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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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**DENTAL QUALITY ASSURANCE COMMISSION
BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA**

DATE: Friday, September 7, 2018

TIME: 9:30 a.m.

LOCATION: Department of Health
Point Plaza East Rm 152/153
310 Israel Rd. SE
Tumwater, WA 98501

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OPEN SESSION – 9:30 a.m.

1. CALL TO ORDER – John Liu, D.D.S., Chairperson

- 1.1. Introductions
- 1.2. Approval of Business Meeting Agenda
- 1.3. Approval of the July 13, 2018 Business Meeting Minutes

2. RULE HEARING

The commission will consider public comment and the adoption of proposed new sections and changes to existing rule that will establish requirements and standards for prescribing opioid drugs by dentists filed as WSR 18-15-056 on July 16, 2018.

3. PRESENTATION

Dr. David Carsten will provide information to the commission regarding the Dental Licensure Objective Structured Clinical Examination (DLOSCE).

4. INFECTION CONTROL COMMITTEE

- 4.1. Committee meeting held on September 7, 2018 – Dr. Carsten
- 4.2. The commission will discuss and consider approval of modifications to WAC 246-817-601 through 660 Infection control requirements proposed rules.

5. CONTINUING COMPETENCY COMMITTEE

Committee meeting held on August 16, 2018 – Dr. Richman

6. CORRESPONDENCE

The commission will review correspondence received:

- 6.1. Letter dated May 18, 2018 from Washington State Dental Association regarding Delta Dental of Washington member dentist agreement.
- 6.2. Email dated June 25, 2018 from Terre Harris, Harrisbiomedical regarding the interpretation of WAC 246-817-310 record retention of six years from the date of the last treatment.
- 6.3. Copy of response to Dr. Deborah Ray regarding the current non-acceptance of the Southern Regional Testing Agency (SRTA) clinical examination.
- 6.4. Copy of response to Sarah Sharples regarding delegation of applying teeth whitening agents.

7. OTHER

- 7.1. Joint Commission on National Dental Examination – The commission will discuss change in national dental examination.

- 7.2. The commission will consider a request from the Seattle-King County Dental Society and Foundation for Dr. Walia to participate in a dental compliance discussion as a representative of the commission.
- 7.3. Citizen Advocacy Center Annual meeting October 16-17, Washington, DC – The commission will consider attending.
- 7.4. Oregon Board of Dentistry presentation on August 24, 2018 – Dr. Carsten
- 7.5. Board and Commission Leadership meeting July 25, 2018 – Dr. McClellan
- 7.6. New Member Orientation August 15, 2018 – Dr. Bass.

8. RULES

- 8.1. WAC 246-817-550 Dental hygienist general supervision.
 - The commission will discuss comments received.
 - The commission will consider approval of proposed rule modifications.
- 8.2. WAC 246-817-420 Specialty representation – Update
- 8.3. WAC 246-817-701 through 790 Administration of anesthetics for dental procedures – Update
- 8.4. The commission will receive an update on rules in progress and list of priorities for rule modifications.

9. PUBLIC DISCLOSURE

The commission will consider requests to be approved professional associations or educational organization to receive list and labels:

- Dental Hygienists & Dentists of America
- Washington Dental Hygienists' Association

10. PROGRAM REPORT – Tracie Drake, Jennifer Santiago, and Trina Crawford

- 10.1. Interim Operating Budget report
- 10.2. The commission will consider rescheduling a presentation from the College of Dental Surgeons of British Columbia at a 2019 business meeting in Bellingham, WA.
- 10.3. Stipulation to Informal Disposition (STID) release process
- 10.4. List of Active Committees

11. REGIONAL BOARD UPDATES

Central Regional Dental Testing Services, Inc. (CRDTS)

- Annual meeting August 24-25, 2018– Dr. McClellan

12. FUTURE COMMISSION BUSINESS

The commission will discuss any future business topics.

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Department of Health

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