

**GEORGIA BOARD OF DENTISTRY**  
**Board Meeting**  
**December 5, 2008**

The Board Meeting for the Georgia Board of Dentistry was held on Friday, December 5, 2008 at the Professional Licensing Board, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

<b>The following Board members were present:</b>	<b>Others Present:</b>
Dr. Thomas Godfrey Dr. Isaac Hadley Ms. Elaine Richardson Dr. Barry Stacey Ms. Pam Bush Dr. Clark Carroll Dr. Henry Cook Dr. Stephen Holcomb Dr. Logan Nalley	Reagan Dean, Board Attorney Tanja Battle, Executive Director Carol White, Board Secretary Dr. Don Benton John Bitting Melana McClatchey Keasha Myrick

**Dr. Godfrey established** that a quorum was present and the meeting that was scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m., was called to order at 9:33 a.m.

**Minutes from the November 7, 2008 board meeting:**

- Approved as amended.

**Examination Committee** – Dr. Stephen Holcomb

- At the last meeting of the CRDTS Executive Committee and Steering Committee it was voted that CRDTS will no longer administer the ADEX Dental Examination after June 30, 2009. CRDTS will not administer the newly adopted ADEX Perio template as a substitute for the previous CRDTS/ADHLEX during the 2009 clinical hygiene cycle. CRDTS will administer a similar dental hygiene examination in 2009 as has been administered for the past three years. In addition, CRDTS will not require the CSCE for 2009. The Examination Committee recommends the Board update the Dental Board Policy for the Examination Accepted by Board to be as follows: At the December 5, 2008 meeting the Board approved the following policy:
  - After December 31, 2008, the Board will only consider the Dental Hygiene Exam as administered by the Central Regional Dental Testing Service, Inc. (CRDTS) or any other testing agency designated and approved by the Board.

**Rules Committee** – Dr. Clyde Andrews

- 150-5-.02 – The Board will hold a conference call on Tuesday, December 9, 2008 to post an amendment to Rule 150-5-.02.
- 150-13-.01 – Conscious Sedation Permits – Dr. Hadley motioned, Dr. Clark seconded and the Board voted to post.
- 150-13-.02 – Deep Sedation/General Anesthesia Permits – Dr. Hadley motioned, Dr. Stacey seconded and the Board voted to post.

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**General:**

1. Rule Variance Request from Kashlyn D. Covington – Dental Hygienist – Dr. Cook motioned, Dr. Nalley seconded and the Board voted for staff to contact her to send in her application and Georgia will accept her examination scores.
2. Notification from Matt A. Hirsch re: Dr. Sammy A. Cave’s felony conviction. Viewed as informational.
3. CODA – RE: State Board Participation on 2009 Accreditation Site Visits. - The Board appreciates the opportunity but no one from the Board can attend.
4. Request from Denise P. Noel to be released from probation status and be allowed to resume root canal treatments. Dr. Holcomb motioned, Ms. Bush seconded and the Board voted to schedule her an appointment with the LOC committee in January 2009.
5. Request from W. Rob McCormack regarding prescription pads. – The board requests he make an extra copy for the records for the Board. Regan Dean, Board Attorney will advise the staff on a letter to send.
6. Request from Katherine Newman Ciarrocca to appeal her denial. The Board voted to schedule her an appointment with the LOC committee in January 2009.
7. January 9, 2009 Board meeting. Dr. Holcomb motioned, Dr. Nalley seconded and the Board voted to reschedule the Dental Board meeting to January 16, 2009. Staffing for the Board meeting to be determined by Mr. Vaughn.
8. Dr. Holcomb discussed AADEX membership with Mr. Vaughn. Dr. Holcomb will get the additional information to Mr. Vaughn for consideration.

**Consider for ratification licenses that have been administratively issued:**

Dr. Stacey made a motion, Dr .Cook seconded and the Board voted to **ratify** the following newly issued licenses.

