

Nevada State Board of Dental Examiners



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Notice of Agenda & Combined Teleconference Meeting of (1) The Anesthesia Committee and (2) The Anesthesia Sub-Committee

Meeting Date & Time

Tuesday, January 12, 2021
6:00 p.m.

This meeting was exclusively through teleconference means,
in accordance with Emergency Directives issued by Governor Sisolak

PUBLIC NOTICE:

**** This meeting will be held via TELECONFERENCE ONLY, pursuant to Section 1 of the DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY DIRECTIVE 006 ("DIRECTIVE 006") issued by the State of Nevada Executive Department and as extended by Directives 016, 018, 021, 026, and 029. There will be no physical location for this meeting****

Public Comment by pre-submitted email/written form, only, is available after roll call (beginning of meeting); **Live Public Comment by teleconference** is available prior to adjournment (end of meeting). Live Public Comment is limited to three (3) minutes for each individual.

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Note: Asterisks (*) "**For Possible Action**" denotes items on which the Board may take action.

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

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1. Call to Order

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60 Chairman Moore called the meeting to order at approximately 6:06 p.m. Mr. Frank DiMaggio
61 conducted the following roll call:
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Anesthesia Committee Roll Call:	
Dr. D. Kevin Moore (Chair)	PRESENT
Dr. Ron West	PRESENT
Dr. W. Todd Thompson	PRESENT

Anesthesia Sub-Committee Roll Call:	
Dr. D. Kevin Moore (Chair)	PRESENT
Dr. Brendan Johnson	PRESENT
Dr. Amanda Okundaye	PRESENT
Dr. Edward Gray	PRESENT
Dr. Jade Miller	PRESENT
Dr. Joshua Saxe	PRESENT
Dr. Ted Twesme	EXCUSED
Dr. Tomas Kutansky	EXCUSED

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2. **Public Comment (By pre-submitted email/written form):** 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 (3) 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.

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99 Mr. DiMaggio read a statement into the record regarding public comment.

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- *3. **Chairman's Report:** D. Kevin Moore, DDS (For Possible Action)

- (a) **Request to remove agenda item(s)** (For Possible Action)

No requests were made.

- (b) **Approve Agenda** (For Possible Action)

MOTION: Committee Member West moved to approve the agenda. Committee Member Thompson seconded the motion. All in favor, motion passed.

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*Old Business: (For Possible Action)

118 ***4. Discussion, review, and consideration of the Dental IV Sedation Certification Program**
 119 **offered through the Academy of Dental and Medical Anesthesia (ADMA) to make**
 120 **recommendations on whether it satisfies program requirements for a moderate sedation (on**
 121 **patients 13 years of age & older) administering permit for possible reinstatement of their prior**
 122 **Board approval [by combined Anesthesia Sub-Committee and Anesthesia Committee] –**
 123 **NAC 631.2213(2)(a)(1)** (For Possible Action) - Dr. Moore
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125 ***a. Discussion and recommendations [by the Anesthesia Committee] regarding**
 126 **agenda item (4) to present to the Full Board** (For Possible Action)
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128 Committee Member Moore asked to go into closed session pursuant to NRS 241.030.
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130 MOTION: Committee Member West motioned to go in to closed session at approximately
 131 6:14 p.m. Committee Member Thompson seconded the motion. All were in
 132 favor, motion passed.
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134 MOTION: Committee Member Thompson motioned to return to open session at
 135 approximately 6:58 p.m. Committee Member Moore seconded the motion. All
 136 were in favor, motion passed.
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138 Mr. DiMaggio conducted Roll call to re-establish a quorum:
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Anesthesia Committee Roll Call:	
Dr. D. Kevin Moore(Chair)	PRESENT
Dr. Ron West	PRESENT
Dr. W. Todd Thompson	PRESENT

