

OHIO STATE DENTAL BOARD  
VIRTUAL BOARD MEETING

November 4, 2020

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## Attendance

The Ohio State Dental Board (Board) met via teleconference with the following Board members present:

Kumar Subramanian, D.D.S., President	Michele Carr, R.D.H.
Canise Bean, D.M.D., Vice President	Paul Kelley, D.D.S.
Timothy Kyger, D.D.S., Secretary	Jamillee Krob, R.D.H.
Andrew Zucker, D.D.S., Vice Secretary	Faisal A Quereshy, D.D.S., M.D.
Theodore Bauer, D.D.S.	Mary Kay Scaramucci, R.D.H.
Kathy Brisley-Sedon, D.D.S.	

Murali Lakireddy, D.D.S. was not in attendance due to a schedule conflict.

The following individuals were in attendance remotely: Katherine Bockbrader, Esq. of the Ohio Attorney General's Office. Staff consisted of Harry Kamdar, M.B.A., Executive Director, Zachary Russell, Deputy Director, and Malynda Franks, Administrative Professional of the Ohio State Dental Board.

## Call to Order

President Subramanian noted that there was a quorum present and called the meeting to order at 3:04 p.m. He then introduced himself as President of the Board and stated that the Board was holding this meeting remotely due to the COVID-19 pandemic. He requested that all phone-in attendees place their microphones on mute for the meeting and stated that all Board members would be voting via roll call except for such items as approval of the agenda and minutes, etc.

## Board Business

### Introductions

#### Board Members

President Subramanian welcomed those in attendance to the meeting and then introduced the rest of the Board members consisting of Canise Bean, D.M.D., Vice President, Timothy Kyger, D.D.S., Secretary, Andrew Zucker, D.D.S., Vice Secretary, Theodore Bauer, D.D.S., QUIP Coordinator, Kathy Brisley-Sedon, D.D.S., Michele Carr, R.D.H., Paul Kelley, D.D.S., Jamillee Krob, D.H.Ed., R.D.H., Faisal A. Quereshy, D.D.S., M.D., and Mary Kay Scaramucci, R.D.H. He stated that Murali Lakireddy, D.D.S. was not in attendance due to a schedule conflict.

### Approval of Agenda

President Subramanian asked if there was a motion to approve the agenda with the caveat to amend the agenda due to any extenuating circumstances.

*Motion by Dr. Krob, second by Dr. Bauer, to approve the November 4, 2020 Board meeting agenda as presented.*

Motion carried unanimously.

## Review of Board Meeting Minutes

### September 23, 2020 Meeting

President Subramanian informed the Board that the draft Minutes from the September 23, 2020 meeting had been provided to the members for review prior to the meeting. He then asked if there was a motion regarding the Minutes.

*Motion by Dr. Quereshy, second by Ms. Scaramucci, to approve the Board meeting minutes as presented.*

Motion carried unanimously.

## Action Items

### Supervisory Investigative Panel Expense Report

President Subramanian asked if, Dr. Kyger as Secretary and Dr. Zucker as Vice Secretary, attested to having spent at least twenty (20) hours per week attending to Board business. Dr. Kyger and Dr. Zucker affirmed that they had spent twenty (20) hours attending to Board business.

Director Kamdar indicated that there might be a problem with Dr. Kyger and Dr. Zucker's audio. He suggested they move on with the meeting and come back to the Supervisory Investigative Panel Expense Report once the audio issues are resolved.

## Enforcement

### Proposed Consent Agreement(s)

The Board reviewed four (4) proposed Consent Agreements. The names of the individuals/licensees were not included in the documents reviewed by the Board. The names of the individuals/licensees have been added to the minutes for public notice purposes. Deputy Director Russell provided a summary of the proposed Consent Agreements.

Deputy Director Russell provided a summary of the proposed consent agreements.

### Disciplinary

#### *Charles L. Butts, II, D.D.S.*

*Motion by Dr. Kelley, second by Dr. Bauer to approve the proposed consent agreement for Charles L Butts, II, D.D.S., license number 30.018745, and case number 20-02-1289.*

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
Dr. Bean – Yes  
Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
Ms. Carr – Yes  
Dr. Kelley – Yes  
Dr. Krob – Yes  
Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
Dr. Quereshy – Yes  
Ms. Scaramucci – Yes  
Dr. Subramanian – Yes  
Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

Director Kamdar indicated that Dr. Kyger and Dr. Zucker were still experiencing audio difficulties and that the motion carried through majority vote.

*Jenina V. Molina, R.D.H.*

*Motion by Dr. Bauer, second by Dr. Quereshy to approve the proposed consent agreement for Jenina V. Molina, R.D.H., license number 31.016529, and case number 20-77-1264.*

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
Dr. Bean – Yes  
Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
Ms. Carr – Yes  
Dr. Kelley – Yes  
Dr. Krob – Yes  
Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
Dr. Quereshy – Yes  
Ms. Scaramucci – Yes  
Dr. Subramanian – Yes  
Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

Director Kamdar indicated that the motion carried through majority vote.

