

**BOARD OF DENTISTRY
2201 SHANNON PLACE SE – 2ND FL.
WASHINGTON, DC 20020**

**DATE: DECEMBER 11, 2024
TIME: 9:00 AM**

**OPEN SESSION
MEETING AGENDA**

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BOARD MEMBERS:	
Michelle Latortue, DDS – Chairperson	
Dianne Smith, ESQ – Consumer Member	
Brittany Campbell, RDH, MSDH – Board Member	
Chanelle Roberts, DDS – (Dentist) Board Member	
Imani Lewis, DDS – (Dentist) Board Member	
Eric Bradshaw, DDS – (Dentist) Board Member	
Jonelle Anamelechi, DDS – (Dentist) Board Member	
BOARD STAFF:	
Ericka L. Walker, MSW - Executive Director	
Gregory Scurlock, Compliance Officer	
Rebecca Odrick-Austin, Board Investigator	
Zaneta Batts, Health Licensing Specialist	
Tiffany Johnson, Health Licensing Specialist	
LEGAL STAFF:	
Carla M. Williams, Senior Assistant General Counsel	

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CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL	
OS-1211-01	<p>INTRODUCTIONS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Board Members B. Board Staff C. Legal Staff D. Department Staff E. Public Attendance (Please type your Name and Organization in the Webex chat)
OS-1211-02	<p>OPEN SESSION AGENDA:</p> <p><u>BOARD ACTION</u> Motion: Acceptance of the December 11, 2024, meeting agenda</p>
OS-1211-03	<p>OPEN SESSION MINUTES:</p> <p><u>BOARD ACTION</u> Motion: Acceptance of the November 13, 2024, Open Session meeting minutes.</p>
STAFF REPORTS:	
OS-1211-04	<p>EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT:</p> <p>Mrs. Ericka Walker, Executive Director to the Board</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>DC Health Updates</u> 2. <u>BOD Calendar</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • October 16, 2024 (Virtual) • November 13, 2024 (Virtual) • December 11, 2024 (Virtual) • January 15, 2025 (Virtual) • February 19, 2025 (Virtual) • March 19, 2025 (In Person & Virtual) • April 16, 2025 (Virtual) • May 21, 2025 (Virtual) • June 18, 2025 (In Person & Virtual) • July 16, 2025 (Virtual) • August (Recess) • September 17, 2025 (In Person & Virtual)

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	<p>3. BOD Census Dentists (1,229) Dental Hygienists (509) Dental Hygienists with the authority to administer Local Anesthesia (109) Dental Hygienists with the authority to administer Local Anesthesia & Nitrous Oxide (100) Dental Hygienists with the authority to administer Nitrous Oxide (3) Dental Assistant Level 1 (188) Dental Assistant Level 2 (590) Teaching Licenses for Dentists (4) Teaching Licenses for Dental Hygienist (0)</p> <p>4. The Mayor’s Office of Talent and Appointments (MOTA) recruits talented and interested individuals from all eight Wards to serve on District Boards. Link to apply to serve on a Board: https://mota.dc.gov/page/boards-vacancies-or-available-seats</p>																															
<p>OS-1211-05</p>	<p>BOARD ATTORNEY’S REPORT:</p> <p>Ms. Carla Williams, Senior Assistant General Counsel</p> <p>The following orders have been issued since the last Board meeting: Carlos Jones, DDS – Public Consent Order</p>																															
<p>OS-1211-06</p>	<p>BOARD CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT:</p> <p>Michelle Latortue, DDS</p>																															
<p>OS-1211-07</p>	<p>CONSENT AGENDA:</p> <p>The following applications were approved from November 6, 2024 – December 4, 2024:</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Ximena</td> <td>Larsen</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Janet</td> <td>Davis</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Anjali</td> <td>Lynch</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Leona</td> <td>Littles</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Lilian</td> <td>Baez</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Jennifer</td> <td>Pierce</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Seif</td> <td>Tawfik</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mihiret</td> <td>Jelamo</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Kibriyaa</td> <td>Al-Jabbar</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Si' Monte</td> <td>Gray</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> </table>	Ximena	Larsen	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Janet	Davis	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Anjali	Lynch	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Leona	Littles	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Lilian	Baez	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Jennifer	Pierce	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Seif	Tawfik	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Mihiret	Jelamo	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Kibriyaa	Al-Jabbar	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Si' Monte	Gray	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	
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Fabiana	Hurtado	DENTAL ASSISTANT - LEVEL II
Elvira	Castro	DENTAL ASSISTANT - LEVEL II
Ashley	Poole	DENTAL ASSISTANT - LEVEL II
Gina	Bell	DENTAL ASSISTANT - LEVEL II
Yvonne	Quarles	DENTAL ASSISTANT - LEVEL II
Tanya	Ware	DENTAL ASSISTANT - LEVEL II
DaJon	McLeese	DENTAL ASSISTANT - LEVEL II
Madison	Lewis	DENTAL ASSISTANT - LEVEL II
Fiona Victoria	Quenano	DENTAL ASSISTANT - LEVEL II
Chaz	Clark	DENTAL ASSISTANT - LEVEL II
Keyara	Davis	DENTAL ASSISTANT - LEVEL II
Paulnea	Gray	DENTAL ASSISTANT - LEVEL II
Shanequa	Bradberry	DENTAL HYGIENIST
Cassie	Ball	DENTAL HYGIENIST
Ma Elaiza	Natad	DENTAL HYGIENIST
Kadeja	Graham	DENTAL HYGIENIST
Jessica	Lubek	DENTIST
Christopher	Drennen	DENTIST
Michelle D	Mulligan	DENTIST
Samon	Nazemian	DENTIST
Chad	Wise	DENTIST
Fardous	Medani	DENTIST
Parwin	Noorahmad	DENTIST
Sukari	Phoenix	DENTIST
Andrea	Csonka	DENTIST
Cassie	Ball	LOCAL ANESTHESIA
BOARD ACTION:		
Acceptance of the November 6, 2024 – December 4, 2024 , Consent Agenda.		

