

# BOARD OF MEDICINE

## Open Session Agenda

February 25, 2026  
8:30 AM

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**BOARD MISSION STATEMENT:**

“To **protect** and enhance the health, safety, and well-being of District of Columbia residents by **promoting** evidence-based best practices in health regulation, high standards of quality care and implementing policies that **prevent** adverse events.”

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**BOARD MEETING PARTICIPANTS:**

<b>BOARD MEMBERS:</b>	
Andrea Anderson, MD (AA)	
Bernard Arons, MD (BA)	
Harry Barbee, Ph. D (HB)	
Konrad Dawson, MD (KD)	
Bethany Fosu, MD (BF) – DOH Designee	
Carolyn Gorman, MD (CG)	
Daanish Jones (DJ)	
Amr Madkour, MD (AM)	
Mariam Michael, MD (MM)	
Padmaja Pavuluri, DO (PP)	
William Strudwick, MD (WS)	
VACANT (Consumer Member)	
VACANT (Physician Member)	
VACANT (Physician Assistant Member)	
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<b>BOARD STAFF:</b>	
Emilia Moran – Interim Executive Director	
Charles Annor – Supervisory Health Licensing Specialist	
Chiquita Badgett – Health Licensing Specialist	
Ashley Callaham – Health Licensing Specialist	
Sabrina Gillison – Health Licensing Specialist	
Raihannah Muhammad - Health Licensing Specialist	
Kim Quickley – Health Licensing Specialist	
Jennifer Stuart – Health Licensing Specialist	
Whitney Moore – Investigator	
<b>LEGAL STAFF:</b>	
Suzanne Fenzel, Esq. – Board Attorney Advisor	
Ajay Gohil, Esq. – Board Attorney Advisor	
<b>DC HEALTH STAFF:</b>	
Warner Dixon, Office of Government Affairs	

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CALL TO ORDER		
OS-26-02-01	<b><u>INTRODUCTIONS</u></b>	
ALL	<p><b>A. BOARD MEMBERS</b></p> <p><b>B. BOARD STAFF</b></p>	

APPROVAL OF MINUTES, CONSENT AGENDA, BOARD POLICIES, AND STAFF REPORTS		
OS-26-02-02	<b><u>BOARD/DEPARTMENT REPORT</u></b>	EM
ALL	<p><b>A. BOARD CHAIR’S REPORT</b></p> <p><b>B. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S REPORT</b></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">i. <b>DC Health Updates</b> The Executive Director will provide an update on the District of Columbia responses to public health issues/concerns.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">ii. <b>Advisory Committees</b> The Executive Director will provide an update on the advisory committees.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">iii. <b>Board Vacancies/MOTA Update</b> The Executive Director will provide an update on current Board vacancies.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">iv. <b>Licensure Census</b> The Executive Director provided an update on the current licensure census in the District of Columbia.</p> <p><b>C. BOARD ATTORNEY’S REPORT</b></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">i. Modification to Board meeting closing procedures.</p> <p><b>D. OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT RELATION’S REPORT</b> <b>Board of Medicine – OGR Updates</b></p> <p><b>Performance Oversight</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ On February 11, the Committee on Health held Performance Oversight hearings for the Boards of Dentistry, Optometry, and Pharmacy. Each Board Chair</li> </ul>	

	<p>testified on behalf of the Board and the Department. The hearing can be watched, <a href="#">here</a>.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On February 20, Dr. Bennett will provide testimony during the Committee on Health Performance Oversight hearing for DC Health. The hearing can be watched, <a href="#">here</a>.</li> </ul>	
OS-26-02-03  ALL	<p><b><u>OPEN SESSION MINUTES</u></b></p> <p><b>Board Action:</b> Consideration of the Open Session minutes from January 28, 2026, meeting.</p> <p><b>Background:</b> The Open Session Minutes are a record of the Board’s past meeting(s), describing the events, list of attendees; a statement of the issues considered and related responses or decisions of the Board.</p>	EM/CA
OS-26-02-04  ALL	<p><b><u>OPEN CONSENT AGENDA</u></b></p> <p><b>Board Action:</b> Consideration of the current open Consent Agenda items for purposes of review and/or ratification of Board actions taken since the last Board meeting.</p> <p><b>Background:</b> The Open Consent Agenda is a record of the decisions and/or actions taken by the Board or its staff since the last meeting of the Board.</p>	EM/SG
OS-26-02-05  ALL	<p><b><u>DC BOARD OF PODIATRY</u></b></p> <p><b>Board Action:</b> The DC Board of Podiatry will present on the use of physician assistants and radiologic technicians in the practice of podiatry.</p> <p><b>Background:</b> During its meeting on January 7, 2026, the Board of Podiatry voted to request an opportunity to present to the Board of Medicine. The Board of Medicine licenses and regulate physician assistants, and the requested presentation would address their utilization, as well as radiologic technicians, in podiatric practice.</p>	
OS-26-02-06  ALL	<p><b><u>PUBLIC COMMENTS</u></b></p> <p><b>Background:</b></p>	

	To provide the public with the opportunity to comment on or provide feedback to the Board.	
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**MOTION TO CLOSE**

OS-26-02-07  ALL	<p><b><u>MOTION TO CLOSE</u></b></p> <p><b>Board Action:</b> To go into closed session to discuss confidential matters as permitted in DC Official Code § 2-575(b).</p> <p><b>Background:</b> Pursuant to DC Official Code § 2-575(b), the Board will move into the Closed Executive Session portion of the meeting to discuss the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. To consult with an attorney to obtain legal advice and to preserve the attorney-client privilege between an attorney and a public body, or to approve settlement agreements pursuant to § 2-575(b)(4)(a).</li><li>2. To discuss disciplinary matters pursuant to section § 2-575(b)(9).</li><li>3. To plan, discuss, or hear reports concerning ongoing or planned investigation of alleged criminal or civil misconduct or violations of law or regulations, if disclosure to the public would harm the investigation pursuant to section § 2-575(b)(14).</li></ol>
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**The next Board meeting is **VIRTUAL** and will be held on **March 25, 2026**.**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION REPORT**

OS-26-02-08  ALL	<p><b><u>EXECUTIVE SESSION REPORT</u></b></p> <p><b>Board Action:</b> To report final actions taken by the Board during the Executive Session.</p> <p><b>Background:</b> At the end of every meeting, the Board will provide a report of all final actions taken during the Executive Session.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Number of approved applications:</li><li>• Number of closed complaints:</li><li>• Number of interviews:</li></ul>	
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**MOTION TO ADJOURN**

OS-26-02-09  ALL	<p><b><u>MOTION TO ADJOURN</u></b></p> <p><b>Board Action:</b> To adjourn the meeting.</p> <p><b>Background:</b> At the end of every meeting, a motion to adjourn must be made in open session to close out the business of the Board.</p>	
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**This ends the Open Session Agenda.**

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