Non-Disciplinary

*Shabnam Behdin, D.D.S.*

*Motion by Dr. Krob, second by Dr. Brisley-Sedon, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Shabnam Behdin, D.D.S., license number 30.026336.*

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
Dr. Bean – Yes  
Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
Ms. Carr – Yes  
Dr. Kelley – Yes  
Dr. Krob – Yes  
Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
Dr. Quereshy – Yes  
Ms. Scaramucci – Yes  
Dr. Subramanian – Yes  
Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

Director Kamdar indicated that the motion carried through majority vote.

*Li Zheng, D.D.S.*

*Motion by Dr. Kelley, second by Dr. Brisley-Sedon, to approve the proposed consent agreement for Li Zheng, D.D.S., license number 30.026335.*

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
Dr. Bean – Yes  
Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
Ms. Carr – Yes  
Dr. Kelley – Yes

Dr. Krob – Yes  
Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
Dr. Quereshy – Yes  
Ms. Scaramucci – Yes  
Dr. Subramanian – Yes  
Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

Director Kamdar indicated that the motion carried through majority vote.

#### Proposed Addendum to Consent Agreement(s)

Deputy Director Russell provided a summary of the proposed addendum to consent agreement.

#### *Natasha M. Diaz, EFDA, Radiographer*

*Motion by Dr. Krob, second by Dr. Brisley-Sedon, to approve the proposed addendum to consent agreement for Natasha M. Diaz, registration number EFDA.003355, certificate number 51.014566, and case number 20-47-1266.*

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
Dr. Bean – Yes  
Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
Ms. Carr – Yes  
Dr. Kelley – Yes  
Dr. Krob – Yes  
Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
Dr. Quereshy – Yes  
Ms. Scaramucci – Yes  
Dr. Subramanian – Yes  
Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

Director Kamdar indicated that the motion carried through majority vote.

#### Proposed Notice(s) of Opportunity for Hearing – To Be Rescinded

#### *Sabrina M. Angus, EFDA, Radiographer*

Deputy Director Russell explained that in March 2019, Ms. Sabrina Angus was issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing. On or around January 8, 2020, in the Court of Common Pleas, Union County, Ms. Angus pled guilty to Tampering with Records, a third-degree felony. During the last Board meeting in September, the Board voted to issue a new Notice of Opportunity for Hearing to include this most recent felony conviction. He stated that the members were being requested to RESCIND the original Notice of Opportunity dated March 6, 2019.

*Motion by Dr. Subramanian, second by Dr. Kelley, to approve the proposed notice of opportunity for hearing for Sabrina M. Angus, registration number EFDA.001629, certificate number 51.009623, and case number 19-40-1014.*

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
Dr. Bean – Yes  
Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
Ms. Carr – Yes  
Dr. Kelley – Yes  
Dr. Krob – Yes

- Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)
- Dr. Quereshy – Yes
- Ms. Scaramucci – Yes
- Dr. Subramanian – Yes
- Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

Director Kamdar indicated that the motion carried through majority vote.

Enforcement Update

Deputy Director Russell provided the Enforcement Update by informing the Board that there were six (6) cases pending hearing, two (2) of which has been continued indefinitely. He stated that there was one (1) case pending the Hearing Examiners Report and Recommendation. There are ten (10) licensees and certificate holders under current suspension, thirty-seven (37) licensees and certificate holders with older suspensions, and currently the Board has two-hundred and seventy-one (271) active cases. Deputy Director Russell said that there was one (1) referral to QUIP. He informed the members that thirty (30) cases have been reviewed by the Board Secretaries and are recommending they be closed at this time with four (4) warning letters having been issued. He noted that there are thirty (30) licensees currently on probation.

Deputy Director Russell indicated to the Board members the detail of one hundred and fifty-nine (159) cases being investigated by the Board that are over 90 days old by type and by age.

Due to the requirement in Chapter 4715.03(B) of the Ohio Revised Code, that "A concurrence of a majority of the members of the board shall be required to... ..(6) Dismiss any complaint filed with the board.", Deputy Director Russell reviewed the cases to be closed with the Board.

The following cases are to be closed:

19-43-1423	20-18-1211	20-31-1078 - WL
19-53-1475	20-18-1218	20-31-1152
20-12-1075	20-18-1219	20-31-1160
20-12-1226	20-18-1236	20-31-1189
20-15-1090	20-18-1238	20-47-1265
20-18-1109 - WL	20-23-1165	20-48-1156
20-18-1111 - WL	20-25-1099	20-60-1256
20-18-1112 - WL	20-25-1169	20-70-1120
20-18-1154	20-25-1180	20-78-1143
20-18-1159	20-29-1185	20-78-1209

Prior to the vote to close the above listed cases, Deputy Director Russell inquired as to whether any of the Board members had any personal knowledge that the cases that were being voted on today involved either themselves or a personal friend.

- Roll call:
- Dr. Bauer – No
  - Dr. Bean – No
  - Dr. Brisley-Sedon – No
  - Ms. Carr – No
  - Dr. Kelley – No
  - Dr. Krob – No



Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
 Dr. Quereshy – No  
 Ms. Scaramucci – No  
 Dr. Subramanian – No  
 Dr. Zucker – No response (audio issue)

Deputy Director Russell then called for a motion to close the cases.

