



NEVADA STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS



Meeting Location

Board of Dental Examiners
6010 S Rainbow Boulevard, Suite A-1
Las Vegas, Nevada 89118
(702) 486-7044

Video Conferencing was available at

Board of Nursing
5011 Meadowood Mall Way, Suite 300
Reno, Nevada 89502

Meeting Date & Time

Friday, September 20, 2019
12:19 p.m.

Minutes

NOTICE OF AGENDA & PUBLIC MEETING FOR THE ANESTHESIA SUB-COMMITTEE

(D. Kevin Moore, DDS (Chair); Brendan Johnson, DDS; R. Michael Sanders, DMD; A. Ted Twesme, DDS; Amada Okundaye, DDS; Jade Miller, DDS; Joshua Saxe, DDS)

Note: Asterisks (*) denote items on which the Board may take action.

Note: Action by the Board on an item may be to approve, deny, amend, or table.

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

Committee Member Moore called the meeting to order and the Executive Director conducted the following roll call:

Dr. D. Kevin Moore ----- PRESENT
Dr. Brendan Johnson ----- PRESENT
Dr. R. Michael Sanders ----- PRESENT
Dr. A. Ted Twesme ----- PRESENT
Dr. Amanda Okundaye ----- PRESENT
Dr. Jade Miller ----- EXCUSED
Dr. Joshua Saxe ----- PRESENT

Others Present: Melanie Bernstein Chapman, Esq., Board General Counsel; Rosalie Bordelove, Esq., Deputy Attorney General/Board Co-Counsel; Debra Shaffer-Kugel, Executive Director.

Public Attendees: Richard Dragon, DMD, NDA.

2. Public Comment: The public comment period is limited to matters specifically noticed on the agenda. No action may be taken upon the matter raised during public comment unless the matter itself has been specifically included on the agenda as an action item. Comments by the public may be limited to three minutes as a reasonable time, place, and manner restriction, but may not be limited based upon viewpoint. The Chairperson may allow additional time at his/her discretion.

No public comment made.

***3. Approve Agenda (For Possible Action)**

MOTION: Committee Member Twesme moved that the sub-committee approve the agenda.
Motion seconded by committee member Sanders. No further discussion, motion was unanimously approved.

57 ***4. New Business:** (For Possible Action)
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- 59 (a) Review and Discuss updating the emergency scenarios used when conducting evaluations for
60 the administration of moderate sedation and general anesthesia (For Possible Action)
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62 (b) Creation of emergency scenarios used when conducting evaluations for the administration of
63 pediatric moderate sedation (12 years of age or younger) (For Possible Action)
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65 (c) Review and Discuss creation of new calibration to incorporate the recent regulation changes
66 for moderate sedation, pediatric moderate sedation and general anesthesia. (For Possible Action)
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68 Chairman Moore opened the floor for discussion of agenda items (4)(a)-(c). There was discussion
69 regarding emergency scenarios and calibration of all anesthesia evaluators and the possibility of the
70 Board seeking an outside entity to conduct anesthesia evaluations rather than Board-appointed
71 anesthesia evaluators.
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73 MOTION: Committee Member Okundaye requested tabling this discussion for a future meeting. Motion
74 seconded by Committee Member Twesme. All were in favor of the motion. None opposed. Motion to
75 hold future meeting to establish emergency case scenarios during closed session passed unanimously.
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77 MOTION: Committee Member Twesme made a motion to develop 3 different categories of scenarios,
78 separate algorithms for under 12 years of age and for those over the age of 12, with a third algorithm
79 specifically for general anesthesia. Motion seconded by Committee Member Sanders. Opposition: None.
80 Motion passed unanimously.
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- 82 (d) Discuss whether to contract with the Board approved Anesthesia Evaluators/Inspectors or
83 consider a Board approved accrediting entity conduct the evaluation and/or inspections prior
84 to issuing a Sedation, General Anesthesia or Site permits (For Possible Action)
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86 The sub-committee members stated their opposition to becoming independent contractors to conduct
87 evaluations due to personal liability concerns. Committee Member Twesme noted that CDCA has
88 established an anesthesia evaluation protocol for this purpose. A presentation was given by the
89 Accreditation Association for Dental Offices ("AAFDO"). Chairman Moore requested that the AAFDO
90 forward the slides from the presentation for consideration by the Board.
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92 Motion: Committee Member Okundaye requested tabling this discussion for a future meeting. Motion
93 seconded by Committee Member Twesme. All were in favor of the motion. None opposed. Motion
94 passed unanimously.
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- 96 (e) Review, Discuss and make Recommendations to the Board regarding the application to
97 become a recognized provider for a moderate sedation certification course for the
98 administration of moderate sedation to patients 13 years of age or older (For Possible Action)
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100 (1) Augusta University's Dental College of Georgia
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102 Committee Member Okundaye noted some of her concerns with this CODA accredited course. After
103 some discussion Committee Member Johnson recommended rejecting the course as the course
104 presented did not meet the Board's standards currently.
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106 MOTION: Committee Member Johnson motioned to deny the application until they meet Nevada
107 standards. Motion seconded by Committee Member Saxe. With no further discussion, the vote was
108 unanimous, motion passed.
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110 **5. Public Comment:** This public comment period is for any matter that is within the jurisdiction of the public body.
111 No action may be taken upon the matter raised during public comment unless the matter itself has been specifically
112 included on the agenda as an action item. The Chairperson of the Board will impose a time limit of three (3) minutes.
113 The Chairperson may allow additional time at his/her discretion.
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115 There was no public comment.
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117 *6. **Adjournment** (For Possible Action)
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119 Committee Member Moore called for adjournment.
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121 Motion to adjourn by Committee Member Twesme
122 Motion seconded by Committee Member Sanders.
123 All were in favor, motion passed unanimously.
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125 Meeting adjourned at: 1:47 p.m.
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Minutes approved at the January 18, 2020 Board Meeting
Respectfully Submitted by:



Candice Stratton, Interim Executive Director

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