed representative for the Board that attended the Boot Camp with OSAP, provided from his attendance. She read several key points from his report.

- *i. Budget and Finance Committee (For Possible Action)
(Chair: Dr. Blasco, Dr. Pinther, Mrs. Wark, Ms. Guillen)

Dr. Blasco stated that he had no report at this time.

9. Public Comment: (Public Comment is limited to three (3) minutes for each individual)

Chris Garvey read a statement into the record.

Dr. Dragon commented on agenda item (4) and asked if he may submit a written comment regarding the proposed regulation. Mr. Hunt responded affirmatively.

Ms. Failing commented that the NDHA would like to be a collaborative partner in exploring duties delegable to a dental hygienist.

Terry Chandler provided the Board with some statistics of all the work and services that her program has been fortunate enough to provide since Future Smile's inception in 2000. She thanked the Board and welcomed all board members to visit their facilities.

Note: No vote may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020)

10. Announcements: Dr. Pinther thanked Ms. Solie and Dr. Miller for the dedication and for the terms they served on the Board. Dr. Pinther welcomed the new Board members to the Board.

- *11. Adjournment (For Possible Action)

MOTION: Dr. Blasco made the motion to adjourn. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani. All were in favor of the motion.

Meeting Adjourned at 12:34 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by:


Debra Shaffer-Kugel, Executive Director