*Motion by Dr. Subramanian, second by Dr. Quereshy, to close the above thirty (30) cases.*

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
 Dr. Bean – Yes  
 Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
 Ms. Carr – Yes  
 Dr. Kelley – Yes  
 Dr. Krob – Yes  
 Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
 Dr. Quereshy – Yes  
 Ms. Scaramucci – Yes  
 Dr. Subramanian – Yes  
 Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

Director Kamdar indicated that the motion carried through majority vote.

Deputy Director Russell then turned the meeting back over to President Subramanian.

## Licensure

President Subramanian stated that the Board’s Licensing Coordinator Samantha Slater had prepared a report of the licenses, certifications, and registrations that have been issued by the Board staff since reported at the regular meeting in September. He explained that before the Board was the listing of license, registration, and certification numbers of issuance by the Board staff for ratification by the Board.

### Dentist(s) – (14)

30.026318	John Ngo	30.026327	Michael West
30.026324	Michael Frankart	30.026328	Obaid Shah
30.026323	Ermias Workneh	30.026330	Andrew Daabous
30.026322	Aruna Khanal	30.026332	Chelsea Shellhart
30.026321	Kelsey Neal	30.026333	Trista Wyman
30.026325	David Oser	30.026331	Mostafa Alwakeel
30.026326	Suzanne Konieczkowski		

### Graduate(s) of Unaccredited Dental Colleges Located Outside the United States – (1)

30.026329	Surya Chakravarthy Pamulapati
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### Dental Hygienist(s) – (51)

31.016477	Nichole Wolske	31.016481	Amie Wolske
31.016482	Ben Gibbs	31.016480	Stephanie Proffitt
31.016479	Stephanie Franco	31.016478	Shelby Stocker

31.016483	Brittany Grove	31.016506	Rim Alqaini
31.016486	Haley Washington	31.016509	Brittany Pruitt
31.016485	Sarah Welker	31.016508	Nicole Willey
31.016490	Kayla Kunkel	31.016507	Nicole Kinsey
31.016489	Razan Amireh	31.016510	Cristyn Martin
31.016488	Jennifer Mcsherry	31.016511	Anna Meyer
31.016484	Amy Henry	31.016512	Madison Loy
31.016487	Francesca Day	31.016513	Carla Colantone
31.016494	Giovanna Pannelle	31.016514	Emily Shinkle
31.016493	Cami Jo Campbell	31.016518	Chandana Datti
31.016491	Brittany Anderson	31.016516	Debra Beckner
31.016492	Sarah Sutton	31.016519	Laxmi Regmi
31.016495	Megan Fisher	31.016521	Alison Schumacher
31.016496	Kelly Mullins	31.016520	Shannon Janosky
31.016504	Emily Cook	31.016515	Hannah Digiacomio
31.016501	Sarah Wayt	31.016517	Kara Pfeifer
31.016499	Estefania Coreno	31.016522	Justine Aguon
31.016505	Rachel Zaldona	31.016525	Nour Hijazeen
31.016502	Alexis Robinson	31.016524	Ramona Wade
31.016500	Kelsey Mcphail	31.016526	Sherri Brown
31.016503	Amanda Spicer	31.016523	Alyson Ellis
31.016498	Samantha Laborie	31.016527	Sadra Hoptley
31.016497	Allison Bauer		

#### Dental Assistant Radiographer(s) – (156)

51.036702	Sarah New	51.036721	Miguel Medrano
51.036706	Leslie Wilson	51.036722	Amanda Postel
51.036703	Charity Lord	51.036725	Ericka Spring
51.036705	Elida Lica	51.036724	Aubrey Lazzara
51.036701	Johanna Stallworth	51.036727	Marisa Zerrer
51.036700	Angela Lyogky	51.036726	Jasmine Harper
51.036704	Breeann Hall	51.036734	Amber Simpson
51.036710	Paij Holcomb	51.036732	Ahmad Halaiqa
51.036709	Elizabeth Litterini	51.036728	Tia Price
51.036707	Shayla Rosenogle	51.036729	Brianna Gregory
51.036708	Misty Mantz	51.036730	Kaitlyn Carver
51.036711	Alexis Buckingham	51.036731	Itisha Patel
51.036715	Taylor Sierocinski	51.036733	Sydney Davis
51.036714	Serina Ramirez	51.036735	Juliana Bourland
51.036713	Morgan Turner	51.036736	Matthew Morrison
51.036712	Shyanne Salyers	51.036737	Breanna Piatt
51.036716	Brynne Snyder	51.036738	Realyn Arevalo
51.036718	Holly Pryor	51.036743	Marquitta Lindsey
51.036717	Kaylin Erdmann	51.036744	Sara Strait
51.036719	Ravnet Randhawa	51.036739	Nicole Miller Rathburn
51.036720	Sarah Krumeich	51.036741	Rebeca Quinones
51.036723	Kelsey Stites	51.036740	Megan Stacy

