



Arizona Medical Board

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NOTICE & AGENDA FOR REGULAR SESSION MEETING Scheduled to begin at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday, August 2, 2023 1740 W. Adams St., Board Room A • Phoenix, Arizona

Notice is hereby given to the general public and to the members of the Arizona Medical Board (Board), that the Board will hold a regular meeting open to the public at the Board's offices located at **1740 W. Adams St., Suite 4000, Phoenix, Arizona**. A.R.S. § 38-431.02. The Board, upon a majority vote of a quorum of the members, may hold an *Executive Session* on any of the listed agenda items to obtain legal advice. A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3). The Board may vote to go into *Executive Session* to discuss and consider records exempt by law from public inspection, including the receipt and discussion of information or testimony that is confidential by State or Federal law on agenda items G through N pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(2).

The Board reserves the right to change the order of items on the agenda, except for matters set for a specific time. The formal interviews are scheduled to be heard during specific time blocks. However, the Chairman of the Board reserves the right to call cases in random order. Please note that the recommendations listed on the agenda are merely suggested Board actions. These recommendations do not become final until adopted by the Board. The Board has the authority to accept, reject or modify any recommendation listed on the agenda.

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THE BOARD WILL CONSIDER, DISCUSS AND MAY TAKE ACTION ON ANY AGENDA ITEM

Board Members

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please contact the Board Coordinator at (480) 551-2734.

Wednesday, August 2, 2023

GENERAL BUSINESS

A. CALL TO ORDER – 8:00 a.m.

R. Screven Farmer, M.D., Chair

B. ROLL CALL

Lois E. Krahn, M.D., Secretary

C. PUBLIC STATEMENTS REGARDING MATTERS LISTED ON THE AGENDA – 8:00 a.m.

This item will be limited to items on the agenda. Those wishing to address the Board need not request permission in advance; however, the Board may limit the number of speakers to three (3) per side on any one agenda item.

D. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Patricia E. McSorley, Executive Director

- Review, Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Reports Due on September 1, 2023
 - AMB Annual Report
 - AMB Strategic Plan
 - AMB FY2025 Request for Additional Appropriation
- Review, Discussion and Possible Action of Draft Five Year Review Report for Article 5 (Executive Director Duties)
- Discussion Regarding AMB Meeting Calendar for 2024

E. CHAIR'S REPORT

R. Screven Farmer, M.D., Chair

- Discussion Regarding Education for Board Members

F. LEGAL ADVISOR'S REPORT

Carrie Smith, Assistant Attorney General

G. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- May 3, 2023 Special Teleconference Meeting
- June 9, 2023 Regular Session Meeting; including Executive Session

CONSENT AGENDA

The Consent Agenda items may be considered for approval as a single action unless a Board member wishes to remove an item for discussion.

H. CASES RECOMMENDED FOR DISMISSAL

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following case(s).

1. MD-22-0580A, STEPHEN C. REMOLINA, M.D., LIC. #45477
Staff: Ms. Samaradellis, Dr. Vandenheede

I. CASES RECOMMENDED FOR ADVISORY LETTERS

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following case(s).

1. MD-22-0262A, REBECCA P. NARA, M.D., LIC. #32180
Staff: Ms. Dittlof, Dr. Ashby
2. MD-22-1001A, DAVID L. MCGAREY, M.D., LIC. #25297
Staff: Ms. Rivera. Dr. Ashby
3. MD-22-0583A, IVANA DZELETOVIC, M.D., LIC. #40607
Staff: Ms. Dittlof, Dr. Ashby

4. MD-22-0149A, FADI DEEB, M.D., LIC. #38120
Staff: Ms. Dittlof, Dr. McClain
5. MD-22-0951A, PRASAD S. RAVI, M.D., LIC. #53608
Staff: Ms. Migdal, Dr. Vandenheede

J. CASES RECOMMENDED FOR ADVISORY LETTERS WITH NON-DISCIPLINARY CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION ORDERS

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following case(s).

