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MICHIGAN BOARD OF DENTISTRY

AUGUST 11, 2022, MEETING

APPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Dentistry met on August 11, 2022, at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Room 3, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

CALL TO ORDER

Mark Johnston, DDS, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Mark Johnston, DDS, Chairperson
Irene Tseng, DDS, Vice Chairperson
Lori Barnhart, RDA
Cheryl Bentley, RDH
Fonda Brewer, Public Member
Deborah Brown, DMD
Raymond DeWitt, Ed.D., Public Member
Jennifer Fuller, DDS (10:20 arrival)
Cynthia McCants, Public Member
Martha Morgan, RDH
Craig Spangler, DDS
Dawn Marie Strehl, RDH
Kristi Thomas, DDS, MPH
Kathleen Weber, CDA, RDA, BAS
Hassan Yehia, DDS

Members Absent: Janet Kinney, RDH, MS
Vaijanthi Oza, DDS
Edward Sarkisian, DDS
Mamnoon Siddiqui, DDS, MS

Staff Present: Laury Brown, Senior Analyst, Compliance Section
Andria Ditschman, Departmental Specialist,
Boards and Committees Section
Bridget Smith, Assistant Attorney General
LeAnn Payne, Board Support Technician,
Boards and Committees Section

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by DeWitt, seconded by Weber, to approve the agenda, as presented.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION by Brown, seconded by Thomas, to approve the minutes from June 9, 2022, as written.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

REGULATORY MATTERS

None

OLD BUSINESS

None

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Continuing Education Committee

Barnhart presented the continuing education list (Attachment 1).

MOTION by Spangler, seconded by Brewer, to approve the Continuing Education list, as presented.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Board Review Panel

Thomas reported that 11 files were reviewed, 8 authorized for investigation, and 4 closed. She stated that authorized investigations are down 4% from August 2021.

Credentials Review

No report.

RDA Committee

No Report.

RDH Committee

No report.

Rules Committee

Ditschman explained the public hearing process for the rules.

PA 161 Update

Erin Suddeth, RDH, BS, MPA, with MDHHS-Oral Health, reported that they currently have 50 programs including 106 supervising dentists, 109 dental hygienists, and 139 dental assistants.

Disciplinary Subcommittee

Brewer provided a summary of the Disciplinary Subcommittee (DSC) Agenda. She stated that the DSC was excited to start meeting at 8:30 a.m., prior to the start of the full board and the meeting was 21 minutes long.

Brewer stated that the DSC met on August 11, 2022, they reviewed 4 consent orders and stipulations, and 1 Proposal for Decision

Ad Hoc Committee on Anesthesia

No report.

NEW BUSINESS

Elections

Ditschman ran the elections for chairperson and vice chairperson.

MOTION by Thomas, seconded by Brown, to nominate Tseng, as chairperson.

MOTION by Spangler, seconded by Morgan, to nominate Sarkisian, as chairperson.

A roll call vote was held:

Tseng: Barnhart, Bentley, Brewer, Brown, DeWitt, Fuller
Johnston, McCants, Morgan, Strehl, Thomas,
Tseng, Weber, Yehia

Sarkisian: Spangler

MOTION PREVAILED for Tseng as chairperson.

MOTION by Tseng, seconded by Brewer, to nominate Thomas as vice chairperson.

MOTION by Morgan, seconded by Dewitt, to nominate Sarkisian as vice chairperson.

Johnston recused himself from the vice chairperson vote.

A roll call vote was held:

Thomas: Barnhart, Bentley, Brewer, Brown, Fuller, McCants
Morgan, Strehl, Thomas, Tseng, Weber, Yehia

Sarkisian: Dewitt, Morgan, Spangler

Committee Assignments

Committee assignments will be assigned via email.

Johnston presented Barnhart with a resolution and thanked her for her service on the Board of Dentistry.

2023 Public Notice

The Board was given the 2023 Public Notice.

Chair Report

Johnston informed the board he would like to review the results from CDCA testing from the last 12 months.

Johnston stated that he just returned from the annual ADEX meeting. He informed the board that there was a need for a Michigan RDH on the RDH Committee. There are about 3 zoom meetings per year.

Johnston would like board members to discuss what should be included in an ethics/jurisprudence/delegation of duties continuing education course. He is concerned that there are courses on ethics/jurisprudence/delegation of duties that are not educating licensees as intended by the board.

Department Update

Ditschman stated that the bureau will hold the next board member training on August 15, 2022, via Zoom. All board members are welcome to attend.

Ditschman stated that recent legislation passed, requiring that board meetings be recorded. She stated that the board will need to be mindful of remote attendees and make sure to speak loudly and clearly.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Dewitt thanked Johnston for his time as chairperson of the board.

Heather Beavers stated the Interstate compact has 10 states and they are holding webinars regarding this issue. She will email the information to the department.

Misty Davis from the Michigan Primary Care Association addressed the board regarding dental therapy.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held October 13, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Center Room 3, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Dewitt, seconded by Barnhart, to adjourn the meeting at 10:24 a.m.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on: October 13, 2022

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Prepared by:
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Bureau of Professional Licensing

August 16, 2022

DENTISTRY CONTINUING EDUCATION REVIEW

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RECOMMENDED NEW APPROVAL(S):

Approval for August 11, 2022 through August 31, 2025.

*Each program listed under the sponsor name will be given a separate approval number.

Great Lakes Bay Dental Hygienists' Association

- Oh, My Ache'n Back (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants) for 2 hours
- Poor Oral Health and Cognitive Decline (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants) for 2 hours
- Limiting Patient/Employee Health Risks through Standard Precautions (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants, dental therapists) for 2 hours

Masri Orthodontics

- Wilchidontics, the accelerated orthodontics (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants, dental therapists) for 2 hours
- The use of Mini implant as adjunct to anchorage in orthodontic treatment (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants) for 2 hours
- Early Treatment orthodontics for you and me (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants) for 2 hours
- Current Trends in Orthodontics (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants) for 2 hours
- Incognito The Lingual braces that work (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants) for 2 hours
- The Biology and Psychology behind the increase demand for self ligation bracket system (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants) for 2 hours

South Central District Dental Hygienists Association

- Dental Implants; Design, Care, and Maintenance (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants) for 2 hours
- Dental Anesthesia Review For Dental Professionals (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants) for 2 hours

Center for Oral Surgery & Dental Implants

- Lumps, Bumps, Odontogenic Oddities: A Clinico-Pathologic Review (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants) for 4 hours

RECOMMENDED APPROVAL(S) ON AMENDMENTS:

None

RECOMMENDED VOLUNTEER APPROVAL(S):

Approval for August 11, 2022 through August 31, 2026.

Care Free Dental Clinic Inc.

RECOMMENDED DENIAL(S):

Great Lakes Bay Dental Hygienists' Association

- Self-Defense – Be ready to protect yourself (dentists, dental hygienists, dental assistants, dental therapists) for 2 hours