51.036742	Erica Gamertsfelder	51.036801	Loretta Wysong
51.036745	Theresa Keivens	51.036800	Brittany Snyder
51.036747	Kendra Heskett	51.036796	Esther Kinya
51.036748	Keara Swanson	51.036798	Emma Arroyo
51.036749	Marshea Latimer	51.036793	Nicole O?Neal
51.036746	Bailey Lowrey	51.036794	Shantia Knox
51.036750	Emily Wilkinson	51.036795	Mazen Alaref
51.036754	Jennifer Monfort	51.036792	Areeba Tanvir
51.036752	Victor Velasquez	51.036797	Darius Lytle
51.036751	Amanda Byus	51.036799	Aanya Mallick
51.036753	Diamond Buck	51.036804	Alexis Hechtman
51.036755	Heather Gumz	51.036808	Hadeel Abu-Rayyan
51.036756	Alaina Wright	51.036810	Taylor Lauchard
51.036758	Benise Sims	51.036805	Sade Ward-Smith
51.036759	Ann Terhune	51.036802	Mackenzie South
51.036757	Brandi Hecktor	51.036806	Krista Compton
51.036761	Amber Traxler	51.036803	Allie Vance
51.036760	Esther Stookey	51.036809	Annieclifford Smith
51.036762	Rae?L Jordan	51.036807	Brittany Perry
51.036763	Amanda Atalig	51.036812	Paige Pfeiffer
51.036771	Paula Martin	51.036811	Carlotta Duskin
51.036782	Perla Sanchez	51.036813	Paige Martin
51.036777	Anna Reffey	51.036815	Emily Christian
51.036783	Tiffany Smith	51.036822	Mikailey Dietrick
51.036780	Melanie Murray	51.036823	Sarah Stierwalt
51.036764	Jenna Kurucz	51.036825	Nora Juckette
51.036765	Alexis Cox	51.036821	Gracie Robbins
51.036775	Megan Miller	51.036818	Isabel Ruth
51.036766	Chelsey Lobaugh	51.036820	Maryah Haskins
51.036781	Ezra Warwick	51.036817	Tanisha Corpening
51.036778	Katlin Mathias	51.036816	Brittany Dunson
51.036773	Maddison Myers-Friend	51.036824	Megan Ramsey
51.036772	Cheyenne Parker	51.036819	Shaun Bouwens
51.036776	Keely Billingham	51.036814	Brooklynn Burns
51.036767	Allyson Mcfarland	51.036831	Nicole Osborn
51.036770	Danisha Reyes	51.036829	Audrey Smith
51.036768	Courtney Cole	51.036827	Melissa Webb
51.036779	Stefanie Lamp	51.036828	Chieh Ming (Jimmy) Hsu
51.036774	Abigail Bryant	51.036826	Destinee Hutson
51.036769	Ariana Dukes	51.036830	Emily Haynes
51.036790	Matthew Finlaw	51.036834	Michael Brooks
51.036791	Margaret Jordan	51.036833	Katherine Werts
51.036788	Alanna Long	51.036835	Jessica Cherichetti
51.036784	Emily Hollett	51.036836	Tonya Donnelly
51.036789	Kimberly Miner	51.036832	Ricky Goff
51.036786	Erionna Ballard	51.036839	Heather Alspaugh
51.036785	Holly Vorwerk	51.036837	Sarah Wiant
51.036787	Jade Lapinsky	51.036838	Tabitha Ellis-Pickens

51.036840	Heather Rodgers	51.036850	Lacy Morrow
51.036843	Khadja Krir	51.036853	Madeline Opincar
51.036841	Vy Nguyen	51.036854	Caitlin Cina
51.036844	Kara Gunder	51.036849	Madison Furr
51.036842	Callie Scaggs	51.036847	Cynthia Mayne
51.036845	Ashleah Carpenter	51.036848	Riley Danler
51.036852	Stephanie McBride	51.036855	Eva Anguish
51.036851	Ashlyn Metz	TELE.000001	Bartosz Labeda
51.036846	Kristina Akovic		

#### Limited Continuing Education – (7)

LCE.000455	Jacob Saxton	LCE.000459	Charles Middleton
LCE.000456	Joseph Weber	LCE.000460	Mohammad Reshad
LCE.000457	Nina Khoshnevisrad	LCE.000461	Parks Alexander
LCE.000458	Marc Alber		

#### Limited Resident's – (1)

RES. 004296 Fares Jebran

#### Limited Teaching – (1)

71.000267 Joseph Helman

#### Expanded Function Dental Auxiliary – (32)

EFDA.003320	Madison Mcendree	EFDA.003336	Samantha Cook
EFDA.003321	Kyerston Miller	EFDA.003337	Shyla Hilleary
EFDA.003322	Taylor Sutherland	EFDA.003339	Nour Hijazeen
EFDA.003323	Catherine S Stabile	EFDA.003340	Ashley Gregory
EFDA.003324	Sarah Ballash	EFDA.003338	Katelyn Ross
EFDA.003325	Rebecca Madda	EFDA.003341	Irina Zlepko
EFDA.003326	Liliya Yakovets	EFDA.003343	Francesca Day
EFDA.003327	Cierra Harmon	EFDA.003345	Amber Miller
EFDA.003329	Megan Schobelock	EFDA.003342	Sade Ward-Smith
EFDA.003330	Bayley Iles	EFDA.003344	Nicole Lacroix
EFDA.003328	Mandi R Leben	EFDA.003346	Amber Auld
EFDA.003333	Kayla Swain	EFDA.003347	Chassiti Longworth
EFDA.003331	Starla Fitzgerald	EFDA.003348	Christopher Bleau
EFDA.003332	Olga Kotenko	EFDA.003349	Samantha Ratliff
EFDA.003335	Keyana Ward	EFDA.003350	Erika Antenori
EFDA.003334	Trinity Blubaugh	EFDA.003351	Kathleen Witmer