DISCUSSION ITEMS

OS-1211-08	<p>LEGISLATIVE UPDATES – OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT RELATIONS</p> <p>Mr. Matteo Lieb, Director of Government Relations, to discuss the following items:</p> <p>End of Council Period:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Council Period 25 will conclude on December 23, 2024. The Council will then go on recess. ▪ Any legislation that is not passed on both readings by the end of the Council Period will need to be reintroduced in the following Council Period. <p>New Council Period:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Council Period 26 will commence on January 2, 2024. ▪ Committee assignments for Council Period 26 will be released in late December.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Once those are approved, along with the Council Rules, the Council will move to conduct its performance oversight hearings.
OS-1211-09	<u>DENTAL BOARD SUB-COMMITTEES</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><u>Credentials & Audits</u>: Dr. Eric Bradshaw, Dr. Chanelle Roberts <u>Communications</u>: Dr. Michelle Latortue <u>Regulatory Affairs</u>: Ms. Dianne Smith, Mrs. Brittany Campbell, Dr. Imani Lewis
OS-1211-10	<u>INCENTIVIZED PROGRAM:</u> The DC Board of Dentistry has elected to implement a new Incentivized Program period. This will start on January 1, 2025, and will end on April 30, 2025. During this period, all unregistered individuals are encouraged to come into compliance with District of Columbia law by completing the Incentivized Program documents. Individuals who voluntarily come forward during this time period, pursuant to the parameters set forth in this policy, will receive a greatly reduced financial penalty.
OS-1211-11	<u>COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC</u> Please type your name and organization in the chat.

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CLOSING		
OS-1211-12	<u>MOTION TO CLOSE</u>	
	<p>The Board member should move as follows:</p> <p>“I move that the Board close the Open Public session portion of the meeting and move into the Closed Executive Session portion of the meeting pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 2-575(b) for the following purposes: to discuss disciplinary matters pursuant to § 2-575(b)(9); to seek the advice of counsel to the board, to preserve the attorney-client privilege, or to approve settlement agreements pursuant to § 2-575(b)(4); and to plan, discuss, or hear reports concerning ongoing or planned investigations pursuant to § 2-575(b)(14).”</p>	
	ROLL CALL VOTE	
	<p>This concludes the Public Open Session of the meeting. The Board will now move into the Closed Executive Session portion of the meeting pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 2-575(b) for the reasons set forth in the motion.</p>	

This ends the Open Session Meeting
The next meeting is scheduled for January 15, 2024

This meeting is governed by the Open Meetings Act. Please address any questions or complaints arising under this meeting to the Office of Open Government at opengovoffice@dc.gov.