



STATE OF WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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**DENTAL QUALITY ASSURANCE COMMISSION
BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA**

DATE: Friday, December 6, 2019

TIME: 9:30 a.m.

LOCATION: Department of Health
Town Center East 2
111 Israel Rd. SE
Tumwater, WA 98501

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OPEN SESSION – 9:30 a.m.

1. CALL TO ORDER – Julia Richman, D.D.S., Chairperson

- 1.1. Introductions
- 1.2. Approval of Business Meeting Agenda
- 1.3. Approval of the October 25, 2019 Business Meeting Minutes
- 1.4. Approval of the October 24, 2019 Training Retreat Minutes

2. RULES HEARING – 9:35 a.m.

The commission will consider public comment and the adoption of proposed rule modifications for WAC 246-817-907 Patient notification, secure storage, and disposal filed as WSR 19-21-135 on October 21, 2019.

3. EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH COMMITTEE

- 3.1. Committee meeting held November 21, 2019 – Dr. Stevens
- 3.2. The commission will receive a copy of the November 2019 newsletter.

4. DENTAL CONTINUING COMPETENCY COMMITTEE

The commission will discuss proposed rule WAC 246-817-420 Specialty representation drafted by the committee.

5. DENTAL ANESTHESIA COMMITTEE

- 5.1. Committee meeting held December 6, 2019 – Dr. Liu
- 5.2. WAC 246-817-701 through 790 Administration of anesthetics for dental procedures – Update

6. PUBLIC DISCLOSURE

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

- Oregon Dental Association

7. OTHER

- 7.1. The commission will review for approval a request from Gary Heyamoto, DDS Washington AGD to be an approved organization providing continuing education for out of state licensed dentists in Washington State.
- 7.2. The commission will determine representatives to participate in weekly legislative meet me calls during the 2020 legislative session.
- 7.3. The commission will discuss a notice provided by the Commission on Dental Accreditation related to the first international pre-doctoral dental education program accredited.

8. CORRESPONDENCE

- 8.1. The commission will consider a request from Dr. Gary Bell dated November 3, 2019 to provide a statement related to releasing dental records to law enforcement when appropriate.
- 8.2. The commission will discuss an email from Dr. Todd Cooper dated November 15, 2020 regarding definition of dentistry, RCW 18.32.020 and the recently rescinded interpretive statement on the use of botulinum toxin injections and dermal fillers.
- 8.3. The commission will discuss a letter from Dr. Charles Hall dated November 18, 2019 regarding definition of dentistry, RCW 18.32.020.

9. RULES

- 9.1. WAC 246-817-601 through 660 dental infection control - Update
- 9.2. The commission will review for comment Pharmacy Quality Assurance Commission proposed rules, Chapter 246-945, 246-950, 246-955, and 246-960 WAC.
- 9.3. The commission will receive an update on rules in progress and list of priorities for rule modifications.

10. PROGRAM REPORT – Becky McElhiney, Jennifer Santiago, and Trina Crawford

- 10.1. Budget Report
- 10.2. Commission meeting dates 2019 and 2020
- 10.3. The commission will consider for approval holding the April 17, 2020 meeting in Bellingham, WA.
- 10.4. List of Active Committees

11. REGIONAL BOARD UPDATES

- 11.1. Western Regional Examining Board Dental Examination Review Board meeting November 8, 2019 – Dr. Bass
- 11.2. Western Regional Examining Board Administrators meeting November 7, 2019 – Jennifer Santiago

12. FUTURE COMMISSION BUSINESS

The commission will discuss any future business topics.

Directions to:

Department of Health
111 Israel Rd SE
Tumwater, WA 98501

I-5 South – Take Exit 101, Tumwater Boulevard
Turn left at the light onto Tumwater Boulevard.

I-5 North – Take Exit 101, Tumwater Boulevard (Stay in right hand lane).
Turn right at the stop sign, onto Tumwater Boulevard.

Go to second traffic light and turn left on Capitol Boulevard.

Move to right lane, turn right on Israel Road.

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