#### Coronal Polishing – (12)

CP.002265	Danielle Callery	CP.002271	Lacy Walton
CP.002266	Jasmine Harper	CP.002272	Cassandra Runyon
CP.002267	Sharon Krems	CP.002274	Alicia M Boisbelaud
CP.002269	Yi Hong	CP.002273	Amina Gaileh
CP.002268	Lisa Harden	CP.002276	Heather Rossi
CP.002270	Karla Chamorro Robles	CP.002275	Claudia Fortner

*Motion by Dr. Brisley-Sedon, second by Dr. Krob, to approve all licenses, registrations, and certifications as listed that have been issued since the September Board meeting.*

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
Dr. Bean – Yes  
Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
Ms. Carr – Yes  
Dr. Kelley – Yes  
Dr. Krob – Yes  
Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
Dr. Quereshy – Yes  
Ms. Scaramucci – Yes  
Dr. Subramanian – Yes  
Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

Director Kamdar indicated that the motion carried through majority vote.

#### General Anesthesia/Conscious Sedation Permit(s)

President Subramanian stated that the Board's Anesthesia Consultant, Gregory Ness, D.D.S., had reviewed the applications for the following individuals who applied for Anesthesia Permits. Evaluations were conducted, and the applicants have been recommended to receive Anesthesia Permits.

#### General Anesthesia

Dr. Wallace McLauren, Cincinnati, Ohio  
Dr. James Nall, West Chester, Ohio  
Dr. Paul Rollins, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio

*Motion by Dr. Quereshy, second by Dr. Bean, to approve the anesthesia and conscious sedation permits for the applicants as listed for the appropriate modalities.*

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
Dr. Bean – Yes  
Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
Ms. Carr – Yes  
Dr. Kelley – Yes  
Dr. Krob – Yes  
Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
Dr. Quereshy – Yes  
Ms. Scaramucci – Yes  
Dr. Subramanian – Yes  
Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

Director Kamdar indicated that the motion carried through majority vote.

#### Teledentistry Permit(s)

President Subramanian stated that the Board's Licensing Manager had reviewed one (1) application for teledentistry permit and recommended that the following individual be granted a permit.

### Dentist(s)

Dr. Timothy Edwards, Dublin, Ohio  
Dr. Scott Odell – No location at this time

*Motion by Ms. Carr, second by Dr. Bean, to approve the application for teledentistry permit for Dr. Labeda*

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
Dr. Bean – Yes  
Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
Ms. Carr – Yes  
Dr. Kelley – Yes  
Dr. Krob – Yes  
Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
Dr. Quereshy – Yes  
Ms. Scaramucci – Yes  
Dr. Subramanian – Yes  
Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

Director Kamdar indicated that the motion carried through majority vote.

### Reinstatement Application(s)

President Subramanian stated that the Board's Licensing Manager had reviewed and approved two (2) dental and two (2) dental hygiene applications and recommended that the Board ratify the reinstatement applications for the following:

### Dentist(s)

Shaherera Afzal, D.D.S.  
Alfred C. Uveges, D.D.S.

### Dental Hygienist(s)

Christa McVay, R.D.H.  
Kelly Moore, R.D.H.

*Motion by Ms. Scaramucci, second by Ms. Carr, to reinstate the licenses to practice dentistry and dental hygiene for the applicants as listed.*

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
Dr. Bean – Yes  
Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
Ms. Carr – Yes  
Dr. Kelley – Yes  
Dr. Krob – Yes  
Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
Dr. Quereshy – Yes  
Ms. Scaramucci – Yes  
Dr. Subramanian – Yes  
Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

Director Kamdar indicated that the motion carried through majority vote.

## Committee Reports

### Education

Dr. Bean informed the Board that the Education Committee met Wednesday, October 28, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. virtually via Skype for Business.

### Continuing Education Rules

Dr. Bean stated that following a welcome and introduction of members the first order of business was a review of the rules on continuing education:

4715-8-02 Sponsors of continuing education.

4715-8-03 Standards of approval of biennial sponsors.

4715-8-04 Continuing education requirements for renewal or reinstatement.

