

GEORGIA BOARD OF DENTISTRY
Investigative Committee Meeting
October 18, 2013
2 Peachtree St., N.W. 36th Floor
Atlanta, GA 30303
9:00 a.m.

Board Members Present

Dr. Logan Nalley
Dr. Steve Holcomb
Dr. Bert Yeargan

Others Present

Tanja Battle, Executive Director
Anil Forman, Legal Officer
Ryan McNeal, Chief Investigator
Anna Petway, Complaint & Compliance Analyst

Open Session

The Investigation Committee of the Georgia Board of Dentistry met on October 18, 2013 at 2 Peachtree Street, 36th Floor, Atlanta, Georgia 30303.

The meeting was called to order at 9:20a.m. by Dr. Nalley. Minutes from the September 20, 2013 meeting were discussed. Dr. Yeargan made a motion that the minutes be approved. Dr. Holcomb seconded, and the Committee voted in favor of the motion.

Dr. Holcomb made a motion that the meeting be moved to Executive Session for the purpose of discussing investigative cases as authorized by O.C.G.A. Sections 43-1-2(h) and 43-11-47(h), Dr. Yeargan seconded and the Committee members voted in favor of the motion. These members were Dr. Nalley, Dr. Yeargan and Dr. Holcomb.

Executive Session

Investigative Interview

Dr. L. A.
DENT130116
DENT130016
DENT120152
DENT130101
DENT130133
DENT130019
DENT130021
DENT090102
DENT120147

Recommendations

Additional Information Needed
Refer to AG
Close
Reschedule
Refer to AG
Close
Close with a letter of Concern
Reschedule
Reschedule
Mitigating Circumstances letter

Peer Review Updates & Discussion Cases – Ryan McNeal

DENT120110	Schedule for II
DENT130067	Closed 7/12/13 Summary Suspension
DENT120139	Schedule II
DENT120151	Schedule II
DENT130018	Schedule II
DENT130135	Additional Investigation Required
DENT130194	Schedule II
DENT090230	Schedule II

Discussion Cases

DENT090290	Close, no action
DENT100007	Schedule II
DENT100107	Close
DENT120010	Schedule II
DENT120076	Close
DENT120096	Schedule II
DENT120097	Schedule II
DENT120123	Additional Investigation Required
DENT130054	Close with Letter of Concern
DENT130090	Close
DENT130108	Close
DENT130208	Schedule II
DENT130224	Additional Information Needed
DENT130230	Schedule II
DENT130233	Close & send letter to Complainant
DENT130237	Close
DENT140004	Schedule II
DENT140005	Schedule II
DENT140018	Schedule II
DENT140027	Schedule II
DENT140029	Refer to Peer Reviewer
DENT140052	Additional Information Needed

Correspondences

Dr. J. A.	Closure denied
Dr. A. T.	Send an acknowledgement letter
Dr. M.R.	Follow-up w/Composite Med. Board
Dr. T. D.	Send an acknowledgement letter
Dr. W. S.	Send an acknowledgment letter.
Dr. A. Z.	Consult with Ms. J.W.
Mr. R. A.	Send an acknowledgement letter

Mr. W. S.
Dr. I. A.
Dr. D. B.

No response required.
CE course plan approved
Continue to send quarterly report

Dr. G. C.
DENT130111
Dr. K. H.

Add additional Sanctions
C & D Hearing
Close

Correspondence from a law firm in regards to the Joint Staff Report on the Corporate Practice of Dentistry in the Medicaid Program. Staff directed to share with the remainder of the Committee via e-mail.

No votes were taken in Executive Session and Open Session was declared by Chairman.

Open Session

Dr. Holcomb made a motion to accept the recommendations based on deliberations in Executive Session, Dr. Yeargan seconded and the Committee voted in favor of the motion.

Meeting adjourned at 4:14 p.m.

The meeting minutes prepared by Anna Petway, Complaint & Compliance Analyst, and were reviewed by Tanja D. Battle, Executive Director.

Dr. Logan Nalley, Jr.
Investigative Committee Chairman

Date: Oct. 18, 2013