1. MD-22-0487A, JAMES C. CORD, M.D., LIC. #21540
Staff: Ms. Shepherd, Dr. Ashby
2. MD-22-0133A, PAUL M. PAPOFF, M.D., LIC. #14171
Staff: Ms. Samaradellis, Dr. Ashby
3. MD-22-0873A, KEVIN D. THOMAS, M.D., LIC. #65215
Staff: Ms. Samaradellis, Dr. Vandenheede
4. MD-22-0178A, RONALD S. D. SHILL, M.D., LIC. #31930
Staff: Ms. Dittlof, Dr. Vandenheede

K. REVIEW OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR DISMISSALS

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following case(s).

1. MD-22-0544A, BEN E. LEFF, M.D., LIC. #28302
Staff: Ms. Dittlof, Dr. Coffey

L. PROPOSED CONSENT AGREEMENTS (Disciplinary)

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following case(s).

1. MD-22-0649A, PADMAVATHY TUMMALA, M.D., LIC. #21393
Staff: Ms. Migdal, Dr. Haas
2. MD-21-0510A, MD-21-0825A, CHARLES B. EVANS, M.D., LIC. #37616
Staff: Ms. Faribourn, Dr. Haas
3. MD-20-0679A, DAVID C. CHANG, M.D., LIC. #59452
Staff: Ms. Downey
4. MD-22-0586A, KURT W. SPRUNGER, M.D., LIC. #37779
Staff: Ms. Rivera
5. MD-21-1124A, RAPLH T. HEAP, M.D., LIC. #11721
Staff: Ms. Pugh
6. MD-22-0504A, MD-22-0744A, MORTION I. HYSON, M.D., LIC. #49700
Staff: Ms. DesMarais

M. LICENSE APPLICATIONS

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following applications.

i. CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE OR DENY LICENSE APPLICATION, OR TAKE OTHER ACTION

1. MD-23-0066A, DAVID B. FOX, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Morey
2. MD-22-1061A, JONATHAN M. WADA, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Morey
3. MD-23-0058A, K. BRANDON STRENGE, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Morey
4. MD-22-1114A, LAUREN F. SCHWARTZ, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Morey
5. MD-23-0298A, ALISON SANDBERG, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Hart

6. MD-23-0014A, ALLAN M. SEIBERT, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Morey
7. MD-22-0235A, BETHANY R. LYNN, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Young
8. MD-23-0269A, TRACY G. SANSON, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Hart, Ms. Colafranceschi
9. MD-23-0291A, RICHARD A. WOLF, M.D., LIC. #N/A
Staff: Ms. Hart

ii. **CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE OR DENY LICENSE APPLICATION, OR TAKE OTHER ACTION WITH STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

1. THIS CASE HAS BEEN PULLED FROM THE AGENDA.

iii. **REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING LICENSE REACTIVATION, OR TAKE OTHER ACTION**

1. MD-22-1091A, MONTE J. SCHWARTZ, M.D., LIC. #33951
Staff: Ms. Young

END OF CONSENT AGENDA

OTHER BUSINESS

N. REQUEST FOR TERMINATION OF BOARD ORDER

The Board will review and may vote to take action on the following case(s).

1. MD-19-0342A, GAREY S. SIMMONDS, M.D., LIC. #23958
Staff: Ms. Fairbourn
2. MD-19-0151A, AARON T. SAUNDERS, M.D., LIC. #57930
Staff: Ms. DesMarais
3. MD-21-0171A, KRISTI L. HAROLD, M.D., LIC. #25967
Staff: Ms. DesMarais

O. GENERAL CALL TO THE PUBLIC

Those wishing to address the Board need not request permission in advance; however, the Board may limit those persons speaking during the "General Call to the Public" at three (3) per side on any one issue. A.R.S. § 38-431.01(H). The Board can only take action on matters listed on the agenda and other matters related thereto. A.R.S. § 38-431.02(H). If appropriate, actions on public comment matters that are not listed on the agenda will be limited to directing staff to study the matter or schedule the matter for further discussion at a later date. A.R.S. § 38-4301.01(H).

P. ADJOURNMENT



Patricia E. McSorley

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