Dr. Bean informed the Board that the current version of these amended rules had already been drafted by the Education Committee, reviewed by the Board, were submitted and approved by the Office of Common Sense Initiative (CSI) for filing with the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (JCARR). Dr. Bean reminded the Board members that amendments made to OAC 4715-8-03 set a deadline of December 31, 2021 for Biennial Sponsor approval with the intent that the committee will no longer approve applications for sponsorship after that date. Committee discussions resulted in only editorial changes to the rules and not content. She stated that at this time, the Committee is requesting that the rules be filed to move the process along to the next step. The Committee recognizes there will be opportunity for public hearing and additional opportunity to make changes.

### Limited Continuing Education License – Clinical Course Approval for Out-of-State Participants

Dr. Bean stated the Committee discussed the guidelines for providers of clinical courses for out of state participants. This issue was brought to the Committee to develop a process for approval of practicums and to streamline the process that leads to issuance of the Limited Continuing Education License. There have been preliminary discussions during past Education Committee meetings regarding process or protocols. Dr. Bean stated that guidelines have been discussed but not fully developed. She stated that the decision was made to circulate the draft guidelines to the Committee members and ask them for further development. This request would include research into if there have been any complaints made about Limited Continuing Education License holders in the past and if there are any pitfalls associated with the current process that have led to the complaints.

### American Academy of Dental Hygiene Request for Permanent Sponsorship

Dr. Bean informed the Board that the next agenda item was discussion of the repeated request from the American Academy of Dental Hygiene to become a permanent sponsor. She indicated that in a review of the information provided by them and on their website, it was the consensus of the Committee that their organization does not offer the rigor of application the is comparable to the Academy of General Dentistry Program Approval for Continuing Education (AGD PACE) or the American Dental Association Continuing Education Recognition Program (ADA CERP). She stated that it was suggested that the Committee invite a representative from the American Academy of Dental Hygiene to present their rationale for their request and to answer questions from the Committee. It was noted that of the thirty-seven (37) providers listed only three (3) states have signed on and while there are a few corporate organizations, most of the entities are individual speakers. Dr. Bean stated that a past chair of the Education Committee had shared that previous requests have not been approved and that there was no evidence of change or increase in rigor of their application process in this most recent request to the Board.

### Cultural Competency Continuing Education

Dr. Bean indicated that the final agenda item for the Committee meeting was a review of the Cultural Competency Continuing Education that is listed on the Boards website. She stated that Director Kamdar had clarified that the cultural competency document was a result of legislation that mandated all professional licensing boards in Ohio have such lists and to make the material accessible/available to the professions. After some discussion it was agreed to remove some items from the website that are no longer valid or have non-working links and to investigate adding or updating for more recent courses when they are identified. The addition of some guidance of what to look for in cultural competency course objectives might also be included on the website.

### Consideration of Live-Patient Clinical Course(s)

Dr. Bean stated that during our roundtable comments we have been asked to consider removing the live-patient portion of courses for coronal polishing and placement of sealants by certified assistants. She stated that Director Kamdar informed the Committee that this needed to go before the Licensing Examination Format Committee (LEF Committee) and then to the Law and Rules Review Committee. The Education Committee is in support of this request and due to the reversible and lower stakes nature of these procedures, training could be accomplished via manikin. She said that demonstration of competency could be further required under the supervision of a licensed dentist for a set number of procedures. She indicated that this information had been passed on to the LEF Committee.

Dr. Bean stated that concluded the business of the Committee for the meeting. However, she stated that there was one additional item for consideration by the Board at this time, Biennial Sponsor application approval.

### Biennial Sponsor Approval

Dr. Bean stated that with the “Stay Safe Ohio” mandate that has been implemented by the Ohio Department of Health, the Education Committee meeting last week was the first one that was held since February 2020. However, the Board office continues to receive Biennial Sponsor and Biennial Sponsor Renewal Applications for the 2020-2021 biennium, and she would like to continue to provisionally approve the following renewal applications:

Cacchillo & Daniels, Inc.  
Ohio Association of Community Health Centers

*Motion by Dr. Bean, second by Ms. Carr, to provisionally approve the Biennial Sponsor Renewal applications as listed.*

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
Dr. Bean – Yes  
Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
Ms. Carr – Yes  
Dr. Kelley – Yes  
Dr. Krob – Yes  
Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
Dr. Quereshy – Yes  
Ms. Scaramucci – Yes  
Dr. Subramanian – Yes  
Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

President Subramanian indicated that the motion carried through majority vote.



### Licensure Examination Format

Dr. Brisley-Sedon informed the Board that the Licensing Examination Format Committee held virtual meetings at 7:00 p.m. on October 1 and October 15, 2020. She stated that the members of the Committee are:

Michele Carr, RDH, Vice-chair  
Ted Bauer, DDS, Member  
Mary Kaye Scaramucci, RDH, Member

Advisors to the Committee are:

Canise Bean, DMD, MPH, Advisor  
Faisal Quereshey, DDS, MD, Advisor

### ADEX Dental Hygiene Manikin Examination

Dr. Brisley-Sedon stated that individuals of the Committee were each assigned one type of format to investigate information. She said that Ms. Carr worked on the ADEX Dental Hygiene Manikin examination and gathered data relative to how the exam was completed, the history of the exam and she spent time as a grader recently to gather more information.

