

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

**DATE: NOVEMBER 13, 2024
TIME: 9:00 AM**

**OPEN SESSION
MEETING AGENDA**

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BOARD MEMBERS:	
Michelle Latortue, DDS – Presiding Board Member	
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-1113-01	<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-1113-02	<p>OPEN SESSION AGENDA:</p> <p>BOARD ACTION: Acceptance of the November 13, 2024, Open Session meeting agenda</p>
OS-1113-03	<p>OPEN SESSION MINUTES:</p> <p>BOARD ACTION: Acceptance of the October 16, 2024, Open Session meeting minutes.</p>
STAFF REPORTS:	
OS-1113-04	<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 (In Person & 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)

	<p>3. BOD Census Dentists (1,218) Dental Hygienists (505) Dental Hygienists with the authority to administer Local Anesthesia (108) 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 (177) Dental Assistant Level 2 (578) 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-1113-05</p>	<p>BOARD ATTORNEY’S REPORT:</p> <p>Ms. Carla Williams, Board’s attorney</p> <p>The following orders have been issued since the last Board meeting:</p> <p>Sharon Osbourne – Order Denying Licensure</p>																																		
<p>OS-1113-06</p>	<p>BOARD CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT:</p> <p>Dr. Latortue, Presiding Board Member</p>																																		
<p>OS-1113-07</p>	<p>CONSENT AGENDA:</p> <p>The following applications were approved from October 8, 2024 – November 5, 2024:</p> <table data-bbox="300 1470 1291 1890"> <tr> <td>Kayla</td> <td>Fludd</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ruth</td> <td>Salmeron</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Freda</td> <td>Asante</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nevaeh</td> <td>Reed</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Youssif</td> <td>Adam</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tran Gia Ha</td> <td>Nguyen</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Blane</td> <td>Teka</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL II</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Destiny</td> <td>Gates</td> <td>DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL II</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Florance</td> <td>Beranger</td> <td>DENTAL HYGIENIST</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Taylor</td> <td>Peterson</td> <td>DENTAL HYGIENIST</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Victor</td> <td>Lim</td> <td>DENTIST</td> </tr> </table>	Kayla	Fludd	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Ruth	Salmeron	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Freda	Asante	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Nevaeh	Reed	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Youssif	Adam	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Tran Gia Ha	Nguyen	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL I	Blane	Teka	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL II	Destiny	Gates	DENTAL ASSISTANT- LEVEL II	Florance	Beranger	DENTAL HYGIENIST	Taylor	Peterson	DENTAL HYGIENIST	Victor	Lim	DENTIST	
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Jamila	Taylor	DENTIST
Yasir	Alsarraaj	DENTIST
Haizel	Botwe	DENTIST
Shaina	Wasser	DENTIST
Manasa	Bhavana	DENTIST
Moiad	Salous	DENTIST
Dennis	Chang	DENTIST
Taylor	Peterson	LOCAL ANESTHESIA AND NITROUS OXIDE
<u>BOARD ACTION:</u> Acceptance of the Consent Agenda.		

DISCUSSION ITEMS

OS-1113-08	<p><u>LEGISLATIVE UPDATES – OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT RELATIONS</u></p> <p>Mr. Matteo Lieb, Director of Government Relations, to discuss the following items:</p> <p>Medical Malpractice Clarification Amendment Act of 2024</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ On July 12th, Councilmember R. White along with Councilmembers Bonds, Nadeau, Pinto, T. White, Allen, Gray, Henderson, Mendelson and Lewis George introduced the <i>Medical Malpractice Clarification Amendment Act of 2024</i> (B25-0926) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ This legislation prohibits medical malpractice insurers from taking adverse actions against health care practitioners who provide health care services that are lawful under the laws of the District, including reproductive health care and gender-affirming care. ▪ This legislation has been referred to the Committee on Business and Economic Development, but no hearing has been scheduled. <p>The Firearm Suicide Prevention (Donna’s Law) Amendment Act of 2024</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ On September 24th, Councilmember Pinto introduced <i>The Firearm Suicide Prevention (Donna’s Law) Amendment Act of 2024</i> (B25-0960). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ This legislation creates a Voluntary Firearms Suspension Registry to allow individuals to voluntarily suspend their ability to receive, possess, or transfer a firearm. It requires the Metropolitan Police Department, in consultation with the Department of Health and the Department of Human Services, to develop literature about firearm safety, suicide prevention, and conflict resolution, and to require any business in the District engaging in the selling, purchasing, or repairing of firearms or ammunition to display and distribute the literature to patrons and interested purchasers. ▪ A hearing in the Committee on Judiciary and Public Safety was held for this legislation on October 21, 2024.
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OS-1113-09	<u>DENTAL BOARD SUB-COMMITTEES</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. <u>Credentials & Audits</u>: Dr. Eric Bradshaw, Dr. Chanelle Roberts 2. <u>Communications</u>: Dr. Michelle Latortue 3. <u>Regulatory Affairs</u>: Ms. Dianne Smith, Mrs. Brittany Campbell, Dr. Imani Lewis
OS-1113-10	<u>COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC</u> Please type your name and organization in the chat.

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CLOSING		
OS-1113-11	<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 December 11, 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.