Anesthesia Sub-Committee Roll Call:	
Dr. D. Kevin Moore(Chair)	PRESENT
Dr. Brendan Johnson	PRESENT
Dr. Amanda Okundaye	PRESENT
Dr. Edward Gray	PRESENT
Dr. Jade Miller	PRESENT
Dr. Joshua Saxe	PRESENT
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 142 MOTION: Committee Member Moore moved to recommend that the Board deny the
 143 ADMA's Dental IV Sedation Certification Program request to reinstate approval of
 144 their program. Committee Member West seconded the motion. All were in
 145 favor, motion passed.
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150 Committee Member Moore noted that some Committee Members needed to leave at 7:00 p.m.,
 151 however, he asked that they review what was left to discuss on the agenda prior to tabling these
 152 items and adjourning.
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155 ***New Business:** (For Possible Action)
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160 ***5. Discussion and consideration of possible revision(s) to the current Anesthesia Algorithms for**
 161 **simulated emergencies [by Anesthesia Sub-Committee and Anesthesia Committee]**
 162 **– NAC 631.2225** (For Possible Action)
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166 ***a. Discussion and recommendations by the [Anesthesia Committee] of the possible**
 167 **revision(s) to the current Anesthesia Algorithms for simulated emergencies to**
 168 **present to the Full Board** (For Possible Action)
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170 Committee Member Moore commented that the Nevada Administrative Codes (NAC) sets forth
 171 what the Board is required to implement. He further commented that if there is a specific algorithm
 172 the committee and subcommittee members believe should be permanent, then it would behoove

173 them to permanently add it to the regulations.
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176 ***6. Reconsideration, Discussion, and Recommendations of possible revision(s) to the Current**
177 **Anesthesia Evaluation/Inspection Forms [by the Anesthesia Sub-Committee and**
178 **Anesthesia Committee] – NAC 631.2227 & NAC 631.2231 (For Possible Action)**
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- 180 i) Moderate Sedation
- 181 ii) General Anesthesia

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183 ***a. Discussion and recommendation [by the Anesthesia Committee] of the possible**
184 **revision(s) to the current Anesthesia/Inspection forms to present to the Full Board**
185 **(For Possible Action)**
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187 Committee Member Moore went over purpose of this agenda item and that any changes made to
188 the regulations, should be reflected in the evaluation/inspection forms, as well.
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191 ***7. Discussion and consideration of possible revision(s) to the current Anesthesia Evaluation**
192 **process [by Anesthesia Sub-Committee and Anesthesia Committee] - NRS 631.265 & NAC**
193 **631.2211 – NAC 631.2256 (For Possible Action)**
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196 ***a. Discussion and recommendations by the [Anesthesia Committee] of the possible**
197 **revision(s) to the current Anesthesia Evaluation process to present to the Full**
198 **Board (For Possible Action)**
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200 Committee Member Moore stated that Subcommittee Member Twesme and another
201 subcommittee or Committee Member had previously questioned if it was truly necessary for
202 evaluators to physically visit the offices that required inspections and that, perhaps, the Committee
203 and Subcommittee could explore virtual options to conduct evaluations/inspections. He noted
204 that if there were any recommended modifications to the process, it would need to be presented
205 to the Board for consideration and approval.
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208 **8. Discussion if active Nevada licensed MD anesthesiologists and/or Certified Registered**
209 **Nurse Anesthetists may administer moderate sedation and/or general anesthesia in a**
210 **dental facility permitted by the Nevada State Dental Board – NRS 631.265 & NAC 631.224**
211 **(For Informative Purposes Only)**
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213 Committee Member Moore spoke in regards to the disconnection in language between NRS
214 631.265 and NAC 631.224, and noted the concern for public safety.
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216 Committee Member Moore tabled agenda items (5) through (8) for discussion at a future meeting.
217 He stated that a quorum will be sent for a future meeting to start at 6:00 p.m. and please allocate
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231 **9. Public Comment (Live public comment by teleconference): This public comment period is for**

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Mr. DiMaggio read a statement into the record.

There was no public comment.


10. Announcements

No announcements were made.

***11. Adjournment** (For Possible Action)

Committee Member Moore called for a motion to adjourn.

MOTION: Committee Member West motioned to adjourn the meeting at approximately 7:08 p.m.
Committee Member Thompson seconded the motion. All were in favor, motion passed.

Respectfully submitted by:

Frank DiMaggio, Executive Director