### ADEX CSE OSCE Dental Hygiene Examination

Dr. Brisley-Sedon informed the Board that Ms. Scaramucci reported on the ADEX CSE OSCE Dental Hygiene examination. She stated that Ms. Scaramucci provided information about the cost, the number of candidates, the type of examination questions. There was a comment that historically that particular OSCE is combined with a performance-based clinical exam or now the manikin exam.

### ADEX DSE OSCE Examination

Dr. Brisley-Sedon reported on the ADEX Dental Skills Exam (DSE) OSCE; the design, format, new Alternative Item Type questions, the history, the independent psychometrical evaluation. She noted that the ADEX DSE OSCE is **not** a performance examination it was in fact part of a 5-part exam which has performance sections.

### ADEX Dental Manikin Examination

Dr. Brisley-Sedon stated a report on the ADEX Dental Manikin examination was provided by Dr. Bauer. She stated that he reported on the history, design, development of the CompeDont tooth, the manikin beta testing, the number of candidates, the mock boards, and he had attached the technical reports with his assessment. She stated that subsequently some individuals with the help of former Board member, Dr. Mark Armstrong, were able to evaluate that CompeDont tooth.

### Joint Commission on National Dental Examination DL OSCE

Dr. Brisley-Sedon stated that the new Joint Commission on National Dental Examination DL OSCE was first used in June 2020 and the first 116 candidate who were graduates of U.S. accredited dental schools received their scores on August 21, 2020. She stated that there was an 8.6% failure rate but that the examination was considered only a small sampling of the current 2020 dental class candidates.

### Canadian OSCE Examination

Dr. Brisley-Sedon stated that there was also a review the Canadian Dental Schools, and the Canadian OSCE pathway for initial licensure. There were comments during the meeting from, David M Waldschmidt, Ph.D., Director, Testing Services and Director, Joint Commission on National Dental Examinations Department of Testing Services was available for questions.

### Portfolio/Portfolio Hybrid Examinations

Dr. Brisley-Sedon reported on the Portfolio/Hybrid Portfolio examination and the generic history of a portfolio pathway to licensure and its use in medical field. She stated that California is the only one found that pursued this pathway to initial licensure. The report commented on the collaboration of the 6 dental schools in California design, training, calibration, auditing, and sponsorship of legislation that extended approximately five (5) years. The number of candidates currently choosing this pathway is small, approximately 12-15 candidates per year and that it is a performance examination. Dr. Brisley-Sedon stated that Director Kamdar investigated and reported that Iowa considered a Portfolio pathway but has not implemented as no candidate has applied.

### Summary of Examinations – Recommendations

Dr. Brisley-Sedon summarized that the ADEX Dental Hygiene Manikin exam and the ADEX Dental Manikin exam, in combination with their respective OSCE's were found to be of "no material concerns". The remainder of the non-patient based clinical exams were considered in need of "further review".

Dr. Brisley-Sedon stated that the public was invited to comments during both meetings and provided some other avenues that the Committee should investigate; one of those avenues being what the State of Minnesota Board of Dentistry has said that they would be following the Canadian Dental OSCE as a pathway to initial licensure. She indicated the Ms. Scaramucci investigated this option for the Committee and reported that her contact with Minnesota Board Executive Director gleaned that Minnesota Board of Dentistry had "no appreciable data" concerning the licensees who utilized the Canadian OSCE for initial dental licensure.

### Clinical Training Requirement for Course(s)

Dr. Brisley-Sedon stated that the report and summary of the Committee has been forwarded to the Law and Rules Review Committee. She stated that with the referral from the Education Committee, the LEF Committee would be researching and reviewing the clinical training requirements for coronal polishing and sealant courses at their next meeting.

President Subramanian thanked Dr. Brisley-Sedon for her informative report. He stated that he wanted to stress important points prior to opening the floor for discussions. He urged all Board members to remember that the primary goal of the Board is protection of the public. It is our mission to promote service excellence in dentistry by protecting the public adequately. We are the entity that enables professionals to be licensed to provide much needed dental services to the public. In view of the current situation that the COVID-19 pandemic has created, he wanted to remind all the Board members that these extenuating circumstances with the graduating students from various dental, dental hygiene, and ancillary programs face. President Subramanian then asked if any of the Board members had questions for Dr. Brisley-Sedon.

Ms. Carr stated that the Commission on Dental Competency Assessments (CDCA) hosted a webinar on the manikin examination the previous week wherein additional information was provided that had not been included in her report to the Committee. She stated that the information specifically addressed the passing rates of the candidates and the official changes that will be made to the examination for 2021. President Subramanian indicated that she could share the additional information via email to all the LEF Committee members and to him as Chair of the Law and Rules Review Committee.

President Subramanian then requested the Board members consider extending acceptance of manikin-based examinations through the end of 2021 based on the information provided by the LEF Committee.

*Motion by Dr. Kelley, second by Dr. Quereshy, to accept manikin-based examinations for initial licensure for dentists and dental hygienists to December 31, 2021.*

Discussion followed wherein Dr. Bauer commented it is a good thing for the Board to be ahead rather than behind on this decision to continue and extend into 2021 the original decision to accept manikin-based examinations based on the circumstances surrounding the continued need for alternative pathway to initial licensure.

