

# STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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# DENTAL QUALITY ASSURANCE COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA

DATE: Friday, March 11, 2022

TIME: 8:30 a.m.

LOCATION: Webinar

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Times and Order: The meeting will commence at 8:30 a.m. on March 11, 2022 and continue until agenda items are completed. Agenda is subject to change.

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#### OPEN SESSION - 8:30 a.m.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER Dr. David Carsten, D.D.S., Chairperson
  - 1.1. Introduction of commission members and staff
  - 1.2. Approval of agenda
  - 1.3. Approval of the January 21, 2022 business meeting minutes
- 2. CENTRAL REGIONAL DENTAL TESTING SERVICE, INC. (CRDTS) Richael Cobler, CRDTS Executive Director and Dr. Mark Edwards, CRDTS Director of Dental Examinations will present information regarding updates to the CRDTS dental examination and other CRDTS topics of interest.

#### 3. RULES

- 3.1. WAC 246-817-581 Novel coronavirus disease 2019 vaccination
  - CR-103E withdrawn on January 21, 2022 as WSR #22-04-009
- 3.2. WAC 246-817-195 License requirements for expanded functions dental auxiliaries
  - CR-101 withdrawn on February 22, 2022 as WSR #22-06-022

#### 4. DENTAL ANESTHESIA COMMITTEE

4.1. The commission will consider for approval proposed rule language for WAC 246-817-701 – 790 Administration of Anesthetic Agents for Dental Procedures. – Dr. Marsh

#### 5. OTHER

5.1. Dental Quality Assurance Commission name change discussion – Dr. Marsh and Dr. Carsten

#### 6. CORRESPONDENCE

- 6.1. The commission will discuss an email dated December 15, 2021 from Dr. Joshua L. Taff regarding practice locations as noted in RCW 18.32.190.
- 6.2. The commission will discuss an email dated January 16, 2022 from Dr. Victor Barry regarding dental unit water line testing.
- 6.3. The commission will discuss a follow-up letter dated January 27, 2022 from Dr. George K. Merijohn regarding the commission's decision not to open rules for dental unit water line testing.
- 6.4. The commission will discuss a letter dated January 28, 2022 from Emily Lovell, Director of Government Affairs at the Washington State Dental Association regarding infection prevention training frequency as required in WAC 246-817-615.
- 6.5. The commission will discuss correspondence dated March 1, 2022 from Dr. Ebrahim Mirjalili regarding opioid prescribing.

#### 7. PUBLIC DISCLOSURE

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

7.1. DOCS Education

#### 8. PROGRAM REPORT

- 8.1. Program Staffing Changes Update Bruce Bronoske, Jr.
- 8.2. Preventing Transmission of COVID-19 in Dental Offices Bruce Bronoske, Jr.

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8.3. Discipline process improvement – Trina Crawford, Executive Director and Bill Kellington, Supervising Staff Attorney will discuss improvements it the way agreed orders and stipulations to informal disposition will be processed.

#### 9. ADJOURN

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