

Board of Dental Examiners
161 Capitol Street – Conference Room
9:00 a.m. – March 19, 2010
Agenda

Action Items:

1. Minutes (February 19, 2010 Board Minutes)
2. Secretary/Treasurer's Report
3. Correspondence
4. **President's Desk**
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6. Old Business
7. Case Milestone Report
8. **Dental Hygiene Sub-Committee Update**
9. **Denturist Sub-Committee Update**

Combined Interviews Scheduled:

10. 9:00 a.m. – Interview for IPDH licensure w/Elizabeth Doherty, RDH

Meetings Scheduled:

11. 9:30 a.m. – Meeting w/MDA concerning complaint process (½ hour)

Interviews Scheduled:

12. **1:45 p.m.** – Interview w/Jennifer MacDonald, RAD Reinstatement (FTR 08/31/04)
13. **2:00 p.m.** – Interview w/Nicole Desmond, RAD Reinstatement (FTR 05/31/06)
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Additional Action Items:

15. E-mail from Ellen McLaughlin, Investigator, SafeGuard Services LLC, Medicare Integrity Program re: dentists and oral surgeons performing services on areas outside of the mouth
16. Response to Board Inquiry from RA, DDS
17. Note from CS, DMD re: unauthorized use of DEA number
18. Letter from Lawrence S. Singer, DDS re: additional extension needed for CE's (***now complete***)
19. E-mail from Cathryn Stratton, MPHP Administrative Director re: Documents requested by the Board
20. Letter from Molly Nadler, Executive Director, AADB re: 'Nominee's for Citizen of the Year' award
21. E-mail from Meredith Davis, DMD re: Nitrous Oxide Monitoring
22. Letter from anonymous correspondent re: false advertising and insurance (e.g. Aspen Dental-Bangor)
23. Draft Application for Dental Resident Permit
24. Draft Letter to Dr. Pier re: status of rule change concerning 3 live patients
25. Angela Estes, RDH request for assistance in obtaining a supervising dentist for PHS status
26. Sabrina Toye, RDH request for assistance from dental community in locating dentists to provide dental services in PHS settings (e.g. nursing homes)
27. Letter from Edward E. Lancaster, III, DMD re: CE audit
28. Memo from Philip W. Higgins, Jr., DMD re: LD 1608
29. E-mail from Deborah Vallance re: Dental Coverage Question
30. Request from Downeast Health Services for Temporary Dental Permit for John Bruce, IV, DDS & ***Sonali Patel, DDS***
31. ***E-mail from Robert Schaedel, DMD/C.S.Maller, DMD re: Moderate Sedation question***

FYI'S:

- A. Regulatory Compliance Made Easy for ME Dentists-CE course (Postcard)
- B. E-mail from Joyce Turcotte of Professional Learning Service re: Dental CEU's
- C. E-mail from Doug Dunbar, PFR re: LD 1551, "An Act to Further Regulate the Communications of Members of Public Bodies
- D. Letter from Robert Lundin, DMD re: Pain Management Medication Monitoring
- E. E-memo from ADA re: Revised ADA CERP Standards and Eligibility Criteria Approved
- F. Press Release(s) from the Governor's Press Office:
 - 'Business Leaders Across the State Meet at Governor's Job Summit'
 - 'Governor Baldacci to Receive Public Health Award from American Medical Association'
- G. Response to Licensee re: MBDE Public Member
- H. Letter from Loretta B. and Donald T. Hughes re: notice to all states where Allcare Dental and Dentures are licensed to do business
- I. Summary of LD 1798, "An Act to Authorize a General Fund Bond Issue to Create Access to Dental Care Throughout the State"
- J. Kennebec Journal Article, "Proposals Seek Dental Care for Youngest"
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- L. Letter to R.T., DMD from Margaret Palmer, PhD re: participation/completion of MMPHP
- M. E-mail from Thomas Merrill re: Next Regulatory Fairness Board Meeting
- Mc. Notice of Rule Making Meeting Chapter 21 – Joint Rule
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Board Complaints:

- O. Complaint 08-07 (CO – Dr. Moyer/the Board) FYI-Follow up
- P. Complaint 09-21 (CO – Dr. Higgins)
- Q. Complaint 09-49 (CO – Dr. Moyer)
- R. Complaint 09-52 (CO – Dr. Moyer) and Dental License Renewal
- S. Complaint 10-01 (CO – Dr. Moyer)
- T. Complaint 10-02 (CO – Dr. Moyer)
- U. Complaint 10-03 (CO – Dr. Cohen)
- V. Complaint 10-04 (CO – Dr. Moyer)
- W. Complaint 09-42 Follow-Up (CO-Dr. Higgins)
- X. ***Complaint 09-45 (CO-Dr. Cohen) Review Draft Follow Up Letters***