Roll call vote: Dr. Bauer – Yes  
Dr. Bean – Yes  
Dr. Brisley-Sedon – Yes  
Ms. Carr – Yes  
Dr. Kelley – Yes  
Dr. Krob – Yes  
Dr. Kyger – No response (audio issue)  
Dr. Quereshy – Yes  
Ms. Scaramucci – Yes  
Dr. Subramanian – Yes  
Dr. Zucker - No response (audio issue)

President Subramanian indicated that the motion carried through majority vote.

## Executive Updates

### President's Update

President Subramanian commented that we are now almost at the end of 2020 and what a year it has been. He stated that he still remembers the February 2020 in-person Board meeting and discussing items in both our personal and professional lives at a time when the news of COVID-19 had just started trickling in. He said that it was the first week of March that most of the news programs were beginning to report the pandemic and the morbidity and mortality associated with the virus.

President Subramanian stated that by March 16, 2020 dental offices were completely shut down except for emergency procedures. He stated now almost eight (8) months later we are still grappling with the pandemic with still much of it unknown, the pathologies of the disease, the effect on various organ systems, and the long-term effects of the disease. He said that there is some light at the end of the tunnel and although there is a significant uptick in the number of cases that are being reported, the morbidity and mortality of the disease has decreased. Healthcare has some more definite treatment protocols in place which is showing significant improvement in patient outcomes. However, with the upcoming change to winter weather the necessity to be outdoors will increase the possibility of more cases. He stated that as a profession and as a part of the healthcare team, we should do our part in mitigating the spread of the virus.

President Subramanian also took a moment to thank Dr. Brisley-Sedon and members of the LEF Committee as they have invested a significant amount of time and effort in researching the various examinations available. The initial summary of their document was submitted the previous day and he thanked them for all their efforts. He also extended his appreciation to Dr. Mark Armstrong of the CDCA, Dr. Bean and Dr. Fischbach of The Ohio State University, College of Dentistry, for providing the CompeDont teeth for trials by the Board members.

President Subramanian commented that as this year ends, he wished to thank all the Board members for the work they have done in protecting the public and working through these difficult times.

President Subramanian concluded by stating that the members had all probably been recipients of multiple emails from Director Kamdar about the budgetary cuts required by the boards and entities due to the significant effect

of the pandemic. He stated that in trying to help the overall goal of the administration of our Board and being part of the solution rather than part of the problem, the December meeting of the Board has been cancelled. He said that while we have completed the statutory requisite number of Board meetings for the year, the committees may continue meeting as required to work on their business for the Board.

President Subramanian turned the meeting over to Director Kamdar for the Executive Director's Update.

### Executive Director's Update

#### Licensure Examination Format Committee Recommendations

Director Kamdar thanked President Subramanian for the President's Update and then thanked the LEF Committee for all their hard work under the leadership of Dr. Brisley-Sedon. He stated that most of the members have probably not had the opportunity to see this committee in action. He said they really worked hard, did their due diligence in reaching out to various resources so that the Committee could provide the best possible recommendation. He stated that the recommendation made by the Committee is a very responsible recommendation. He stated that we are here to protect our dental consumers in Ohio which is our first and foremost priority and we want to make sure that the integrity of the licensure process is not compromised. At the same time, we want to be mindful of the pandemic that we are under and to lighten the burden on academia, including the dental and dental hygiene programs across the state along with the graduating students. Director Kamdar said this is a very responsible way to move forward and allows the Board to continue to evaluate other alternatives for the long-term. He stated that he did not hear the Committee eliminate any of the other alternatives but rather that the alternatives would require a further review before the Board could consider moving forward with those avenues to licensure.

#### Return to Riffe Center

Director Kamdar commented on the process for moving back into the Riffe Center, a 31-story building. He stated that this is difficult under current times while maintaining social distancing due to the pandemic and using elevators and escalators. He informed the Board that the State of Ohio has provided us with a plan on when we will be returning on a full-time basis, but we are currently in and out of the offices on an as-needed basis. We will be putting out more information on this later but for now and the next several months going into the winter months and into early spring, we cannot expect in-person meetings of the Board.

#### December Board Meeting Cancelled

Director Kamdar reiterated what President Subramanian had mentioned about the December Board meeting. He stated that the Board has met the statutory requirement for the number of meetings per year and that we have gone over and beyond the requirement by holding committee meetings that are outside the Board meeting days. Director Kamdar commented that from a budgetary standpoint this will be very helpful. He repeated President Subramanian's comment that this does not mean that the work of the Board cannot continue as the committees are welcome to continue to meet. He stated that the staff will help facilitate committee meetings. He stated that the LEF Committee and the Education Committee have done an excellent job of holding meetings and will try to do the same for the other committees.

Director Kamdar then turned the meeting back over to President Subramanian.

### Anything for the Good of the Board

President Subramanian asked if there was any additional information or questions of the Board. He noted that there were no other questions or comments.

## Adjourn

President Subramanian adjourned the meeting at 3:58 p.m.

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