<b>License #</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Profession</b>	<b>Issue Date</b>
DNCS000264	Mitchell, Jan Karen	Conscious Sedation Permit	11/20/2008
DHF000051	Roof, Joanna Lynn	Dental Hygiene Faculty	11/6/2008
DH010623	Rosset, Elizabeth Jill	Dental Hygienist	10/24/2008
DH010624	Merrill, Lynda Kay	Dental Hygienist	11/4/2008
DH010625	Ogletree, Theresa Ray	Dental Hygienist	11/4/2008
DH010626	Duren, Lindsey Danielle	Dental Hygienist	11/5/2008
DH010627	Mena, Natalia	Dental Hygienist	11/10/2008
DH010628	Harrison, Ginger Lee	Dental Hygienist	11/10/2008
DH010629	Brown, Harriet Christine	Dental Hygienist	11/10/2008
DH010630	Pittman, Lene' Y'Juana	Dental Hygienist	11/17/2008
DH010631	Fox, Jessica Marie	Dental Hygienist	11/19/2008
DN013814	Attanasio, Dina Elizabeth	Dentist	10/27/2008
DN013815	Kwak, Sang Bum	Dentist	10/28/2008
DN013816	Yoon, Young Jae	Dentist	11/4/2008
DN013817	Nelson, John Alarey	Dentist	11/4/2008
DN013818	Gorlovsky, Michael Lvovich	Dentist	11/4/2008
DN013819	Young, Marcus Malik	Dentist	11/7/2008

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DN013820	Hall, Brenda Jean	Dentist	11/10/2008
DN013821	Johnson, Mantique L	Dentist	11/10/2008
DN013822	Razavi, Mohammad R	Dentist	11/10/2008
DN013823	Jackson, Eric Von	Dentist	11/10/2008
DN013824	Bailey, Emil Mark	Dentist	11/14/2008
DN013825	Atighechi, Sharok	Dentist	11/18/2008
DNES000187	Owsley-Brown, Julia Rena	Enteral/Inhalation Sedation	11/4/2008
DNGA000228	Patel, Jay Jitendra	General Anesthesia Permit	11/4/2008

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Dr. Cook made a motion, Dr. Nalley seconded and the Board voted to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A §43-1-19(h)(2) and §43-1-2(k) to deliberate on applications and enforcement matters and to receive information on applications, investigative reports, and the Assistant Attorney General's report. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Drs. Hadley, Stacey, Carroll, and Holcomb, Ms. Bush and Ms. Richardson. The Board concluded **Executive Session** in order to vote on these matters and continue with the public session.

**Appointments:**

**11:00 a.m.** – C.C. – Dental credentials applicant, denial appeal – Denied.

**Applications/Licensure:**

1. G.D.B. – Dental credentials applicant, denied by committee – Denied – Applicant needs to apply for rule waiver.
2. S.M.P. – Hygiene reinstatement applicant, ULP – Schedule for LOC in January 2009 and ask who she worked for.
3. C.L.L. – Dental Applicant – requesting approval for licensure. – Deny until he gets issues with the Army straightened out. Board request applicant provides an official letter from the Army showing change in status to honorable discharge.
4. J.R.M. – Hygiene applicant – Approved.

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**Licensure Overview Committee** – Dr. Isaac Hadley

- J.M.M. – Request to lift suspension - Approved
- E.D.M. – Dental Applicant – arrest conviction – Approved

**Rules Committee** – Dr. Andrews

Dental Credentials Applicant – S.A. & Board Rule 150-7-.04 – No change made to the rule. Dr. Holcomb motioned, Dr. Stacey seconded and Board voted on a change to be made to the procedure for the Dental Credentials committee – The Committee must have a unanimous response from all of the Board members before the license can be issued. If there is only one decision or if there is not a unanimous decision there will be no response and it will be brought before the Board. This change will be put on the agenda for the upcoming Board meeting in January 2009.

**Investigative Report** – Dr. Logan Nalley, Jr.

DENT070132 Line 27 – Not approved for closure – will be tabled and bring back to next month Board meeting in January 2009.

**Attorney General's Report** – Mr. Reagan Dean & Ms. Julie Fisher

AG gave a report on two cases.

Accepted C & D order for Sherry Skipper.

Accepted private consent order on C.G.S. and public consent order for Jessica Margaret Hamm.

Tabled Case on Joe Harvard.

Dr. Andrews motioned, Dr. Stacey seconded and the Board voted to approve all recommendations made in Executive Session.

**Misc:**

Board meeting adjourned at 1:15 p.m.

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**Minutes recorded by:** Carol White, Board Secretary

**Minutes reviewed and edited by:** Tanja Battle, Executive Director

These minutes will be signed and approved on January 16, 2009.